



ASYMMETRICAL HEM PULLOVER

DESIGNED FOR YARN AND SOUL: SUPERFINE 400









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Raglan pullover with asymmetrical hem worked from the neck down in stockinette.

THE DETAILS

STZES

XS (S, M, L, XL, 2XL). Shown in size S.

THE FIT

Bust: $31(34\frac{1}{2}, 38\frac{1}{4}, 41\frac{1}{2}, 44\frac{3}{4}, 47\frac{1}{4})"$ Length: 20 (20\frac{1}{2}, 21, 22\frac{3}{4}, 23\frac{1}{2}, 24)"; asymmetrical hem adds $7^{1}/2$ " to length

SUPPLIES

Yarn:

2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) hanks Superfine 400 3062 Glacier

Needles:

Circular knitting needles (16" and 24" or longer) and double pointed needles

Other Stuff:

2 stitch holders 8 stitch markers (1 in a different color)

GAUGE

 $5^{1/2}$ sts and 7 rows = 1" in Stockinette

Suggested needle size:

US 6 (4 mm)

Please note: Correct gauge is important but needle size is not. Change your needle size if necessary—it doesn't matter what size needle you use to get correct gauge.



HOW TO KNIT IT

NECK

With shorter circular needle, cast on 126 (126, 130, 132, 134, 136) sts. Place the different color marker and join for working in the rnd, being careful not to twist sts. [Purl 1 rnd, knit 1 rnd] 3 times.

YOKE

Change to Stockinette.

Place markers for raglan seams: [K43 (43, 45, 46, 47, 48), pm, k1-seam st, pm, k18, pm, k1-seam st, pm] twice (last marker is end of rnd marker in different color).

Note: Change to longer circular needle when there are too many sts to fit around shorter needle.

Raglan inc rnd: [Slm, m1-l, knit to next marker, m1-r, slm, k1-seam st] 4 times – 8 sts inc'd.

Next rnd: Knit.

Rep last 2 rnds 4 (14, 18, 20, 25, 27) more times – 166 (246, 282, 300, 342, 360) sts.

Rep raglan inc rnd.

Knit 3 rnds even.

Rep last 4 rnds 8 (3, 2, 2, 0, 0) more times – 238 (278, 306, 324, 350, 368) sts.

Sizes (L, XL, 2XL):

Body raglan inc rnd: [Slm, m1-l, knit to next marker, m1-r, slm, k1-seam st, slm, knit to next marker, slm, k1-seam st] twice – 4 sts inc'd.

Knit 3 rnds.

Rep last 4 rnds (0, 1, 1) more time – (328, 358, 376) sts.

All sizes

Work even until yoke meas 7 ($7^{1/2}$, 8, $8^{3/4}$, $9^{1/2}$, 10)" from beg of yoke.







Separate sleeves from body: Dropping raglan markers as you come to them, [k72 (82, 90, 97, 106, 111), place next 46 (56, 62, 66, 72, 76) sts on a st holder for sleeve, use backward loop cast-on method to cast on 12 (12, 14, 16, 16, 18) sts, k1-seam st] twice – 170 (190, 210, 228, 246, 260) sts for body.

BODY

Continue in Stockinette, work even until body meas 13 (13, 13, 14, 14, 14)" from sleeve separation, ending last rnd 22 (24, 27, 29, 31, 33) sts before end of rnd marker.

Shape hem: Bind off 44 (48, 54, 58, 62, 66) sts, knit to end – 126 (142, 156, 170, 184, 194) sts.

Change to working back and forth in rows.

Bind off 12 (14, 17, 17, 20, 19) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 11 (13, 13, 15, 15, 17) sts at beg of next 4 rows, ending with a RS row – 58 (62, 70, 76, 84, 88) sts.

Next row (WS): Purl.

Dec row (RS): K2, k3tog, knit to last 5 sts, s2kp, k2 – 4 sts dec'd. Rep this dec row on the next 4 (6, 10, 13, 17, 19) RS rows, then every OTHER RS row (i.e. every 4th row) 8 (7, 5, 4, 2, 1) times, ending with a RS row – 6 (6, 6, 4, 4, 4) sts.

