

Free Pattern

skill level: Easy
Shown in size small

sizes
Directions are for women's size X-Small. Changes for sizes Small, Medium, Large, 1X and 2X are in parentheses

To Fit Bust Size: 30(34-38-42-46-50)"

finished measurements
Bust (closed) – 40(44-48-52-56-60)"
Length – 21½(22-23-23½-24½-25)"
Note: This garment was designed with approximately 10" of ease. The fronts will not overlap, just meet in the middle. Please take this into consideration when selecting your size.

materials
8(9-11-12-13-14) Hanks **LINSEY** (50 grs), #6515 Hazy
Straight knitting needles, sizes 6 (4.00 mm) and 8 (5.00 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
36" Length circular knitting needles, sizes 6 (4.00 mm) and 8 (5.00 mm)

gauge
20 sts = 4"; 26 rows = 4" in St st on larger needles
TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE

Note: The top section of this garment is worked from side to side, starting at left sleeve edge and ending at right sleeve edge. The lower section is picked up along side edge of top section and worked down.



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TOP SECTION

Left Sleeve: With smaller straight needles, cast on 90(98-106-110-118-126) sts.

Ribbing: Row 1 (RS): K2, * p2, k2, rep from * across.

Row 2: P2, * k2, p2, rep from * across. Rep these 2 rows until piece measures 2" from beg, end on RS. Change to larger straight needles.

Dec Row (WS): (P1, p2 tog) 10(14-18-10-14-18) times, then (p2, p2 tog) 15(14-13-20-19-18) times – 65(70-75-80-85-90) sts. Work even in St st until sleeve measures 12" from beg, end on WS. Mark beg and end of last row for beg of body.

Body: Work even until piece measures 6(7-8-9-10-11)" above last markers, end on RS.

Shape Neck: Next Row (WS): Bind off 33(35-38-40-43-45) sts, k to end – 32(35-37-40-42-45) sts. Work even until neck measures 8" above bound-off sts, end on WS.

Next Row (RS): K32(35-37-40-42-45) sts, then cast on 33(35-38-40-43-45) sts – 65(70-75-80-85-90) sts. Work even until piece measures 6(7-8-9-10-11)" above last group of cast-on sts, end on WS. Mark beg and end of last row for beg of right sleeve.

Right Sleeve: Work even until piece measures 10" above last markers, end on RS. Change to smaller needles.

Inc Row (WS): (P2, M1p) 10(14-18-10-14-18) times, then (p3, M1p) 15(14-13-20-19-18) times – 90(98-106-110-118-126) sts. Work even in ribbing same as left sleeve for 2", end on WS. Bind off in ribbing. Fold piece in half lengthwise and sew sleeve seams up to markers.

LOWER SECTION

With RS facing, using larger circular needle, beg at left front edge (see schematic), pick up and k30(35-40-45-50-55) sts along lower left front edge, 100(110-120-130-140-150) sts along lower back edge, then 30(35-40-45-50-55) sts along lower right front edge – 160(180-200-220-240-260) sts. Beg with a p row, work even in St st for 13(13-13½-13½-14-14)", end on RS. Change to smaller needles.

