



## Pattern Collection: Women



### Weightless Pullover

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#### SIZES

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

Shown in size Small with 24½" positive ease.

#### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Bust:** 48 (52½, 57¼, 61¾, 66¼, 70¾, 75½, 80)"

**Length:** 19½, 20, 20½, 21, 21½, 22, 22½, 23)" (measured from back hem)

**Armhole Circumference:** 10¾ ( 12, 13¼, 14¼, 14¾, 17, 17¼, 18¼)"

#### MATERIALS

**Universal Yarn *Revolutions*** (57% acrylic, 15% nylon, 10% wool, 10% alpaca, 8% mohair; 200g/612 yds)

- 107 Harmony – 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4, 4) balls

**Needle:** US Size 9 (5.5 mm) 40" circ, and set of DPNS *or size needed to obtain gauge* US Size 8 (5 mm) straight, 16" circ, and set of DPNS

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

#### GAUGE

14 sts x 18 rows = 4" in St st with larger ndl  
**Save time, check your gauge.**

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## PATTERN NOTES

Light and lofty, this poncho really is like wearing a beautiful cloud. A complex blend of alpaca, wool, and mohair along with the stunning long color shifts in Revolutions makes for an intriguing fabric. Stitches are kept simple in this project to let the beauty of the yarn shine through.

The Weightless Pullover is worked seamlessly in the round. The front and back hems are knit separately, then joined together at the side split and worked in the round from the bottom up. Shoulders are joined using the three-needle method. Sleeve stitches are picked up and knit from the top down.

This sweater is intended to fit with a generous amount of positive ease. To determine the best size to make, measure your arm upper arm circumference. Choose a size with a Sleeve measurement that is the closest to this.

Revolutions is a yarn featuring slow color shifts. To ensure your project looks as close to the sample as possible, when breaking and rejoining yarn, be sure to visually match the point at which you're rejoining. This may require you to wind off some yarn. We promise the results are worth the effort!

**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

### K2 P2 Rib

*(multiple of 4 sts, worked flat)*

**Row 1 (RS):** \* K1, p2, k1; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** \* P1, k2, p1; rep from \* to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

### K2, P2 Rib

*(multiple of 4 sts, worked in the round)*

**Rnd 1:** \* K2, p2; rep from \* to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

## BODY

*Note: Use a separate ball of yarn for Front and Back hems. Begin at the same place in the color shading for each ball in order to ensure that they match.*

### Front Hem

With smaller straight ndl, cast on 84 (92, 100, 108, 116, 124, 132, 140) sts. Work in K2, P2 rib until piece meas 5½" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row. Break yarn. Place sts on holder or waste yarn.

### Back Hem

With smaller straight ndl, cast on 84 (92, 100, 108, 116, 124, 132, 140) sts. Work in K2, P2 rib until piece meas 8" from cast-on edge, ending with a RS row. Do not turn work. Change to larger 40" circ ndl.

### Join Front and Back Hem

With RS facing and continuing with working yarn, k84 (92, 100, 108, 116, 124, 132, 140) Front sts from holder/waste yarn, k84 (92, 100, 108, 116, 124, 132, 140) Back sts, pm for bor. 168 (184, 200, 216, 232, 248, 264, 280) sts. Work in St st until piece meas 6" from joining. Turn work.

*Note: If you wish to make your sweater longer, add length during this section.*

### Separate Front and Back

K84 (92, 100, 108, 116, 124, 132, 140) Back sts, place rem 84 (92, 100, 108, 116, 124, 132, 140) Front sts on holder or waste yarn.

### Back

Work in St st until piece meas 4 (4½, 5, 5½, 6, 6½, 7, 7½)" from separation, ending with a WS row.

### Shape Back Neck

*Note: Bind off sts using the sloped method throughout neck shaping.*

K35 (39, 43, 47, 51, 55, 59, 63) Right Back sts, bind off center 14 Neck sts, k35 (39, 43, 47, 51, 55, 59, 63) Left Back sts. Place Right Back sts on holder or waste yarn.

### Left Back

**Row 1 (WS):** Purl to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** Bind off 7, knit to end – 28 (32, 36, 40, 44, 48, 52, 56) sts rem.

**Row 3:** Purl to end.

**Row 4:** Bind off 7, knit to end – 21 (25, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49) sts rem.

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Cont even in St st until Left Back meas 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9)'' from Front/Back Separation. Place Left Back sts on holder or waste yarn. Return Right Back sts to ndl.

