



PATTERN COLLECTION

Women



Cherries on Top

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DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

Extra Small (Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X)

Shown in Small size with approx. 3" of positive ease.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 31½ (35½, 40¼, 44, 47¾, 51½, 56¼, 60, 63¾)"

Length: 20½ (21, 21½, 22½, 23¼, 23½, 25¼, 26¼, 27¼)"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn *Magnolia* (95% modal, 5% cashmere; 100g/361 yds)

- 106 Smoothie - 3 (3, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5, 5, 5) skeins

Needles: US Size 3 (3.25 mm) straight needle for knitting flat) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 2 (2.75 mm) straight, 16" circular, and set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences)

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, removable stitch markers, stitch holder or waste yarn

GAUGE

26 sts x 36 rows = 4" in Broken Garter patt using lager ndl

Save time, check your gauge.

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PATTERN NOTES

Worked in soft, satiny Magnolia, Cherries on Top will be your new favorite tee. The delicious textures of broken garter, twisted stitches, and dainty eyelets that decorate this piece make it a treat to knit and wear. The lightweight blend of modal and cashmere provide this tee with gorgeous drape and glorious stitch definition.

This top is knit flat in pieces from the bottom up. The shoulders are joined with the three-needle bind-off and the sides are sewn together using mattress stitch. Stitches for the neckband and sleeve edging are picked up and worked in the round.

STITCH GUIDE

Half Twisted Rib

(even number of sts, worked in the rnd)

Rnd 1: * K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

Broken Garter

(multiple of 4 sts, plus 3)

Row 1 (RS): P1, * p2, k1, p1; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 2 (WS): Purl.

Rep Row 1-2 for patt.

Garter Eyelets

(multiple of 4 sts, plus 3)

Row 1 (RS): P1, * p2, k1, p1; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 2 (WS): Purl.

Rows 3-4: Rep Rows 1-2.

Row 5: K1, * k1, yo, S2KP2, yo; rep from * to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 6: Purl.

Rep Rows 1-6 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS

FRONT

Hem

With smaller ndl, cast on 105 (117, 133, 145, 157, 169, 185, 197, 209) sts.

Row 1 (RS): K1, p1, * k1 tbl, p1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 2 (WS): P1, * p1, p1 tbl; rep from * to 2 sts, p2.

Rep Rows 1-2 until piece meas approx. 1" from cast-on edge, ending with Row 2. Change to larger ndl.

Main Front



Row 1 (RS): K1, work in Broken Garter patt to last st, k1.

Row 2 (WS): P1, work in Broken Garter patt to last st, p1.

Cont even in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 14 (14, 14, 14½, 14½, 14½, 15, 15, 15)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Sleeves

Note: Maintain Broken Garter patt as est'd throughout Sleeve Shaping. Maintain the first and last st of each row in Stockinette stitch.

Continuing in patt as est'd, cast on 1 st at the end of the next 2 rows, then cast on 2 sts at the end of the foll 6 (6, 6, 8, 8, 8, 10, 10, 10) rows – 14 (14, 14, 18, 18, 18, 22, 22, 22) sts inc'd, 119 (131, 147, 163, 175, 187, 207, 219, 231) sts.

Cont even in patt as est'd for 0 (½, 1, 1, 1½, 2, 2½, 3½, 4½)", ending with a WS row.

Shape Front Neck

Next Row (RS): Cont as est'd over 59 (65, 73, 81, 87, 93, 103, 109, 115) Left Front sts, bind off 1 center neck st, cont as est'd over 59 (65, 73, 81, 87, 93, 103, 109, 115) Right Front sts. Place Left Front sts on holder or waste yarn.

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Right Front

Row 1 (WS): Cont as est'd to end.

Row 2 (RS): Bind off 1, cont as est'd to end – 58 (64, 72, 80, 86, 92, 102, 108, 114) sts rem.

Rep last 2 rows, 24 (24, 24, 26, 26, 26, 28, 28, 28) more times – 34 (40, 48, 54, 60, 66, 74, 80, 86) sts rem. Cont even in patt as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas approx. 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 9, 10, 11)" from last Sleeve cast-on, ending with a WS row. Place sts on holder or waste yarn. Return Left Front sts to ndl, ready to work a WS row.

