

Brown Sheep Company, Inc.

Stacy Pullover

Pattern

FREE

Designed Exclusively for Brown Sheep Company by Melissa Leapman

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ Intermediate

SIZE

Womans small (medium, large, extra-large, 2X-large)
Instructions are given for smallest size, with larger sizes in parentheses. When only 1 number is given, it applies to all sizes.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 35 (39, 43, 47, 51)"

Length: 29 (29½, 30, 30½, 30½)"

MATERIALS

- Brown Sheep *Lana Bouclé*, 100% wool (100g/ 180 yds per hank): 5 (6, 7, 8, 10) hanks #LB75 Hunter Green
- ~ Size 7 (4.5mm) needles
- ~ Size 9 (5.5mm) needles **or size needed to obtain gauge**
- ~ Stitch markers



GAUGE

16 sts x 24 rows = 4+in St st with larger needles
To save time and ensure proper fit, take time to check gauge.

STITCH GLOSSARY

Ssp: Sl 2 sts separately to RH ndl knitwise, sl these 2 sts back to LH ndl. Inset RH ndl through back loops going through second st first, p2tog.

M1 (Make 1): Make a backwards loop and place on RH ndl.

~ For fully-fashioned decreases: **RS Rows:** K2, ssk, work in established pattern to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2. **WS Rows:** P2, p2tog, work in established pattern to last 4 sts, ssp, p2.

* For fully-fashioned increases: **RS Rows:** K2, M1, work in established pattern to last 2 sts, M1, k2.

RIB PATTERN (mult of 2 sts)

All Rows: *K1, P1; repeat from * across.



BACK

With smaller needles, cast on 72 (80, 88, 96, 104) sts. Work even in Rib pat for 2+; ending with a WS row. Change to larger ndls. Work even in St st until back measures 15½+from beg, ending with a WS row.

Shape armholes

Bind off 3 (3, 4, 4, 5) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 2 (2, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of following 2 rows.

Work fully-fashioned decs each end every row 0 (2, 0, 2, 4) times, then every other row 3 (3, 5, 5, 4) times- 56 (60, 64, 68, 72) sts.

Work even until back measures 22½ (23, 23½, 24, 24)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

Shape neck

Knit 15 (17, 19, 21, 23) sts, join second ball of yarn and bind off center 26 sts, knit to end of row.

Working on both sides of neck with separate balls of yarn, dec 1 st at each neck edge every row 5 times- 10 (12, 14, 16, 18) sts rem each side.

Work even until back measures 23 (23½, 24, 24½, 24½)" from beg, ending with WS row.

Shape shoulders

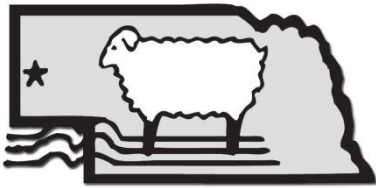
Bind off 3 (4, 5, 5, 6) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 4 (4, 4, 6, 6) sts at beg of following 2 rows.

FRONT

Work as for back until front measures 16½" from beg, ending with a WS row.

Mark center 8 sts.

Set up neckband and begin neck shaping



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Next Row (RS): Knit to first marker, cast on 8 sts, drop yarn and join second ball of yarn, [k1, p1] 4 times, sl marker, knit to end of row.

Row 2: Work in established pat across 40 (44, 48, 52, 56) sts, drop yarn and pick up yarn of first ball. Cast on 8 sts, sl marker, purl to end of row.

Row 3 (Dec Row): Knit to 2 sts before first marker, k2tog, slip marker, [p1, k1] 4 times, drop yarn. With second ball of yarn, [k1, p1] 4 times, slip marker, ssk, knit to end of row.

Rep Dec row every other row 9 times more, then every 4th row 4 times. 18 (20, 22, 24, 26) sts rem each side. Work even in established patterns until front measures same as for back to shoulders, ending with a WS row.

Shape shoulders

Bind off 3 (4, 5, 5, 6) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 4 (4, 4, 6, 6) sts at beg of following 2 rows. 8 sts rem each side.

Beg neck bands

Work even in established rib on rem band sts until they reach center back neck when slightly stretched. Bind off all sts.

SLEEVES

With smaller needles, cast on 40 sts.

Work even in Rib pat until cuff measures 2+, ending with a WS row.

Change to larger needles.

Working in St st, work fully-fashioned incs each end every 6 rows 0 (0, 0, 1, 9) times, every 8 rows 0 (0, 3, 11, 5) times, every 10 rows 0 (1, 7, 0, 0) times, every 12 rows 0 (7, 0, 0, 0) times, every 14 rows 1 (0, 0, 0, 0) times, then every 16 rows 5 (0, 0, 0, 0) times. 52 (56, 60, 64, 68) sts.

Work even until sleeve measures 18½+from beg, ending with a WS row.

Shape sleeve cap

Bind off 3 (3, 4, 4, 5) sts at the beginning of next 2 rows. 46 (50, 52, 56, 58) sts.

Work fully-fashioned decs each end every other row 10 (11, 13, 14, 13) times, then every row 3 (4, 3, 4, 6) times. 20 sts.

Bind 2 sts at beg of next 4 rows.

Bind off remaining 12 sts.

ASSEMBLY

Place lower edge of left front band under right band and pin in place. Sew short edge to inside of front.

Sew shoulder seams. Sew bound-off sts of back neckband tog. Sew one long edge of neckband to back neckline, having band seam at center back.

Sew in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.

