



BACK

Shape Armholes

Next Row (RS): Decrease 1 st at each armhole edge as follows: K1, ssk, work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. Repeat this shaping every other row 11 more times (12 times total). Work even until armhole measures 9½ (10, 10½)" (24 [25.5, 27] cm) from the underarm, ending with a WS row.

Shape Shoulders

Shoulders are shaped with short rows as follows (see page 126 for short row techniques):

Set 1: On next (RS) row *work to last 4 sts, slip and wrap next st, turn and repeat from * once. Turn.

Set 2: On next (RS) row *work to last 8 sts, slip and wrap next st, turn and repeat from * once. Turn.

Set 3: On next (RS) row *work to last 12 sts, slip and wrap next st, turn and repeat from * once. Turn.

Next Row (RS): Knit, hiding wraps. Place sts on holder.

LEFT FRONT

Armhole and neck shaping are worked at the same time. Place left-front sts on needle. With WS facing, join yarn at neck edge and work one row.

Next Row (RS): K1, ssk (armhole shaping), knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 (neck shaping). Repeat armhole shaping every other row 11 more times (12 times total) and repeat neck shaping every 4th row 12 (13, 14) more times and then every 6th row 2 times. End on RS row—16 (16, 18) sts on needle.

Shape Shoulder

Set 1: On next (WS) row work to last 4 sts, slip and wrap next st, turn and work to end.

Set 2: On next (WS) row work to last 8 sts, slip and wrap next st, turn and work to end.

Set 3: On next (WS) row work to last 12 sts, slip and wrap next st, turn and work to end.

Next Row (WS): Purl, hiding wraps. Place sts on holder.

RIGHT FRONT

Armhole and neck shaping are worked at the same time. Place right-front sts on needle. With WS facing, join yarn at armhole edge and work one row.

Next Row (RS): K1, ssk (neck shaping), knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 (armhole shaping). Repeat armhole shaping every other row 11 more times (12 times total) and repeat neck shaping every 4th row 12 (13, 14) more times and then every 6th row 2 times. End on RS row—16 (16, 18) sts on needle. Work one WS row.