



 KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Alt** = Alternate(ing)  
**Approx** = Approximately  
**Beg** = Beginning  
**Cont** = Continue(ity)  
**Dec** = Decrease(ing)  
**Inc** = Increase(ing)  
**Inc1** = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch  
**K** = Knit

**K1below** = Knit into next stitch 1 row below, at same time, slipping off stitch above.  
**P** = Purl  
**Pat** = Pattern  
**Rem** = Remaining  
**Rep** = Repeat  
**RS** = Right side  
**St(s)** = Stitch(es)  
**Tog** = Together  
**WS** = Wrong side

## SIZES

### Bust measurement

**S** 28-34" [71-86.5 cm]  
**M** 36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm]  
**L** 40-42" [101.5-106.5 cm]  
**XL** 44-46" [112-117 cm]  
**2/3 XL** 48-54" [122-137 cm]  
**4/5 XL** 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

### Finished bust

**S** 37" [94 cm]  
**M** 42" [106.5 cm]  
**L** 46" [117 cm]  
**XL** 50" [127 cm]  
**2/3 XL** 57" [144.5 cm]  
**4/5 XL** 63½" [161.5 cm]

## INSTRUCTIONS

*The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written thus (.). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.*

### BACK

\*\*With A and larger needles, cast on **79** (89-97-107-121-135) sts loosely.  
 Knit 4 rows (garter st), noting first row is WS.

## MATERIALS

Patons® Metallic™ (3 oz/85 g; 252 yds/230 m)

Sizes **XS/S** **M** **L** **XL** **2/3XL** **4/5XL**

### Main Color (MC)

Blue Steel (95134) **3** **4** **5** **6** **7** **8** **balls**

### Contrast A

Pewter (95044) **3** **3** **4** **4** **5** **6** **balls**

Size U.S. N/15 (10 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**  
 2 stitch holders.

Proceed in pat as follows: **1st row:** (WS). K2. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to last st. K1.

**2nd row:** K1. \*K1below. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.

**3rd row:** K1. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.

**4th row:** K2. \*K1below. K1. Rep from \* to last st. K1. These 4 rows form pat.

Cont in pat until work from beg measures approx 13" [33 cm], ending on a 1st row of pat. Break A. Change to MC and cont in pat (beg on a 2nd row), until work from beg measures 18" [45.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape armholes:** Keeping cont of pat, cast off **6 (8-10-12-8-10)** sts beg next **2 (2-2-2-4-4)** rows. **67 (73-77-83-89-95)** Dec 1 st each end of next and every following alt row **5 (7-8-9-10-12)** times more. **55 (57-59-63-67-69)** sts.\*\*Cont even in pat until armhole measures **7 (7½-8-8-8½-8½)" [18 (19-20.5-20.5-22.5-22.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row.

**Shape neck: Next row:** (RS). Pat across **12 (13-13-15-16-17)** sts (neck edge). **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle. Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows. **9 (10-10-12-13-14)** sts. Work 2 rows even in pat. Cast off. With RS facing, slip next **31 (31-33-33-35-35)** sts onto a st holder. Join yarn to rem sts and pat to end of row. Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows. **9 (10-10-12-13-14)** sts. Work 2 rows even in pat. Cast off.

## FRONT

Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Back. Cont even in pat until armhole measures 16 rows less than Back to shoulder, ending on a WS row.

**Shape neck: Next row:** (RS). Pat across **17 (18-18-20-21-22)** sts (neck edge). **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle. Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 4 rows, then on every following alt row 4 times more. **9 (10-10-12-13-14)** sts. Work 2 rows even in pat. Cast off.

With RS facing, slip next **21 (21-23-23-25-25)** sts onto a st holder. Join yarn to rem sts and pat to end of row.

Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 4 rows, then on every following alt row 4 times more. **9 (10-10-12-13-14)** sts. Work 2 rows even in pat. Cast off.

## SLEEVES

With A and smaller needles, cast on **47 (49-49-51-51-51)** sts loosely.

Knit 4 rows (garter st), noting first row is WS.

Change to larger needles and proceed in pat as given for Back for 15 rows.

Keeping cont of pat, inc1 st each end of next and every following 16th row 3 times more, taking inc sts into pat. **55 (57-57-59-59-59)** sts. Work a further 5 row seven in pat. Break A. With MC, cont in pat (beg with a RS row), inc1 st each end of every following **16th (16th-16th-12th-12th-12th)** row from previous inc **1 (1-1-1-2-2)** time(s) more. **57 (59-59-61-63-63)** sts. Cont even in pat until Sleeve from beg measures

14½" [37 cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape top:** Keeping cont of pat, cast off **6 (8-9-10-10-10)** sts beg next 2 rows. **45 (43-41-41-43-43)** sts. Dec 1 st each end of next and every following 4th row **2 (4-8-8-8-8)** times more, then on every following alt row until there are **9 (9-11-11-11-11)** sts. Work 1 row even in pat. Cast off.

## FINISHING

Sew right shoulder seam.

**Neck edging:** With RS facing, MC and smaller needles, pick up and knit 14 sts down left front neck edge. K **21 (21-23-23-25-25)** from Front st holder, inc 2 sts evenly across. Pick up and knit 14 sts up right front neck edge and 5 sts down right back neck edge.

K**31 (31-33-33-35-35)** from Back st holder, inc 3 sts evenly across. Pick up and knit 5 sts up left back neck edge. **95 (95-99-99-103-103)** sts. Knit 4 rows (garter st). Cast off knitwise (WS). Sew left shoulder seam and neck edging.

Sew in Sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams, taking care to match color change.

