Sunshine Shrug
Designed by Universal Yarn Design Team

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

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Back Width: 16 (18, 20, 22, 24)"
Choose a size based on a back width that is approximately half your bust measurement. Measure from center of armpit to center of armpit across your back to get your back measurement.

MATERIALS
Universal Yarn *Uptown Bulky* (100% anti-pilling acrylic; 100g/87 yds)
- 403 Bright Yellow – 4 (5, 5, 6, 6) balls
Needles: US Size 11 (8 mm) 32" circular, set of dpns *or size needed to obtain gauge*
Notions: Tapestry needle

GAUGE
12 sts x 18 rows = 4" in St st
Save time, check your gauge.

STITCH GUIDE

Lace Columns 1 *(multiple of 4 sts)*
Rnd 1: * K1, yo, sl 1-k2tog-psso, yo; rep from * to end.
Rnd 2: Knit.
Rep Rnds 1-2 for patt.

Lace Columns 2 *(multiple of 5 sts)*
Rnd 1: * K2, yo, sl1-k2tog-psso, yo; rep from * to end.
Rnd 2: Knit.
Rep Rnds 1-2 for patt.

Lace Columns 3 *(multiple of6 sts)*
Rnd 1: * K3, yo, sl1-k2tog-psso, yo; rep from * to end.
Rnd 2: Knit.
Rep Rnds 1-2 for patt.

PATTERN NOTES

This shrug is worked from the top down. Sleeves are shaped using raglan shaping. Stitches for the lace edging are worked after the Shrug body is complete.

SHRUG
Body
With circ ndl, cast on 32 (36, 38, 42, 46) sts, do not join.
Set-up row (WS): P1, pm, p5, pm, p2, pm, p16 (20, 22, 26, 30), pm, p2, pm, p5, pm, p1.
Inc row (RS): K1, sl m, * yo, knit to m, yo, sl m, k2, sl m; rep from * once more, yo, knit to m, yo, sl m, k1 – 6 sts inc'd.
Next row: Purl.
Rep these 2 rows, 15 (16, 17, 18, 19) more times – **128 (138, 146, 156, 166)** sts.

Separate Sleeves and Back
Break yarn. Place first and last **38 (40, 42, 44, 46)** sts on stitch holders for Sleeves. Attach yarn to rem Back sts.
Back
Bind off 3 (3, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of next 2 rows, 4 (4, 4, 4, 5) sts at beg of next 2 rows, and 6 (7, 8, 9, 10) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Bind off rem sts.

SLEEVE CUFFS
Place held Sleeve sts on dpns. PM and join to work in the rnd.
Rnd 1: Purl.
Rnd 2: Knit, inc'ing 4 (2, 6, 4, 10) sts evenly – 42 (42, 48, 48, 56) sts.
Rnd 3: Purl.
Rnd 4: Knit.
Rnd 5: Work Rnd 1 of Lace Columns Patt 1. Cont in patt until Sleeve Cuffs meas 2½". Bind off all sts loosely.

BODY EDGING
Beg at lower Back edge at center, pick up and knit 24 (28, 32, 36, 40) sts along bind-off edge, pm, 21 (23, 24, 26, 28) sts up front edge of Sleeve, 18 (22, 24, 28, 32) sts along Back Neck edge, 21 (23, 24, 26, 28) sts down front edge of other Sleeve, pm, 24 (28, 32, 36, 40) sts along other half of Back edge – 108 (124, 136, 152, 168) sts. PM and join to work in the rnd. Rep Rnds 1-2 of Lace Columns 1 patt until Edging meas 2 (2¼, 2½, 3, 3½)", ending with Rnd 2 of patt.
Inc rnd 1: Work in Lace Columns patt 1 to m, sl m, * Kfb, yo, sl1-k2tog-psso, yo; rep from * to m, sl m, work in Lace Columns patt 1 to end – 123 (141, 154, 172, 190) sts.
Next rnd: Knit.
Next rnd: Work Lace Columns patt 1 to m, sl m, work Lace Columns patt 2 to m, sl m, work Lace Columns patt 1 to end.
Cont in patt until Edging meas 3½ (3¾, 4, 4½, 5)", ending with Rnd 2 of patt.
Inc rnd 2: Work in patt to m, sl m, * kfb, k1, yo, sl1-k2tog-psso, yo; rep from * to m, sl m, work in patt to end – 138 (158, 172, 192, 212) sts.
Next rnd: Knit.
Next rnd: Work in patt to m, sl m, work Lace Columns patt 3 to m, sl m, work in patt to end.
Cont in patt until Edging meas 5 (5½, 5¾, 6, 6¼)", ending with Rnd 2 of patt. Purl 1 rnd. Knit 1 rnd. Rep these 2 rnds, 3 more times. Bind off all sts in patt.

Weave in ends and block.

Abbreviations

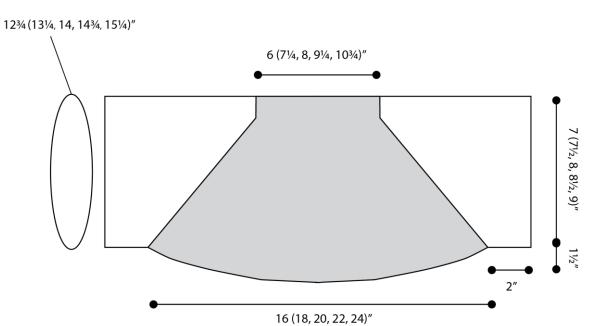|	
bef	before
beg	begin(ning)
circ	circular
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)
garter st	knit every row
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
kfb	knit into front and back of next st (1 st inc'd)
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
kwise	knitwise
LH	left hand
m	marker
meas	measures
ndl	needle
patt	pattern
p	purl
pm	place marker
pwise	purlwise
psso	pass slipped stitch(es) over
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)
st(s)	stitch(es)
St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
tbl	through the back loop(s)
tog	together
WS	wrong side
yo	yarn over

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

12¾ (13¼, 14, 14¾, 15¼)"

6 (7¼, 8, 9¼, 10¾)"

7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9)"

1½"

2"

16 (18, 20, 22, 24)"

Edging not shown in schematic