



KNITTING PATTERN

# Acute

Colourwork Tee

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# pompom x hobbii

## MATERIALS

**Pom Pom x Hobbii** Garland

**Shades:**

**Yarn A:** Pixel (34); 8 (9, 10, 12, 13, 15, 16) balls

**Yarn B:** Whim (01); 1 ball

**Yarn C:** Sylvie (24); 1 ball

**Yarn D:** Hilma (25); 1 ball

(Yarns B-D use approx. 40 (46, 54, 61, 68, 77, 84)m / 44 (50, 59, 66, 74, 84, 92) yds in total)

4.5mm / US 7 circular needle, at least 80cm / 32" length **and** needles suitable for working small circumferences in the round

4mm / US 6 circular needle, at least 80cm / 32" length **and** needles suitable for working small circumferences in the round

4mm / US 6 crochet hook for provisional cast-on (optional)

Always use a needle size that will result in the correct gauge after blocking.

3 stitch markers (including one unique for beg of round), 16-19 locking stitch markers or safety pins, scrap yarn, stitch holders, tapestry needle.

## YARN QUALITY

 **Garland**, Hobbii x Pom Pom

Worsted weight

70% Cotton, 30% Alpaca

105m / 114yd per 50 g

## QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at [support@hobbii.com](mailto:support@hobbii.com). Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

## SIZES

1 (2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)

## MEASUREMENTS

**Finished chest (fullest point) circumference:**

103 (115.5, 129, 139, 151.5, 162, 170)cm / 40<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (45<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 50<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 54<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 59<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 63<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 67)" – to be worn with 15-25.5cm / 6-10" positive ease

Model has a 86cm / 34" chest circumference and is wearing a size 1.

## PATTERN INFORMATION

The sweater is worked top down with a circular yoke construction, starting with a provisional cast-on for the folded collar, which is worked in half twisted rib. Two rows of triangles in contrast colors are worked and the spaces between the triangles are filled in with yarn A using short rows. The body and sleeve are then divided and finished separately in Stocking stitch, ending with half twisted rib at the hem and cuffs and a tubular cast-off.

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## BUY THE YARN HERE

<https://shop.hobbii.com/acute-colourwork-tee>

## Pattern



### GAUGE

19 sts & 24 rows = 10cm / 4" over St st on 4.5mm needles after blocking.

### ABBREVIATIONS

Beg: beginning

Dec: decrease

Est: established

Foll: follow(s)/following

Inc: increase

K: knit

k2tog: knit 2 stitches together

LH: left hand

LR: Lift the right leg of the stitch below next stitch onto the left needle and knit it. *1 st inc*

M1L: Make 1 Left; pick up strand between the two needles from the front to back with the tip of left needle, knit into the back of this stitch

Patt: pattern (i.e. work in pattern)

PM: place marker

P: purl

Rem: remain(s)/remaining

Rep: repeat

RH: right hand

RS: right side

S2kpo: slip 2 stitches knitwise, knit next stitch, pass slipped stitches over

Skpo: slip next stitch knitwise, knit next stitch, pass slipped stitch over

Sl: slip

SM: slip marker

st(s): stitch(es)

St st: stocking stitch (stockinette): knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows

Tbl: through the back loop

Tog: together

Wyif: with yarn held in front of work

WS: wrong side

## STITCH GLOSSARY

### 1x1 Half Twisted Rib (in the round):

**Round 1:** [K1tbl, p1] to end.

Rep round 1 for pattern.

### German Short Rows:

**Create DS:** Bring yarn to front, slip the first stitch as if to purl, bring yarn over the needle to the back of your work and pull tight (it will look like a double stitch = DS)

**Resolving Double Stitches:** When you encounter the DS on subsequent rows, work DS in pattern, inserting needle through both legs of the DS and treating it as one stitch.

