

Brown Sheep Company, Inc. Jade Pullover

<u>Pattern</u>

FREE

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Casual styling combines with coordinating colors in a waist-length pullover. The raglan sleeves are worked in 2/2rib, as are the neck and lower edges. Fully-fashioned, cabled decreases accent the sleeve line. The mock Henley neck features buttons on both sides.

SIZE

Woman's small (medium, large, extra-large) Instructions are given for smallest size, with larger sizes in parentheses. When only 1 number is given, it applies to all sizes. Model shown in size small.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 38 (40, 44, 48)"

Armhole depth: 7 ½ (8, 8 ½, 9)"
Side to underarm: 13 (13, 14, 14)"
Sleeve length: 18 (18 ½, 18 ½, 19)"

MATERIALS

- Brown Sheep Serendipity Tweed, 60% cotton, 40% wool, (100g/210 yds per skein): 3 (4, 4, 5) skeins shown in #ST44 Moody Blue Flax (A)
- Brown Sheep Cotton Fleece 80% cotton, 20% wool
 (100g/215 yds per skein): 3 (3, 4, 4) skeins shown in #CW585 Wolverine Blue (B)
- Size 4 (3.5mm) 24" circular needle
- Size 5 (3.75mm) needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- Cable needle (cn)
- · Stitch markers and holders
- (8) ½" buttons

GAUGE

20 sts and 28 rows = 4" in ST st with larger needles 28 sts and 28 rows = 4" in 2/2Rib with larger needles To save time and ensure proper fit, take time to check gauge.

DESIGNER NOTES

Intarsia method is used for front band. To avoid holes when changing colors, always bring new color up over old. As rib pattern stretches considerably, sleeves are close fitting.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Tbl: Through back loops.

PATTERN STITCHES

2/2 Rib

Row 1: (WS): P2, *k2, p2; rep from * across row.



Row 2: K2, *p2, k2; rep from * across row.

Rep Rows 1-2 for pat.

BACK

With A, cast on 94 (98, 110, 118) sts. Work even in 2/2 Rib for $1 \frac{1}{2}$, inc 2 sts on sizes M and XL only on last WS row -04 (100, 110, 120) sts.

Change to St st and work even until back measures 13 (13, 14, 14)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

Shape raglan

Bind off 3 (3, 5, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 88 (94, 100, 106) sts.

Row 1 (RS): Knit. Rows 2 and 4: Purl.

Row 3 (Dec row): K1, sl 3 sts to cn and hold in back, k2, k3tog-tbl from cn, knit to last 6 sts, sl 2 sts to cn and hold in front, k3tog, k2 from cn, k1.

Rep last 4 rows 12 (13, 14, 15) times more.

Bind off remaining 36 (38, 40, 42) sts.

FRONT

Work as for back until front measures 2 ½ (3, 3 ½, 4)" above bound-off underarm sts, ending with a WS row.

Beg neck opening

Next row (RS): Mark center. Continuing with raglan decs as established, work to 5 sts before marker, join B, p1, k2, p2, remove marker, k2. Place remaining sts on holder.

Keeping 7 sts at front in color B and established rib, continue raglan decs as established and working remainder in St st, work until armhole measures 5 % (6, 6 %, 7)" above bound-off underarm sts, ending with a RS row.

Shape left side of neck

Bind off 12 (13, 13, 14) sts, work to end of row. Dec 1 st at neck edge every RS row 4 (4, 5, 5) times at the same time completing ragian decs as for back.

Next row (RS): Ssk, k2tog, turn, p2tog. Fasten off final st and leave long end for sewing ragian seam.

Shape right side of neck

SI sts from holder to ndl. With B and RS facing, pick up and knit 4 sts along bottom of front band, k3, join A and work to end of row. Work as for left side of neck, reversing shaping.

SLEEVES

With B, cast on 46 (50, 58, 62) sts. Work even in 2/2 rib for 2", then inc 1 st each end every 6^{th} row 15 (17, 16, 18) times, working added sts into pat -76 (84, 90, 98) sts.

Work even until sleeve measures 18 (18 ½, 18 1/2, 19)", ending with a WS row.

Shape raglan

Bind off 3 (4, 4, 6) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 7- (76, 82, 86) sts.

Row 1 (RS): K4, work in established pat to last 4 sts, k4.

Rows 2 and 4: P4, work in established pat to last 4 sts, p4.

Row 3 (Dec row): K1, sl 3 sts to cn and hold in back, k2, k3tog-tbl from cn, work in established pat to last 6 sts, sl 2 to cn and hold in front, k3tog, k2 from cn, k1.

Rep last 4 rows 12 (13, 14, 15) times more.

Bind off remaining 18 (20, 22, 22) sts.

NECKBAND

Sew raglan seams. With RS facing using smaller needle and B, pick up and knit 6 sts at top of right front band, 14 sts along right neck edge, 9 (10, 11, 12) sts at top of right sleeve, 32 (34, 36, 38) sts along back neck, 9 (10, 11, 12) sts at top of left sleeve, 14 sts along left neck edge, and 6 sts at top of left neck band – 90 (94, 98, 102) sts.

Work even in 2/2 rib for 5 rows.

Bind off in pat.

ASSEMBLY

Sew sleeve and side seams. Sew 4 buttons to each front neck band.