Top-Down Raglan Pullover

Noble Cotton Tie Dye

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Knitting Pattern DK768 - Easy

Sizes:

Womens X-Small (Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X)
Instructions are for smallest size, with changes for other sizes in parentheses

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns® Noble Cotton Tie Dye: 100% Mercerized Long Staple Cotton; 100 grams (3.5 oz), 220 yds (200 m); 5 (5, 6, 6, 7, 7, 8) skeins color #710 Curacao
- US 7 (4.5 mm) 16” and 32” circular needles, US 6 (4.0 mm) 16” and 32” circular needles / sizes to obtain gauge
- 4 Stitch Markers
- 1 Removable Stitch Marker
- 2 Flexible Stitch Holders or Waste Yarn
- Waste Yarn
- Yarn Needle

Finished Measurements:

Chest: 33.5 (36, 40, 44, 48, 50, 54)”

Length: 20.75 (21.5, 22, 24, 24.75, 25.5, 26.25)”

Gauge:

20 sts x 28 rnds = 4” (10 cm) in Stockinette Stitch on US 7 (4.5 mm) To save time, take time to check gauge by knitting a 6”x 6” swatch

Pattern Stitches:

ST ST in the round:

Every Rnd: K

1x1 Rib in the round:

Every Rnd: *K1, P1* rpt btwn*

Begin Pattern with Yoke:

With larger 32” circular needle

CO 42 (44, 48, 52, 60, 62, 66) sts

Do not join

K 1 row

(WS) Set up row: P1 for all sizes - (Right Front), PM, P6 (6, 6, 6, 8, 8, 8) - (Right Sleeve), PM, P28 (30, 34, 38, 42, 44, 48) - (Back), PM, P6 (6, 6, 6, 8, 8, 8) - (Left Sleeve), PM, P1 for all sizes - (Left Front)

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Abbreviations:

Approx = Approximately
BO = Bind Off
BOR = Beginning of Round
Btwn = Between
CO = Cast On
Cont = Continue
Decr = Decrease(s)(ed)(ing)
Incr = Increase(s)(ed)(ing)
K = Knit
Kfb = Knit into the front and back of stitch
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together
M1 = Make 1, lift yarn btwn sts front to back, knit new st into back loop to twist
Nxt = Next
Patt = Pattern
PM = Place Marker
PU = Pick Up
P = Purl
P2tog = Purl next 2 stitches together
Rem = Remaining
RM = Remove Marker
Rnd = Round(s)
Rpt = Repeat
RS = Right Side
R(s) = Row(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
ST ST = Stockinette Stitch
WS = Wrong Side
X = times

Neck:

(RS) Row 1: *Kfb, SM, Kfb, K to 1 st before marker, rpt btwn* 2x, Kfb, SM, Kfb – 8 sts incr

(WS) Row 2: P to end

Row 3: K1, M1, *K to 1 st before marker, Kfb, SM, Kfb*, rpt btwn* 3x, K to 1 st rem, M1, K1 - 10 sts incr

Row 4: P to end

Row 5: *K to 1 st before marker, Kfb, SM, Kfb*, rpt btwn* 3x, K to end

Row 6: P to end

Rpt Row 3 - Row 6: 2 (2, 2, 1, 0, 0, 0) x more

Nxt rpt Row 3 - Row 4: 10 (11, 13, 16, 20, 21, 23) x more

Cont with incr as follows, Rpt R5-R6: to 260 (272, 304, 336, 356, 376, 408) sts total

Fronts 38 (40, 45, 50, 53, 56, 61) sts each; Sleeves have 54 (56, 62, 68, 72, 76, 82) sts each, Back has 76 (80, 90, 100, 106, 112, 122) sts

Check Fit:

Place all sts on waste yarn long enough to fit around body at shoulders, check sleeve and neck depth if more length is desired cont knitting on all sts without incr to desired length

Divide Sleeves from Body:

Nxt Rnd: K across Left Front sts and Left Sleeve sts, K across Back sts, RM, place sleeve sts on holder, RM, using Knitted CO method, CO 8 (10, 10, 10, 14, 14, 14) sts, K across Right Front sts, cont to K Left Front sts joining the two fronts, RM, place sleeve sts on holder, RM, using the Knitted CO method, CO 8 (10, 10, 10, 14, 14, 14) sts, place BOR marker in center of last group of CO sts

Body:

Cont in ST ST rnds to approx 1.5 (1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 2, 2, 2)" less than desired length

Decr approx 10 (10, 10, 12, 12, 14, 15) sts evenly spaced in last rnd with K2tog

Change to smaller 32" circular needle and work in 1x1 Rib for approx 1.5 (1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 2, 2, 2)"

BO all sts in patt with larger 32" circular needles.

Sleeves:

Place one set of Sleeve sts on larger 16" circular needles

Using Knitted CO method, CO 8 (10, 10, 10, 14, 14, 14) sts,

Join to work in rnds

Place BOR marker btwn CO sts

Work even in ST ST for approx 4 (4, 4.5, 5, 5, 5.5, 6)"

Change to smaller 16" circular needles

Work in 1x1 Rib for approx 1 (1, 1, 1, 1.5, 1.5, 1.5)"

BO all sts in patt with larger 32" circular needles

Neckband:

With smaller 16" circular needles, attach yarn ready to work Back neck

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PU and K in each st along CO edge of Back and Right Sleeve, PU and K 3 sts for every 4 rows along Right Front, then PU and K 1 st in center st (place removable marker in this st), then PU and K3 sts for every 4 rows along Left Front-this number should match the number of sts picked up along Right Front, PU and K in each st along CO edge of Left Sleeve, place BOR marker

Decr Rnd: Work in 1x1 Rib patt to 2 sts before center st, P2tog, K center st, P2tog, cont in 1x1 Rib to BOR marker

Cont to work decr rnds for approx 1 (1, 1, 1, 1, 1.25, 1.25)”

BO all sts in patt with larger 16” circular needles

Finishing:

Sew or Kitchener Stitch underarms tog

Weave in ends

Block to measurements if necessary

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