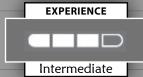


Sporty Stripes Pullover

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YARN Kraemer Yarns Perfection Chunky



Adult sizes: XS, S, M, L, XL, 2XL

5 (6, 7, 8, 9, 10) skeinsMain color (MC)2 (2,2,3,3,3) skeinsContrast color (CC)

(Shown in colors Elegant Grey & Winter Lake In size medium)

GAUGE

14 sts / 19 rows = 4" with larger needle in stockinette stitch pattern after blocking

Knitting Needles: US size 10 ½ / 6.5 mm 24" circular for body and hood. US size 9 / 5.5 mm 16"

US size 9 / 5.5 mm 16" circular for sleeve cuff and hood edging.

Notions: Stitch Markers



This striped adult unisex hoodie is knit with our soft easy-care Perfection Chunky weight acrylic / wool blend yarn. Make one for everyone in your family in their favorite colors or team colors.



Pattern Stitches:

Stockinette: K all RS rows, P all WS rows.

2x2 Ribbing:

Row 1: (RS): k2, *p2, k2; repeat from * across row. Row 2: (RS): k2, *p2, k2; repeat from * across row. Repeat rows 1 & 2 for pattern.

INC 1:

At beginning of RS rows K1, M1.

At end of RS rows m1, K1.

DEC 1:

At beginning of RS rows K1, SSK. At end of RS rows SSK, K2tog.

<u>DEC 2:</u>

At beginning of RS rows K1, slip 1, k2tog, psso. At end of RS rows K3tog, K1.

NOTES:

- If only one number is given for a measurement, it applies to all sizes.
- *Garment is worked back & forth, not in the round.*

Start Back:

With larger needles and CC, cast on 58 (66, 74, 82, 90, 98).

Set Up Row (WS): P2, *k2, p2: repeat from * across row.

Beginning with row 1, work in 2x2 ribbing for 2,(2, 2¼, 2¼, 2½, 2½)", end with a WS row. Continue with larger needles, work st st in the following sequence: 4 rows MC, 2 rows CC, [2 rows MC, 4 rows CC] twice, 2 rows MC, 2 rows CC. Work in MC and st st until piece measure 14 (14½, 15¼, 15¾, 16, 16½)", end with a WS row.

Shape Armhole:

At beginning of next 2 rows, bind off 7 (10, 12,14, 16, 19) sts....44 (46, 50, 54, 58, 60) sts Work even until armhole measure 7 (7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½)", end with a WS row.

Shape Shoulders:

At beginning of every row, bind off 4 (3, 4, 4, 5, 6) once, then 3 (4, 4, 5, 5, 5) two times. Bind off remaining 24 (24, 26, 26, 28, 28) stitches.

Front:

Working same as back, work until armhole measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ (5, $5\frac{1}{2}$, 6, $6\frac{1}{2}$, 7)", end with a WS row.

Shape front neck and shoulders:

Work across 18 (19, 21, 23, 25, 26); join 2nd ball of yarn, bind off center 8 sts for neck, work across rem 18 (19, 21, 23, 25, 26).

Working both sides at once, [Dec 2 sts at neck edge, work 1 row even] 3 (3, 3, 4, 5, 5) times, then [Dec 1 st at neck edge, work 1 row even] 2 (2, 3, 1, 0, 0) times – 10 (11, 12, 14, 15, 16) stitches.

At the same time, work even until armhole measures same as back to shoulders, shape shoulders as for back -- no stitches remain.

Sleeves (make 2)

With smaller needles & CC, cast on 26 (30, 30, 34, 34, 38).

Set-Up Row (WS): P2; *k2, p2; repeat from * across row.

Beginning with row 1, work in 2x2 ribbing for 2 (2, $2\frac{1}{4}$, $2\frac{1}{2}$, $2\frac{1}{2}$)", end with a WS row. Change to larger needles & MC.

Set-up body pattern: Work in stockinette stitch for 2 rows. [Inc 1 each side of next row; work 3 rows even] 2 (0, 5, 8, 12, 8) times, [Inc 1 each side of next row; work 5 rows even] 8 (9, 8, 2, 2, 5) times, then Inc 1 each side of next row; work 7 rows even] 2 (2, 0, 3, 1, 1) times-- 50 (52, 56, 60, 64, 66) stitches. Work even until piece measures 18¾ (18½, 18½, 18½, 18½, 18¾, 19)" or desired length, end with a WS row. Place marker for sleeve cap. Work for an additional 2 (3, 3½, 4, 4¾, 5½)".

Bind off all remaining stitches loosely in pattern.

Finishing:

Block pieces to measurements. Sew shoulder

Hood:

With RS facing, MC, & larger needle, beg at center of front neck and pick up and knit around at neck edge at the following rates: 3 stitches for every 4 rows along vertical edges, AND 1 stitch for every bound-off stitch -- 62 (62, 64, 64, 68, 68) stitches. Turn. Next Row (WS): Purl.

Next Row (RS): Knit across, increasing 10 sts evenly spaced -- 72 (72, 74, 74, 78, 78) stitches.

Work back & forth in stockinette stitch until hood measures 8½ (9, 9, 9½, 9½, 10)", end with a WS row. Place marker at center stitch halfway point.

Shape Hood: Work to 3 sts before marker, k2tog, k1, slip marker, k1, ssk, work to end.

Repeat this decrease row 9 more times -- 52 (52, 54, 54, 58, 58) stitches.

Divide sts onto 2 needles and join top of hood using 3-needle bind off method.

With smaller circular needles & CC, pick up and knit along outer hood edge at the following rate: 3 stitches for every 4 rows -- 90 (90, 94, 94, 96, 96) stitches. P 1 row.

Bind off all sts purlwise using P2tog bind off: *p2tog, return st to left hand needle, repeat from * to end.

Finishing:

Set in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams. Weave in ends.

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COMMONLY USED KNITTING ABBREVIATIONS

beg	begin	LH	left hand	sl	slip
ВО	bind off	M1	make one (increase 1 stitch)	ssk	slip 1, slip1, knit 2 slipped stitches together
cc	contrasting color	MC	main color	st st	stockinette (stocking) stitch (1 row K, 1 row P)
CN	cable needle	P	purl	st(s)	stitch(es)
co	cast on, cast off	p2sso	pass 2 slipped stitches over	tbl	through back of loop
cont	continue	P2tog	purl 2 stitches together (1 stitch decreased)	tog	together
dec(s)	decrease(s)/decreasing	patt rep(s)	pattern repeat(s)	WS	wrong side
dpn	double-pointed needles	patt(s)	pattern(s)	wyib	with yarn in back
eor	every other row	PM	place marker	wyif	with yarn in front
g st	garter stitch (K every row)	psso	pass slipped stitch over	yo	yarn over
inc(s)	increase(s)/increasing	pwise	purlwise	yon	yarn over needle
K	knit	rem	remain(ing)	()	repeat instructions in parantheses number of times
K1, s1, psso	knit one, slip one, pass slipped stitch over	rep	repeat		indicated
K2tog	knit 2 together	RH	right hand	*	repeat instructions following asterisk as indicated or
K2tog tbl	knit 2 together through back loop	rnd(s)	round(s)		until end of row
kwise	knitwise	RS	right side	[]	instructions in square brackets refer to larger sizes