**LR (Lifted right increase):** Lift the right leg of the st below next st onto LH needle and knit it. *1 st inc*

### Tubular Cast-off

<https://pompomag.com/blogs/tutorials/tubular-cast-off>

## PATTERN BEGINS

Using larger needle and a provisional method, provisionally cast on 100 (100, 110, 110, 120, 120, 120) sts. Change to smaller needles and continue with yarn A. Join for working in the round being careful not to twist sts. PM to indicate beg of round.

**Rounds 1-16:** [K1tbl, p1] to end.

Carefully unravel the provisional cast-on and place sts on a spare circular needle. Fold collar in half with WS together. With LH needle tips of both needles held parallel, insert RH needle tip of working needle through corresponding sts and knit them tog to join all collar sts.

## BODY

Change to larger needles.

**Round 1:** Knit.

**Round 2 (inc):** [K10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 12, 12), LR] 10 times. *110 (110, 121, 121, 132, 132, 132) sts*

**Round 3:** Knit.

Break yarn A.

## Triangle Section One

**Note:** Triangles are worked one at a time. Begin with yarn B for first triangle, yarn C for second triangle and then yarn D for third triangle. Continue changing colours as preferred (sample uses the foll sequence: B, C, D, B, C, B, D, C, B, D).

### Triangle

**Row 1 (RS):** K11, turn. *11 sts*

**Row 2 (WS):** K to end.

**Row 3 (RS):** S11 wyif, k to end.

**Row 4 (WS):** S11 wyif, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. *9 sts*

**Rows 5-9:** Rep rows 3-4 twice, then rep row 3 only once. *5 sts*

**Row 10 (WS):** S11 wyif, s2kpo, k1. *3 sts*

**Row 11 (RS):** Rep row 3.

**Row 12 (WS):** Sl1 wyif, take yarn between needles to back of work, sl1 back from RH needle to LH needle, s2kpo. *1 st*

Secure st on locking stitch marker or safety pin. Break yarn and rejoin to next set of 11 sts. Rep rows 1-12 to work triangles over all sts. *10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 12, 12) triangles*

### Short Row Sections

\*\*The spaces between the triangles will now be filled in with yarn A by working short rows. Start at tip of first triangle.

**Set-up row (RS):** Slip the peak st of triangle 1 from locking stitch marker onto RH needle, attach yarn A and pick up and knit 6 sts (1 st for every slipped st) along LH side of triangle 1, use the LH needle to lift the yarn A strand between triangle 1 and 2 from front to back and knit it tbl, pick up and knit 6 sts (1 st for every slipped st) along RH side of triangle 2, turn. *14 sts*

**Short row 1 (WS):** Sl1 wyif, p7, turn.

**Short row 2 (RS):** Create DS, k2, turn.

**Short row 3 (WS):** Create DS, p to DS, resolve DS, p1, turn.

**Short row 4 (RS):** Create DS, k to DS, resolve DS, k1, turn.

**Short rows 5-11:** Repeat Short rows 3-4 further 3 times, rep short row 3 once.

**Short row 12 (RS):** Create DS, k to DS, resolve DS, k1.\*

Moving on to next space between triangles each time, rep Set-up row and Short rows 1-12 until all spaces between triangles are filled with short rows. Join to work in the round and PM for beg of round.\*\*

**Next round:** Knit, resolving rem DS. *140 (140, 154, 154, 168, 168, 168) sts*

**Next round:** Knit.

**Next round (inc):** [LR, k14] 10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 12, 12) times. *150 (150, 165, 165, 180, 180, 180) sts*  
Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K1, M1L, k14] 10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 12, 12) times. *160 (160, 176, 176, 192, 192, 192) sts*

Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K1, LR, k15] 10 (10, 11, 11, 12, 12, 12) times. *170 (170, 187, 187, 204, 204, 204) sts*

Knit 2 rounds.

