



PEPLUM JACKET

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FINISHED SIZE

Chest: 36" (38", 40", 42", 44")
Length: 22" (22½", 23½", 24", 25")

MATERIALS

Lana Grossa Royal Tweed
MC #6 Dark Gray — 9 (9, 10, 11, 11) balls
CC #14 Light Gray — 3 (3, 3, 4, 4) balls

NEEDLES

Size US 7 (4.5 mm) straight or circular
needles *or size required to
obtain gauge*

Five 7/8" buttons

Stitch holders

GAUGE

20 sts and 17 rows = 4"
in Reverse Fisherman's
Rib Pattern

NOTE

This jacket starts with several small pieces knit separately, then joined together. The pieces look very similar. Mark each piece as you make it by pinning a paper label to your knitting.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

K1b = K one below — K the next st in the row below.

inc2p = {P, K, P} into next st.

REVERSE FISHERMAN'S RIB PATTERN

ROW 1 (RS): P

ROW 2 (WS): Sl 1, {P1, K1b} to last st, K1.

SEED STITCH

ROW 1 (RS): * K1, P1, rep from * to end of row.

ROW 2 (WS): * P1, K1, rep from * to end of row.

PIECE A (MAKE 2)

With MC, CO 22 (23, 24, 25, 26) sts and work 3" of Reverse Fisherman's Rib, ending with a WS row.

NEXT ROW (DEC ROW): Sl 1, P1, K1b, P3tog, continue in pattern to end of row.

Work 5 rows in pattern.

Rep dec row once more.

Work 5 rows in pattern — 18 (19, 20, 21, 22) sts.
Place sts on a holder.

PIECE B (MAKE 2)

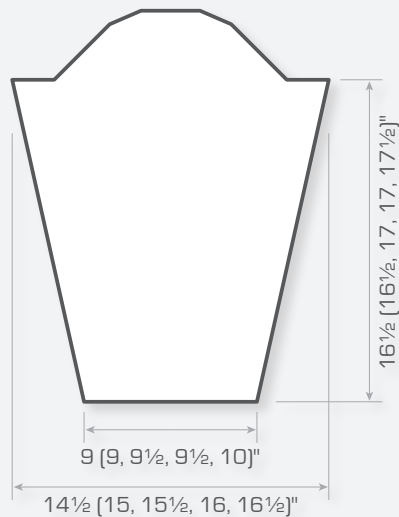
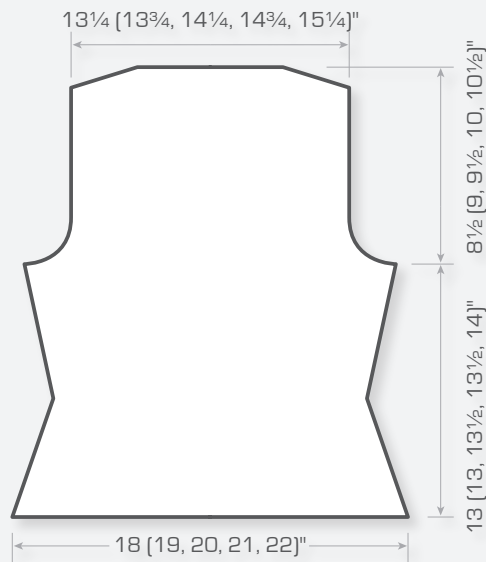
With MC, CO 22 (23, 24, 25, 26) sts and work 3" of Reverse Fisherman's Rib Pattern, ending with a WS row.

NEXT ROW (DEC ROW): Work in pattern to last 5 sts, P3tog, work to end.

Work 5 rows in pattern.

Rep dec row once more.

Work 5 rows in pattern — 18 (19, 20, 21, 22) sts.
Place sts on a holder.



PIECE C [CENTER BACK – MAKE 1]

With MC, CO 31 [33, 35, 37, 39] sts and work 3" of Reverse Fisherman's Rib, ending with a WS row.

NEXT ROW (DEC ROW): Work 5 sts in pattern, P3tog, work to last 8 sts, P3tog, work to end.

Work 5 rows in pattern.

Rep dec row once more.

Work 5 rows in pattern, CO 1 st at beg and end of last row – 25 [27, 29, 31, 33] sts.

Place sts on a holder.

PIECE D [MAKE 1]

With MC, CO 12 [13, 14, 15, 16] sts and work in Reverse Fisherman's Rib until same length as other pieces, CO 1 st at beg of last row – 13 [14, 15, 16, 17] sts. Place sts on holder.

