Halo and Sparkle Sweater
Designed by Universal Yarn
Design Team

SIZES
Small (Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Bust: 34 (38, 42, 46, 50, 54)"

MATERIALS
Universal Yarn *Amphora* (60% acrylic, 20% mohair, 20% alpaca; 100g/306 yds)

- 101 Mallow (MC) – 3 (3, 4, 4, 4, 5) balls

Rozetti Yarns *Cotton Gold* (65% cotton, 27% payette, 8% metallic; 25g/200 yds)

- 1098 (CC) – 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7) balls

Needles: US Size 8 (5 mm) straight, 16" circular (for Neck Edging) *or size needed to obtain gauge*
Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch holder, removable markers

GAUGE
16 sts x 22 rows = 4" in St st with 1 strand of each yarn held together
Save time, check your gauge

PATTERN NOTES
This sweater is worked in pieces and seamed.

One strand of each yarn is held together throughout the entire sweater except for hem, sleeve cuffs, and neck edging.

FRONT
With MC only, cast on 80 (88, 96, 104, 112, 120) sts. Beg with a WS row, work in St st for 7 rows. Join CC. Hold 1 strand of each yarn tog throughout remainder of piece. Work even in St st for 4 rows.
Dec row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 2 sts dec'd. Rep Dec row every 12 rows, 5 more times – 68 (76, 84, 92, 100, 108) sts rem. Work even in St st until piece meas 14" from bottom of rolled edge, ending with WS row.

Shape Armholes
Bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 60 (66, 74, 80, 88, 94) sts rem.
Dec row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 2 sts dec'd.
Dec row (WS): P2, ssp, purl to last 4 sts, p2tog, p2 – 4 sts dec'd.
Cont to work a Dec row every row, - (-, -, -, 2, 4) more times, then work a Dec row every RS row, 1 (2, 4, 5, 6, 6) times – 54 (58, 62, 66, 70, 74) sts rem. Work even in St st until Armholes meas 3 (3½, 4, 4½, 4¾, 5)", ending with WS row.

Shape Left Front Neck
Row 1 (RS): K22 (23, 25, 27, 28, 30), turn leaving rem 32 (35, 37, 39, 42, 44) sts unworked. Place unworked sts on holder.
Row 2 (WS): Bind off 4 sts, purl to end.
Row 3: Knit.
Row 4: Bind off 3 sts, purl to end.
Row 5 (dec): Knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 1 st dec'd.
Row 6: Purl.
Rows 7-8: Rep Rows 5-6.
Row 9: Rep Row 5.
Rows 10-12: Work even in St st.
Row 13: Rep Row 5 – 11 (12, 14, 16, 17, 19) sts rem.

Work even in St st until Armhole meas 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9¼, 9½)", ending with WS row. Bind off all sts.

Shape Right Front Neck
Row 1 (RS): Bind off center 10 (12, 12, 12, 14, 14) sts, knit to end.
Row 2 (WS): Purl.
Row 3: Bind off 4 sts, knit to end.
Row 4: Purl.
Row 5: Bind off 3 sts, knit to end.
Row 6 (dec): Purl to last 4 sts, p2tog, p2 – 1 st dec'd.
Row 7 (dec): K2, k2tog, knit to end – 1 st dec'd.
Row 8: Purl.
Row 9: Rep Row 7.
Rows 10-12: Work even in St st.
Row 13: Rep Row 7 – 11 (12, 14, 16, 17, 19) sts rem.
Work even in St st until Armhole meas 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9¼, 9½)", ending with WS row. Bind off all sts.

BACK
Work as for Front until Armholes meas 6½ (7, 7½, 8, 8¼, 8½)", ending with WS row. Place removable markers on either side of center 28 (30, 30, 30, 32, 32) sts.
Shape Back Right Neck
Row 1 (RS): Knit to 4 sts before m, ssk, k2, turn. Place rem sts on holder.
Row 2 (WS): Purl.
Rows 3-4: Rep Rows 1-2 – 11 (12, 14, 16, 17, 19) sts rem.
Rows 5-6: Work even in St st. Bind off all sts.
Shape Back Left Neck
Row 1: Bind off center 28 (30, 30, 30, 32, 32) sts, k1, k2tog, knit to end.
Row 2: Purl.
Row 3: K2, k2tog, knit to end – 11 (12, 14, 16, 17, 19) sts rem.
Rows 4-6: Work even in St st. Bind off all sts.

SLEEVES
With MC only, cast on 34 (36, 36, 38, 38, 40) sts. Beg with a WS row, work in St st for 7 rows. Join CC. Hold 1 strand of each yarn tog throughout remainder of piece. Work even in St st for 4 rows.
Inc row (RS): K2, m1, knit to last 2 sts, m1, k2 – 2 sts inc'd. Rep Inc row every 6 (6, 4, 4, 4, 2) rows, 5

(9, 5, 8, 14, 1) more time(s), then rep Inc row every 8 (-, 6, 6, -, 4) rows, 3 (-, 6, 4, -, 14) times – 52 (56, 60, 64, 68, 72) sts. Work even in St st until piece meas 15" from bottom of rolled edge, ending with WS row.

Shape Sleeve Cap
Bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 44 (46, 50, 52, 56, 58) sts rem.
Dec row (RS): K2, k2tog, knit to last 4 sts, ssk, k2 – 2 sts dec'd. Rep Dec row every other RS row, 3 (3, 2, 2, 1, 1) more time(s), then rep Dec row every RS row, 7 (8, 11, 12, 15, 16) times – 22 sts rem. Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows, bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Bind off rem 12 sts.