### Sizes 1 & 2 ONLY

**Next round (inc):** [K10, LR] 3 times, k to last 30 sts, [LR, k10] 3 times. *176 sts*

### Sizes 3 & 4 ONLY

**Next round:** Knit.

### Sizes 5, 6 & 7 ONLY

**Next round (inc):** [K10, LR] 3 times, k to last 20 sts, [LR, k10] twice. *209 sts*

### ALL sizes again

#### Triangle Section Two

Triangle Section Two is worked in the same way as Section One, working 16 (16, 17, 17, 19, 19, 19) triangles in colours of your choice (sample uses B, D, C, B, C, D, B, C, B, D, B, C, D, B, D, C).

Work one round of Triangles as for Triangle Section One. Fill in spaces between each triangle by repeating Short Row Section from \*\* to \*\*.

**Next round (RS):** Knit, resolving rem DS. 224 (224, 238, 238, 266, 266, 266) sts

**Next round:** Knit.

**Next round (inc):** [LR, k14] 16 (16, 17, 17, 19, 19,19) times. 240 (240, 255, 255, 285, 285, 285) sts  
Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K1, M1L, k14] 16 (16, 17, 17, 19, 19, 19) times. 256 (256, 272, 272, 304, 304, 304) sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K1, LR, k15] 16 (16, 17, 17, 19, 19,19) times. 272 (272, 289, 289, 323, 323, 323) sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K2, M1L, k15] 16 (16, 17, 17, 19, 19, 19) times. 288 (288, 306, 306, 342, 342, 342) sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Size 1 ONLY:** Increases are complete, go to "ALL sizes again".

**Sizes 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7,** continue as foll:

**Next round (inc):** [K2, LR, k16] — (16, 17, 17, 19, 19, 19) times. — (304, 323, 323, 361, 361, 361) sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K3, M1L, k16] — (16, 17, 17, 19, 19, 19) times. — (320, 340, 340, 380, 380, 380) sts

**Size 2 ONLY:** Increases are complete, go to "ALL sizes again".

**Sizes 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7,** continue as foll:

**Next round (inc):** [K3, LR, k17] — (—, 17, 17, 19, 19, 19) times. — (—, 357, 357, 399, 399, 399) sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Size 3 ONLY:** Increases are complete, go to "ALL sizes again".

**Sizes 4, 5, 6 & 7,** continue as foll:

**Next round (inc):** [K4, M1L, k17] — (—, —, 17, 19, 19, 19) times. — (—, —, 374, 418, 418, 418) sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Sizes 4 & 5 ONLY:** Increases are complete, go to "ALL sizes again".

**Sizes 6 & 7,** continue as foll:

**Next round (inc):** [K4, LR, k18] 19 times. 437 sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Next round (inc):** [K5, M1L, k18] 19 times. 456 sts

Knit 2 rounds.

**Size 6 ONLY:** Increases are complete, go to "ALL sizes again".

**Size 7 ONLY**

**Next round (inc):** [K5, LR, k19] 19 times. 475 sts

Knit 2 rounds.

## ALL sizes again

Knit 2 rounds. 288 (320, 357, 374, 418, 456, 475) sts

## Divide Sleeves and Body

**Next round:** K46 (52, 58, 61, 68, 72, 75) sts, slip next 52 (56, 62, 65, 73, 84, 88) sts to holder for right sleeve, PM, using backwards loop method cast on 6 (6, 6, 10, 8, 10, 12) sts, k92 (104, 117, 122, 136, 144, 149) sts for front, slip next 52 (56, 62, 65, 73, 84, 88) sts to holder for left sleeve, using backwards loop method cast on 6 (6, 6, 10, 8, 10, 12) sts, PM, k to beg of round. 196 (220, 245, 264, 288, 308, 323) sts

## Short Rows for higher back neck

**Short row 1 (RS):** K to marker, remove marker, k1, turn.

**Short row 2 (WS):** Create DS, p to beg of round marker, SM, p to marker, remove marker, p1, turn.

**Short row 3 (RS):** Create DS, k to DS, resolve DS, k1, turn.

**Short row 4 (WS):** Create DS, p to DS, resolve DS, p1, turn.

Rep Short rows 3–4 further 4 (4, 4, 8, 6, 8, 10) times.

