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P. ORIGIN	OLIVE	4	4	4	5	5

STITCHES:
 K1/P1 rib
 Stockinette stitch (st st)
 Pattern stitch

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Intermediate level



Back-and-forth knitting

TENSION SQUARE

25 sts and 36 rows to 10 cm measured over stockinette stitch using 3 mm needles

46 sts of pattern stitch to 14.5 cm, using 3 mm needles

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Composition: 100% cotton

MATERIALS:

In the PPY range:

1 pair each of 2.5 mm and 3 mm knitting needles (or other, depending on your tension squares)

Stitch markers

1 cable needle

Yarn needle

STITCHES:

K1/P1 rib

Stockinette stitch (st st)

Pattern stitch (see chart)

INSTRUCTIONS

Follow the instructions in the color that corresponds to the size you are knitting.

BACK

Step 1: Using 2.5 mm needles, cast on 132 - 140 - 150 - 160 - 174 sts and work in K1/P1 rib for 3 cm.

Step 2: Change to 3 mm needles and st st.

Step 3: When your work measures 26 cm from the beginning, place a marker on both selvage sts (to indicate the armholes).

Step 4: When your work measures 46 - 47 - 48 - 49 - 50 cm from the beginning, shape the shoulders. On each edge, bind off:

4 sts once and 5 sts 7 times

5 sts 5 times and 6 sts 3 times

6 sts 8 times

6 sts 4 times and 7 sts 4 times

7 sts 5 times and 8 sts 3 times

Meanwhile,

when your work measures 48 - 49 - 50 - 51 - 52 cm from the beginning, shape the neck. Bind off the center 18 - 18 - 18 - 20 - 20 sts, then finish 1 side at a time. On the neck edge, bind off 6 sts 3 times.

Step 5: Finish the other side of the neck.

FRONT

Step 1: Using 2.5 mm needles, cast on 132 - 140 - 150 - 160 - 174 sts and work in K1/P1 rib for 3 cm.

Step 2: Change to 3 mm needles, then work in st st and pattern st (see chart). Evenly increase 10 sts in the 1st row and work as follows: 48 - 52 - 57 - 62 - 69 sts in st st, the 46 sts in the chart and 48 - 52 - 57 - 62 - 69 sts in st st.

Total sts: 142 - 150 - 160 - 170 - 184 sts

Step 3: When your work measures 26 cm from the beginning, place a marker on both selvage sts (to indicate the armholes).

Step 4: When your work measures 42 - 43 - 44 - 45 - 46 cm from the beginning, shape the neck. Bind off the center 16 - 16 - 16 - 18 - 18 sts, then finish 1 side at a time. On the neck edge, bind off 5 sts once, 4 sts once, 3 sts twice, 2 sts twice and 1 st 4 times, then 4 rows higher, bind off 1 st once.

Meanwhile,

when your work measures 46 - 47 - 48 - 49 - 50 cm from the beginning, shape the shoulders. On each edge, bind off:

4 sts once and 5 sts 7 times

5 sts 5 times and 6 sts 3 times

6 sts 8 times

6 sts 4 times and 7 sts 4 times

7 sts 5 times and 8 sts 3 times

Step 5: Finish the other side of the neck.

ARMHOLE BANDS

Step 1: Using 2.5 mm needles, cast on 108 - 112 - 118 - 124 - 130 sts and work in K1/P1 rib for 2.5 cm.

Step 2: Bind off all the sts.

Work the other band in the same way.

NECKBAND

Step 1: Using 2.5 mm needles, cast on 146 - 146 - 146 - 150 - 150 sts and work in K1/P1 rib for 1.5 cm.

Step 2: Knit 1 row on the right side, then work several rows of st st in yarn of a different color.

MAKE UP

Step 1: Sew the seams for the shoulders and sides.

Step 2: Sew the seams for the armhole bands.

Step 3: Join the neckband on the right side of your work, matching the sts and using backstitch.

