



Pattern Collection: Women



Link Sweater

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SIZES

Extra Small (Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X, 6X)

Shown in Small size modeled with 1" positive ease.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Width: 32½ (36¼, 39¾, 43¼, 46¾, 50¼, 54, 57½, 61, 64½)"

Length: 24 (24½, 25¼, 25¾, 26½, 27, 27½, 27¾, 28¼, 29)"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Odette (61% superwash fine merino, 22% nylon, 17% alpaca; 50g/241 yds)

- 105 Indigo – 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 8, 8, 9, 9) skeins

Needles: US Size 7 (4.5 mm) straight or your preferred needle for knitting flat or size needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Tapestry needle, cable needle (cn)

GAUGE

27 sts x 34 rows = 4" in Cable patt

Save time check your gauge.

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PATTERN NOTES

Sleek and chic, the Link Sweater is a sleeveless top featuring all-over cables and a mock-turtleneck. Wear the neck folded inward or outward depending on your preference – either way, you're sure to look fabulous.

This sweater is knit from the bottom up in pieces. Stitches are picked-up along the armholes and bound off using the I-cord method.

I-Cord Bind-Off

Cast on 3 sts to first st on left ndl using knitted cast-on. * K2, k2tog tbl (1 st bound off), slip these 3 sts back to left ndl; rep from * until all sts have been bound off. Bind off rem 3 I-Cord sts.

Sloped Bind-off: On the row before the bind-off row, slip the last stitch of the row pwise wyib. On the bind-off row, sl 2, pass the first slipped st over the second slipped st, bind off rem sts as usual.

STITCH GUIDE

2x2 Right Cross (RC)

Slip 2 sts to cn and hold in back, k2 from left ndl, k2 from cn.

K2, P2 Rib

(multiple of 4 sts, plus 2)

Row 1 (RS): * K2, p2; rep from * to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 2 (WS): P2, * k2, p2; rep from * to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

Cable

(multiple of 6 sts, plus 2)

Row 1 (RS): * P2, k4; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 2 (WS): K2, * p4, k2; rep from * to last 2 sts, k2.

Rows 3-4: Rep Rows 1-2.

Row 5: * P2, 2x2 RC; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Rep Rows 1-6 for patt.

BACK

Hem

Cast on 112 (124, 136, 148, 160, 172, 184, 196, 208, 220) sts.

Row 1 (RS): K1, work in K2, P2 Rib to last st, k1.

Row 2 (WS): P1, work in K2, P2 Rib to last st, p1.

Rows 3-4: Rep Rows 1-2.

Body

Row 1 (RS): K1, work Row 1 of Cable patt to last st, k1. Patt will be repeated 18 (20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36) times across each row.

Row 2 (WS): P1, work Row 2 of Cable patt to last st, p1.

Rows 1-2 establish patt. Cont through Row 6 of patt, then rep Rows 1-6 of patt until piece meas 11¼ (11¼, 12, 12, 12¼, 12¼, 12¼, 12½, 12½, 13)'' from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row.

Shape Armholes

Note: Use the Sloped Bind-off method throughout Armhole shaping.

Bind off 5 (6, 7, 8, 9, 7, 10, 13, 12, 13) sts at the beg of the next 2 rows, then bind off 0 (0, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 7, 8) sts at the beg of the foll 2 rows – 102 (112, 118, 126, 134, 148, 152, 156, 170, 178) sts rem.

Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X, 4X, & 5X Sizes Only:

Dec Row (RS): K1, k2tog, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 2 sts dec'd, 110 (116, 124, 132, 146, 150, 154, 168, 176) sts rem.

Dec Row (WS): P1, p2tog, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, ssp, p1 – 2 sts dec'd, 108 (114, 122, 130, 144, 148, 152, 166, 174) sts rem.

Cont to dec every row (RS or WS) 2 (3, 5, 8, 13, 14, 15, 21, 23) more times – 4 (6, 10, 16, 26, 28, 30, 42, 46) sts dec'd, 104 (108, 112, 114, 118, 120, 122, 124, 128) sts rem.

All Sizes

102 (104, 108, 112, 114, 118, 120, 122, 124, 128) sts.

Work even as est'd until piece meas 8 (8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½, 10¾, 11, 11½, 11¾)'' from Armhole bind-off, ending with a WS row.

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Shape Shoulders & Neck

Note: Use the Sloped Bind-off method throughout shoulder shaping.

Bind off 7 (8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 12, 13, 14, 15) sts at the beg of the next 2 rows – 88 (88, 90, 92, 92, 94, 96, 96, 96, 98) sts rem.

Dec Row (RS): K1, ssk, cont as est'd to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 2 sts dec'd, 86 (86, 88, 90, 90, 92, 94, 94, 94, 96) sts rem.

Rep Dec Row every RS row, 2 (2, 4, 2, 2, 4, 3, 2, 2, 4) more times, then rep Dec Row every 4 rows, 4 (4, 3, 4, 4, 3, 4, 4, 4, 3) times – 12 (12, 14, 12, 12, 14, 14, 12, 12, 14) sts dec'd, 74 (74, 74, 78, 78, 78, 80, 82, 82, 82) sts rem.

Work even as est'd until piece meas 4¼" from Shoulder bind-off, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts kwise.

FRONT

Work as for Back.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block pieces to finished measurements. Sew shoulder, neck, and side seams. Weave in ends.