PIECE E [MAKE 1]

With MC, CO 12 [13, 14, 15, 16] sts and work in Reverse Fisherman's Rib until same length as other pieces, CO 1 st at end of last row – 13 [14, 15, 16, 17] sts. Place sts on holder.

INSERT [MAKE 4]

With CC, CO 23 sts.

ROW 1 (RS): P

ROW 2 (WS): P1, * K1b, P1, rep from * to end of row.

ROW 3: P

ROW 4: {P1, K1b} 4 times, P3tog, K1b, P3tog, work in pattern to end of row – 19 sts.

Work 7 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 12: {P1, K1b} 3 times, P3tog, K1b, P3tog, work in pattern to end of row – 15 sts.

Work 7 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 20: {P1, K1b} 2 times, P3tog, K1b, P3tog, work in pattern to end of row – 11 sts.

Work 7 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 28: P1, K1b, P3tog, K1b, P3tog, work in pattern to end of row — 7 sts.

Work 7 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 36: P3tog, K1b, P3tog — 3 sts.

ROW 37: P.

BO.

BACK

With right sides facing, place one each of B, C and A, in that order, on needle — 61 [65, 69, 73, 77] sts.

Work 4 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 5 (RS): Work 3 sts in pattern, inc2p, work 20 [21, 22, 23, 24] sts in pattern, inc2p, work 11 [13, 15, 17, 19] sts in pattern, inc2p, work 20 [21, 22, 23, 24] sts in pattern, inc2p, work in pattern to end of row — 69 [73, 77, 81, 85] sts.

Work 5 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 11: Work 26 [27, 28, 29, 30] sts in pattern, inc2p, work 15 [17, 19, 21, 23] sts in pattern, inc2p, work in pattern to end of row — 73 [77, 81, 85, 89] sts.

Continue in Reverse Fisherman's Rib until piece measures 13" [13", 13½", 13½", 14"], ending with a WS row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE

BO 4 sts beg of next 2 rows, then BO 3 sts beg of following 2 rows.

BO 1 st at beg and end of every RS row 1 [2, 3, 4, 5] times — 55 [57, 59, 61, 63] sts.

Continue in Reverse Fisherman's Rib without shaping until armhole measures 8½" [9", 9½", 10", 10½"].

SHAPE SHOULDERS

BO 7 [8, 8, 8, 8] sts at beg of next 2 rows, then BO 7 [7, 7, 8, 8] sts at beg of following 2 rows.



BO rem 27 (27, 29, 29, 31) sts.

Sew 1 Insert into each opening on lower edge, as shown in photo.

RIGHT FRONT

Place piece B and piece E, in that order, on needle — 31 (33, 35, 37, 39) sts.

Work 4 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 5 (RS): Work 3 sts in pattern, inc2p, work in pattern to end of row — 33 (35, 37, 39, 41) sts.

Work 5 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 11: Work 3 sts in pattern, inc2p, work in pattern to end of row — 35 (37, 39, 41, 43) sts.

Continue in Reverse Fisherman's Rib until piece measures 13" (13", 13½", 13½", 14"), ending with a RS row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE

With WS facing, BO 4 sts at beg of next row. P 1 row. BO 3 sts at beg of next row. P 1 row. BO 1 st beg of every WS row 1 (2, 3, 4, 5) times — 26 (27, 28, 29, 30) sts.

Continue in Reverse Fisherman's Rib without shaping until armhole measures 3½" (3½", 4", 4", 4½"), ending with a WS row.

SHAPE FRONT NECK

Dec 1 st at beg of every RS row (neck edge) 9 (9, 10, 10, 10) times, then every 4th row until 14 (15, 15, 16, 16) sts rem. Work until same length as back to shoulders, ending with a RS row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

BO 7 (8, 8, 8, 8) sts at shoulder edge once. Work 1 row. BO rem 7 (7, 7, 8, 8) sts.

Sew an Insert into opening on lower edge, as shown in photo.

LEFT FRONT

Place piece D and piece A, in that order, on needle — 31 (33, 35, 37, 39) sts.

Work 4 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 5 (RS): Work 3 sts in pattern, inc2p, work in pattern to end of row — 33 (35, 37, 39, 41) sts.

Work 5 rows in Reverse Fisherman's Rib.

