

SWEATER OF THE WEEK™



Week #A14

Yarn: 12 (12, 13) skeins of Knitting Fever's Dynasty color 116

Yarn Substitutions:

| Yarn | Needles |
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| Yuri | #5 & #8 |
| Miyabe | Same |
| Fuji | #5 & #8 |
| Yambuki | Same |

Needles: #8 (or whatever size is necessary to obtain gauge)

Gauge: 5 sts. = 1" on #8 needles in stockinette stitch

Substitute yarns:

Louisa Harding Willow Tweed 14 (14, 15)

Mirasol Nuna 9 (9, 10)

Queensland Collection Leche 16 (16, 17)

Sizes: 50 (52, 54) finished measurement

Back: Cast on 124 (130, 134) sts. Work in garter stitch for 10 rows. On the 11th row, work pattern as follows: 6 sts. in garter stitch, 112 (118, 122) sts. in stockinette stitch, 6 sts. in garter stitch. Work even in this manner for 3". Change to stockinette stitch and work straight until piece measures 20" or desired length to armhole. Bind off 10 sts. at the beginning of the next 4 rows. Decrease 1 stitch at each end every other row 10 times. **AT THE SAME TIME:** On the wrong side row after the bind offs start garter stitch "V". Work across to center 2 sts., knit these 2 sts, finish the row with purl sts. Then on every purl row, work 2 more sts. in garter on each side of the center 2 sts. Work even until armhole measures 8½ (9, 9) inches above the

armhole bind-offs. Bind off all sts. loosely following pattern.

Front: Work same as the back.

Sleeves: Cast on 68 (72, 72) sts. Work in garter stitch for 4". Change to stockinette stitch and increase 1 stitch each end every ¾" 15 times. Work straight until piece measures 17" or desired length to underarm. Bind off 6 sts. at the beginning of the next 2 rows. Decrease 1 stitch at each end every other row 4 times. **AT THE SAME TIME:** On the wrong side row after the bind-offs start garter stitch "V". Work across to center 2 sts. and knit these 2 sts. Finish row in purl sts. Then on every purl row, work 2 more

sts. in garter on each side of the 2 center sts. Work even until piece measures 6½" above the bound-off sts. Then work as follows: K2 tog. across the row. Knit back. K2 tog. across the row. Knit back. Bind off remaining sts. across the row.

Finishing: Sew side seams of sweater, starting from where the 6 garter sts. on each side end, to the beginning of the armhole shaping. Sew shoulders together leaving a 9" opening for neck. (Do not overlap shoulders.) Sew underarm seams on sleeves and set them into the armholes.

