

ABOUT THE PATTERN

Welcome to the “Chain” pattern, a round yoke sweater knitted from the top down, seamlessly standing out for its unique play of colors and textures in gradient. This design is a visual pleasure and an adventure in innovative techniques. With “Chain,” you will explore the technique of roosamine adapted with an i-cord, offering the freedom to customize it with different materials, from ribbons to bulky yarns. The star detail is the lace in the center of the yoke, enhanced with special yarns that carry beads and sequins, though you can opt for mohair or any other yarn you prefer. “Chain” is your canvas to experiment, create, and elevate your knitting to a new level of personal expression.

SIZES



1 (2, 3, 4, 5) (6, 7, 8, 9)

Recommended ease: positive ease 6 cm / 2.5”.

The pictures show a size 1 in 80 cm / 32” bust.

SUGGESTED NEEDLES AND CABLES



- **Main needles:** 3.75 mm / US 5, or the size needed to obtain the gauge.
- **Ribbing needles:** 3 mm.
- **Cable lengths:** Yoke: 60 cm / 24” to 100 cm / 40” / Collar: 40 cm / 16” Hem: 100 cm / 40”
Sleeves and cuff: preferred needles for small circumference knitting (Magic Loop or DPNs).

NOTIONS



- Row counter (recommended).
- Stitch marker.
- Tapestry needle.
- Waste yarn or stitch holders.

GAUGE



22 stitches x 28 rounds = 10 cm / 4”

Measured over stockinette stitch after blocking, worked in the round with main needles and yarn

A.

YARNS



Fingering Weight

Yarn A: 120 (145, 170, 195, 220) (245, 270, 295, 320) g / 480 (580, 680, 780, 880) (980, 1080, 1180, 1280) m.

Suggested yarn: Artyarns / Merino Cloud, 80% merino, 20% cashmere, (400 m / 100 g) (437 yd / 3.75 oz) / 2 (2, 2, 2, 3) (3, 3, 3, 4) skeins / color: 2380.

Yarn B: 50 (60, 70, 80, 90) (100, 110, 120, 130) g / 200 (240, 280, 320, 360) (400, 440, 480, 520) m.

Suggested yarn: Artyarns / Merino Cloud, 80% merino, 20% cashmere, (400 m / 100 g) (437 yd / 3.75 oz) / 1 (1, 1, 1, 1) (1, 2, 2, 2) skeins / color: 1044.

Yarn C: 50 g / 104m.

Suggested yarn: Artyarn / Beaded Mohair + Sequins, 60% silk, 40% mohair + glass beads & sequins, (104 m / 50 g) (114 yd / 1.75 oz) / 1 skeins / color: 2380.

Yarn D: *This yarn is for making the I-cord you can use a scrap yarn / 25 g approx/ 150 m.*

Suggested yarn: Artyarns / silk mohair glitter, 60% kid mohair, 40% silk (300 m / 25g) (325 yd / 8.75oz) / 1 skein / color: 2239.

FINISHED GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

A) Bust circumference total:

86 (95, 104, 113, 122) (131, 140, 151, 158) cm / 34 (37.5, 40.75, 44.5, 48) (51.5, 55, 59.5, 62.25)".

B) Yoke depth (from the end back neck without neckband):

20 (20, 22, 22, 24) (24, 26, 26, 28) cm / 8 (8, 8.75, 8.75, 9.5) (9.5, 10.5, 10.5, 11.25)".

C) Underarm to hem body Length:

29 (29, 31, 33, 35) (37, 39, 41, 43) cm / 11.5 (11.5, 12.5, 13.25, 14) (14.75, 15.5, 16.5, 17.25)".

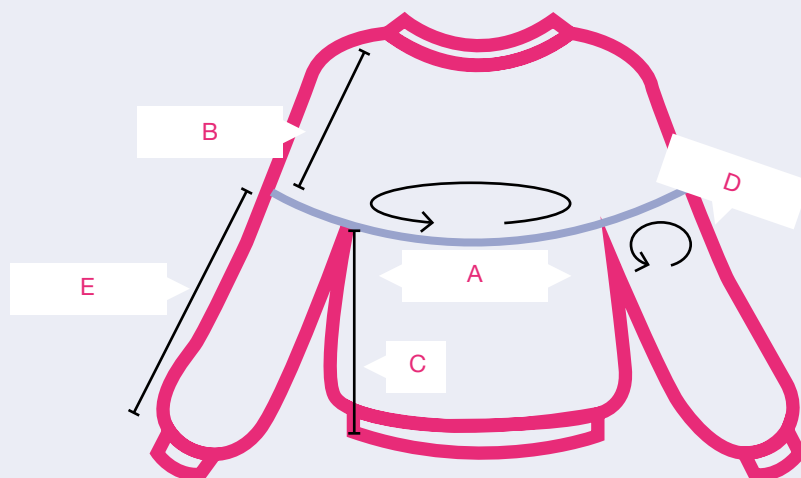
D) Upper arm:

30 (32, 35, 38, 40) (43, 45, 46, 49) cm / 12 (12.75, 14.25, 15.25, 16) (17, 17.75, 18.5, 19.5)".

E) Full sleeve length (without cuff):

38 (40, 41, 43, 45) (46, 48, 48, 50) cm / 15 (16, 16.25, 17.25, 18) (18.25, 19.25, 19.25, 20)".

SCHEMATIC



To measure the yoke depth of the armhole, you should place your tape measure on the highest part of the shoulder (where the shoulder bone protrudes) and measure until the underarm. Place the tape measure under both underarms around the fullest part of the bust to measure the bust circumference. When choosing your size, I recommend that you decide it based on the bust circumference. Still, if you find that the size you selected has a very deep yoke, you can adjust it by working fewer rounds of the yoke increase sections simply following the size with the yoke depth measurement closest to your desired depth.