



# GARTER STRIPED HOODIE

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SIZE											
UK	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL					
US	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL					
To fit	chest										
	97	102	107	112	117	122	cm				
	38	40	42	44	46	48	in				

#### **YARN**

#### Cocoon

<u>C</u>	<u>ocoon</u>								
A	Shale 804								
	8	9	10	11	11	12	x 100gm		
В	3 Quarry Tile 818								
	1	1	1	1	1	1	x 100gm		

More Yarn Information

on knitrowan.com

## **NEEDLES**

1 pair 5mm (no 6) (US 8) needles

1 pair 5½mm (no 5) (US 9) needles

1 pair 6mm (no 4) (US 10) needles

**BUTTONS** - 5 x 15mm size buttons.

# **TENSION**

16 sts and 22 rows to 10 cm measured over st st using 6 mm (US 10) needles.

## STRIPE PANEL

Rows 1 (RS) and 2: Using yarn B, knit.

Row 3: Using yarn A, knit.

Row 4: Using yarn A, purl.

Rows 5 and 6: As rows 3 and 4.

**Row 7:** As row 3.

**Row 8:** Slip all sts back onto left needle, then with RS facing and using yarn B, knit.

Rows 9: Using yarn B, knit.

**Row 10:** Slip all sts back onto left needle, then with **WS** facing and using yarn A, purl.

Rows 11 to 14: As rows 3 and 4 twice.

Work rows 1 to 14 once more, then rows 1 and 2 once more.

These 30 rows form stripe panel (with 5 g st ridges in yarn B) and are worked once.

#### SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

M1L = make one stitch by picking up horizontal loop before next stitch from front and knitting into back of it; M1R = make one stitch by using left hand needle and picking up horizontal loop before next stitch from behind and knitting into front of it; sl 1P = slip one st purlwise; ssk = sl 1 knitwise, sl 1 purlwise, insert left needle through both slipped sts from left to right and K2tog, wyif = with yarn at front of work (this is RS on RS rows and WS on WS rows).

#### Pattern note:

The designer prefers to use the cast-on and cast-off methods detailed in the text as it gives a neat, stretchy edge. Other methods are acceptable if preferred.

When working stripe panel, yarns should **NOT** be broken when changing colours, instead the "non-working" yarn should be carried up the sides of the work.

When working shaping on row 9 of stripe panel, keep panel correct as folls:

Decreases should be worked as folls: K2, K2togtbl, K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

# **BACK**

Using 5mm (US 8) needles and yarn A cast on 65 [69:75:79:83:87] sts (by making a slip knot, leaving a tail 4 times the length of cast-on edge and placing on needle in right hand. Holding both strands of yarn in left hand, then placing index finger and thumb in between the strands and spreading them apart with thumb at front holding working yarn and index finger at back holding tail-end of yarn—thumb and finger form an 'L' shape and rem yarn is gripped in the palm by rem 3 fingers—\*bringing needle to front over both strands, under front strand, over back strand and bringing needle to front under both strands—one K st formed—then taking needle to back over both strands, under both strands—one P st formed—then repeating from \* until required number of sts is formed).

Row 1 (RS): K1 tbl, \* wyif sl 1P, K1 tbl, rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** Wyif sl 1P, \*K1, wyif sl 1P, rep from \* to end.

**Row 3:** K1, \*P1, K1, rep from \* to end.

**Row 4:** P1, \*K1, P1, rep from \* to end.

Last 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib until rib meas 10 cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 6mm (US 10) needles.



Beg with a K row, work 6 rows in st st, ending with RS facing for next row

**Next row (RS):** K2, M1R, K to last 2 sts, M1L, K2.

67 [71: 77: 81: 85: 89] sts.

Working all increases as set by last row, inc 1 st at each end of 6th and 4 foll 6th rows. 77 [81: 87: 91: 95: 99] sts.

Work 5 [13: 19: 17: 21: 19] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. (Back should meas approx 29 [33: 35: 34: 36: 35] cm.)

Working 30 rows of stripe panel once, then completing back in st st using yarn A only, cont as folls:

Work 20 [16: 10: 8: 4: 6] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. (Back should meas approx 38 [40: 40: 38: 38: 38] cm.)

