



# **Stella Sweater**

No. 2004-193-4669



# Materials:

3 skeins of 0.9 oz. (25 g) Diablo In colors: 19, 20, 23 and 28 Yarn scrap for provisional cast on

One-colored: 9 (10, 11) skeins of 0.9 oz. (25 g)

Circular knitting needle 31.5 inches (80 cm), US size 10.75 (7 mm) and 13 (9 mm)

# Yarn qualities:

Diablo, Hobbii 30% mohair, 30% nylon, 40% acrylic / 0.9 oz. (25 g), 246 yards (225 m)

# Buy the yarn here:

# http://hobbii.com/stella-sweater

# Techniques:

You can find videos of the techniques used in the pattern in the links below

# **Turning stitches**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Bz7YhiXuA8

# Magic loop

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FtLallfMHMg

# lcord

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LejPncCljjY

# Sizes:

S/M (M/L, L/XL)

# Measurements:

Width: 21.7 (23.6) 25.6 inches (55

(60, 65) cm)

Length: 19.3 (19.7) 20.1 inches (49

(50, 51) cm)

# Knitting gauge:

With 4 strands of yarn on US needle size 13 (9 mm) 11 stitches and 14 rounds on 4 inches (10 cm)

# Pattern information:

Use 1 thread of each of the 4 colors of Diablo = 4 strands in total.

The sweater is knitted down-up. Bind off for armhole and v-neck.

The shoulders are

knitted so they slope and then sewn together.

You knit up stitches in the armhole and the sleeves are knitted top-down.

All edges are finished with an i-cord.









# Cast on edge

Cast on 120 (132, 144) sts using the yarn scrap on circular needle US size 13 (9 mm) and knit 1 rnd of stockinette stitches.

The cast-on-yarn is removed when the icord edge is knitted later on.

# **Body**

Switch to the mohair yarn (4 threads) and knit in the round in stockinettes stitches until your work measures 15.7 inches (40 cm).

Place a marker in each side = side seams = 60 (66, 72) sts for the back and the front piece. Here, you divide the work into armholes. Place the sts of the front piece on hold on a circular needle and knit in the back.

#### The back

Knit back and forth in stockinette stitches until armhole measures 7.5 (7.9) 8.3 inches (19 (20) 21 cm). Finish with a purl row.

# **Right shoulder** (when wearing the sweater)

# Shape shoulder and neck using turning stitches / German short rows:

Right side (RS): knit 28 (30, 32) sts, turn.

Wrong side (WS): knit a turning stitch (TS), knit until you have 7 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

RS: knit 1 TS, knit until you have 3 sts left at the neck, turn.

WS: knit 1 TS, knit until you have 15 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

RS: knit 1 TS, knit until you have 6 sts left at the neck, turn.

WS: knit 1 TS, knit the rest of the row, as you knit the turning stitches as 1 stitch, turn.

RS: bind off these 28 (30, 32) sts, as you knit the turning sts as 1 stitch.

Place a marker 22 (24, 26) sts from each side to the shoulder, and the 6 sts to the neck.

# Neck

RS: bind off 4 (6, 8) sts and knit the rest of the row.

# Left shoulder

# Shape shoulder and neck using turning stitches / German short rows:

WS: knit until you have 3 sts left at the neck, turn.

RS: knit 1 TS, knit until you have 7 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

WS: knit 1 TS, knit until you have 6 sts left at the neck, turn.

RS: knit 1 TS, knit until you have 15 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

WS: knit 1 TS, knit the rest of the row, as you knit the turning sts as 1 stitch, turn.



RS: bind off, as you knit the turning sts as 1 stitch.

Place a marker 22 (24, 26) sts from each side to the shoulder, and the 6 sts are for the neck.

**NOTE:** The neck should have a total of 16 (18, 20) sts.

# Front piece

Place a marker in the middle of the front piece = 30 (33, 36) sts on each side and knit back and forth in stockinette stitches.

#### Start the V-neckline:

**Left side** (when wearing the sweater)

1. row, rs: knit 28 (31, 34) sts, knit 2 sts together knitwise.

2. row, ws: purl.

Repeat these 2 rows until you have 22 (24, 26) sts.

Knit straight up until armhole measures 7.5 (7.9) 8.3 inches (19 (20) 21 cm). Finish with a right side row (rs).

# Shape the shoulder using turning stitches/ German short rows:

WS: knit until you have 7 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

RS: knit 1 TS, knit the rest of the row, turn.

WS: knit until you have 15 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

RS: knit 1 TS, knit the rest of the row, turn.

WS: purl, as you work the turning sts as 1 stitch.

RS: bind off.

#### Right side

1. row, rs: knit 2 sts together through the back loops, knit the rest of the row.

2. row, ws: purl.

Repeat these 2 rows until you have 22 (24, 26) sts.

Knit straight up until armhole measures 7.5 (7.9) 8.3 inches (19 (20) 21 cm). Finish with a wrong side row (ws).

# Shape the shoulder using turning stitches/ German short rows:

RS: knit until you have 7 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

WS: knit 1 TS, knit the rest of the row, turn.

RS: knit until you have 15 sts left at the shoulder, turn.

WS: knit 1 TS, knit the rest of the row, turn.

RS: bind off, as you knit the turning sts as 1 stitch.



#### Shoulder seams

Sew the shoulder seams together using kitchener stitches.

# Sleeves (knitted top down)

Knit up approx. 42 (44, 46) sts in the armhole using US needle size 10.75 (7 mm).

Place a marker at the beginning of the rnd.

Switch to US needle size 13 (9 mm) and work stockinette stitches using magic loop technique.

Knit 2 sts together knitwise on each side of the marker with a n interspace of 2 sts.

Decrease on every 6th rnd until you have 26 (28, 30) sts left. Knit straight up until your work measures approx. 15 inches (38 cm). Switch to US needle size 10.75 (7 mm), knit 1 rnd and bind off with an i-cord, like this:

# I-cord bind off:

Cast on 3 new sts on the right needle using the knitted cast on technique, move these 3 sts to the left needle.

Knit: \*2 sts knitwise, 2 sts together through the back loops, move these 3 sts back onto the left needle\*

Repeat from \*to\* until all sts have been bound off. Sew the 3 sts together with the edge using kitchener stitches.

Knit the other sleeve the same way.

# **Neckline**

Knit up sts from the right side on US needle size 10.75 (7 mm) around the V-neckline. Bind off with an i-cord edge just like you did with the sleeve edge.

# Sweater edge

Remove the provisional cast on yarn and place the sts onto a US needle size 10.75 (7 mm). Knit 1 rnd of knit stitches.

Bind off using an i-cord edge as you did with the sleeve edge.

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