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London Tunic

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Technique used: Knit



Naturally Caron.com Country

(75% microdenier acrylic/25% merino wool; 3 oz/85 g, 185 yds/170 m skein):
21 (24, 24, 27, 30) oz

Shown in: #0009 Renaissance Rose

One pair size US 8 (5 mm) needles or size to obtain gauge

One circular size US 8 (5 mm), 29" long for neck band

Cable needle (cn)

Stitch markers

Stitch holders

Yarn needle

Row counter (optional)



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Printer Friendly instructions

SIZES

X-Small (Small, Medium, Large, 1X)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust 34 (38, 40, 44, 47)"

Length 27 (28, 28, 28 1/2, 29)"

Note: Cabled fabric is flexible – choose size accordingly.

GAUGE

In Stockinette stitch, 21 sts and 28 rows = 4"/10 cm

In overall Cable pattern, 26.5 sts and 28 rows = 4"/10 cm

ABBREVIATIONS

C2B: Skip first st on left-hand needle, knit next st, do not drop from needle, knit skipped st, drop both sts from left-hand

needle.

C2B – Alternate method: Slip 1 st to cn, hold to back, k1, k1 from cn.

C4B: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to back, k2, k2 from cn.

C4F: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to front, k2, k2 from cn.

C6B: Slip 3 sts to cn, hold to back, k3, k3 from cn.

C6F: Slip 3 sts to cn, hold to front, k3, k3 from cn.

Tw4R: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to back, k2, p2 from cn.

Tw4L: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to front, p2, k2 from cn.

STITCHES USED

Reverse Stockinette st (Rev St st): Purl on RS, knit on WS.

2 x 2 Rib (multiple of 4 sts + 2 – straight in rows; multiple of 4 sts – in-the-round)

Row/Rnd 1 (RS): * K2, p2; repeat from * across/around, (end k2 if working in rows).

Row/Rnd 2: Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you.

Repeat Row/Rnd 2 for 2 x 2 rib.

Cable Patterns: See Charts A – G.

NOTE

V-neck Pullover is worked from Charts after Set-up Row.

HELPFUL

Place a marker (pm) between each Chart section.

BACK

Cast on 114 (126, 134, 146, 158) sts.

(RS) Begin 2x2 Rib; work even until piece measures 3 1/2 (4, 4, 4, 5)" from beginning, end with a RS row; pm after 2 center sts.

(WS) Cont in rib, work across to marker, work 2 center sts together, work to end—113 (125, 133, 145, 157) sts remain.

Establish Pattern: (RS) Beg and end k2, work 10 (10, 14, 18, 18) sts in 2 x 2 rib; beg Row 1 of all Charts, work Chart E across 0 (0, 0, 0, 8) sts; k0 (0, 0, 1, 0) st(s); work Chart A across 22 sts; k0 (0, 0, 1, 0), p1; work Chart C across 6 sts; Chart E across 8 sts; Chart C across 6 sts; work Chart G across 6 (18, 18, 18, 18) sts, p1; work Chart D across 6 sts; Chart F across 8 sts; Chart D across 6 sts; p1, k0 (0, 0, 1, 0); work Chart B across 22 sts; k0 (0, 0, 1, 0); work Chart F across 0 (0, 0, 0, 8) sts; beg and end k2, work 10 (10, 14, 18, 18) sts in 2 x 2 rib.

Cont in patt as established, work even until piece measures 17 1/2 (18, 18, 17 1/2, 17)" from beginning, end with a WS row.

Shape Armholes

(RS) Bind off 3 (3, 3, 5, 9) sts at beginning of next 2 rows—107 (119, 127, 135, 139) sts remain.

(RS) Dec 1 st each side every row 2 (4, 4, 6, 6) times—103 (111, 119, 123, 127) sts remain.

(RS) Dec 1 st each side every other row 4 (5, 7, 7, 7) times—95 (101, 105, 109, 113) sts remain.

Work even until armhole measures 7 (7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2, 9)" from beginning of shaping, end with a WS row; place a marker (pm) each side of center 35 (35, 37, 39, 41) sts for neck.

Shape Neck

(RS) Work across to first marker; place center 35 (35, 37, 39, 41) sts on holder; join a second ball of yarn, work to end—30 (33, 34, 35, 36) sts each side. Working both sides at same time, at each neck edge, bind off 4 sts once, 2 sts 3 (3, 3, 3, 2) times, then dec 1 st at each neck edge every row 2 (3, 4, 3, 4) times; and AT THE SAME TIME, when armhole measures 8 (8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10)" from beg of shaping, end with a WS row.

Shape Shoulders

(RS) Bind off 6 (8, 8, 8, 8) sts at beginning of next 2 rows, then 6 (6, 6, 7, 8) sts at beginning of next 4 rows for shoulders, while completing neck shaping.

POCKET LINING (make 2)

Cast on 22 (24, 24, 26, 28) sts.

