

## Olga - Top

No. 2004-202-8237

## Materials

3 (3, 4, 4, 5) skeins Rainbow Bamboo, Color no 20

Circular needles: 80 cm in sizes 3 mm and 3.5 mm

Yarn
Rainbow Bamboo, Hobbii
60\% Bamboo Viscose, 40\% cotton/ 100 grams $=250$ meters

## Gauge

23.5 stitches \& 38 rows $=10 \mathrm{~cm}$ in pattern using larger needles

Buy the yarn here
http://shop.hobbii.com/olga-top

## Sizes

S (M, L, XL, XXL)

## Measurements

Width: $41(43,46,49,51) \mathrm{cm}$
Length: $49(50,52,53,55) \mathrm{cm}$

## Pattern information

The top is knitted in the round on circular needles up to the armholes.
It is knitted in a simple lace pattern and features ribbed edges at the neck and armhole openings.

## Technique videos <br> Magic loop:

https://www.youtube.com/watch? $\mathrm{v}=\mathrm{FtLallfMHMg}$
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Enjoy!

## Pattern repeats

Pattern, in the round on circular needles
Round 1: *knit 3, yarn over, slip 1 knitwise, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over, yarn over*, repeat between *-* until end of round.
Rounds 2, 3 \& 4: knit.
Round 5: *yarn over, slip 1 knitwise, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over, yarn over, knit 3*, repeat between *-* until end of round.
Rounds 6, 7 \& 8: knit.

Pattern, back and forth on circular needles
Row 1, right side: *knit 3, yarn over, slip 1 knitwise, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over, yarn over*, repeat between *-* until end of row.
Row 2, wrong side: purl.
Row 3, right side: knit.
Row 4, wrong side: purl.
Row 5, right side: *yarn over, slip 1 knitwise, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over, yarn over, knit 3*, repeat between *-* until end of row.
Row 6, wrong side: purl.
Row 7, right side: knit.
Row 8, wrong side: purl.

## Pattern

## Ribbing

Cast on $192(204,216,228,240)$ stitches on a 3 mm circular needle. Join to knit in the round and knit ribbing: knit 1, purl 1.
Knit 4 cm of ribbing.

## Body

Change to size 3.5 mm circular needle.
Knit 2 rounds.
Proceed to knit in pattern in the round on circular needles until work measures 32 (32, 33, 33, 34) cm.
Place a stitch marker at the beginning and middle of the round $=96(102,108,114,120)$ stitches for each half.

## Armhole shaping

*Knit to $3(4,5,6,7)$ stitches before next stitch marker, loosely bind off $6(8,10,12,14)$ stitches*, repeat between *-* once more $=90(94,98,102,106)$ stitches for each half.

Now you will knit the back and leave the front stitches to rest.

## Back

Proceed in pattern, but now in pattern back and forth on circular needles.

## Armhole shaping

Right side: Knit 1, knit 2 together through the back loop, continue in pattern (back and forth) to 3 stitches left on needle, knit 2 together, knit $1=2$ stitches decreased.
Decrease on every right side row for a total of $7(8,9,10,11)$ times $=76(78,80,82,84)$ stitches.
Knit until armhole measures $15(16,17,18,19) \mathrm{cm}$.

## Bind off loosely.

## Front

Continue in pattern back and forth on circular needles.

## Armhole and neck shaping

Decrease for the armhole as on the back, and AT THE SAME TIME work neck shaping, starting when the armhole measures $6(6,6,7,7) \mathrm{cm}$.

## Neckline

## Left side

Place a stitch marker on each side of the middle 18 stitches.
Right side: knit to stitch marker.
Wrong side: bind off $4(4,5,5,6)$ stitches, knit to end of row.
Right side: knit to stitch marker.
Wrong side: bind off 3 stitches, knit to end of row.
Proceed to bind off $3 \times 2$ stitches and $2 \times 1$ stitches in the beginning of every wrong side row $=14(15,15,16,16)$ stitches for shoulder.
Knit until armhole measures $17(18,19,20,21) \mathrm{cm}$.
Place a stitch marker in the armhole side $=$ middle of the shoulder.
Knit 2 cm . Bind off.
Place the middle stitches on a stitch holder.

## Right side

Right side: knit in pattern.
Wrong side: purl.
Right side: bind off $4(4,5,5,6)$ stitches, knit to end of row.
Wrong side: purl.
Right side: bind off 3 stitches, knit to end of row.
Wrong side: purl.
Proceed to bind off $3 \times 2$ stitches and $2 \times 1$ stitches in the beginning of every right side row $=$ $14(15,15,16,16)$ stitches for shoulder.
Knit until armhole measures $17(18,19,20,21) \mathrm{cm}$.
Place a stitch marker in the armhole side $=$ middle of the shoulder.
Knit 2 cm . Bind off.

## Neckband

Sew the shoulders together with the back.
Pick up stitches along the neck edge on a 3 mm circular needle (about 23 stitches for every 10 cm ) and continue in the round using magic loop.
Knit 2 cm ribbing: knit 1, purl 1.
Bind off in rib pattern.

## Armhole edges

Pick up stitches along the armhole on a 3 mm circular needle (about 23 stitches for every 10 cm ) and continue in the round using magic loop.
Knit 2 cm ribbing: knit 1, purl 1.
Bind off in rib pattern.

