



Cold Shoulder Sweater

Level: Intermediate

SIZES

Women's S (M, L, XL)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 36¾ (40½, 44¾, 48½)"

Length: 22 (23, 24, 25)"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns Rodeo™ (85% cotton, 15% polyester; 150g/265yds)

- #1066-15 Dark Indigo - 3 (4, 4, 5) balls

Needles: US Size 7 (4.5mm) circular knitting needles 16" and 24" long

US Size 8 (5mm) circular knitting needles 24" long *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Stitch markers, stitch holders, tapestry needle

GAUGE

18 sts x 22 rows = 4" in Stockinette stitch

Save time, check your gauge.

STITCH GUIDE

1x1 Twisted Rib in the round (mult of 2 sts)

Rnd 1: * K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for pattern.

1x1 Twisted Rib in rows (mult of 2 sts)

Row 1 (RS): * K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to end.

Row 2 (WS): * K1, p1 tbl; rep from * to end.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 for pattern.

SWEATER

Neckband

With shorter size 7 circular needle, cast on 84 (84, 88, 92) sts. Place marker and join to work in the round.

Work in **1x1 Twisted Rib in the round** for 10 rnds.

Next rnd: Bind off 11 (11, 11, 13) sts, work 31 (31, 33, 33) sts in established rib and place these sts on a holder for front, bind off next 11 (11, 11, 13) sts, work 31 (31, 33, 33) sts in established rib for back.
Change to larger needle.

Upper Back

Row 1 (WS): [K1, p1 tbl] twice, k1, purl to last 5 sts, k1, [p1 tbl, k1] twice.

Row 2 (RS): [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, k1, m1, knit to last 6 sts, m1, k1, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice - 2 sts increased.

Rep last 2 rows 9 more times, then work Row 1 once more – 51 (51, 53, 53) sts.

Break yarn and place sts on holder.

Upper Front

Slip front sts from holder to larger needle and join yarn, ready to work a WS row.

Row 1 (WS): [K1, p1 tbl] twice, k1, purl to last 5 sts, k1, [p1 tbl, k1] twice.

Row 2 (RS): [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, k1, m1, knit to last 6 sts, m1, k1, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice - 2 sts increased.

Rep last 2 rows 9 more times, then work Row 1 once more – 51 (51, 53, 53) sts.

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Re-join to work yoke

Next row (RS): [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, k1, m1, knit to last 6 sts, m1, k1, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, place marker, cast on 29 (29, 31, 29) sts for top of left sleeve, place marker, work across back sts from holder as [p1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, k1, m1, knit to last 6 sts, m1, k1, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, place marker, cast on 29 (29, 31, 29) sts for top of right sleeve – 160 (160, 168, 164) sts. Place marker for beginning of round and join to work in the rnd.

Rnd 1: * [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, knit to 5 sts before marker, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, sl marker, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, work **1x1 Twisted Rib in the round** to 4 sts before marker, [p1, k1 tbl] twice, sl marker; rep from * once more.

Rnd 2: * [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, k1, m1, knit to 6 sts before marker, m1, k1, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, sl marker, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, k1, m1, work in **1x1 Twisted Rib in the round** to 5 sts before marker, m1, k1, [p1, k1 tbl] twice, sl marker; rep from * once more – 8 sts increased.

Rep Rnds 1 and 2, two more times – 184 (184, 192, 188) sts.

Rnd 3: * [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, knit to 5 sts before marker, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, sl marker, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, knit to 4 sts before marker, [p1, k1 tbl] twice, sl marker; rep from * once more.

Rnd 4: * [P1, k1 tbl] twice, p1, k1, m1, knit to 6 sts before marker, m1, k1, p1, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, sl marker, [k1 tbl, p1] twice, k1, m1, knit to 5 sts before marker, m1, k1, [p1, k1 tbl] twice, sl marker; rep from * once more – 8 sts increased.

Rep Rnds 1 and 2, 8 (9, 10, 12) more times – 256 (264, 280, 292) sts.

Work Rnd 1 once more, stopping 1 (3, 4, 4) sts before end of rnd.

Divide body and sleeves

Note: Remove markers as you come to them while working next rnd.

Next rnd: K 75 (77, 81, 85) and place on holder for front, knit next 53 (55, 59, 61) sts and place on holder for left sleeve, knit next 75 (77, 81, 85) sts and place on holder for back, knit remaining 53 (55, 59, 61) sts for right sleeve.

Continue on right sleeve sts only.

Sleeves

Cast on 3 (4, 6, 8) sts, turn work, with WS facing purl to end, cast on 3 (4, 6, 8) sts – 59 (63, 71, 77) sts.

Next row – Decrease Row (RS): K1, ssk, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 2 sts decreased.

Rep Decrease Row every 8th row 9 (8, 10, 6) more times, then every 6th row 0 (0, 0, 6) times – 39 (45, 49, 51) sts.

Change to smaller needle.

Work in **1x1 Twisted Rib in rows** for 2½”.

Bind off loosely in established rib.

Repeat for left sleeve.

Sew sleeve seams.

Body

Join yarn at underarm end of right sleeve seam.

With RS facing, pick up and knit 2 (3, 5, 7) sts along cast on edge of sleeve, k 75 (77, 81, 85) front sts from holder, pick up and knit 4 (6, 10, 14) sts along cast on edge of left sleeve, k 75 (77, 81, 85) back sts from holder, pick up and knit 2 (3, 5, 7) sts along cast on edge to right sleeve seam – 158 (166, 182, 198) sts. Place marker for beginning of rnd and join to work in the rnd.

Continue in Stockinette st (knit every round) until piece measures 12 (12½, 13¼, 13½)” from underarm cast on.

Change to smaller needle.

Work in **1x1 Twisted Rib in the round** for 2”.

Bind off loosely in established rib.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Block to finished measurements.

Abbreviations

k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 sts together
m1	make 1
p	purl
RS	Right Side
rep	repeat
rnd(s)	round(s)
sl	slip
ssk	slip, slip, knit
st(s)	stitch(es)
tbl	through back loop
WS	Wrong Side