**Next round:** Create DS, k to last 3 (3, 3, 5, 4, 5, 6) sts before DS, PM for new beg of round.

Work straight in St st in the round, resolving rem DS when you pass them, until Body measures 28 (29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34)cm / 11 (11¼, 11¾, 12¼, 12½, 13, 13¼)" from centre of underarm, or 3cm / 1¼" less than desired front length.

## HEM

Change to smaller needle.

**Round 1:** [K1tbl, p1] to end.

Rep round 1 until hem measures 3cm / 1¼".

Cast off using tubular method.

## SLEEVES (both alike)

With RS facing, using larger needles suitable for working small circumferences in the round and beg at centre of underarm, pick up and knit 4 (4, 4, 6, 5, 6, 7) sts along underarm cast-on, k52 (56, 62, 65, 73, 84, 88) sts, pick up and knit 4 (4, 4, 6, 5, 6, 7) sts along underarm cast-on, PM to indicate beg of round. 60 (64, 70, 77, 83, 96, 102) sts

Work straight in St st until sleeve measures 13 (14, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18)cm / 5¼ (5½, 5½, 6, 6¼, 6¾, 7¼)" from underarm, or 2cm / ¾" less than desired length.

## CUFF

Change to smaller needles.

**Round 1:** [K1tbl, p1] to end.

Rep round 1 until cuff measures 2cm / ¾".

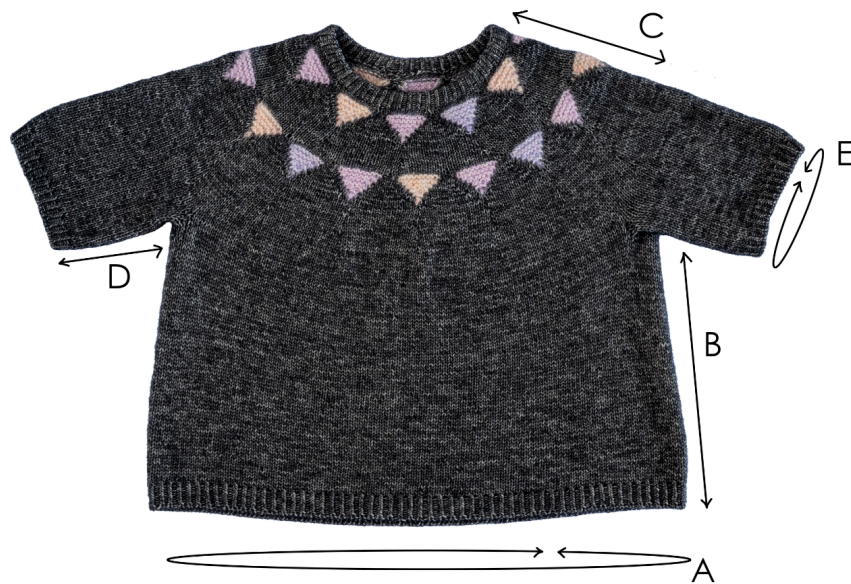
Cast off using tubular method.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and block to measurements.

Enjoy!

SCHEMATIC



- a. Chest circumference:** 103 (115.5, 129, 139, 151.5, 162, 170)cm / 40<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (45<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 50<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 54<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 59<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 63<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 67)"
- b. Length (hem to underarm):** 31 (32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37)cm / 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 13, 13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 13<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>)"
- c. Yoke depth:** 21.5 (24, 25.5, 26.5, 27.5, 29, 30.5)cm / 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> (9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 10, 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 12)"
- d. Sleeve length:** 15 (16, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20)cm / 6 (6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 7, 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 8)"
- e. Upper arm circumference:** 31.5 (33.5, 37, 40.5, 43.5, 50.5, 53.5)cm / 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> (13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 16, 17<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, 20, 21)"

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