

## #165 Cherry Hill Pullover

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**Finished Sizes:** 34 (36, 38, 40, 42, 44)''

**Materials:** Valley Yarns Longmeadow (60% cotton/40% microfiber, 50 Grams/117 Yards/ball)  
Color A: 1 ball  
Color B: 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 4) balls  
Color C: 6 (7, 7, 8, 9, 9) balls  
Size US 4 and 5 needles  
OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

Color Scheme 1: Color A – 21 Linen, Color B – 24

Burgundy, Color C – 23 Navy

Color Scheme 2: Color A – 14 Periwinkle, Color B – 01 White, Color C – 13 Light Blue

### Abbr:

Dec: Decrease

Inc: Increase

K 2 tog: Decrease by knitting 2 stitches together at the same time.

RS: Right Side

SSK: Slip 2 stitches knitwise to right hand needle, knit the 2 stitches just slipped together.

WS: Wrong Side

### Seed Stitch:

Row 1: K1, P1

Row 2: Knit the purl stitches and purl the knit stitches

### Gauge:

5 sts and 7.25 rows per inch on size 5 needles in Stockinette Stitch OR SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE

### Back:

With Size 4 needles and Color A, CO 95 (101, 107, 111, 117, 123) sts and work in Seed Stitch for 4 rows. Next row (RS): Change to Size 5 needles and Color C and work in Stockinette Stitch (Stst) for 1'', end with a RS facing for next row.

### Begin Decrease - Side Shaping:

(Make decreases by knitting 1 stitch, ssk, knit across row until 3 stitches remain, k2tog, knit last stitch).

Next row (RS): Dec 1 stitch at each end of next row and every following 6<sup>th</sup> row 1 (1, 1, 1, 2, 4) times. Then dec 1<sup>st</sup> each end of every 4<sup>th</sup> row 4 (4, 4, 4, 3, 2) times, 83 (89, 95, 99, 105, 109) sts remain. Work even until back is 6.5 (6.5, 6.75, 7, 7.25, 7.75)'' long OR DESIRED LENGTH to waist, ending with a RS row facing for next row.

With RS facing, change to Size 4 needles and Color A. Knit 1 RS row, then work in seed stitch for 3 rows, ending with a WS row.

With RS facing, change to Size 5 needles and Color B and work in Stst for 2 (2, 2.25, 2.5, 2.75, 3)'' , ending with a RS facing for next row.

### Begin Increase - Side Shaping:

(Make increases by picking up the thread between the first and second stitches at the beginning of the row and the second to last and last stitches at the end of the row and knitting into the back of it.) With RS facing, increase one stitch at each end of next row and every following 6<sup>th</sup> row four more times, 93 (99, 105, 109, 115, 119) sts. Work in Stst until back measures 13 (13, 13.5, 14, 14.5, 15.5)'' or desired length to armhole, ending with a RS facing for next row.

### Armhole shaping:

With RS facing, BO 5 sts at beginning of next two rows. Then, BO 4 sts at beginning of next two rows. Then decrease one st each armhole edge 3 (3, 4, 4, 4) times on alternate RS rows, 69 (75, 79, 83, 89, 93) sts remain. Purl 1 row.

Next row (RS): Change to Size 4 needles and Color A and knit.

Work 3 rows in Seed St, ending with a WS row.

Next row (RS): Change to Size 5 needles and Color C and work in St st until armhole is 8 (8.5, 9, 9.5, 9.75, 10)'' or desired length to shoulder, ending with a WS facing for next row.

### Begin Short Row Shaping for Shoulders:

Purl across 63 (68, 72, 75, 80, 84) sts, leaving remaining 6 (7, 7, 8, 9, 9) sts unworked. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Knit across 57 (61, 65, 67, 71, 75) sts, leaving remaining 6 (7, 7, 8, 9, 9) sts unworked. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Purl across 12 (13, 13, 14, 16, 17) sts. BO the next 33 (35, 39, 39, 39, 41) sts for back neck. Purl across 6 (6, 6, 7, 8, 8) sts of right shoulder. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Knit across 6 (6, 6, 7, 8, 8) sts. Turn.

Purl across all 18 (20, 20, 22, 25, 26) sts of shoulder, picking up wrapped stitch and purling it together with the stitch it wrapped. Place all stitches on a holder, leaving a tail of yarn approximately 20'' to use for 3 Needle Bind Off. With RS facing, tie Color C to neck edge of left shoulder. Knit across 6 (6, 6, 7, 8, 8) sts of left shoulder. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Purl across 6 (6, 6, 7, 8, 8) sts. Turn.