#### **Right Back**

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 7, knit to end – 28 (32, 36, 40, 44, 48, 52, 56) sts rem.

**Row 2 (WS):** Purl to end.

**Row 3:** Bind off 7, purl to end – 21 (25, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49) sts rem.

Cont even in St st until Right Back meas 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9)'' from Front/Back Separation. Place Right Back sts on holder or waste yarn.

#### **Front**

*Note: Rejoin yarn at Front from a visually similar point in the color shading sequence. You may need to use a different ball of yarn in order to accomplish this.* Return held Front sts to ndl. Work in St st until piece meas 3 (3½, 4, 4½, 5, 5½, 6, 6½)'' from separation, ending with a WS row.

#### **Shape Front Neck**

*Note: Bind off sts using the sloped method throughout neck shaping.*

K38 (42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66) Left Front sts, bind off center 8 Neck sts, k38 (42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66) Right Front sts. Place Left Front sts on holder or waste yarn.

#### **Right Front**

**Row 1 (WS):** Purl to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** Bind off 7, knit to end – 31 (35, 39, 43, 47, 51, 55, 59) sts rem.

**Row 3:** Purl to end.

**Row 4:** Bind off 5, knit to end – 26 (30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54) sts rem.

**Row 5:** Purl to end.

**Row 6:** Bind off 3, knit to end – 23 (27, 31, 35, 39, 43, 47, 51) sts rem.

**Row 7:** Purl to end.

**Row 8:** Bind off 2, knit to end – 21 (25, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49) sts rem.

Cont even in St st until Right Front meas 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9)'' from Front/Back Separation. Place Right Front sts on holder or waste yarn. Return Left Front sts to ndl.

#### **Left Front**

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 7, purl to end – 31 (35, 39, 43, 47, 51, 55, 59) sts rem.

**Row 2 (RS):** Knit to end.

**Row 3:** Bind off 5, purl to end – 26 (30, 34, 38, 42, 46, 50, 54) sts rem.

**Row 4:** Knit to end.

**Row 5:** Bind off 3, purl to end – 23 (27, 31, 35, 39, 43, 47, 51) sts rem.

**Row 6:** Knit to end.

**Row 7:** Bind off 2, purl to end – 21 (25, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49) sts rem.

Cont even in St st until Left Front meas 5½ (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9)'' from Front/Back Separation.

#### **Join Shoulders**

Using the three-needle method, with RS of pieces facing, join Right Front and Right Back shoulder sts. Rep for Left Front and Left Back shoulder sts.

#### **SLEEVES**

*Note: Take care to begin each sleeve at points in the shading sequence that are visually alike one another to ensure they match.*

With RS facing, larger dpns, and beg at center of underarm, pick up and knit 38 (42, 46, 50, 52, 56, 60, 64) sts evenly around armhole. PM and join to work in the rnd. Work in St st until Sleeve meas ½'' from picked-up edge.

#### **Shape Sleeve**

**Dec Rnd:** K1, k2tog, knit to last 3 sts, ssk – 2 sts dec'd, 36 (40, 44, 48, 50, 54, 58, 62) sts rem. Rep Dec Rnd every 8 (8, 6, 4, 4, 4, 4) rnds, 2 (2, 3, 8, 7, 7, 5, 3) more times, then rep Dec Rnd every 6 (6, 4, -, 2, 2, 2, 2) rnds, 2 (2, 3, -, 2, 2, 6, 10) times – 28 (32, 32, 32, 32, 36, 36, 36) sts rem. Work even in St st until Sleeve meas 9½'' from picked-up edge. Change to smaller ndl.

#### **Sleeve Cuff**

Work in K2, P2 Rib until Sleeve meas 12½'' from picked-up edge. Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

#### **FINISHING**

Block to finished measurements and weave in ends.