ROW 11: Work 3 sts in pattern, inc2p, work in pattern to end of row — 35 (37, 39, 41, 43) sts.

Continue in Reverse Fisherman's Rib until piece measures 13" (13", 13½", 13½", 14"), ending with a WS row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE

With RS facing, BO 4 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row in pattern. BO 3 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row in pattern. BO 1 st beg of every RS row 1 (2, 3, 4, 5) times — 26 (27, 28, 29, 30) sts.

Continue in Reverse Fisherman's Rib without shaping until armhole measures 3½" (3½", 4", 4", 4½"), ending with a RS row.

SHAPE FRONT NECK

Dec 1 st at beg of every WS row (neck edge) 9 (9, 10, 10, 10) times, then every 4th row until 14 (15, 15, 16, 16) sts rem. Work until same length as back to shoulders, ending with a WS row.

SHAPE SHOULDERS

BO 7 (8, 8, 8, 8) sts at shoulder edge once. Work 1 row. BO rem 7 (7, 7, 8, 8) sts.

Sew an Insert into opening on lower edge, as shown in photo.

SLEEVES

With CC, CO 38 (38, 40, 40, 42) sts.

Work 7 rows in Seed St.

Change to MC and working in Reverse Fisherman's Rib, inc 1 st at beg and end of every 4th row 4 (4, 4, 7, 7) times, then every 6th row 7 (8, 8, 6, 6) times — 60 (62, 64, 66, 68) sts.

Work even until sleeve measures 16½" (16½", 17", 17", 17½").



SHAPE CAP

BO 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then BO 3 sts at beg of following 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next 3 rows, then dec 1 st at beg and end of every other row until 20 sts rem.

BO 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

BO rem 12 sts.

BUTTONHOLE BAND

With RS facing, using CC, pick up and K 66 (66, 68, 68, 70) sts along right front edge.

Work 3 rows in Seed St.

NEXT ROW: Work 21 (21, 23, 23, 25) sts in pattern, BO 3 sts, {work 7 sts in pattern, BO 3 sts} 4 times, work 2.

NEXT ROW: Work 2 sts in pattern, {CO 3 sts, work 7 sts in pattern} 4 times, CO 3 sts, work in pattern to end.

Work 2 rows in Seed St. BO in pattern.

BUTTON BAND

With RS facing, using CC, pick up and K 66 (66, 68, 68, 70) sts, along left front edge. Work 7 rows in Seed St. BO off in pattern.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

COLLAR

Using CC, with WS facing, pick up and K 5 sts along top of button band, 29 (30, 31, 32, 33) sts along left front, 27 (27, 29, 29, 31) sts along back, 29 (30, 31, 32, 33) sts along right front, 5 along top of buttonhole band — 95 (97, 101, 103, 107) sts. Working in Seed St, BO 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Continue in Seed St for 2½", or desired length, then BO loosely in pattern.

Sew sleeves to armholes. Sew side and sleeve seams. Weave in ends. Attach buttons opposite buttonholes.



ABBREVIATIONS

beg.....begin/beginning	Pwise.....purlwise
BO.....bind off	rem.....remain/remaining
CC.....contrasting color	rep.....repeat/repeating
CO.....cast on	rev.....reverse
dec.....decrease/decreasing	RH.....right hand
dbl dec.....double decrease – slip 2 sts together as if to K them together, K1, pass 2 slipped sts over.	RS.....right side
inc.....increase/increasing	sl.....slip
K.....knit	SSK.....slip, slip, knit — sl 1 st as if to K; sl another st as if to K; sl both sts back to LH needle and K them together TBL.
K2tog.....knit 2 together (K3tog = knit 3 together, etc.)	st st.....stockinette stitch
Kwise.....knitwise	st(s).....stitch(es)
LH.....left hand	TBL.....through back loop
m1make 1 — Use the tip of your left needle to lift up the strand running between the st just worked and the next st. K into the back of this strand, twisting the loop to avoid making a hole.	W&T.....wrap & turn — Used to prevent holes at the turning point in short rows. With yarn toward WS, sl next st to RH needle, bring yarn to RS, sl st back to LH needle and turn the piece, ready to work back in the other direction.
MC.....main color	WS.....wrong side
P.....purl	WYIF.....with yarn in front
P2tog.....purl 2 together (P3tog = purl 3 together, etc.)	WYIB.....with yarn in back
PM.....place marker	yo.....yarn over
PSSO.....pass the slipped stitch over the st just knitted	