(RS) Begin Rev St st; work even until piece measures 3 1/2 (4, 4, 4, 5)" from beginning, place stitches on holder.

FRONT

Work as for Back until piece measures 3 1/2 (4, 4, 4, 5)" above ribbing, end with a WS row.

Pocket

(RS) Work across 25 (30, 33, 38, 27) sts; work 22 (24, 24 26, 28) sts and place on holder, work 19 (17, 19, 17, 47) sts, work 22 (24, 24 26, 28) sts and place on holder for pocket, work in pattern to end.

(WS) Work in pattern to holder, work 22 (24, 24 26, 28) sts from pocket lining, work to second holder, work 22 (24, 24 26, 28) sts from second pocket lining, work to end.

Work as for Back until piece measures 14" from beginning, end with a WS row; pm each side of center st.

Shape Neck

(RS) Work across to first marker, place center stitch on holder for neck, remove markers; join a second ball of yarn and work to end—56 (62, 66, 72, 78) sts each side.

Working both sides at same time, work 1 row even.

(RS) At each neck edge, dec 1 st every other row 12 (9, 10, 12, 12) times, then every 3 rows 17 (21, 20, 20, 20) times; and AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures same as Back to underarm, end with a WS row.

Shape Armhole and Shoulders

Work as for Back, while completing neck shaping.

SLEEVES

Cast on 40 (46, 48, 48, 52) sts.

(RS) Begin 2 x 2 rib; work even until piece measures 3 1/2 (4, 4, 4, 5)" from beginning, inc 6 (6, 6, 8, 8) evenly across last (WS) row—46 (52, 54, 56, 60) sts.

Establish Pattern: (RS) K5 (0, 1, 2, 4), work Chart E over 0 (8, 8, 8, 8) sts, Chart C over 6 sts, k1, Chart B over 22 sts, k1, Chart D over 6 sts, Chart E over 0 (8, 8, 8, 8) sts, k5 (0, 1, 2, 4).

Shape Sleeve

(RS) Beg this row, inc 1 st each side every 4 (3, 3, 3, 2) rows 20 (2, 6, 11, 3) times, every 5 (4, 4, 4, 3) rows 2 (20, 17, 16, 28) times, working inc sts in Chart C, then E for size Small and E for all other sizes, then 2 x 2 rib—90 (96, 100, 110, 122) sts.

Work even until piece measures 16 1/2 (17, 17, 17 1/2, 17 1/2)" from the beginning, end with a WS row.

Shape Cap

(RS) Bind off 3 (3, 3, 5, 9) sts at beginning of next 2 rows—84 (90, 94, 100, 104) sts remain.

(RS) Bind off 2 (2, 2, 3, 3) sts at beginning of next 4 rows—76 (82, 86, 88, 92) sts remain.

(RS) Dec 1 st each side every other row 2 (2, 2, 3, 4) times—72 (78, 82, 82, 84) sts remain.

(RS) Dec 1 st each side every row 28 (28, 30, 26, 24) times—16 (20, 22, 30, 36) sts remain.

(RS) Bind off 2 (2, 3, 3, 4) sts at beginning of next 2 (2, 2, 4, 4) rows—12 (16, 16, 18, 20) sts remain.

Bind off remaining sts.

FINISHING

Block pieces to measurements, being careful not to flatten texture. Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves; sew sleeve and side seams.

Pockets

Sew lining neatly to WS of Fronts.

Pocket Band

Place sts from holder on needle, ready to work a RS row.

(RS) Begin 2 x 2 rib; work even until band measures 1".

Bind off loosely in rib.

Sew ends of Band to garment above Pocket.

Repeat for other Pocket.

Neckband

With RS facing, beginning at right shoulder, pick up and knit 211 (229, 241, 241, 241) sts around neck edge, including sts on holders. Join, pm for beginning of round and markers each side of st at center Front.

Note: First round of rib should end k2 at first center Front marker, and beg k2 after second marker; when picking up sts, be sure to pick up the same number on each side of neck shaping on Front.

Round 1: Work in 2 x 2 rib around to first marker at center Front, end k2; slip marker (sm), k1, sm; beginning k2, work in 2 x 2 rib to end of round.

