DSA 114-07G | PUS


## DESIGN

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## YARN

PUS 70 \% baby alpaca, 17 \% acrylic, 13 \% polyamide,
50 grams = approx. 100 metres

## SIZES

XS (S) M (L) XL
This garment is designed to be oversized. Consult the garment measurements below to choose your size.

## MEASUREMENTS

Upper body approx. 100 (115) 125 (134) 146 cm
Full length front approx. 53 (55) 57 (59) 61 cm
Full length back approx. 58 (60) 62 (64) 66 cm
Sleeves approx. 46 (46) 44 (44) 42 cm or desired length

## YARN REQUIREMENTS

7 (9) 11 (13) 15 balls

## COLOUR

Purple 4060

## SUGGESTED NEEDLES

7 mm and 8 mm long and short circular needles and DPNs

## GAUGE

13 sts $\times 20$ R stocking st on 8 mm needles $=10 \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$

Check your gauge by working a swatch.
Count the number of sts per 10 cm . If you have more sts than suggested, change to a larger needle size. If you have fewer sts change to a smaller needle size.

## FIND YOUR SIZE

1. Measure a knitted garment that fits you.
2. Compare your measurements with those in the pattern.
3. Select your size based on the upper body measurements.
4. Body and sleeves may be worked longer or shorter as needed.

## ABBREVIATIONS

$k=$ knit, $p=$ purl, st = stitch, $R=$ round/row,
DPN $=$ double pointed needles, $\mathrm{K} 2 \operatorname{tog}=$ knit 2 together,
$\mathrm{m}=$ marker, $\mathrm{PM}=$ place marker, $\mathrm{m} 1=$ make one (make a new st), m1l = make one left, m1r = make one right, RS/WS = right/wrong side

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## TIP FOR NECK INCREASES

M1: Work 1 st through first st. Put st back on left needle (= 1 st increased)
M 2 (3): *Work 1 st through first st. Place st back on left needle*, repeat from *-* 1 (2) more times.

Make your yarn changes at the sides, so they are less visible.

The piece is worked from the top of the back piece and down to the underarm. Then you will work the shoulders, and add equal length to the front piece. After this you will work in the round.

## BACK PIECE

Cast on 62 (72) 78 (84) 92 sts on 8 mm needles.
P 1 R (R1 = WS).
P2M with 20 (22) 22 (24) 24 sts for the neckline and 21 (25) 28 (30) 34 sts for each shoulder. Cut yarn.

Continue working stocking st flat. At the same time work the diagonal shoulders using short rows and turning sts as follows
R 1: (= RS) Move the first 21 (25) 28 (30) 34 shoulder sts onto your right-hand needle without working them.
Begin at the first $m$. Work to next $m$, turn with 1 turning st (see illustration)
R 2: Work 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 sts past the $m$ on the opposite side. Turn with 1 turning st
NOTE! When working across the turning sts, work both loops/legs of the turning st as 1 st; Ktog from the RS and Ptog from the WS.
R 3: Work 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 sts past the first m, turn with 1
turning st
R 4: Work 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 sts past the last turning point, turn with 1 turning st
R 5: Work 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 sts past the last turning point, turn with 1 turning st
Continue working short rows in this way by working $4,4(5,5)$ $6,6(6,6) 7,7$ more sts on each side each time. Working flat, continue with stocking st until the piece measures 19 (20) 21 (22) 23 cm at the side and the next R is RS. Work next R as follows: K3, m11, work until 3 sts remain, m1r, K3 = 64 (74) 80 (86) 94 sts
K 1 R without increasing
The piece now measures approx. 20 (21) 22 (23) 24 cm .
Cut yarn, put sts on a cable needle, and work front piece.

## LEFT FRONT PIECE

Begin by the neckline and pick up 21 (25) 28 (30) 34 sts along the left back shoulder on 8 mm needles


Continue working stocking st flat, while at the same time working diagonal shoulders with short rows and turning sts as follows:
R 1: (= WS) Work all sts.
R 2: Work 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 sts, turn with 1 turning st.
R 3: Work all sts
NOTE! When working across the turning sts, work both
loops/legs of the turning st together as 1 st.
R 4: Work 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 sts past the last turning point, turn with 1 turning st.
R 5: Work all sts
Continue working short rows in this way by working $4,4(5,5)$
$6,6(6,6) 7,7$ more sts on each side each time.
Continue working stocking st flat across all sts
When the piece measures approx. 7 cm from the shoulder (measured by the neckline) and the next R is WS, increase for neckline at the end of every other R: 1,2,3 sts = 27 (31) 34 (36) 40 sts. NOTE! See tip for neckline increasing. Finish from the WS after the final neckline increase. Cut yarn, put sts on an extra needle and work the right front piece.

