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# Kashima



MANOS  
DEL URUGUAY

## SIZES

Finished bust circumference: 32 (36, 40, 44, 48, 52)"

Finished length of back: 18 (19, 20, 21, 22, 23)"

Sweater shown measures 36".

Note: Garment is knitted sideways. The fabric is very stretchy and will drape 1-2" longer in back when worn. You may choose any length that is appropriate and cast on the number of sts indicated for that length; for all other measurements, follow the numbers for desired bust measurement.

## MATERIALS

Manos del Uruguay SERENA (60% baby alpaca, 40% pima cotton; approx. 50g/170 yards), 5 (6, 7, 8, 9, 10) skeins.  
Sweater shown in S2150 Fig.

US 6/4 mm needles, or size to obtain gauge

Stitch markers

Crochet hook, US size E

## GAUGE

24 sts and 36 rows = 4" in Pattern Stitch

22 sts and 28 rows = 4" in Stockinette Stitch

## Pattern Stitch (multiple of 6 sts plus 1)

Row 1 (RS): K6; \*p1, k5; rep from \* to last st; k1.

Row 2: K1; \*p5, k1; rep from \* to end of row.

Row 3: K1; \*yo, ssk, p1, k2tog, yo, k1; rep from \* to end of row.

Row 4: K1, p2; \*k1, p5; rep from \* to last 4 sts; k1, p2, k1.

Row 5: K3; \*p1, k5; rep from \* to last 4 sts; p1, k3.

Row 6: As Row 4.

Row 7: K1; \*k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, p1; rep from \* to last 6 sts; k2tog, yo, k1, yo, ssk, k1.

Row 8: As Row 2.

Repeat rows 1 through 8 for Pattern Stitch.

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Body** (worked in one piece beginning at Left Front edge)

CO 91 (97, 103, 109, 115, 121) sts. Work Row 2 of Pattern Stitch, then Row 1, then Row 2 again. Now work in Pattern Stitch starting with Row 1 until piece measures 10½ (12, 14, 16, 17½, 19½)" from CO edge, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt.

**Shape shoulder:** CO 18 sts at beg of row and work across row in patt. 109 (115, 121, 127, 133, 139) sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 14 (16, 18, 20, 22, 24)" from CO edge, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt.

**Shape armhole:** BO (loosely) 48 (48, 48, 48, 54, 54) sts. 61 (67, 73, 79, 79, 85) sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 16 (18, 20, 22, 24, 26)" from CO edge; mark both ends of this row for left side seam. Cont in patt for 2" more, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt. Next row: CO 48 (48, 48, 48, 54, 54) sts, patt across. 109 (115, 121, 127, 133, 139) sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 5½ (6, 6, 6, 6½, 6½)" from marked row, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt.

**Shape back neck:** BO 6 sts at beg of row, patt across. Cont in patt until piece measures 10½ (12, 14, 16, 17½, 19½)" from marked row, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt. Next row: CO 6 sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 14 (16, 18, 20, 22, 24)" from marked row,

ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt.

**Shape armhole:** BO loosely 48 (48, 48, 54, 54) sts, patt across. 61 (67, 73, 79, 85) sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 16 (18, 20, 22, 24, 26)" from marked row. Mark each end of this row for right side seam. Cont in patt for 2", ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt. Next row: CO 48 (48, 48, 54, 54) sts, patt across. 109 (115, 121, 127, 133, 139) sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 5½ (6, 6, 6½, 6½)" from right side-seam markers, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt.

**Shape front neck:** BO 18 sts, patt to end. 91 (97, 103, 109, 115, 121) sts. Cont in patt until piece measures 16 (18, 20, 22, 24, 26)" from right side seam markers, ending having just worked Row 4 or Row 8 of patt. Work 2 more rows in patt, then work first of these rows again. BO in patt.

**SLEEVES**

CO 67 (67, 67, 67, 73, 73) sts. Work rows 1 – 8 of Pattern Stitch 5 times. Then work rows 1 and 2 twice more.

Next row (RS): K2, k2tog, k2; \*p1, k2, k2tog, k1; rep from \* to last st, k1. 56 (56, 56, 56, 61, 61) sts. Next row: K1; \*p4, k1; rep from \* to end of row. Next row: K5; \*p1, k4; rep from \* to last st; k1. Rep last 2 rows until sleeve measures 6" from cast-on edge, ending having just worked a WS row. Inc 1 st each end of next and every foll 4<sup>th</sup> row a total of 16 (16, 16, 16, 16, 19, 19) times, working new sts into patt as est. 88 (88, 88, 88, 99, 99) sts. Work even until sleeve measures 17 (18, 18, 19, 19, 19)" or desired length to underarm, ending having just worked a WS row.

**Shape cap:** Working in patt as est, BO 12 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 64 (64, 64, 64, 75, 75) sts. Dec 1 st each end every RS row 18 (18, 18, 18, 21, 21) times as foll: K1, ssk, work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. 28 (28, 28, 28, 33, 33) sts. BO 2 sts at beg of next 4 rows. BO rem 20 (20, 20, 20, 25, 25) sts.



**FINISHING**

Sew shoulder seams. Sew sleeve seams. Set in sleeves. **Neck edge:** Attach yarn to top front edge of Right Front and work a row of single crochet across top edge of Right Front, Back neck, and Left Front. Cut yarn; fasten off. Weave in ends. Block lightly.

