





## **January Sweater**

Designed by Rachel Brockman

## **DIFFICULTY**

Easy

## **SIZES**

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

Shown in Small size with approx. 5" of positive ease.

#### **FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

**Bust:** 35 (39, 43¼, 48, 52¾, 56¾, 61, 65½, 68½)"

Length: 21¾ (22¼, 22¾, 23¾, 24¼, 24¾,

25¾, 26¼, 26¾)"

## **MATERIALS**

**Rozetti Yarns** *Nymph* (84% cotton, 16% polyamide; 50g/167 yds)

- 114 Goblet (MC) 6 (7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14) skeins
- 115 Blacksmith (CC1) 1 (1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3) skein(s)
- 113 Swan (CC2) 1 (1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3) skein(s)

**Needles:** Needle A: US Size 5 (3.75 mm) 16", 32", and set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences)

Needle B: US Size 6 (4 mm) 16", 32", and set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences) (4 mm) or size needed to obtain gauge

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Needle C: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) 16", 32", and set of DPNs (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences) (4 mm) or size needed to obtain gauge

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

## **GAUGE**

22 sts x 28 rows = 4" in Stockinette stitch (St st) with Ndl B

22 sts x 28 rows = 4" in stranded knitting with Ndl

Save time, check your gauge.

#### **PATTERN NOTES**

Snow flurries are a beautiful thing in the wintertime. White flakes dance across the landscape in a magical way, making you instantly feel calm and cozy. Such is the case with the January Sweater. The yoke colorwork motif echoes those dancing snowflakes and our Nymph yarn makes just about the softest and coziest sweater you can imagine.

This sweater is knit seamlessly in the round from the top down. After working the yoke, the body and sleeves are separated at the underarms and worked separately. When working the yoke pattern, you may wish to place stitch markers between each pattern repeat to help you stay on track.

## STITCH GUIDE

#### **K1**, **P1** Rib

(even number of sts)

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

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

# **SWEATER**

#### Yoke

Note 1: Change to longer circular needles when there are too many stitches to fit comfortably on 16" circular needle.

Note 2: Join CC1 and CC2 as indicated on Yoke chart.

With Ndl A 16" circ ndl and MC, cast on 88 (100, 104, 116, 124, 126, 126, 130, 130) sts. PM and join to knit in the rnd, being careful not to twist. Work in K1, P1 Rib for 7 (7, 9, 9, 11, 11, 13, 13, 13) rnds.

Change to Ndl B 16" circ.

Next Rnd: Knit.

#### **SIZE 2X ONLY:**

Inc Rnd: K6, [m1, k13] 3 times, [m1, k12] 3 times, [m1, k13] 3 times, m1, k6 – 10 sts inc'd, 136 sts.

Even Rnd: Knit.

### **SIZE 3X ONLY:**

Inc Rnd: K3, [m1, k7] 17 times, m1, k4 – 18 sts inc'd, 144 sts.

Even Rnd: Knit.

## **SIZE 4X ONLY:**

Inc Rnd: K2, [m1, k6] 10 times, [m1, k5] 1 time, [m1, k6] 10 times, m1, k3 – 22 sts inc'd, 152 sts. Even Rnd: Knit.

#### **SIZE 5X ONLY:**

**Inc Rnd:** K2, [m1, k5] 5 times, [m1, k4] 19 times, [m1, k5] 5 times, m1, k2 – 30 sts inc'd, 160 sts.

## **ALL SIZES:**

**Rnds 1-5:** Work Rnds 1-5 of Yoke patt to end. Patt will be repeated 22 (25, 26, 29, 31, 34, 36, 38, 40) times across each rnd. *Note: You may wish to place markers between each pattern repeat to help you stay on track.* 

Change to Ndl C.

**Rnds 6-8:** Work Rnds 6-8 of Yoke patt to end. Change to Ndl B.

**Rnds 9-11:** Work Rnds 9-11 of Yoke patt to end. Change to Ndl C.

Rnds 12-16: Work Rnds 12-16 of Yoke patt to end.

Change to Ndl B.

Rnds 17-18: Work Rnds 17-18 of Yoke patt to end.

Change to Ndl C.

Rnds 19-27: Work Rnds 19-27 of Yoke patt to end.

Change to Ndl B.

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Change to Ndl C.

**Rnds 30-34:** Work Rnds 30-34 of Yoke patt to end.

Change to Ndl B.

**Rnds 35-37:** Work Rnds 35-37 of Yoke patt to end.

Change to Ndl C.

Rnds 38-40: Work Rnds 38-40 of Yoke patt to end

Change to Ndl B. Break CC1 and CC2, cont with MC only.

Rnd 41: Knit.

After Yoke chart is complete, a total of 220 (250, 260, 290, 310, 340, 360, 380, 400) sts have been inc'd – 308 (350, 364, 406, 434, 476, 504, 532, 560) sts.

Cont even in St st until piece meas 7¾ (8¼, 8¾, 9¼, 9¾, 10¼, 10¾, 11¼, 11¾)" from cast-on edge.

#### SIZE EXTRA SMALL ONLY:

Inc Rnd: K19, [m1, k39] 2 times, [m1, k38] 3 times, [m1, k39] 2 times, m1, k19 – 8 sts inc'd, 316 sts.