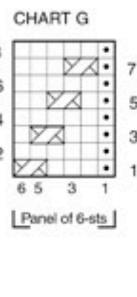
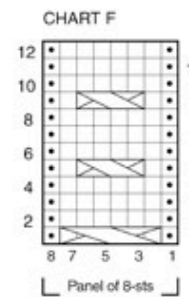
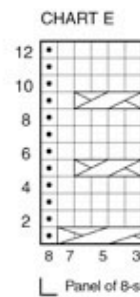
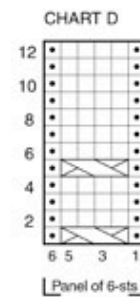
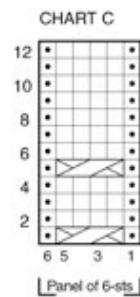
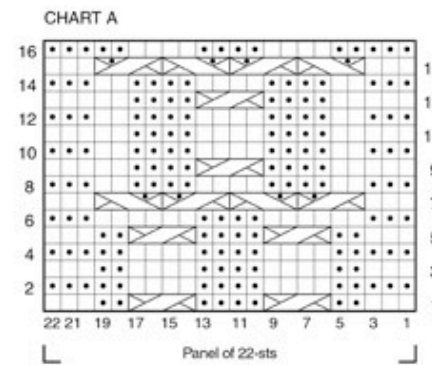
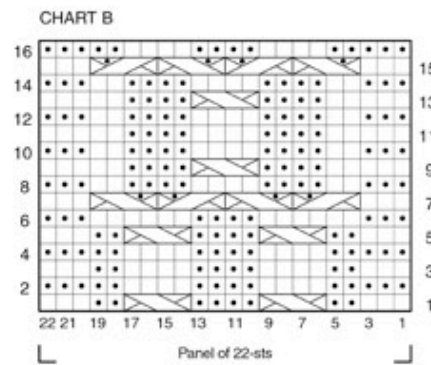
Round 2: Work in patt around to 2 sts before first marker; k2tog, sm, k1, sm, ssk; work in patt to end of round.

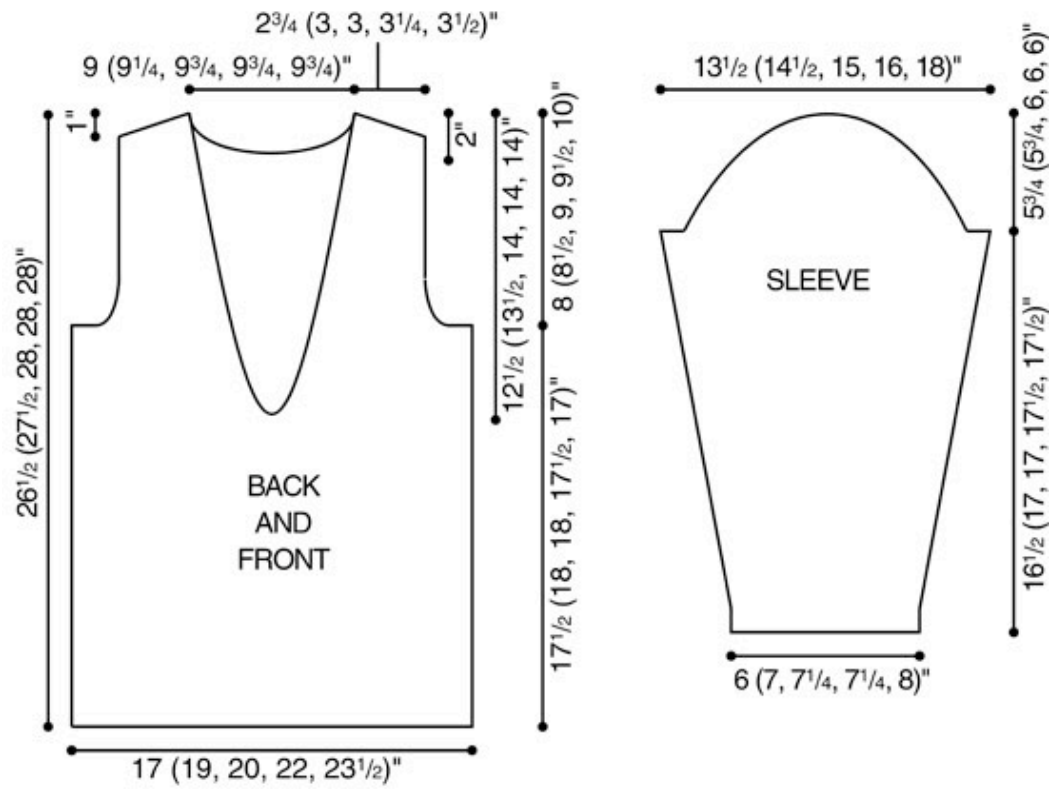
Repeat Round 2 until Neckband measures 1 1/2" from pick-up round.

Bind off all sts loosely in rib.
Using yarn needle, weave in all ends.

KEY

- Knit on RS, purl on WS
- Purl on RS, knit on WS
- C2B: Skip first st on left-hand needle, knit next st, do not drop from needle, knit skipped st, drop both sts from left-hand needle.
Alternate Method: Slip 1 st to cn, hold to back, k1, k1 from cn.
- C4B: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to back, k2, k2 from cn.
- C4F: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to front, k2, k2 from cn.
- C6B: Slip 3 sts to cn, hold to back, k3, k3 from cn.
- C6F: Slip 3 sts to cn, hold to front, k3, k3 from cn.
- Tw4L: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to front, p2, k2 from cn.
- Tw4R: Slip 2 sts to cn, hold to back, k2, p2 from cn.





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