

## #229 Striped Woman's Pullover

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### Finished Sizes:

S (M, L, XL, 2X),  
36" (40", 44", 48", 52")

### To fit bust sizes:

32-34", (36-38", 40-42", 44-46", 48-50")

### Materials:

Valley Yarns Southwick (52% Pima Cotton/48% Bamboo, 50g/105 yds)  
5 (5, 6, 6, 7) ske Color A - 04 blue lake  
6 (7, 7, 8, 8) ske Color B - 01 natural  
US Size 5 (3.75mm) needles  
US Size 7 (4.5mm) 16" circular needle  
or dpns for collar

### Gauge:

20 sts and 24 rows = 4" in St st

### Back:

With color A and smaller needles, CO 90 (100, 110, 120, 130) sts, work 3 (3, 3.5, 4, 4)" in St st, ending with a WS row.

Start Intarsia:

First Stripe:

Row 1 (RS): K17 (22, 27, 32, 37), change to color B, k to end of row.

Row 2 (WS): P72 (77, 82, 87, 92), change to color A, p to end of row.

Row 3: K19 (24, 29, 34, 39), change to color B, k to end of row.

Continue in this manner, where color A moves 1 stitch to the left (RS facing) on every row, for a total of 15 rows.

Second Stripe:

Row 16: Work all color B sts in color A, and all color A sts in color B. Continue in pattern as before, only now color B is moving 1 st to the left (RS facing) on every row. When the colors are reversed for a total of 13 rows, repeat row 16 – you are now on the third stripe.

Keep going! The color break always moves 1 st to the left (RS facing) on every row EXCEPT the first row in each stripe (repeat row 16).

Third stripe is 11 rows total. Fourth stripe is 9 rows total. Fifth stripe is 7 rows total. Sixth stripe is 5 rows total. Seventh stripe is 3 rows total. Eighth stripe is only 1 row, a repeat of row 16.

Next row: Work across in color A.

Change to color B, work even in st st until front measures 15" (15.5", 16", 16", 17") from cast on edge unrolled, ending with a WS row.

Armhole shaping:

Bind off 5 (5, 5, 6, 6) sts at beg of next two rows. 80 (90, 100, 108, 118) sts.

Bind off 3 (3, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of next two rows. 74 (84, 94, 102, 112) sts.

K2tog at beg and end of every RS row 3 (5, 5, 6, 9) times 68 (74, 84, 90, 94) sts.

Work even until work measures 8 1/2 (9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2, 11) inches from start of armhole shaping.

Shoulder shaping:

At beg of next two rows BO 6 (7, 8, 9, 9) sts. 56 (60, 68, 72, 76) sts.

At beg of next two rows BO 6 (7, 8, 8, 9) sts. 44 (46, 52, 56, 58) sts

At beg of next two rows BO 6 (7, 8, 8, 8) sts. 32 (32, 36, 40, 42) sts.

Bind off all remaining sts.

### Front:

Work same as for back until piece measures 7 (8, 8.5, 8.5, 9)" from start of armhole shaping, ending with a WS row.

Neck shaping:

Row 1: K 26 (29, 33, 35, 37), join new skein and BO next 16 (16, 18, 20, 20) sts, k 26 (29, 33, 35, 37).

Work both sides separately to end, BO number applies to all sizes.

Row 2: Purl across 1st half, BO 3 sts at beg of 2nd half.

Row 3: K across 1st half, BO 3 sts at beg of 2nd half.

Row 4: Purl across 1st half, BO 2 sts at beg of 2nd half.

Row 5: K across 1st half, BO 2 sts at beg of 2nd half.

Row 6 and following WS rows: across.

Sizes S, M, L skip to row 9.

Row 7: (XL, 2X only) repeat row 5.

Row 8: (XL, 2X only) repeat row 4.

Add Shoulder Shaping:

Row 9, 11, 13: BO6 (7, 8, 9, 9) sts at beg of 1st half. Dec 1 at neck edge of each side.

Row 10, 12, 14: BO6 (7, 8, 9, 9) sts at beg of 1st half. P across 2nd half.

BO all remaining sts.

### Sleeves (Make 2):

With smaller needles and color A, cast on 46 (50, 50, 54, 58) sts. Work even in st st until sleeve measures 3.5" (all sizes) long, measured when unrolled.

Increase row: Kfb, k across to last st, kfb.

Continue on in st st, inc 1 st at the beg and end of every 4<sup>th</sup> row 5 (11,15, 17,17) more times, 6 (12, 16, 18, 18) times total. 58 (74, 82, 90, 94) sts.

Continue on in st st, inc 1 st at the beg and end of every 6<sup>th</sup> row 10 (7, 5, 4, 4) times total. 78 (88, 92, 98, 102) sts.

Work even until sleeve measures 17 (17 .75, 18.5, 19.25, 19.75)" from cast on edge, measuring with the work unrolled, or desired length to under arm.

Sleeve cap shaping:

Bind off 5 (5, 5, 6, 6) sts at the beg of next 2 rows. 68 (78, 82, 86, 90) sts.

Bind off 3 (3, 3, 3, 3) sts at the beg of next 2 rows. 62 (72, 76, 80, 84) sts.

K2tog at beg and end of each RS row 3 (5, 5, 6, 9) times. 56 (62, 66, 68, 66) sts.

Go on to instructions for your size.

For sizes S (M, L) only:

K2tog at beg and end of each RS row 9 (9, 10) times. 38 (44, 46) sts.

Bind off 2 sts at the beg of next 4 (6, 6) rows. 30 (32, 34) sts.

Bind off 3 sts at the beg of next 4 (4, 4) rows. 18 (20, 22) sts.

Bind off all sts.

For sizes XL (2X) only:

K2tog at beg and end of every 4<sup>th</sup> row 4 (4) times. 60 (58) sts.

K2tog at beg and end of every RS row 3 (1) times. 54 (56) sts.

Bind off 3 sts at the beg of next 10 (10) rows. 22 (26) sts.

Bind off all sts.

Finishing, all sizes:

Sew front to back at shoulders.

### Collar:

Using larger circular needle, with RS facing and color B, pick up and k72 (72, 74, 80, 80) sts around neck opening, starting at shoulder seam. Mark beg of round. Work st st (knit all rows) for 2 inches (all sizes) and bind off loosely. Collar will roll to the outside. Mark center of sleeve and pin it to the shoulder seam, sew each sleeve into place starting at the underarm seam. Sew sides and sleeves together, using matching yarn. Weave in ends. Block lightly if desired.