Knit across all 18 (20, 20, 22, 25, 26) sts, picking up wrapped stitch and knitting it together with the stitch it wrapped. Place all stitches on a holder; cut yarn leaving a tail approximately 20'' long. You can use this yarn to seam shoulders using 3 Needle Bind Off.

### Front:

Work same as back *through* the Seed St band of Armhole Shaping. With RS facing and Color C, knit across until you come to center stitch – stitch number 35 (38, 40, 42, 45, 47) - and place this stitch on a stitch holder or small pin; knit to end of row. Turn.

Next row (WS): Purl across row until you get to center stitch. Drop yarn and tie on a second ball to left side of front and purl to end of row. You will now work each side with separate balls of yarn.

### AT THE SAME TIME, begin V-Neck Shaping:

(Make decreases on left side of Front by knitting across row until 4 sts remain, k2tog, k2. Make decreases on right side of Front by knitting first two sts, then ssk)

Decrease one stitch at each neck edge every RS row 12 (12, 13, 13, 13, 14) times and every 3<sup>rd</sup> row 4 (5, 5, 5, 5) times.

After all decreases have been made, you will have 18 (20, 20, 22, 25, 26) sts for each shoulder.

Continue working in St st until armhole is 8 (8.5, 9, 9.5, 9.75, 10)" or desired length to shoulder, ending with a WS facing for next row.

**Short Row Shaping for Shoulders (work each shoulder separately):**

**Right Side:**

With WS facing for next row, Purl one row. Next row, knit across 12 (13, 13, 14, 16, 17) sts. Leave remaining 6 (7, 7, 8, 9, 9) sts unworked. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Purl across 12 (13, 13, 14, 16, 17) sts. Turn.

Knit across 6 (7, 7, 7, 8, 9) sts. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Purl across 6 (7, 7, 7, 8, 9) sts. Turn.

Knit across all 18 (20, 20, 22, 25, 26) sts, picking up wrapped stitch and purling it together with the stitch it wrapped. Place all stitches on a holder; cut yarn leaving a tail approximately 20" long. You can use this yarn to seam shoulders using 3 Needle Bind Off.

**Left Side:**

With WS facing for next row, Purl across 12 (13, 13, 14, 16, 17) sts. Leave remaining 6 (7, 7, 8, 9, 9) sts unworked. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Knit across 12 (13, 13, 14, 16, 17) sts. Turn.

Purl across 6 (7, 7, 7, 8, 9) sts. Wrap the first "unworked" stitch with working yarn. Turn.

Knit across 6 (7, 7, 7, 8, 9) sts. Turn.

Purl across all 18 (20, 20, 22, 25, 26) sts, picking up wrapped stitch and purling it together with the stitch it wrapped. Place all stitches on a holder.

**Sleeves (make 2):**

With Size 4 needles and Color A , CO 50 (50, 54, 54, 56, 58) sts and work in seed st for 4 rows, ending with a RS row facing for next row.

Next row (RS): With Size 5 needles and Color C , begin working in Stst. On 5<sup>th</sup> row and every following 4<sup>th</sup> row, increase 1 stitch each end 10 (11, 11, 12, 12, 13) times, then every 6<sup>th</sup> row 9 (10, 10, 11, 11, 12) times. You will have 88 (92, 96, 100, 102, 108) sts. Work even until sleeves are 15.5 (16, 16.5, 17, 17.5, 18)" long or desired length to armhole, ending with RS facing for next row.

**Armhole Shaping:**

With RS facing, BO 5 sts at beginning of next 2 rows. then BO 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Then, dec 1 st each edge on alternate RS rows 14 (16, 17, 18, 19, 21) times. BO 2 sts at beginning of next 6 rows. BO 3 sts at beginning of next 4 rows. You will have 18 (20, 20, 22, 22, 24) sts. BO remaining sts.

**Finishing:**

With right sides together, use 3-Needle Bind-Off technique to seam front and back of sweater together at shoulders. Sew side seams together. With right sides together, sew sleeve seams from cuff to armhole. Sew sleeves into sweater.

**Neck Band:**

With Size 4 needles and Color A , beginning at right shoulder seam, pick up stitches for neckline. Pick up three stitches for every 4 rows down right side of V-Neck, place marker, knit center stitch, pick up 3 stitches for every four rows up left side of V-Neck, then pick up one stitch for each stitch along back of neck. (NOTE: Make sure you have the same number of stitches along right and left sides of V-Neck.)

Rows 1 and 3: Work in seed stitch.

Rows 2 and 4: Work in Seed stitch until you are 2 stitches from the first marker, SSK, knit center stitch, k2tog, work remaining stitches in seed stitch.

Bind Off all stitches in seed stitch.

Sew in ends and block.