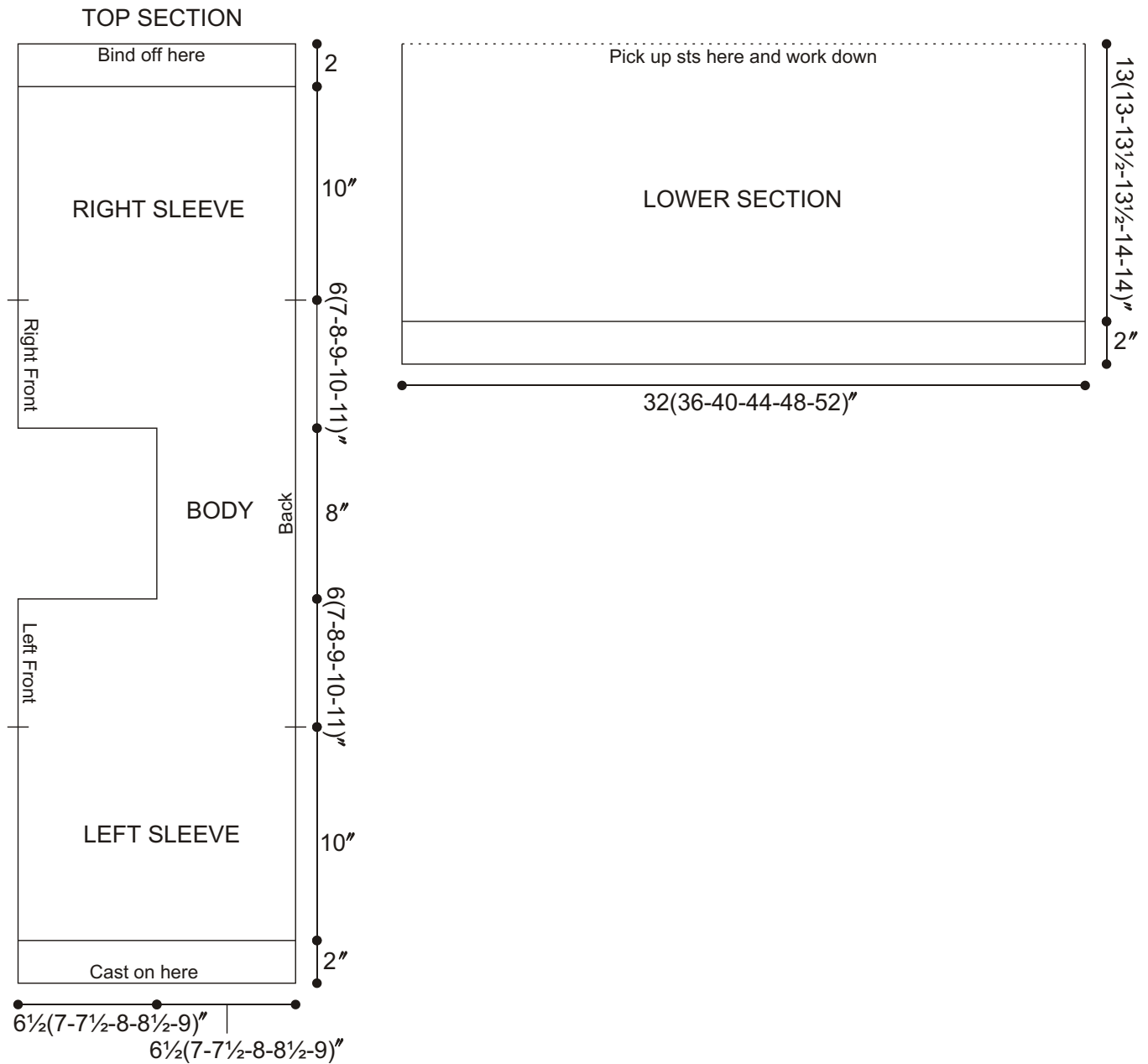
Inc Row (WS): (P2, M1p) 26(30-34-38-42-46) times, then (p3, M1p) 36(40-44-48-52-56) times – 222(250-278-306-334-362) sts. Work even in ribbing same as sleeves for 2", end on WS. Bind off in ribbing.

FINISHING

Collar: With RS facing, using circular needle, beg at lower right front edge, pick up and k72(72-75-75-77-77) sts along right front edge to top of lower section, 32(35-37-40-42-45) sts along right



front neck edge, 36 sts across back neck edge, 32(35-37-40-42-45) sts along left front neck edge, then 72(72-75-75-77-77) sts along left front edge – 244(250-260-266-274-280) sts. Work even in St st for 3", then work even in Reverse St st for 1". Bind off.



ABBREVIATION & TERMS

Knit

beg: beginning
CC: contrasting color
cn: cable needle
cont: continue
dec: decrease
dpn: double pointed needles
est: established
inc: increase
K: knit
KSP: Knit 1, then slip stitch back to left hand needle, lift 2nd stitch on left hand needle back over returned stitch and replace returned stitch on RH needle (1 stitch decreased).
K2SP: Knit 2 together, then slip stitch back to left hand needle, lift second stitch on left hand needle back over returned stitch and replace returned stitch on right hand needle (2 stitches decreased).
LH: left hand
lp(s): loop(s)
LT2 (Left Twist): Skip 1 stitch, knit second stitch through back loop, then knit both stitches together through back loop
MC: main color
M1k: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch (1 stitch increased).
M1p: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch (1 stitch increased).
p: purl
pat(s): pattern(s)
pm: place marker
psso: pass slip stitch over knit stitch
p2sso: pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch
rem: remaining
rep: repeat
RH: right hand
rnd(s): round(s)
RS: right side
RT2 (Right Twist): Knit 2 stitches together, leaving them on the left hand needle, then knit the first stitch again slipping both stitches to the right hand needle.
SKP: slip 1, knit 1, pass slip stitch over
sl: slip
SSK: Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.
st(s): stitch(es)

TBL: through back loop(s)
tog: together
WS: wrong side
wyib: with yarn in back
wyif: with yarn in front
yo: yarn over
end on WS: end having just completed a Wrong Side row.
end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side row
STOCKINETTE ST (St st): Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle. Reverse St st (**Rev St st**): Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.
GARTER ST: Knit EVERY row when working on straight needles. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working on a circular needle.

Crochet

bphdc (back post half double crochet): Yarn over, insert hook from back to front to back around post of half double crochet one row below, yarn over, draw up a loop, yarn over, draw through all 3 loops on hook (this is worked on even # or wrong side rows).
bptr (back post triple): Yarn over twice, insert hook from back to front around post of stitch on previous row and pull up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times.
ch: chain
dc: double crochet
fphdc (front post half double crochet): Yarn over, insert hook from front to back to front around post of half double crochet one row below, yarn over, draw up a loop, yarn over, draw through all 3 loops on hook (this is worked on odd # or right side rows)
fptr (front post triple): Yarn over twice, insert hook from front to back around post of stitch on previous row and pull up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times.
hdc: half double crochet
hdctbl: Half double crochet worked in the back loop
hdctfl: Half double crochet worked in the front loop
sl st: slip stitch
sp: space
tr: treble