## **SIZE MEDIUM ONLY:**

**Inc Rnd:** K18, [m1, k37] 2 times, [m1, k36] 5 times, [m1, k37] 2 times, m1, k18 – 10 sts inc'd, 374 sts.

#### **SIZE LARGE ONLY:**

**Inc Rnd:** K33, [m1, k68] 2 times, [m1, k67] 1 time, [m1, k68] 2 times, m1, k34 – 6 sts inc'd, 412 sts.

#### **SIZE 1X ONLY:**

**Inc Rnd:** K27, [m1, k55] 1 time, [m1, k54] 5 times, [m1, k55] 1 time, m1, k27 – 8 sts inc'd, 442 sts.

#### **SIZE 4X ONLY:**

Inc Rnd: K22, [m1, k45] 2 times, [m1, k44] 7 times, [m1, k45] 2 times, m1, k22 – 12 sts inc'd, 544 sts.

#### **SIZE 5X ONLY:**

**Inc Rnd:** K17, [m1, k35] 15 times, m1, k18 – 16 sts inc'd, 576 sts.

#### **ALL SIZES:**

316 (350, 374, 412, 442, 476, 504, 544, 576) sts. **Next Rnd:** Knit.

## **Separate Body and Sleeves**

Separation Rnd: Slip next 64 (70, 72, 78, 82, 88, 92, 100, 110) Sleeve sts to holder or waste yarn, cast on 2 (2, 4, 4, 6, 6, 8, 8, 10) underarm sts, k94 (105, 115, 128, 139, 150, 160, 172, 178) Front Body sts, slip next 64 (70, 72, 78, 82, 88, 92, 100, 110) Sleeve sts to holder or waste yarn, cast on 2 (2, 4, 4, 6, 6, 8, 8, 10) underarm sts, k94 (105, 115, 128, 139, 150, 160, 172, 178) Back Body sts, pm to denote new bor – 192 (214, 238, 264, 290, 312, 336, 360, 376) sts rem for Body.

#### **BODY**

Change to 32" Ndl B.

Rnd 1: Knit.

Cont even in St st until piece meas 12¼ (12¼, 12¼, 12½, 12½, 12¾, 12¾, 12¾, 12¾)" from Body/Sleeve separation.
Change to 32" Ndl A.

#### Hem

Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas 14 (14, 14, 14½, 14½, 14½, 15, 15, 15)" from Body/Sleeve separation. Bind off all sts in patt.

#### **SLEEVES**

With MC and Ndl B dpns, beg at center of underarm cast-on, pick up and knit 1 (1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5) sts along cast-on edge, knit 64 (70, 72, 78, 82, 88, 92, 100, 110) Sleeve sts from holder or waste yarn, pick up and knit 1 (1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5) sts along cast-on edge, pm to denote bor – 66 (72, 76, 82, 88, 94, 100, 108, 120) sts.

Rnd 1: Knit.

Cont even in St st until Sleeve meas ½" from underarm.

#### **Shape Sleeve**

**Dec Rnd:** K1, k2tog, knit to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 2 sts dec'd, 64 (70, 74, 80, 86, 92, 98, 106, 118) sts

Rep Dec Rnd every 10 (8, 0, 6, 6, 6, 4, 4, 4) rnds, 4 (6, 0, 12, 6, 0, 23, 19, 13) more times, then rep Dec Rnd every 8 (6, 6, 4, 4, 4, 2, 2, 2) rnds, 6 (7, 15, 5, 14, 23, 1, 9, 21) time(s) – 20 (26, 30, 34, 40,

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50, 50, 50) sts rem.

Cont even in St st until Sleeve meas 15½" from underarm. Change to Ndl A dpns.

Cuff

Work in K1, P1 Rib until Sleeve meas 17½" from

underarm. Bind off all sts in patt.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

**Abbreviations** 

**approx** approximately

bef before
beg begin(ning)

**bor** beginning of round **CC** contrast color

circ circular
cont continue
dec('d) decrease(d)
est'd established
inc('d) increase(d)

**k** knit

**k2tog** knit 2 stitches together (1 st

dec'd) marker

m markerm1 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 purl р patt pattern place marker pm remain(ing) rem rep repeat round rnd sl slip

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)

St st Stockinette stitch (knit on RS

rows, purl on WS rows; in the

rnd, knit every rnd)

st(s) stitch(es)



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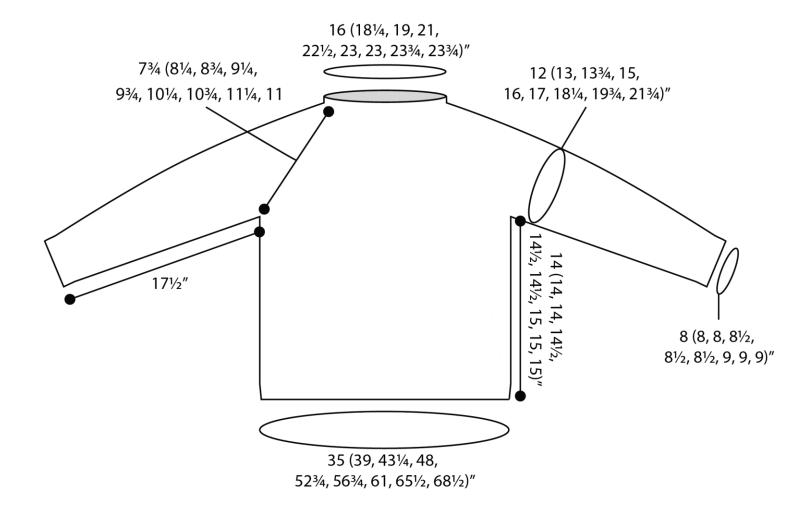
# Yoke Key

- pattern repeat
- with MC, knit
- with MC, m1
- with CC1, knit
- with CC2, knit

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