#### **Neck Edging**

*Rejoin yarn at a point that is visually similar to the shoulders.*

With smaller 16'' circ, RS facing, and beg at right shoulder, pick up and knit 84 sts evenly around Neck edge. PM and join to work in the rnd. Work in K2, P2 rib until Neck Edging meas 8'' from

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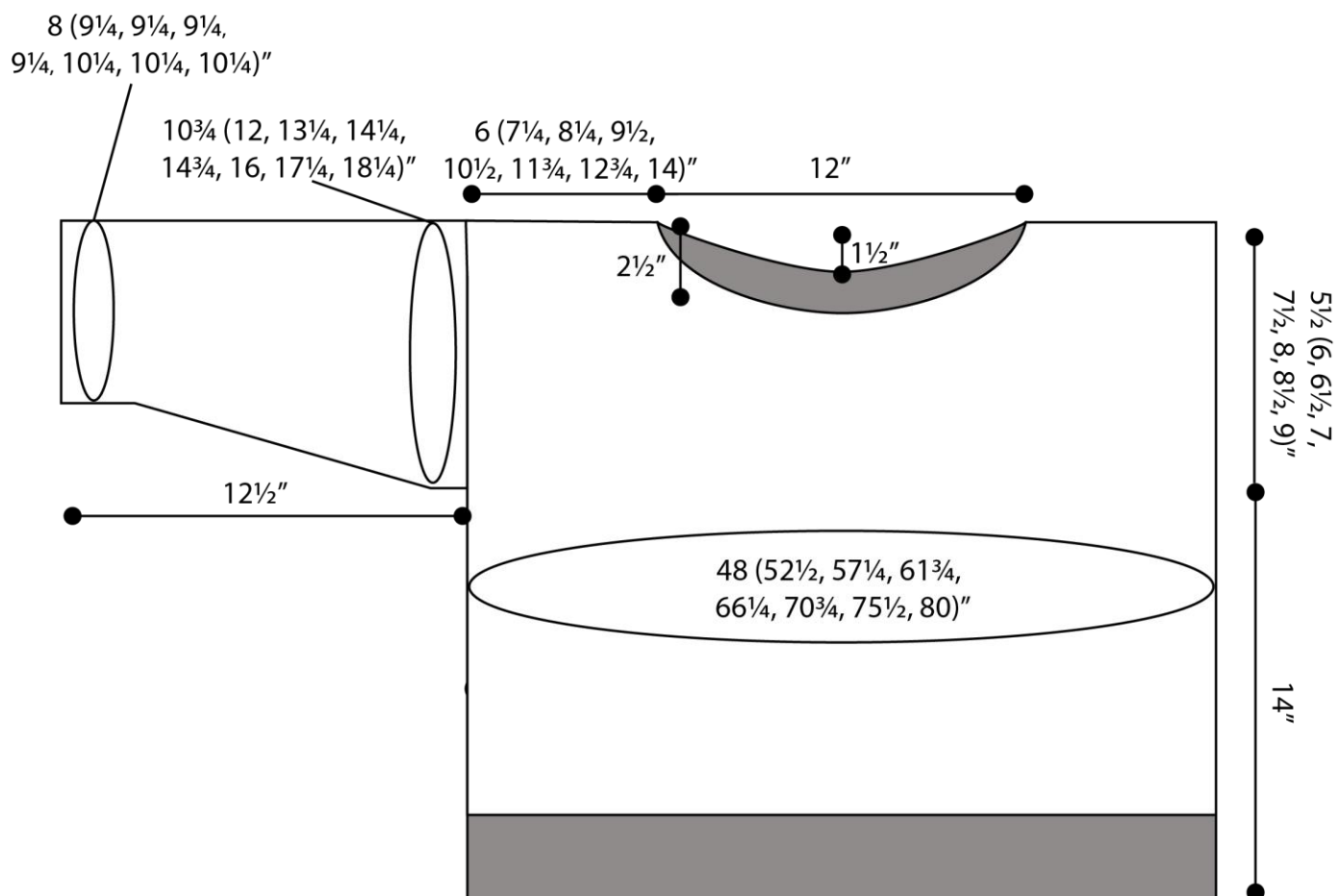
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picked-up edge. Bind off all sts loosely in patt.  
Weave in rem ends.

### Abbreviations

<b>beg</b>	begin(ning)	<b>rem</b>	remain(ing)
<b>bor</b>	beginning of round	<b>rep</b>	repeat
<b>circ</b>	circular	<b>rnd</b>	round
<b>cont</b>	continue	<b>RS</b>	right side
<b>dec('d)</b>	decrease(d)	<b>ssk</b>	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)
<b>dpn(s)</b>	double pointed needle(s)	<b>St st</b>	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
<b>k</b>	knit	<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>k2tog</b>	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)	<b>wyib</b>	with yarn in back
<b>meas</b>	measures	<b>WS</b>	wrong side
<b>ndl</b>	needle		
<b>p</b>	purl		
<b>patt</b>	pattern		
<b>pm</b>	place marker		
<b>pwise</b>	purlwise		



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