Left Front

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 1, cont as est'd to end – 58 (64, 72, 80, 86, 92, 102, 108, 114) sts rem.

Row 2 (RS): Cont as est'd to end.

Rep last 2 rows, 24 (24, 24, 26, 26, 26, 28, 28, 28) more times – 34 (40, 48, 54, 60, 66, 74, 80, 86) sts rem. Cont even in patt as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas approx. 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 9, 10, 11)" from last Sleeve cast-on, ending with a WS row. Place sts on holder or waste yarn.

BACK

Hem

Work as for Front Hem.

Main Back

Row 1 (RS): K1, work Row 1 of Garter Eyelets to last st, k1.

Row 2 (WS): P1, work Row 2 of Garter Eyelets to last st, p1.

Cont in patt as est'd through Row 6 of Garter Eyelets patt, then continuously rep Rows 1-6 of Garter Eyelets patt until piece meas approx. 14 (14, 14, 14½, 14½, 15, 15, 15)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Sleeves

Note: Maintain Garter Eyelets patt as est'd throughout Sleeve Shaping. Maintain the first and last st of each row in Stockinette stitch.

Continuing in patt as est'd, cast on 1 st at the end of the next 2 rows, then cast on 2 sts at the end of the foll 6 (6, 6, 8, 8, 8, 10, 10, 10) rows – 14 (14, 14, 18, 18, 18, 22, 22, 22) sts inc'd, 119 (131, 147, 163, 175, 187, 207, 219, 231) sts.

Cont even in patt as est'd until piece meas approx. 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 9, 10, 11)" from last Sleeve cast-on, ending with a WS row.

Next Row (RS): Cont as est'd over 34 (40, 48, 54, 60, 66, 74, 80, 86) Right Back sts, bind off center 51 (51, 51, 55, 55, 55, 59, 59, 59) Back Neck sts, cont as est'd over 34 (40, 48, 54, 60, 66, 74, 80,

86) Left Back sts. Place rem live sts on holders or waste yarn.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block pieces to finished measurements. Weave in ends. With RS facing together, join Left Back and Left Front shoulder sts tog using the three-needle bind-off. Rep for Right Back and Right Front shoulders. Sew Sleeve and Side seams.

Neckband

With smaller 16" circ, RS facing, and beg at Right shoulder, pick up and knit 95 (95, 95, 103, 103, 103, 111, 111, 111) sts evenly along Back Neck and Left Front neck edge, place removable marker, pick up 1 center Front Neck st, place removable marker, pick up and knit 44 (44, 44, 48, 48, 48, 52, 52, 52) sts along Right Front neck edge – 140 (140, 140, 152, 152, 152, 164, 164, 164) sts. PM and join to work in the rnd.

Rnd 1: * K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to 1 st bef m, k1 tbl, sl m, k1, sl m, * k1 tbl, p1; rep from * end.

Rnd 2: Cont as est'd to 1 st bef m, S2KP2 (removing markers to complete dec and then replacing them on each side of center Front Neck st after completing the dec), cont as est'd to end – 2 sts dec'd, 138 (138, 138, 150, 150, 150, 162, 162, 162) sts rem.

Rep Rnd 2, 4 more times, 8 sts dec'd, 130 (130, 130, 142, 142, 142, 154, 154, 154) sts rem. Bind off all sts in patt.

Sleeve Edging

With smaller needle for knitting small circumferences or 16" circ, beg at center of underarm. Pick up and knit 72 (78, 84, 92, 98, 104, 118, 130, 144) sts. PM and join to knit in the rnd. Work in Half Twisted Rib for approx. ½". Bind off all sts in patt.

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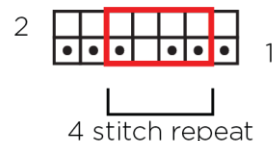
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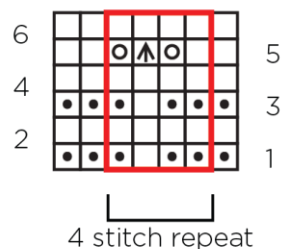
Abbreviations

approx	approximately
bef	before
beg	begin(ning)
circ	circular
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
est'd	established
folll	follow
garter st	knit every row
k	knit
m	marker
meas	
ndl	needle
p	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
RS	right side
S2KP2	slip 2 stitches as if to knit 2 together, knit 1, pass 2 slipped stitches over knit stitch; centered double decreases
st(s)	stitch(es)
tbl	through the back loop(s)
tog	together
WS	wrong side
yo	yarn over

