

Split Collar Raglan Sweater



Yarn: Misti Alpaca Chunky, 8 Skeins

Size: Finished 38"

Gauge: 3.5 sts per inch

Needles: US 10 (or size necessary to obtain gauge) and US 9 (or one size smaller than those used to obtain the gauge)

BACK

Using smaller needles needles cast on 74 sts

1st row: k2, *p2, k2, rep from * to end.

2nd row: *P2, k2, rep from * to last 2 sts, p2

These 2 rows form 2x2 rib.

Work in 2x2 rib for 4.5", ending with a RS (right side) row.

Next row: P8, p2 tog, (p9, p2tog) 5 times, p9 – 68 sts.

Change to larger needles and proceed as follows:

1st row: Knit

2nd row: Purl

These two rows form stockinette stitch (st st)

Working in st st, cont until back measures 14" ending with a WS (wrong side) row**

Shape Raglan

Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 62 sts

1st row: k1, k2 tog (knit 2 together), k to last 3 sts, k2tog tbl (through back loop), k1

2nd row: p1, p2tog tbl (purl 2 together through back loop), p to last 3 sts, p2 tog, p1

work rows 1 and 2 again.

Continue as follows

Raglan Row 1: k to last 3 sts, k2 tog tbl, k1

Raglan Row 2: p across row to last 3 sts, p2 tog, p1

Repeat raglan rows 1 and 2 until there are 20 sts left

Leave rem 20 sts on a stitch holder for back of neck.

FRONT

Work as for back until **

Shape Raglan

Bind off 7 sts, knit to end – 61 sts

Next row: bind off 3 sts, purl to end – 58 sts

1st row: k1, k2 tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog tbl, k1

2nd row: p1, p2 tog tbl, p to last 3 sts, p2 tog, p1

work rows 1 and 2 again

Continue as follows

Raglan Row 1: k to last 3 sts, k2 tog tbl, k1

Raglan Row 2: p across row to last 3 sts, p2 tog, p1

Repeat raglan rows 1 and 2 until there are 26 sts left

Shape Neck

Next row: k2 tog, k5, turn, leave rem 19 sts on a stitch holder.

Working on these 6 sts only, proceed as follows:

Next row: Purl

Next row: k2tog, k2, k2tog – 4 sts

Next row: p2tog, p2 – 3 sts

Next row: k3tog

Fasten off

With RS facing, working on remaining (rem) 19 sts, slip 8 sts onto a stitch holder, rejoin yarn to rem 11 sts and knit to last 3 sts, k2tog tbl, k1 – 10 sts

Next row: Purl

Work 4 rows, dec 1 st at neck edge in every row and AT SAME TIME, continue raglan decreases at next, and foll rs row – 4 sts

Next row: k1, k2tog tbl, k1 – 3 sts

Next row: Purl

Next row: k2tog tbl, k1 – 2 sts

Next row: p2tog

Fasten off

Sleeves (make 2)

Using US 9 needles cast on 38 sts, work in 2 x 2 rib for 4" ending with a rs row

Next row: P3, p2 tog, (p4, p2tog) 5 times, p3 – 28 sts

Change to US 10 needles and working in st st, inc 1 st at each end of 3rd and every foll 6th row until there are 50 sts

Now inc 1 st at each end of every foll 8th row to 54 sts.

Cont without shaping until sleeve measures 18" or desired length to underarm ending with a ws row

Shape Raglan

Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 48 sts

Next row: k1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog tbl, k1

Next row: p1, p2tog tbl, p to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1

Raglan Row 1: k1 to last 3 sts, k2tog tbl, k1

Raglan Row 2: purl to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1

Repeat raglan rows 1 and 2 until 12 sts remain

Bind off all stitches loosely

Collar

Join raglan seams leaving left front raglan open. With rs facing, using US 9 needles and starting at left side of front neck, pick up and knit 4 sts evenly along left side of neck, 8 sts from front stitch holder, 7 sts evenly along right side of neck, 12 sts from top of right sleeve, 20 sts from back stitch holder and 12 sts from top of left sleeve – 63 sts

Next row: p1, inc in next st, (p2, inc in next st)3 times, p3, (inc in next st, p2) 5 times, inc in next st, p3, (inc in next st, p2), 3 times, inc in next st, p9, (inc in next st, p1) 2 times, inc in next st, p6 – 80 sts

1st row: k1, p2, k2, rep from * to last 3 sts, p2, k1

2nd row: p1, k2, *p2, k2, rep from * to last st, p1

Rows 1 and 2 set rib

Work in rib for 2.5" ending after working row 2

Change to US 10 needles and cont in rib until collar measures 6.25" ending after working row 2

Bind off loosely in rib

Left front raglan border

With rs facing, using US 9 needles and starting at inside edge of 7 bound off sts, pick up and knit 35 sts evenly along shaped edge of raglan and using same needle and yarn cast on 30 sts – 65 sts

1st row: *k2, p2, rep from * to last st, k1

2nd row: p1, *k2, p2, rep from * to end

Rows 1 and 2 form rib

3rd row: rib 1, (yo, rib2tog, rib11) 4 times, yo, rib2tog, rib 9
work 2 more rows in rib (rows 1 and 2 only)

bind off loosely in rib

Left sleeve border

Using US 9 needles, cast on 30 sts, with rs facing, starting at top of left sleeve and using same needle and yarn, pick up and knit 35 sts evenly along sleeve raglan edge, ending at inside edge of 3 bound off sts – 65 sts

Row 1: k1, *p2, k2, rep from * to end

Row 2: *P2, k2, rep from * to last st, p1

Rows 1 and 2 form rib

Work 3 more rows in rib

Bind off loosely in rib

Finishing

Sew 30 cast on sts to edges of collar, reversing sewing for turnback. Placing sleeve border under left front raglan border, sew side edges of borders in position to cast off sts at armhole. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew on buttons.

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