





**Size:** UK 8/10 (12/14) - US 4/6 (8/10) - EU 34/36 (38/40)

**Note:** figures in brackets ( ) refer to larger size. Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes.

**Skill Level:** intermediate

**How much yarn:** 5 balls (each ball 100g and 260m) of **Madrid** yarn (80% Fine Merino Wool, 20% Silk) shade no. 31078

**Needles:** A pair of 5.00mm knitting needles  
A 5.50mm knitting needles

**Sewing needle:** Yarn needle with rounded point

## STITCHES

**Using needles:** K1, P1 rib

**MOCK FISHERMAN'S RIB:** (worked over a multiple of 4 sts)

**1st row:** \* K2, P1, K1; rep from\* to end. **2nd row:** \* K3, P1; rep from\* to end. Rep these 2 rows throughout.

## TENSION

18 sts and 27 rows measure 10cm square over Mock Fisherman's rib with 5.00 mm needles. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve success.

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Back:** with 5.00mm needles cast on 82 (90) sts and work in Mock Fisherman's rib with 1 selvedge stitch at each end until Back measures 41(43)cm from beg. Shape armholes: cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at each end, inside 2 sts, on next and every following alternate row 4 (5) times. When armhole measures 19(21)cm, cast off rem 66 (72) sts.

**Front:** work as Back until armhole measures 11(13)cm; now shape neck: cast off centre 20 (22) sts, join another ball of yarn and cont separately on each side, casting off on neck edge every alternate row: 3 sts once, 2 sts once, then dec 1 st once. When neck shaping measures 8cm, cast off rem 17 (19) sts for each shoulder.

**Sleeves:** for each sleeve, with 5.00mm needles cast on 58 (64) sts and work in Mock Fisherman's rib. Add 1 selvedge stitch at each end only for 1st size. When Sleeve measures 45(47)cm from beg, shape top: cast off 4 sts at each end, then dec 1 st at each end, inside 2 sts, on next and every following alternate row 20 (23) times. When sleeve top measures 16(18)cm, cast off rem 10 sts.

**Collar:** with 5.50mm needles cast on 44 sts and work in Mock Fisherman's rib until Collar measures 55 (57)cm from beg. Cast off. Sew Collar to create a ring, joining together cast-on and cast-off rows.

## FINISHING

Sew a shoulder seam. For **neck border**, on RS of work, with 5.00mm needles pick up about 74 (80) sts around Front-and-Back neckline and work 6 (8)rows in K1, P1 rib, then cast off. Sew other shoulder and neck border seam. Set in sleeves, then sew sleeve and side seams. When you wear the sweater, you can let the collar fall softly as it is, or keep it folded in half.

