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**Size** 36/38 (40/42, 44/46, 48/50)

Instructions are given for first size. Figures in parenthesis refer to larger sizes. When only one figure is given, it applies to all sizes.

Materials: 600 (650, 700, 800) g of Lana Grossa Cool Wool Big (100% extrafine Merino wool; 120 m/50 g) in Royal (col 934) or 600 (650, 700, 800) g of Lana Grossa Cool Wool Big Vintage (100% extrafine Merino wool; 120 m/50 g) in Camel (col 7163). Size 3.5 and 4 mm needles; size 3.5 mm circular needle, 40 cm long; size 4 mm circular needle, 80 cm long.

**2x3 rib**: Multiple of 5 + 2 selvage sts. K2, p3. Position sts as given in instructions.

St st: K on RS, p on WS.

**Main patt**: Multiple of 6 + 3 + 2 selvage sts. Rows 1 - 5: Work in St st. Rows 6 - 8: Selvage st, \* k3, p3; rep from \* to last 4 sts, k3, selvage st. Rep rows 1 - 8 for main patt.

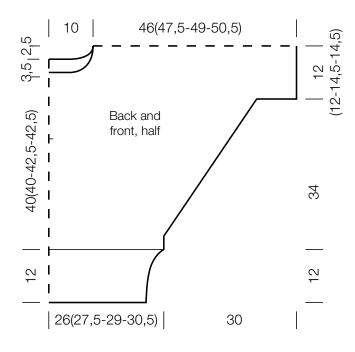
**Gauge**: 20 sts and 30 rows =  $10 \times 10 \text{ cm}$  in main patt on size 4 mm needles.

**Back**: With size 3.5 mm needles cast on 92 (97, 102, 107) sts. Next row (WS): Selvage st, \* p1, k3, p1; rep from \*, end selvage st. Cont in 2x3 rib as set by last row until piece meas 12 cm from cast-on, ending with a WS row. Change to size 4 mm needles. Next row (RS): Work row 1 of main patt and inc 15 (16, 17, 18) sts evenly across row as foll: K10, M1R, [k5, M1R] 14 (15, 16, 17) times, knit to end = 107 (113, 119, 125) sts. Next 9 rows: Work in main patt, ending with a WS row.

Shape sides and sleeves: Inc 1 st at each end of next 45 RS rows. Work 1 WS row. Cast on 15 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 227 (233, 239, 245) sts. Work increased sts into main patt. Change to size 4 mm circular needle as st count increases. Work even until piece meas 43.5 (43.5, 46, 46) cm from end of 2x3 rib, ending with a WS row. Shape neck: Next row (RS): Bind off center 31 sts. Working each side separately, bind off 2 sts at each neck edge 1 time, 1 st 1 time and when piece meas approx. 46 (46, 48.5, 48.5) cm from end of 2x3 rib and last 2 rows worked in main patt are St st rows, place rem 95 (98, 101, 104) sts for each shoulder/overarm on holders.

**Front**: Work same as back until piece meas 40 (40, 42.5, 42.5) cm from end of 2x3 rib, ending with a WS row. Shape neck: Next row (RS): Bind off center 13 sts. Working each side separately, bind off 3 sts at each neck edge 1 time, 2 sts 3 times, 1 st 3 times and when same length as back to shoulders/overarms, place rem 95 (98, 101, 104) sts for each shoulder/overarm on holders.

**Finishing**: Pin pieces to measurements and block. Graft shoulder/overarm sts tog or join with 3-needle bindoff. <u>Collar</u>: With size 3.5 mm circular needle, pick up and k approx. 95 or 100 sts or a multiple of 5 sts evenly around neck edge. Place beg of rnd marker and join for working in rnds. Work in 2x3 rib for 6 – 8 cm. Work I-cord bind-off: Cast on 2 sts onto left needle. \* K1, k2tog tbl, transfer 2 sts from right needle to left needle; rep from \* to end. Graft I-cord ends tog. <u>Sleeve cuffs</u>: With size 3.5 mm circular needle, pick up and k 52 (52, 62, 62) sts evenly along sleeve edge. Work in 2x3 rib for 12 cm or 6 cm for a shorter cuff. Work I-cord bind-off same as for collar. Skp last 2 sts, cut yarn and fasten off last st.



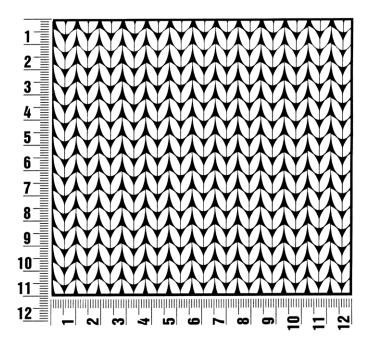


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### Gauge Swatch

#### Before you begin ...

...make a gauge swatch. Use the recommended needles, yarns and pattern stitch for your gauge swatch. It should measure approx. 12 cm x 12 cm. Cast-on and bind-off rows, as well as selvage stitches should not be included in the measurement. Pin your swatch and block it as you would the finished pieces of the garment. Count stitches and rows over 10 cm. If your gauge swatch is too small, switch to larger needles. If your gauge swatch is too big, switch to smaller needles.



### **Abbreviations**

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