## Shape Raglan Armholes

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

71 [75: 81: 85: 89: 93] sts.

Sizes XS, S, M and XXL only

**Next row (RS):** K2, ssk, K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2 (see pattern note).

**Next row:** P2, P2tog, P to last 4 sts, P2tog tbl, P2.

67 [71: 77: -: -: 89] sts.

Sizes L and XL only

Next row (RS): K2, ssk, K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

- [-: -: 83: 87: -] sts. **Next row:** Purl.

All sizes

Working all armhole decreases as set by last 2 rows, dec 1 st at each end of next 3 [1: 1: 1: 1] rows, then on every foll alt row (see pattern note) until 21 [23: 23: 25: 25: 27] sts rem.

Work 1 row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off.

## **FRONT**

Work as given for back to until 4 [4: 2: 2: 2: 2] rows less have been worked than on back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with RS facing for next row.

# Divide for front opening

**Next row (RS):** Patt 36 [38: 41: 43: 45: 47] sts and turn, leaving rem sts on holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Work 3 [3: 1: 1: 1] rows ending with RS facing for next row.

# Shape Raglan Armhole

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next row. 33 [35: 38: 40: 42: 44] sts.

Work 1 row.

Working all armhole decreases as set by back armhole shaping, dec 1 st at armhole edge of next 5 [3: 3: 1: 1: 3] rows, then on every foll alt row (see patt note) until 20 [21: 21: 23: 23: 25] sts rem, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

## Shape front neck

**Next row (WS):** Cast off 2 sts, P to end. 18 [19: 19: 21: 21: 23] sts.

Next row (RS): K2, ssk, K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

**Next row:** P2, P2tog, P to end. 15 [16: 16: 18: 18: 20] sts. Last 2 rows set neck decreases and cont armhole decreases.

Working all decreases as set, dec 1 st at armhole edge of next and foll 4 [4: 4: 5: 5: 6] alt rows **and at same time** dec 1 st at neck edge of next and foll 1 [3: 3: 4: 4: 5] alt rows, then on 1 [0: 0: 0: 0: 0] foll 4th row. 7 sts.

Work 1 row.

**Next row (RS):** K2, sl 1, K2tog, psso, K2.

Next row: P5.

Next row: K2, ssk, K1.

Next row: P4. Next row: K2, ssk. Next row: P3. Next row: K1, ssk. Next row: P2.

**Next row:** K2tog and fasten off.

With RS facing, rejoin yarns to rem sts, cast off centre 5 sts, patt

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

#### **SLEEVES**

Using 5mm (US 8) needles and yarn A, cast on 37 [39: 41: 41: 43: 45] sts in same way as given for back.

Work rows 1 to 4 as given for back, then cont in rib until rib meas 10 cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 6mm (US 10) needles.

Beg with a K row, now work in st st as folls:

Work 8 [8: 8: 6: 6: 6] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

**Next row (RS):** K2, M1R, K to last 2 sts, M1L, K2.

39 [41: 43: 43: 45: 47] sts.

Working increases as set by last row, shape sides by inc 1 st at each end of 10th [8th: 10th: 8th: 6th: 6th] and every foll 10th [10th: 10th: 8th: 8th: 8th] row to 47 [53: 53: 57: 65: 67] sts, then on every foll – [-: 12th: 10th: -: –] row until there are – [-: 55: 61: -: –] sts.

Work 9 [3: 11: 1: 5: 3] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. Working 30 rows of stripe panel once, then completing sleeve in st st using yarn A only, cont as folls:

# Sizes XS, S and M only

Inc 1 st at each end of next [7th: next: -: -: -] and 1 [0: 0: 0: 0: 0] foll 10th row. 51 [55: 57: -: -: -] sts.

## All sizes

Work 9 [9: 9: 8: 4: 6] rows, ending with same stripe panel row as back and front to armhole and RS facing for next row. (Sleeve should meas approx 45 [49: 52: 52: 53: 53] cm.)

# Shape raglan

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

45 [49: 51: 55: 59: 61] sts.

Working all decreases as set by back armhole shaping (see pattern note), dec 1 st at each end of 3rd and every foll 4th row until there are 39 [43: 41: 45: 49: 53] sts, then on every foll alt row until 9 sts rem

Work 1 row, ending with RS facing for next row.