Sizes XS (S, M) only: Next row (WS): Purl.

Dec row (RS): K1, k2tog, ssk, k1- 4 sts.

All sizes:

Next row (WS): Purl.

Dec row (RS): S2k2p and fasten off remaining st.

SLEEVES

Place 46 (56, 62, 66, 72, 76) held sleeve sts on double pointed needles or 16" circular if possible.

Join yarn and knit to end, then use backward loop cast-on method to cast on 6 (6, 7, 8, 8, 9) sts, pm for end of rnd, then use backward loop cast-on method to cast on 6 (6, 7, 8, 8, 9) more sts. Join for working in the rnd, knit to end of rnd -58 (68, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts.

Knit 15 (5, 4, 4, 4, 4) rnds.

Sleeve dec rnd: K3, ssk, knit to last 5 sts, k2tog, k3 – 2 sts dec'd. [Knit 21 (11, 9, 9, 9, 9) rnds even, then rep the sleeve dec rnd] 3 times.

Sizes (S, M, L, XL, 2XL) only:

[Knit (9, 7, 7, 7, 7) rnds even, then rep the sleeve dec rnd] (4, 6, 6, 6, 6) times – (52, 56, 62, 68, 74) sts; sleeve meas approx 113/4" from joining rnd.

All sizes:

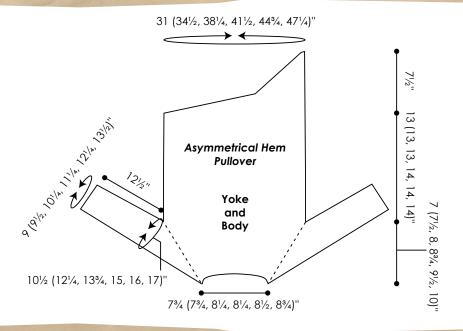
Work on remaining 50 (52, 56, 62, 68, 74) sts as follows: [Purl 1 rnd, knit 1 rnd] 3 times – sleeve meas approx 12½" from joining rnd. Bind off all sts purlwise.

FINISHING

Sew underarm seams.

Weave in ends. Block to measurements.





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STITCHES AND ABBREVIATIONS

Stockinette

In the rnd: Knit all sts, every rnd. In rows: Knit on RS, purl on WS.

Backward Loop Cast-on Method: *Wrap yarn around left thumb from front to back and secure in palm with other fingers. Insert needle upwards through strand on thumb. Slip loop from thumb onto RH needle, pulling yarn to tighten. Rep from * for desired number of sts.

approx: approximately

beg: begin(ning) dec('d): decrease(d) inc('d): increase(d)

k: knit

k2tog: knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd) k3tog: knit 3 sts together (2 sts dec'd)

LH: left hand

m1-l: (make 1 left slanting) insert LH needle under horizontal strand between st just worked and next st, from the front to the back, knit

through the back loop (1 st inc'd)

m1-r: (make 1 right slanting) insert LH needle under horizontal strand between st just worked and next st, from the back to the front, knit through the front loop (1 st inc'd)

meas: measure(s) pm: place marker

rep: repeat RH: right hand

RS: right side rnd(s): round(s)

s2kp: slip 2 sts together knitwise from the LH needle to the RH needle, k1, pass 2 slipped sts over knit st (2 sts dec'd)

s2k2p: slip 2 sts together knitwise (as if to k2tog), k2tog, pass the 2 slipped sts together over the knit st created by

the k2tog (3 sts dec'd)

ssk: (slip, slip, knit) slip 2 sts, 1 at a time, knitwise to the RH needle; insert tip of LH needle into the fronts of the two slipped sts and use RH needle to knit them together (1 st

dec'd) sts: stitch(es) WS: wrong side











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> 100% Superfine Alpaca | 5-61/2 sts/inch on size US 2-7 (2.75-4.5 mm) needle

> 100g hank | approx 400 yards hand wash cool, dry flat | made in Peru