Armhole Edging

With RS facing and beg at center of underarm, pick up knit 118 (126, 140, 150, 162, 172, 176, 182, 194, 200) sts evenly around Armhole. PM and join to knit in the rnd.

Rnd 1: Knit to end.

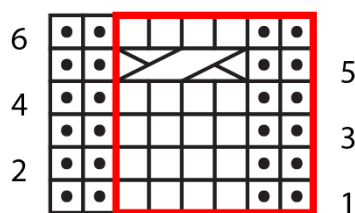
Bind off all sts using the I-cord method. Sew ends of I-Cord edging together. Weave in rem ends.

Abbreviations





| | |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| beg | begin(ning) |
| circ | circular |
| cn | cable needle |
| cont | continue |
| dec('d) | decrease(d) |
| est'd | established |
| folll | follow |
| k | knit |
| k2tog | knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd) |
| kwise | knitwise |
| meas | measures |

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|--------------|---|
| ndl | needle |
| p | purl |
| p2tog | purl 2 sts together (1 st dec'd) |
| patt | pattern |
| pm | place marker |
| pwise | purlwise |
| RC | right cross |
| rem | remain(ing) |
| rep | repeat |
| rnd | round |
| RS | right side |
| 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) |
| 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) |
| tbl | through back loop |
| WS | wrong side |
| wyib | with yarn held in back |

Cable



Key

-  pattern repeat
-  knit on RS, purl on WS
-  purl on RS, knit on WS
-  2x2 RC

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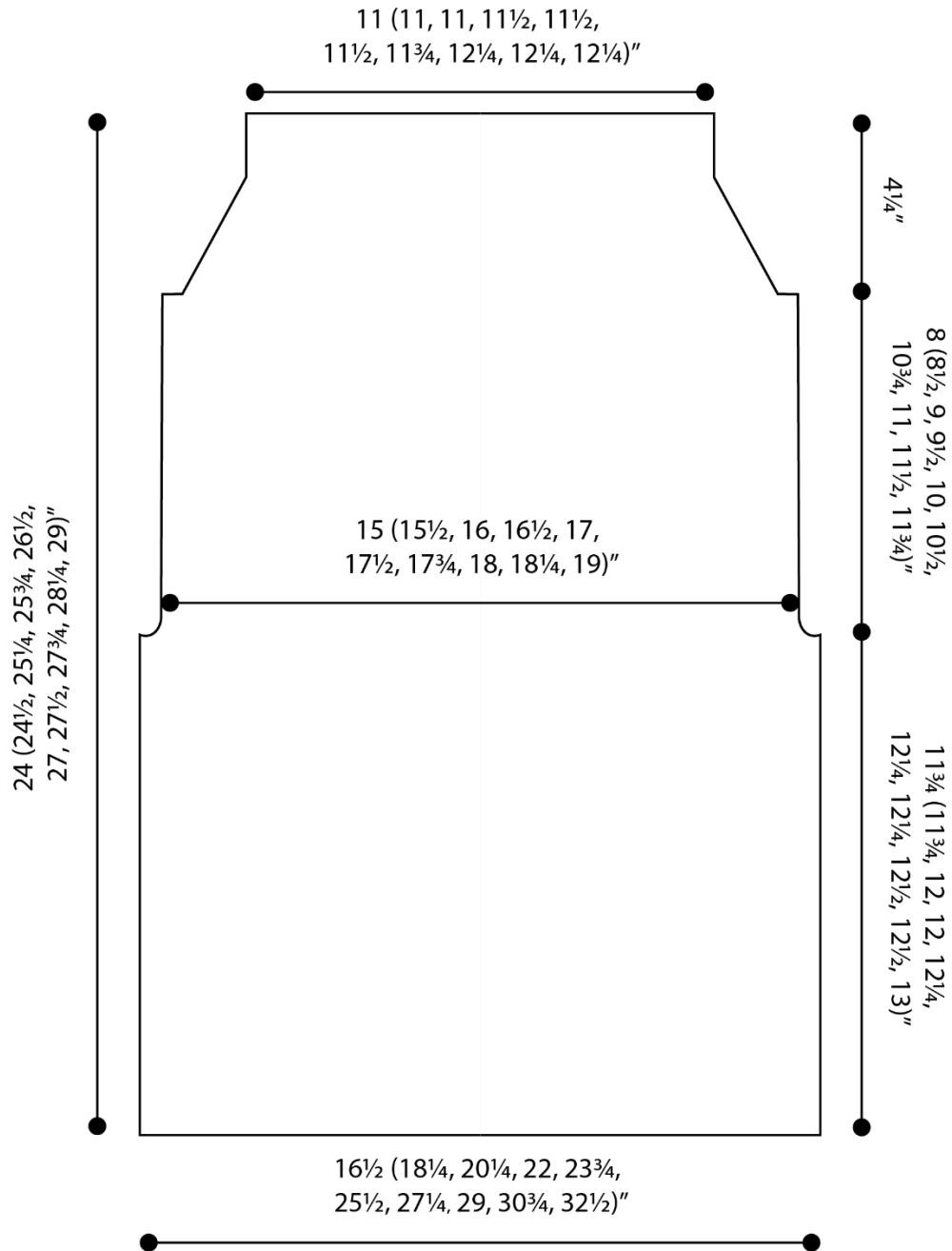
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