PREMIER®

SIZES
Small (Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Bust: 40½" (44¼", 48", 51¾", 56½", 60¼")

MATERIALS
Premier Yarns® *Hipster™ Cotton*
(100% Cotton; 3.5 oz/100 g, 229 yds/210 m)
  • 2010-06 Rainbow Rollerskates –
    5 (5, 6, 6, 7, 8) balls
Needle: US Size 6 (4 mm) and US Size 5 (3.75 mm) straight needles, US Size 6 (4 mm) 16" circular needle *or size needed to obtain gauge*
Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, locking stitch markers, stitch holder

GAUGE
21 sts x 28 rows = 4" in St st
Save time, check your gauge.

PATTERN NOTES
Pullover is worked from the bottom up in pieces and seamed. The neck edging is picked up and worked in the round once seaming is complete. The cuffs for the sleeves are knit long and worn folded. The fit is slightly oversized with 4-6" of positive ease and the hem hits at the high hip.

STITCH GUIDE
1x1 Rib (*multiple of 2 sts*)
Row 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end.
Rep Row 1 for patt.

1x1 Rib in the Round (*multiple of 2 sts*)
Rnd 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end.
Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

PULLOVER
Back
With smaller straight needles, cast on 108 (118, 128, 138, 150, 160) sts. Work even in **1X1 Rib** until piece meas 3". Switch to larger needles. Work even in St st until piece meas 20 (20¾, 21, 21¾, 22, 22¾)" from cast-on edge. Bind off all sts.

Front
With smaller straight needles, cast on 108 (118, 128, 138, 150, 160) sts. Work even in **1X1 Rib** until piece meas 3". Switch to larger needles. Work even in St st until piece meas 17½ (18¼, 18½, 19, 19½, 20¼)" from cast-on edge. End having just worked a WS row.

Neck Shaping
Row 1 (RS): K37 (42, 45, 50, 56, 60) (left shoulder sts), bind off 34 (34, 38, 38, 38, 40) sts, knit to end, place left shoulder sts on stitch holder or waste yarn.
Row 2 (WS): Purl.
Dec Row: K1, ssk, knit to end — 1 st dec'd.
Next Row: Purl.
Rep previous 2 rows 4 more times — 4 sts dec'd, 32 (37, 40, 45, 51, 55) sts rem.
Bind off sts.

Place held sts on working needle and with RS facing, join yarn.
Dec Row (RS): Knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1— 1 st dec'd.
Next Row: Purl.
Rep previous 2 rows 4 more times — 4 sts dec'd, 32 (37, 40, 45, 51, 55) sts rem.
Bind off all sts.

Tie Dye Pullover
Level: Easy

Sleeves (Make 2)

With smaller needles, cast on 46 (52, 52, 52, 54, 54) sts. Work even in **1x1 Rib** until piece meas 3". Switch to larger needles and work 8 (8, 8, 6, 4, 2) rows even in St st.

Inc Row (RS): K1, kfb, knit to last 2 sts, kfb, k1 — 2 sts inc'd.

All other rows: Work even in patt.

Rep Inc Row every RS row 0 (0, 0, 0, 3, 9) more times, every 4th row 12 (9, 18, 27, 25, 22) times and then every 6th row 10 (12, 6, 0, 0, 0) times — 44 (42, 48, 54, 56, 62) sts inc'd, 92 (96, 102, 108, 112, 118) sts.

If necessary, work even until Sleeve meas 20½ (20½, 20½, 20¼, 19½, 19¼)" from cast-on edge, bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Wash and block Front, Back and Sleeves, if desired. Sew shoulder seams, place locking marker at the top center of each Sleeve. Use marker to align center of Sleeve with shoulder seam, sew Sleeves along the edge of Front and Back. Seam the Sleeves and then the Front and Back.

Neck Edging

With RS facing and circular needle, pick up and knit 96 (96, 104, 104, 104, 108) sts around neck opening, pm and join for working in the rnd.

Work even in **1x1 Rib in the Round** until Neck Edging meas 2½". With live sts still on needles, fold neck edging to the inside of Sweater and whipstitch live sts to ridge where sts were picked up. This will fasten off live sts and secure them to the inside of the Sweater, creating a double layer collar.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

dec('d)	decrease(d)
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
kfb	knit into the front and back of the next st (1 st inc'd)
k2tog	knit 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
meas	measures
p	purl
patt	pattern
pm	place marker
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat(ing)
rnd(s)	round(s)
RS	right side
ssk	slip slip knit (1 st dec'd)
st(s)	stitch(es)
St st	Stockinette stitch: knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows
WS	wrong side