

PATTERN COLLECTION

Women



Holiday Jay

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DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

Extra Small (Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X, 4X, 5X)

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 32 (36, 39¼, 43¼, 48, 52, 55¼, 58¾, 62¾)"

Length: 19¼ (19¾, 20¼, 21¼, 21¾, 22¼, 23¼, 23½, 23½, 23¾)"

Shown in Small size with approx. 3½" positive ease.

MATERIALS

Fibra Natura Cotton True Sport (100% Pima cotton; 50g/197 yds)

- 102 Bright Red (MC) 3 (4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 7, 8) balls
- 117 Bright White (CC) 1 (1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2) balls

Needles:

Needle A - US Size 6 (4 mm) 16" & 24-40" circular and set of dpns *or size* needed to obtain gauge

Needle B - US Size 5 (3.75 mm) 16" & 24-40" circular and set of dpns *or size* needed to obtain gauge

Needle C - US Size 4 (3.5 mm) 16" & 24-40" circular

Note: For all needle sizes, choose a cord length that is slightly smaller than the finished bust circumference for your chosen size.

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GAUGE

24 sts x 36 rnds = 4" in St st using Ndl B 24 sts x 32 rnds = 4" in Yoke patt using Ndl A Save time check your gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

The Holiday Jay is a re-imagined, Christmas-in-July version of the Jay Sweater, originally knit using Kingston Tweed. In this version, we've chosen Cotton True Sport – a soft, breezy, and cool Pima cotton yarn. Like the original, the tee features a lovely colorwork yoke. Thoughtful touches like the contrast color edging and a touch of broken rib around the hem create a top that's perfect for your next summer soirée!

This tee is worked seamlessly in the round from the top-down. The body and sleeves are separated at the armhole. After the body is completed, stitches around the armholes are picked up using the contrast color and a ribbed edging is worked. The neckline and sleeve cuffs are worked in the contrast color.

When working in the yoke pattern, you may wish to place stitch markers between each repeat to help you stay on track.

STITCH GUIDE

K1, P1 Rib

(even number of sts)

Rnd 1: * K1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

Broken Rib

(even number of sts)

Rnd 1: * K1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 2: Knit.

Rep Rnds 1-2 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS

Yoke

With 16" Ndl C and CC, cast on 96 (108, 116, 128, 128, 132, 132, 134, 134) sts. PM and join to knit in the round, being careful not to twist. Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece meas ¾ (¾, 1, 1, 1, 1¼, 1¼, 1½, 1½)" from cast-on edge. Change to Ndl A. Join MC, do not break CC.

Next Rnd: With MC, knit to end.



1X Size Only

Inc Rnd: With MC, k8, [m1, k16] 7 times, m1, k8 – 8 sts inc'd. 136 sts.

2X, 3X, 4X, & 5X Sizes Only

Increase Rnd: With MC, k4 (2, 1, 1), [m1, k9 (5, 4, 4)] 2 (10, 16, 4) times, [m1, k8 (4, 3, 3)] 11 (7, 1, 33] times, [m1, k9 (5, 4, 4)] 2 (10, 16, 4) times, m1, k4 (2, 2, 2) - 16 (28, 34, 42) sts inc'd, 148 (160, 168, 176) sts.

Establish Yoke Pattern

All sizes

Note 1: You may wish to place stitch markers between each repeat to help you stay on track. Note 2: Change to longer circ ndls when there are too many sts to fit comfortably on 16" circ ndl.

Rnd 1: Work Rnd 1 of Yoke patt to end. Patt will be repeated 24 (27, 29, 32, 34, 37, 40, 42, 44) times across each rnd.

Rnd 2: Work next rnd of Yoke patt to end - 48 (54, 58, 64, 68, 74, 80, 84, 88) sts inc'd, 144 (162, 174, 192, 204, 222, 240, 252, 264) sts.

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Cont working as est'd through Rnd 31 of Yoke patt – 144 (162, 174, 192, 204, 222, 240, 252, 264) sts inc'd, 288 (324, 348, 384, 408, 444, 480, 504, 528) sts.

Change to Ndl B. Break CC, cont with MC only. Work even in St st until piece meas 7½ (8, 8½, 9, 9½, 10, 10½, 10¾, 11)" from cast-on edge.

Separate Body and Sleeves

Rnd 1: K88 (100, 108, 120, 130, 140, 148, 158, 170) Front body sts, slip next 56 (62, 66, 72, 74, 82, 92, 94, 94) Sleeve sts to stitch holder or waste yarn, cast on 8 (8, 10, 10, 14, 16, 18, 18, 18) underarm sts, k88 (100, 108, 120, 130, 140, 148, 158, 170) Back body sts, slip next 56 (62, 66, 72, 74, 82, 92, 94, 94) Sleeve sts to stitch holder or waste yarn, cast on 8 (8, 10, 10, 14, 16, 18, 18, 18) underarm sts, pm to denote new bor – 192 (216, 236, 260, 288, 312, 332, 352, 376) Body sts rem.

Body

Work even in St st until piece meas 10% (10%, 10%, 11%, 11%, 11%, 11%, 11%, 11%)" or 1" less than desired length from Body/Sleeve Separation. Change to Ndl C.

Hem

Work in Broken Rib until piece meas 11¼ (11¾, 11¼, 12¼, 12¼, 12¼, 12¾, 12¾)" from separation. Loosely bind off all sts in patt.

Armhole Edging

With CC and NdI B DPNs, beg at center of underarm cast-on, pick up and knit 4 (4, 5, 5, 7, 8, 9, 9, 9) sts along cast-on edge, knit 56 (62, 66, 72, 74, 82, 92, 94, 94) Sleeve sts from holder or waste yarn, pick up and knit 4 (4, 5, 5, 7, 8, 9, 9, 9) sts along cast-on edge, pm to denote bor – 64 (70, 76, 82, 88, 98, 110, 112, 112) Sleeve sts.

Work even in K1, P1 Rib until Edging meas ½" from picked-up edge. Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

befbegbegin(ning)

bor beginning of round CC contrast color

circcircularcontcontinuedec('d)decrease(d)

est'd established inc('d) increase(d)

k knitm marker

m1 insert left needle from front to

back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)

MC main color meas measures ndl needle purl n patt pattern place marker pm rem remain(ing) repeat rep round rnd

St st Stockinette stitch (knit on RS

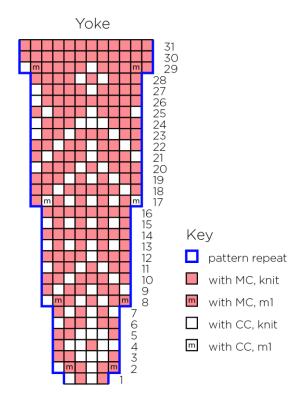
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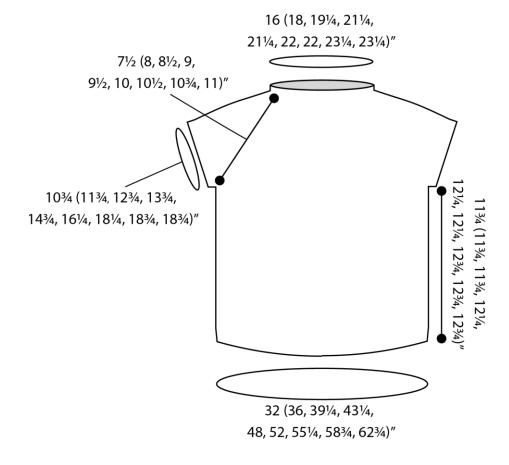
knit every rnd)

st(s) stitch(es)

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