

SUGAR BUSH WITHOUT A PADDLE KNIT SWEATER | KNIT



MATERIALS

Sugar Bush® Canoe™ (1.75 oz/50 g; 95 yds/87 m)

Sizes	XS/S	M	L	XL	2/3XL	4/5XL	
Purple Rain (7010)	7	8	8	9	10	11	balls

Sizes U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) and U.S. 10 (6 mm) circular knitting needles 24" [60 cm] long. Set of 4 size U.S. 10 (6 mm) double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge**. Stitch holders. Stitch markers.

 **KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE**

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing)
Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
Cont = Continue
Dec = Decreas(e)(ing)
Inc = Inceas(e)(ing)
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together
P = Purl
Pat = Pattern

Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS = Right side
Sl1 = Slip next stitch knitwise
Sl1P = Slip next stitch purlwise
Ssk = Slip next 2 stitches knitwise one at a time. Pass them back onto left-hand needle, then knit through back loops together
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
WS = Wrong side

SIZES

To fit bust measurement

XS/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]
2/3XL	48-54" [122-137 cm]
4/5XL	56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

Finished bust

XS/S	36" [91.5 cm]
M	40" [101.5 cm]
L	44" [112 cm]
XL	48" [122 cm]
2/3XL	57" [145 cm]
4/5XL	65" [165 cm]

GAUGE

15 sts and 20 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking stitch with larger needles.

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.

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BODY

With MC and smaller circular needle, cast on **136 (148-164-180-212-244)** sts. Join in rnd, placing marker on first st.

1st rnd: *K2. P2. Rep from * around. Rep this rnd of (K2. P2) ribbing until work from beg measures 4" [10 cm], inc **0 (2-2-0-2-0)** sts evenly across last rnd. **136 (150-166-180-214-244)** sts.

Change to larger circular needle and knit in rnds until work from beg measures **9 (9-10-12-14-15)"** [**23 (23-25.5-30.5-35.5-38)** cm].

Shape Front: Next row: (RS). **K85 (96-106-117-142-164)**. Sl1P. Turn.

Next row: Sl1P. **P102 (117-129-144-177-206)**. Sl1. Turn.

Next row: Sl1. **K97 (111-122-136-167-194)**. Sl1P. Turn.

Next row: Sl1. **P92 (105-115-128-157-182)**. Sl1. Turn.

Next row: Sl1. **K87 (99-108-120-147-170)**. Sl1P. Turn.

Next row: Sl1. **P82 (93-101-112-137-158)**. Sl1. Turn.

Next row: Sl1. **K7 (9-9-11-15-18)** (you are at marked st).

Note: To avoid a hole when knitting a slipped st, pick up the st below the slipped st and place it on left-hand needle. Knit this st tog with slipped st above.

Next rnd: Knit all sts.

Next rnd: **K4 (4-5-5-6-7)**. Slip these **4 (4-5-5-6-7)** sts onto a st holder for right armhole. **68 (75-83-90-107-122)** sts. Slip last **8 (8-10-10-12-14)** sts onto a st holder for left armhole. Knit to end of rnd. Slip last **4 (4-5-5-6-7)** sts onto first st holder for right armhole. Break yarn.

SLEEVES

Using set of 4 double-pointed needles, cast on **40 (40-44-44-48-48)** sts. Join in rnd and divide sts onto 3 needles, placing a marker on first st.

Proceed in (K2. P2) ribbing as given for Body for 2 rnds.

Knit in rnds until work from beg measures 7" [18 cm].

Knit 3 rnds.

Inc 1 st at beg and end of next and every following **10th (8th-8th-6th-4th-2nd)** rnd to **48 (50-54-54-62-64)** sts, then every following **12th (10th-10th-8th-6th-4th)**

rnd to **50 (52-56-60-68-76)** sts. Cont even until work from beg measures **17½ (18-18-18½-17½-16½)"** [**44.5 (45.5-45.5-47-44.5-42)** cm].

Next rnd: **K4 (4-5-5-6-7)**. Slip these **4 (4-5-5-6-7)** sts and last **4 (4-5-5-6-7)** sts onto a st holder for armhole. **K42 (44-46-50-56-62)**. Break yarn leaving an end 12" [30.5 cm] long for grafting at underarm. Leave sts on a spare needle.

YOKE

***K42 (44-46-50-56-62)** of Sleeve. Place marker after last st. **K60 (67-73-80-95-108)** of Body. Place marker after last st. Rep from * once more. **204 (222-238-260-302-340)** sts.

K42 (44-46-50-56-62). Mark last st as end of rnd.

Sizes XS/S, M, L and XL only: **Next rnd:** Place marker after last st. K1. K2tog. *Knit to 3 sts before marker. ssk. K2. K2tog. Rep from * twice more. Knit to last 3 sts. ssk. K1.

Knit 2 rnds.

Rep last 3 rnds **3 (3-3-1)** time(s) more. **172 (190-206-244)** sts.

All sizes: Next rnd: Place marker after last st. K1. K2tog. *Knit to 3 sts before marker. ssk. K2. K2tog. Rep from * twice more. Knit to last 3 sts. ssk. K1.

Knit 1 rnd.

Rep last 2 rnds **0 (2-3-7-12-12)** times more. **164 (166-174-180-198-236)** sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Next rnd: ***K80 (164-56-58-64-45)**. K2tog. Rep from * **1 (0-3-3-2-4)** time(s). **K0 (0-0-0-0-1)**. **162 (165-171-177-195-231)** sts.

Knit 1 rnd.

Sizes XS/S, M, L and 2/3XL only:

Next rnd: With A, **K2 (5-3-3)**. ***K18 (18-19-22)**. K2tog. Rep from * around.

Knit 2 rnds.

Next rnd: **K2 (5-3-3)**. ***K17 (17-18-21)**. K2tog. Rep from * around.

Knit 2 rnds. **146 (149-155-179)** sts.

All sizes: Next rnd: **K2 (5-3-1-3-7)**. ***K16 (16-17-20-20-26)** sts. K2tog. Rep from * around.

Knit 1 rnd.

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Next rnd: K2 (5-3-1-3-7). *K15 (15-16-19-19-25). K2tog. Rep from * around.

Knit 1 rnd.

Cont in same manner, dec 8 sts as before around next and every following alt rnd to 66 (69-75-121-91-95) sts.

Size L only: Cont in same manner, dec 8 sts as before around next 5 rnds. 81 sts.

All sizes: Next rnd: Knit, dec 2 (dec1-inc1-dec1-inc1-inc1) st(s) evenly around. 64 (68-76-80-92-96) sts.

Work in (K2. P2) ribbing as given for Body for 7" [18 cm]. Cast off in ribbing. Graft underarms.

