

NORO

Kureyon

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Y-976

Size

To fit bust (in/cms)	32-34/81-86	34-36/86-91	36-38/91-96
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Finished Measurements

Width (underarm) (in/cms)	38/96	40/101	42/106
Length (in/cms)	20/51	21/53	22/56

Materials

US 10 (6mm) needles (x2)			
5 Buttons			
3 Small buttons (mock pocket tops)			
Noro Kureyon shade #328			
(grams/approx. skeins)	200/4	210/5	220/5

Tension

Measured over stocking stitch using US 10 needles 16sts x 23rs = 4in (10cm) square.

TENSION

VERY IMPORTANT: Wk a tension square, if too small use a larger needle, if too large use a smaller needle. It is essential to work to correct tension to achieve finished measurements stated.

ABBREVIATIONS (not all abbreviations apply to this pattern)

K = knit.	NR = next row.
P = purl.	fol = following.
st(s) = stitch(es).	st.st. = stocking stitch (RSF knit, WSF purl).
rs = rows.	Rev.st.st. = reverse stocking stitch (RSF purl, WSF knit).
wk = work.	beg = beginning.
ins = inches.	alt = alternate.
dec = decrease(ing).	ch = chain.
inc = increase(ing).	dc = double crochet.
patt = pattern.	tr = treble.
rep = repeat.	yf = yarn forward.
tog = together.	sl 1 = slip one stitch.
RSF/WSF = right/wrong side facing.	pssso = pass slipped stitch over.
rem = remaining.	
cont = continue.	

M1P = make one stitch purlwise thus: pick up horizontal loop lying between last stitch worked and next stitch and purl into back of loop.

M1K = make one stitch thus: pick up horizontal loop lying between last stitch worked and next stitch and knit into back of loop.

T3F = slip next 2sts onto a cable needle and hold at front of work, purl next st from left hand needle then K2sts from cable needle.

T3B = Slip next stitch onto a cable needle and hold at back of work, knit next 2sts from left hand needle then Purl stitch from cable needle.

C6F (C6B) = slip next 3sts onto a cable needle and hold at front (back) of work, knit next 3sts from left hand needle then K3sts from cable needle.

C4B = slip next 2sts onto a cable needle and hold at back of work, knit next 2sts from left hand needle then K2sts from cable needle.

Instructions

BACK

With US 10 needles cast on 76(80,84)sts and wk as follows:

Row 1: (RSF) Knit to end.

Row 2: Purl to end.

Rep the last 2 rs AT THE SAME TIME dec 1 st at each end of row 15 and row 29.

Then inc 1 st at each end of row 41 and row 55. 76(80,84)sts.

Wk straight until back measures 12½(13,13½) ins from beg ending with a wrong side row.

SHAPE ARMHOLES RSF

Cast off 5sts at the beg of the next 2 rs. Then dec 1 st at each end of the foll 7 rs. 52(56,60)sts rem. Wk straight until armhole measures 7(7½,8) ins ending with a wrong side row.



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Instructions (cont.)



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SHAPE BACK NECK AND SHOULDERS RSF

Row 1: K17(18,19)sts, turn and put rem sts on a spare needle.
Row 2: Cast off 2sts and purl to end.
Row 3: Cast off 4(4,5)sts and knit to end.
Row 4: As row 2.
Row 5: Cast off 4(4,4)sts and knit to end,
Row 6: As row 2.
Cast off rem 3(4,4)sts.
Return to the sts on the spare needle. RSF rejoin yarn and cast off the center 18(20,22)sts.
Cont on rem 17(18,19)sts as follows:
Row 1: Knit to end.
Row 2: Purl to end.
Row 3: Cast off 2sts and knit to end.
Row 4: Cast off 4(4,5)sts and purl to end.
Row 5: As row 3.
Row 6: Cast off 4(4,4)sts and purl to end.
Row 7: As row 3.
Cast off rem 3(4,4)sts.