Broken Garter



Garter Eyelets



Key

- pattern repeat
- knit on RS, purl on WS
- purl on RS, knit on WS
- yo
- S2KP2

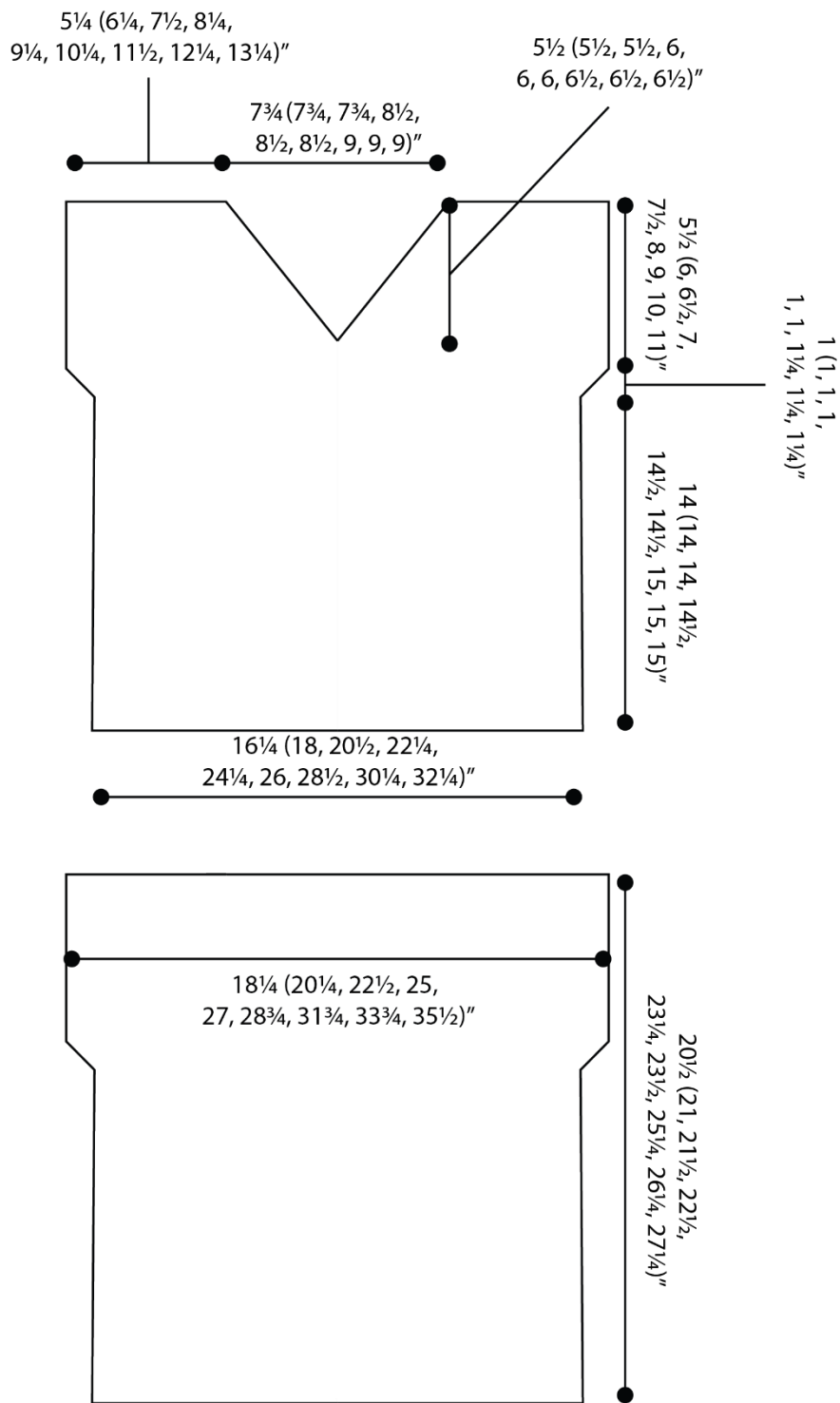
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