BRANCHING PATHS CABLE KNIT SWEATER

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing)
Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
C3B = Slip next stitch onto cable needle and leave at back of work. K2, then K1 from cable needle
C3F = Slip next 2 stitches onto cable needle and leave at front of work. K1, then K2 from cable needle
C6B = Slip next 3 stitches onto cable needle and leave at back of work. K3, then K3 from cable needle
C6F = Slip next 3 stitches onto cable needle and leave at front of work. K3, then K3 from cable needle
Cont = Continue(ity)
Dec = Decreasing
Inc = Increasing
K = Knit
K1tbl = Knit next stitch through back loop
M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop.
M1P = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and purling into back of loop.
Pat = Pattern
P = Purl
P1tbl = Purl next stitch through back loop

MATERIALS

Patons® Alpaca Blend™ (3.5 oz/100 g; 155 yds/142 m)
Sizes

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Sizes U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) and U.S. 10 (6 mm) knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge. Cable needle. Stitch markers.
GAUGE
15 sts and 20 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st 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.

Cable Panel  (worked over 17 sts)
See chart on page 4
2nd and alt rows: Knit all knit sts and purl all purl sts as they appear.
8th row: As 2nd row.
These 8 rows form Cable Panel.

BACK and FRONT  (make alike)
With smaller needles, cast on 82 (82-90-98-118-122) sts.
Rep last 2 rows of (K2. P2) ribbing for 3" [7.5 cm], ending on a RS row.
Next row: (WS). Knit.
Next row: Purl.
Next row: K8 (7-7-11-7-0-10). M1. [K5 (4-4-5-8-6)]. M1 [13 (17-17-17-14-17)] times. Knit to end of row. 96 (100-108-116-132-140) sts.

Change to larger needles and proceed as follows:


Proceed in pat as follows:


Last 4 rows form Broken Rib pat, (K1tbl. P1) ribbing and (C3B. C3F) cable pat. Cable Panel is now in position.

Cont in pat until work from beg measures approx 15½ (15½-15½-15½-16-16)" [39.5 (39.5-39.5-39.5-40.5-40.5) cm], ending on a WS row.
Keeping cont of pat, divide Cables as follows:


**2nd row:** (Pat to marker. Sm) twice. K1. Sm. Pat to marker. Sm. Pat to end of row.

**3rd row:** Pat to 2 sts before marker. P2tog. Sm. Pat to next marker. Sm. M1P. K1. M1P. Sm. Pat to next marker. Sm. P2tog. Pat to end of row.


Panel Pat. (K1tbl. P1) ribbing and (C3B. C3F) cable pat are now in position.

Keeping cont of pat as established, working P2tog each side of (C3B. C3F) cable pat and taking inc sts into Broken Rib pat until there are 39 (43-53-61-61-61) sts at center between C3B and C3F cables.

**Sizes XS/S and M only:**

**1st row:**


49 (51) sts at center between C3B and C3F cables.

**All sizes:**

**Note:** Work from beg will measure approx 25 (25-26-27-28-28)" [63.5 (63.5-66-68.5-71-71)] cm.

**Shape shoulders and Collar:**

Keeping cont of pat, cast off 8 (8-9-11-13-14) sts beg next 6 (4-4-4-6-6) rows, then 0 (9-10-10-0-0) sts beg following 0 (2-2-2-0-0) rows. 49 (51-53-55-57) sts.

Dec 1 st each end of needle on next 3 rows. 43 (45-47-47-49-51) sts.

Work 4 rows even in pat. Cast off.

**SLEEVES**

**Cable insert:** With larger needles, cast on 17 sts.

Work in Cable Panel until work from beg measures approx 10 (10-10-11-11-11)" [25.5 (25.5-25.5-28-28-28)] cm, ending on a WS row. Cast off. Do not break yarn.

**Ribbing:** Turn Cable Insert sidewise. With smaller needles and RS facing, pick up and knit 38 (38-38-42-42-42) sts evenly across long side of work.

**Shape top:** Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 14 (14-18-18-20-22) rows. Cast off rem 15 (15-11-11-9-7) sts.

Work in K2. P2 ribbing as given for Back for 3" [7.5 cm], ending on a WS row. Cast off in ribbing.

**Body of Sleeve:**

Turn work sidewise. With larger needles and RS facing, pick up and knit 41 (41-43-45-45-45) sts evenly across opposite long side of Cable Insert.


**2nd row:** Knit.

Last 2 rows form Broken Rib pat. Cont in Broken Rib pat, inc 1 st each end of needle on next and every following 6th (6th-4th-4th-2nd-2nd) row to 45 (45-57-61-49-57) sts, then every following 8th (8th-6th-6th-4th-4th) row to 57 (57-65-65-69-73) sts, taking inc sts into Broken Rib pat.

Cont even in pat until work from lower edge of cuff measures 18" [45.5 cm], ending on a WS row.
FINISHING

Cable Panel

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Key

= Knit on RS rows. Purl on WS rows.
= Purl on RS rows. Knit on WS rows.
= C6B
= C6F
= T5B
= T5F