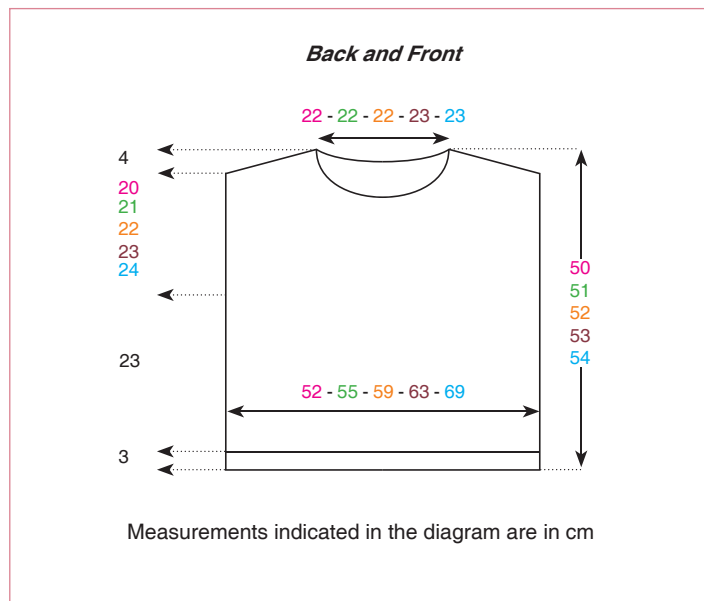
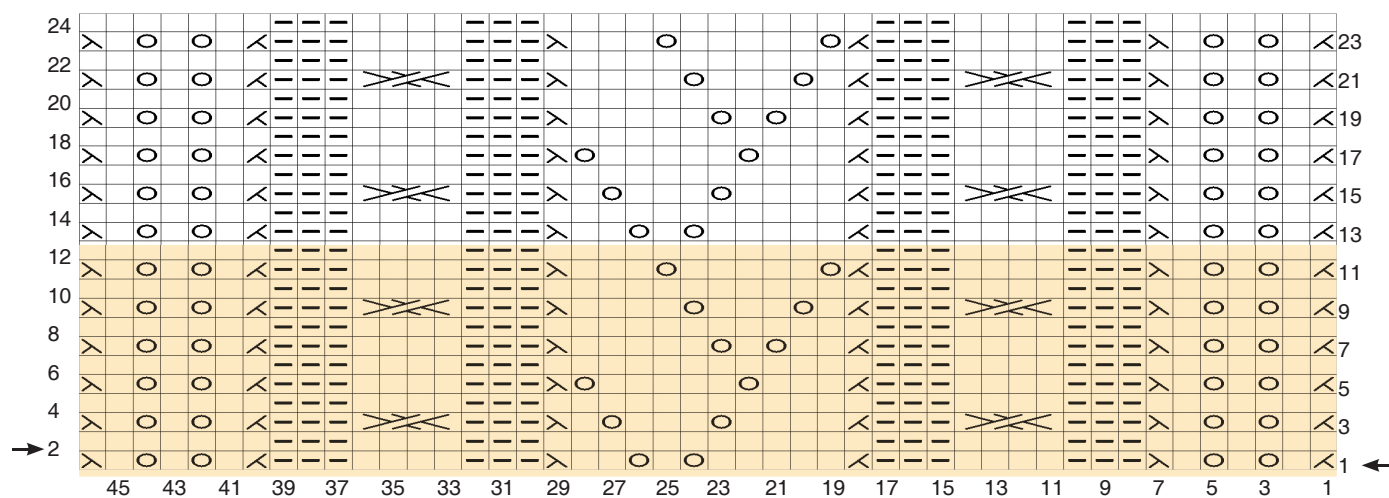


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Chart for pattern st



Repeat the sts in the colored frame.

Direction ← = uneven rows → = even rows

 = K1 (RS) or P1 (WS)

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 = SKP: slip 1 st knitwise, K1, then pass the slipped st over the K1

 = K2tog

 = yo

 = 4 sts crossed to the right (RS): slip 2 sts onto a cable needle placed behind your work, K2, then knit the 2 sts on the cable needle