## RIGHT FRONT PIECE

Begin on the outside of the right back shoulder. Work in the same way as left front piece but in reverse. NOTE! Diagonal shoulder decreases with short rows and turning sts begin on the first $R$ from the WS. Leave sts on the needle.

## FRONT PIECE

Using 8 mm needles, work stocking st across the right front piece, cast on 8 (10) 10 (12) 12 new neckline sts and work the left front piece $=62(72) 78$ (84) 92 sts.
Work until the piece measures approx. 19 (20) 21 (22) 23 cm at the side, measured from the shoulder. Finish with a WS R. Work next $R$ as follows: $\mathrm{K} 3, \mathbf{m 1 l}$, work until 3 sts remain, $\mathbf{m 1 r}$, $K 3=64(74) 80(86) 94$ sts. P 1 R without increasing.
The piece now measures approx. 20 (21) 22 (23) 24 cm .

## BODY

K sts from front and back pieces onto 8 mm needles, while at the same time casting on 1 new st on each side $=130$ (150) 162 (174) 190 sts. Continue working in the round with stocking st
When the body measures 20 (21) 22 (23) 24 cm from the join, work the piece longer in the back with stocking st, short rows and turning sts as follows: PM on each side of the middle 30 (34) 36 (38) 42 sts on the front piece.
Work to first $m$. Turn with 1 turning st and work to the $m$ on the opposite side, turn with 1 turning st.
*Work to 9 (10) 11 (12) 13 sts before the last turning point, turn with 1 turning st, work to 9 (10) 11 (12) 13 sts before the last turning point on the opposite side, turn with 1 turning st. Repeat from *-* until you have turned 5 times on each side. Work 1 R stocking st across all sts, at the same time as the 2 loops/legs of the turning sts are $K$ together as 1 st. Change to 7 mm needles and work rib for 8 cm (K1, P1).
Option 1: Work an Italian bind-off
Option 2: Loosely cast off with rib as before.


## M1R AND M1L

M11: Pick up the strand between 2 sts, place it on left needle as shown in picture, work through the back loop


M1r: Pick up strand between 2 sts, place it on left needle as shown in picture, work the front loop.


## SLEEVES

Begin at the bottom of one armhole. Pick up 52 (56) 58 (60) sts around the armhole on 8 mm short circular needles. PM around the first and last sts ( $=\mathrm{m}$ sts).
Continue working in the round with stocking st.
When the sleeve measures 4 cm , decrease 1 st on each side of m sts. Repeat the decreases every 3.5 (3) 3 (3) 3 cm a total of $9(10) 10(10) 10$ times $=34(36) 38(40) 42$ sts. Work until the sleeve measures 38 (38) 36 (36) 34 cm or your preferred length.
Change to 7 mm needles and work rib for 8 cm (K1, P1).
Option 1: Work an Italian bind-off.
Option 2: Loosely cast off with rib as before.
Work one more sleeve in the same way.

## NECKLINE

Using 7 mm short circular needles, pick up approx. 60 (62)
62 (66) 66 sts around the neckline. St count must be divisible by 2. Work rib (K1, P1) in the round for 3.5 cm .
P 1 R (= folding edge). Continue working rib in the round (K1, P1) until the neckline measures 7 cm . Cast off loosely with $K$ and P sts. Fold the neckline double to the WS and sew down with loose stitches.

## ITALIAN BIND-OFF

Sew KW: Insert the needle knitwise into st.
Sew PW: Insert the needle purlwise into st.
Cut yarn. Leave a tail-end approx. 3 times the length of the ribbing.
Sew PW into the 1st st on the needle, leave st on needle. *Insert the needle from behind in between the 1st and 2nd sts (the working yarn is now in front of the piece), sew KW into the 2nd st on the needle, leave st on needle. Sew KW into the 1st st on the needle, slip st from needle. Sew PW into the 2nd st on the needle, leave st on needle. Sew PW into the 1st st on the needle, slip st from needle.* Repeat from *_* to end of R.
NOTE! First st $=K$, second $s t=P$.


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