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This is a luxuriously oversized V-neck sweater, with an openwork stitch to lighten the weight of our plush Chunky Velvet yarn. With big needles this boxy mesh knit, with a drop sleeve, will work up relatively quickly and is suitable for beginner skill level.

MEASUREMENTS

	S/M	L/XL
Chest Width	60cm	55cm
Body Length	70cm	65cm

YARN REQUIRED

Makr **CHUNKY VELVET** Yarn 500g balls

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NOTE: This pattern is written in British English. All measurements in charts and instructions are in cm. For conversion from centimetres to inches please divide by 2.5cm. Please be aware that there are different terms for crocheting and knitting in American and British English, if in doubt, we've included a list of common abbreviations.

Please use only the yarn specified. Another yarn is likely to yield different results. Quantities are approximate as knitting styles may vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

DIFFICULTY ●●●

NEEDLES AND EQUIPMENT:

25mm straight knitting needles
Removable Stitch Markers
Stitch Holder

TENSION:

25mm: 2.5sts x 3.5 rows = 10cm x 10cm stst.

KNITTING ABBREVIATION:

K knit
K2tog knit 2 stitches together to decrease
M1(wrn) Wrap the yarn thread over the needle to make a stitch
P purl
P2tog purl 2 stitches together to decrease
St(s) stitch(es)
Yfwd bring yarn forward to the front of the knitting
Ybk take yarn to the back of the knitting

NOTES

Change yarn only at the armhole or side edges, not in the middle of a row or mid front neckline edge as it is difficult to hide loose yarn ends there.

When knitted, allow garment to sit on a hanger so it can drop, to even out the width and length.

SWEATER PATTERN

FRONT

Cast on 24(28) sts using cable cast on method.

First row: K1, yfwd, *M1 (wrn), p2tog*, repeat * to * to last st, ybk, k1.

Next Row: Repeat first row, for 16(18) rows, place marker for armhole.

Continue pattern for another 2 rows; then begin neckline shaping.

SHAPE NECKLINE

Next row: K1, work pattern * to * for 12(14) sts ending row with ybk, k1 on the 12th (14th)st, turn.

Next row: [leaving the other 12 (14) sts on the needle], continue to work with these sts. K2tog, work pattern * to * finishing with wrn, p2tog. [11(13) sts]

Next row: k1, work pattern * to * finishing with wrn p2tog, turn. [11,(13) sts]

Next row: k2tog, work pattern finishing row with ybk, k1.

[10(12) sts]

Size S/M

Cast off leaving long length of yarn to sew shoulder edges to back later.

Size L/XL

Next row: k1, work pattern * to * finishing with wrn p2tog, turn. (11 sts)

Next row: k2tog, work pattern finishing row with ybk, k1. (11 sts)

Cast off leaving long length of yarn to sew shoulder edges to back later.

OTHER SIDE

Transfer 12(14) sts to needle so you are starting on the side edge (not on the neckline edge) – join yarn.

Next row: k1, work pattern * to * finishing row with ybk, k1, turn. [12(14) sts]

Next row: k2tog, work pattern * to * finishing row with wrn p2tog. [11(13) sts]

Next row: k1, work pattern * to * finishing row with wrn p2tog. [11(13) sts]

Next row: k2tog, work pattern * to * finishing row with ybk, k1, turn. [10(12) sts]

Size S/M:

Cast off leaving long length of yarn to sew shoulder edges to back later.

Size L/XL:

Next row: k1, work pattern * to * finishing row with wrn p2tog. (11 sts)

Next row: k2tog, work pattern * to * finishing row with ybk, k1, turn. (11 sts)

Cast off leaving long length of yarn to sew shoulder edges to back later.

BACK

Cast on 24(28) sts using cable cast on method.

First row: K1, yfwd, *M1 (wrn), p2tog*, repeat * to * to last st, ybk, k1.

Next Row: Repeat first row, for 16(18) rows, place marker for armhole.

Continue pattern for another 6(8) rows; then cast off, placing markers at 10th (11th), and 15th (17th) sts for joining shoulder edges later.

SLEEVES

(Make 2 the same)

Cast on 14(18) sts using cable cast on method.

First row: K1, yfwd, *M1 (wrn), p2tog*, repeat * to * to last st, ybk, k1.

Next Row: Repeat first row, for 14(18) rows.

Cast off.

TO FINISH

Block garment by gently stretching out the lengths of the front, back and sleeves before seaming.

Using fingers, seam the following with a neat running stitch:

Join front to back shoulder edges where markers are placed.

Join sleeves to fronts and backs where armhole markers are placed.

Join front and back sides and sleeve sides.

Darn threads in to neaten.