

STRIPED TOP

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KNITTED MEASUREMENTS

- Bust 34 (37, 40½, 45, 49)"/86 (94, 103, 114, 124.5)cm
- Length 18 (19, 19¼, 20, 21½)"/45.5 (48, 49, 51, 54.4) cm
- Upper arm 12 (13, 13¾, 15¼, 16¼)"/30.5 (33, 35, 39, 44.5) cm

MATERIALS

- One pair each size 4 (3.5mm) and 6 (4mm) needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- 5 (5, 6, 6, 7) 50g/1¾oz balls (each approx 132yd/121m) of Swedish Yarn, Inc. *M&K Eco Bomull* (100% eco-cotton) in #112 dark blue (A)
- 1 ball each in #102 white (B) and #111 light blue (C)

GAUGE

21 sts and 30 rows to 4"/10cm over St st using size 6 (4mm) needles.

TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE.



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STRIPE PATTERN

4 rows C, 4 rows B, 4 rows A, 4 rows C, 4 rows B.

BACK

With smaller needles and A, cast on 90 (98, 106, 118, 128) sts. Knit 3 rows. Change to larger needles.

Next row (WS) K1 (sel st), purl to last st, k1 (sel st). Knit the first and last sts of every row for sel sts, work rem sts in St st AT SAME TIME work 4 rows B, then 4 rows C. Work even in A until piece measures 12½ (13, 13½, 13¾, 14¼)"/32 (33, 34, 35, 36)cm from beg.

Armhole shaping

Read through before beg to knit.

Bind off 6 (7, 7, 8, 8) sts beg next 2 rows—78 (84, 92, 102, 112) sts. Work 2 (2, 0, 0, 0) rows even.

Next (dec) row (RS) K1 (sel st), k1, k2 tog, work to last 4 sts, k2tog tbl, k1, k1 (sel st)—76 (82, 90, 100, 110) sts. Rep dec row every 4th row 1 (1, 0, 0, 0) time more, then every other row 14 (16, 19, 19, 17) times—46 (48, 52, 62, 76) sts, AT SAME TIME when armhole meas 2½ (3, 3¼, 3¾, 4)"/6.5 (7.5, 8, 9.5, 10)cm above bind-off, beg stripe pat.

Sizes L, XL, 2XL only

Work 1 row even on WS.

Next (dec) row (RS) K1 (sel st), k1, k3tog, work to last 5 sts, k3tog tbl, k1, k1 (sel st).

All sizes

Rep dec row every other row 0 (0, 0, 0, 2,

5) times more—46 (48, 48, 50, 52) sts. When all decs have been worked and stripe pat is complete, change to smaller needles and A. Knit 4 rows. Bind off.

FRONT

Work same as the Back.

SLEEVES

With smaller needles and A, cast on 64 (68, 72, 80, 86) sts. Knit 3 rows. Change to larger needles. **Next row (WS)** K1 (sel st), purl to last st, k1 (sel st). Knit the first and last sts of every row for sel sts, work rem sts in St st and work 2 rows even.

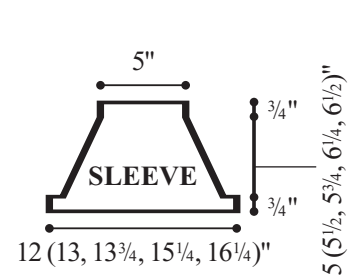
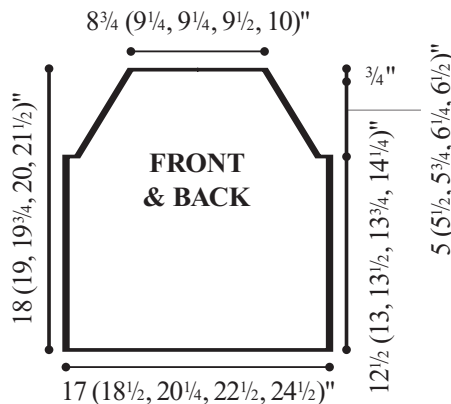
Armhole shaping

Bind off 6 (7, 7, 8, 8) sts at beg next 2 rows—52 (54, 58, 64, 70) sts. Work even

for 0 (0, 2, 2) rows. **Next (dec) row (RS)** K1 (sel st), k1, k2tog, k to last 4 sts, k2tog tbl, k1, k1 (sel st)—50 (52, 56, 62, 68) sts. Rep dec row every 4th row 5 (6, 4, 3, 1) times more, then every other row 7 (7, 11, 15, 20) times—26 sts, AT SAME TIME, when armhole meas 2½ (3, 3¼, 3¾, 4)"/6.5 (7.5, 8, 9.5, 10)cm above bind-off, beg stripe pattern. When all decs have been worked and stripe pat is finished, change to smaller needles and A. Knit 4 rows. Bind off.

FINISHING

Lay garments flat to measurements between damp cloths and allow to dry. Sew all raglan seams tog, making sure that the stripes align. Sew the side and sleeve seams. ❖



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