FINISHING
Block pieces to finished measurements. Sew Shoulder seams. Sew Sleeve Caps into Armholes. Sew Sleeve and side seams.

Neck Edging
With MC only, circ ndl, and RS facing, pick up and knit 36 (38, 38, 38, 40, 40) sts along Back Neck and 66 (68, 68, 68, 70, 70) sts along Front Neck – 102 (106, 106, 106, 110, 110) sts. PM and join to work in the rnd. Knit 6 rnds. Bind off all sts, leaving a 1 yd tail. Allow Edging to roll. Loosely whipstitch bind-off edge to pick-up edge. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

bef	before
beg	begin(ning)
CC	contrast color
circ	circular
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
m	marker
m1	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)
MC	main color
meas	measures
ndl	needle
patt	pattern
p	purl
pm	place marker
p2tog	purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
RS	right side
ssk	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
ssp	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, purl them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
tog	together
WS	wrong side

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

6 (6½, 7, 7½, 7¾, 8)"

13 (14, 15, 16, 17, 18)"

15"

8½, 9, 9, 9½, 9½, 10)"

2¾ (3, 3½, 4, 4¼, 4¾)"

8 (8½, 8½, 8½, 9, 9)"

1"

4½"

7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9¼, 9½)"

17 (19, 21, 23, 25, 27)"

14"

20 (22, 24, 26, 28, 30)"
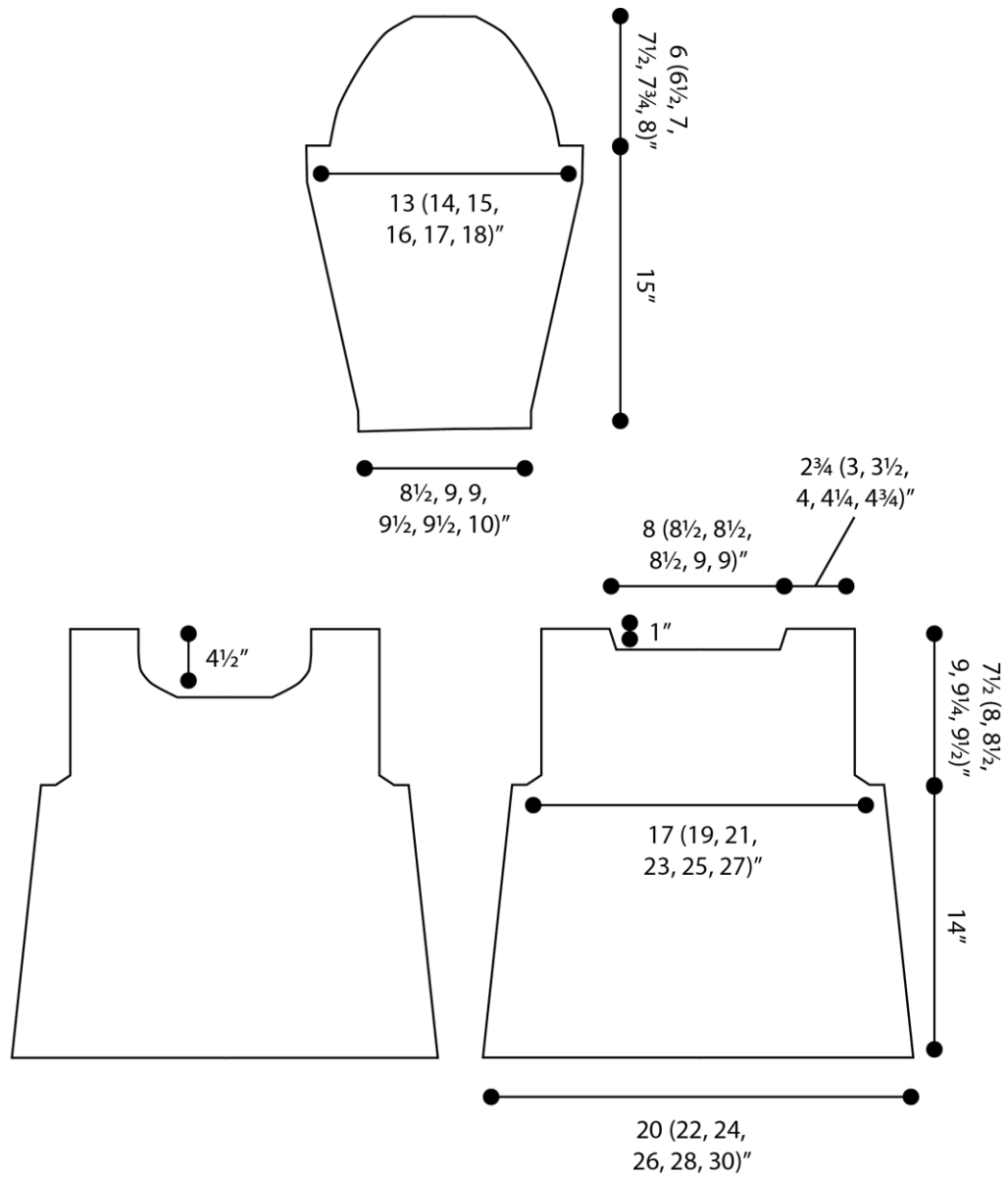
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