LEFT FRONT

With US 10 needles cast on 41(43,45)sts and wk as follows:
Row 1: (RSF) Knit to the last 3sts, P3.
Row 2: K3sts, purl to end.
Rep the last 2 rs AT THE SAME TIME dec 1 st at the beg of row 15. 40(42,44) sts rem.
Cont until 26rs worked.
Make mock pocket flap
Row 27: K10(11,12)sts, * Knit into front and back of next stitch slipping the front st onto a st holder * rep * to * across the next 15sts, patt to end. (16sts on spare needle at front of work)
Cont in patt for a further 11rs, dec 1 st at the beg of row 29. 39(41,43)sts rem.
Row 39: K10(11,12)sts, * Knit into front and back of next stitch slipping the front st onto a st holder * rep * to * across the next 13sts, patt to end. (14sts on spare needle at front of work)
Cont in patt AT THE SAME TIME inc 1 st at the beg of row 41 and row 55 and then cont until front measures same as back up to beg of armhole shaping and ending with a wrong side row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE RSF

Cast off 5sts and patt to end. Then dec 1 st at armhole edge on the next 7rs. 29(31,33)sts rem.
Wk straight until front is 25(27,29)rs shorter than back.

SHAPE NECK WSF

Cast off 5sts and purl to end. Then dec 1 st at neck edge on the next 13(14,15) rs. 11(12,13)sts rem. Patt straight until front measures same as back up to beg of shoulder shaping and ending with a wrong side row.

SHAPE SHOULDER RSF

Row 1: Cast off 4(4,5)sts and knit to end.
Row 2: Purl to end.
Row 3: Cast off 4(4,4)sts and knit to end.
Row 4: Purl to end.
Cast off rem 3(4,4)sts.
Mark positions for 5 buttons, the first 12rs up from hem, the last 3rs down from beg of neck shaping and the remaining 3 spaced evenly between.

RIGHT FRONT

With US 10 needles cast on 41(43,45)sts and wk as follows:
Row 1: (RSF) P3sts, knit to end.
Row 2: Purl to the last 3sts, K3sts.
Rep the last 2 rs for a further 10 rs.
Row 13: (make buttonhole) P3sts, K2tog, yf, knit to end.
Row 14: As row 2.
Making buttonholes to match markers, rep rs 1 and 2, AT THE SAME TIME dec 1 st at the END of the next row and at the end of row 29.
Then inc 1 st at the END of row 41 and row 55. 41(43,45)sts.
Wk straight until front measures same as back up to beg of armhole shaping and ending with a RIGHT side row.

SHAPE ARMHOLE WSF

Cast off 5sts and patt to end. Then dec 1 st at armhole edge on the next 7rs. 29(31,33)sts rem.
Wk one row more.
NR: (RSF) Patt 10(11,12)sts * Knit into front and back of next stitch slipping the front stitch onto a stitch holder * rep * to * across the next 13sts, patt to end. (14sts on spare needle at front of work)
Wk straight until front is 24(26,28)rs shorter than back.

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Instructions (cont.)

SHAPE NECK RSF

Cast off 5sts and knit to end. Then dec 1 st at neck edge on the next 13(14,15) rs. 11(12,13)sts rem. Patt straight until front measures same as back up to beg of shoulder shaping and ending with a right side row.

SHAPE SHOULDER WSF

Row 1: Cast off 4(4,5)sts and purl to end.
Row 2: Knit to end.
Row 3: Cast off 4(4,4)sts and Purl to end.
Row 4: Knit to end.
Cast off rem 3(4,4)sts.

MOCK POCKET TOPS (for the 2 tops with 16sts)

RSF with US 10 needles pick up and K16sts from st holder at front of work and wk as follows:

(pick up row counts as row 1)
Row 2: Knit to end.
Row 3: Knit to end.
Row 4: P2tog, purl to the last 2sts, P2tog.
Row 5: Knit to end.
Row 6: As row 4. 12sts rem.
Row 7: Knit to end.
Cast off.



MOCK POCKET TOP (for the top with 14sts)

RSF with US 10 needles pick up and K14sts from st holder at front of work and wk as follows:

(pick up row counts as row 1)
Row 2: Knit to end.
Row 3: Knit to end.
Row 4: P2tog, purl to the last 2sts, P2tog.
Row 5: Knit to end.
Row 6: As row 4. 10sts rem.
Row 7: Knit to end.
Cast off.

MAKEUP

Join shoulder seams. Sew up side seams. Sew on buttons.
Sew small button to center of each pocket top.