## Left sleeve only

Next row (RS): K2, ssk, K1, K2tog, K2. Next row: Cast off 2 sts, P to end. 5 sts.



Next row: K2, K3tog. Next row: P2tog, P1. Right sleeve only

**Next row (RS):** Cast off 2 sts, K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

Next row: P4, P2tog. 5 sts. Next row: Sl 1, K2tog, psso, K2.

Next row: P1, P2tog.

Both sleeves

Next row (RS): K2tog and fasten off.

#### MAKING UP

Press as described on the information page in the FAQ area.

Join all raglan armhole seams using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

## Right front band

With RS facing, using 5½mm (US 9) needle and yarn A, pick up and knit 21 [25:29:33:37:37] sts up right front opening edge, from base of front opening to neck shaping.

**Row 1 (WS):** K1, \*P1, K1, rep from \* to end. **Row 2:** K2, \*P1, K1, rep from \* to last st, K1.

These 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib for a further 5 rows, inc 1 st at end of last row and ending with RS facing for next row. 22 [26: 30: 34: 38: 38] sts.

Cut yarn leaving a tail approx 5 times the length of cast-off edge, and thread onto sewing needle.

\*\*Now cast off by "sewing through" sts by inserting sewing needle as folls:

Purlwise through first st, and leave it on the needle.

Knitwise through 2nd st from behind (by taking yarn to back of work, inserting sewing needle from back to front of work between first and 2nd sts on needle, then insert sewing needle knitwise through 2nd st).

\*Knitwise into first st, remove st from needle.

Purlwise through 2nd st on needle.

Purlwise into first st, remove st from needle.

Knitwise through 2nd st from behind.

Repeat from \* until all sts have been cast off.

#### Left front band

With RS facing, using 5½mm (US 9) needles and yarn A, pick up and knit 21 [25: 29: 33: 37: 37] sts down left front opening edge, from neck shaping to base of front opening.

Work in rib as given for right front band for 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

**Row 4 (RS):** K2, \*yrn (to make a buttonhole), work 2 tog, rib 2 [3: 4: 5: 6: 6], rep from \* 3 times more, yrn (to make 5th buttonhole), work 2 tog, K1.

Work in rib for a further 3 rows, inc 1 st at end of last row and ending with RS facing for next row. 22 [26: 30: 34: 38: 38] sts.

Complete as given for right front band from \*\*.

Lay left front band over right front band and sew row-end edges in place to cast-off sts at base of opening.

#### Hood

With RS facing, using 5½mm (US 9) needle and yarn A, beg and ending at mid-point of front bands, pick up and knit 24 [25: 25: 27: 27: 29] sts up right side of front neck, 5 sts from top of right sleeve,

 $28\ [30:30:34:34:36]$  sts from back, 5 sts from top of left sleeve, then

24 [25: 25: 27: 27: 29] sts down left side of neck.

86 [90: 90: 98: 98: 104] sts.

Beg with a P row, work in st st until hood meas 33 cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

# Shape back edge

**Next row (RS):** K39 [41: 41: 45: 45: 48], K2tog, K2 and turn.

42 [44: 44: 48: 48: 51] sts.

Work each side of hood separately.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. 39 [41: 41: 45: 45: 48] sts.

**Next row:** K to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2. **Next row:** P2, P2tog, P to end.

Rep last 2 rows once more. 35 [37: 37: 41: 41: 44] sts.

Cast off.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, K2, ssk, K to end.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings. Join shaped row-end and cast -off edges of hood.

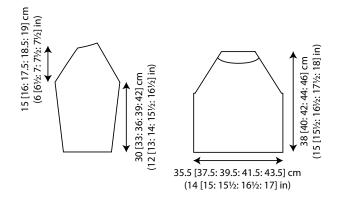
## Hood border

With RS facing, beg and ending at pick up row of hood, pick up and knit 113 sts evenly around entire front edge of hood.

Beg **row 1**, work in rib as given for right front band for 3 rows, inc 1 st at end of last row ending with RS facing for next row. 114 sts. Cut yarn leaving a tail approx. 4 times the length of cast-off edge, and thread onto sewing needle.

Work as given for right front band from \*\*.

See information page for finishing instructions in the FAQ area.



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