
C-1008 6D
P&B
WOOLS
Double Quick, Totem or
Moorland Double Knitting
THREE SIZES 40—44 IN. CHEST

Ribbed Casual Coat in 3 sizes

quickly knitted in a choice of double knittings by P & B

MATERIALS

24 [25, 26] oz. PATONS DOUBLE QUICK Knitting, or
PATONS TOTEM Double Knitting, or
23 [24, 25] oz. PATONS MOORLAND Double Knitting.
Two No. 9 and two No. 7 BEEHIVE needles, or QUEEN BEE if stainless rigid needles preferred, measured by BEEHIVE gauge. Two BEEHIVE stitch-holders. Nine leather buttons.

You must use the P & B brands recommended above to be sure of a successful result.

MEASUREMENTS

To fit 40 [42, 44] inch chest. Length at centre back, 26 [26¼, 26½] ins. Sleeve seam, 18½ ins. (adjustable).

These instructions apply to the above measurements only; adaptations to other sizes are not available.

SIZES

The figures in square brackets [ ] refer to the medium and large sizes respectively.

ABBREVIATIONS

K.=knit; P.=purl; K.B.=knit into back of stitch; P.B.=purl into back of stitch; st.=stitch; tog.=together; t.b.l.=through back of loops; inc.=increase by working into front and back of stitch; dec.=decrease by working 2 sts. together; beg.=beginning; alt.=alternate; rep.=repeat; patt.=pattern; ins.=inches; Tw.2F.=Twist 2 Front by knitting into front of 2nd st., then front of first st. on left-hand needle and slipping 2 sts. off needle together; Tw.2B.=Twist 2 Back by knitting into back of 2nd st., then back of first st. on left-hand needle and slipping 2 sts. off needle together.

HOW TO CHECK YOUR TENSION

Before you knit this design check your tension carefully. Take a pair of No. 7 needles and some Patons Double Quick Knitting or Patons Totem Double Knitting, or Patons Moorland Double Knitting. Cast on 21 stitches and work in stocking stitch—1 row knit; 1 row purl—for 28 rows. Cast off; press lightly on wrong side. The tension should be 5¼ sts. and 7 rows to one square inch and the knitted square should measure 4 inches each way. If the square is bigger your work is too loose; try a size finer needle. If it is smaller your work is too tight; try a size coarser needle.

If you knit to the correct tension in stocking stitch, you will knit naturally to the correct tension for any stitch in this booklet. If you alter the needles to obtain the correct tension in stocking stitch corresponding alterations must be made to the needles throughout.

WASHING DOUBLE KNITTING

As this design uses a substantial weight of double knitting wool, special care in washing and drying is essential if it is to keep its shape. Surplus water should be removed as quickly and as thoroughly as possible (a light wringer is permissible); while the garment is wet it should be continually supported and should on no account be hung up to dry.

BACK

Using No. 9 needles, cast on 118 [122, 126] sts.
Proceed in **Twisted rib** as follows:—
1st row—* P.2, Tw.2F., rep. from * to last 2 sts., P.2.
2nd row—* K.2, P.2, rep. from * to last 2 sts., K.2.
Continue as on these 2 rows until work measures 3½ ins. from beg., finishing at end of a 1st row.
Next row—Rib 9 [8, 10], (inc. in next st., rib 13 [14, 14]) 7 times, inc. in next st., rib to end (126 [130, 134] sts.).
Change to No. 7 needles and proceed in **Embossed rib** as follows:—
1st row—* P.2, K.B.2, rep. from * to last 2 sts., P.2.
2nd row—* K.2, P.B.2, rep. from * to last 2 sts., K.2.
Continue in rib as on these 2 rows until work measures 16½ ins. from beg., finishing with **wrong** side facing for next row.

Shape Raglan armholes as follows:—
Next row—Cast off 8, rib to last 8 sts., cast off 8. Break off wool.
Rejoin wool and proceed as follows:—
1st row—K.1, P.1, Tw.2F., P.2, Tw.2F., P.1, K.2 tog.t.b.l., rib to last 11 sts., K.2 tog., P.1, Tw.2B., P.2, Tw.2B., P.1, K.1.
2nd row—(K.2, P.2) twice, K.1, P.2, tog., rib to last 11 sts., P.2 tog.t.b.l., K.1, (P.2, K.2) twice.
3rd to 12th row—Rep. 1st and 2nd rows 5 times.
Proceed as follows:—
1st row—K.1, P.1, Tw.2F., P.2, Tw.2F., P.1, K.2 tog.t.b.l., rib to last 11 sts., K.2 tog., P.1, Tw.2B., P.2, Tw.2B., P.1, K.1.
2nd row—(K.2, P.2) twice, K.1, P.1, rib to last 10 sts., P.1, K.1, (P.2, K.2) twice.
Rep. these 2 rows until 26 [28, 30] sts. remain.

Change to No. 9 needles and work 5 rows in K.1, P.1, rib on these sts.
Cast off.

POCKET

Using No. 9 needles, cast on 25 sts.
Work in stocking stitch for 4¼ ins., finishing at end of a K. row.
Slip sts. on to a stitch-holder and leave.

RIGHT FRONT

Using No. 9 needles, cast on 50 [54, 58] sts.
Work in Twisted rib as on Back, finishing at end of a 1st row.
Next row—Rib 6 [4, 6], (inc. in next st., rib 3 [4, 4]) 9 times, inc. in next st., rib to end (60 [64, 68] sts.).

Change to No. 7 needles and proceed as follows:—
1st row—(P.2, K.B.3, P.2, Tw.2F., Tw.2B.) twice, * P.2, K.B.2, rep. from * to last 2 sts., P.2.
2nd row—* K.2, P.B.2, rep. from * to last 24 sts., K.2, (P.4, K.2, P.B.3, K.2) twice.
These 2 rows form the panel and rib patt. used throughout Front.
Continue in patt. until work measures 4 ins. from **top of ribbing,** finishing with right side facing for next row.

Make buttonhole as follows:—
Next row—Patt. 22, rib 11, cast off 3, rib to end.
Next row—Rib to last 33 sts., cast on 3, patt. to end.
Work 2 rows, thus finishing at front edge.

Place Pocket as follows:—
Next row—Patt. 22, K. next 25 sts. on to a stitch-holder and leave, rib to end.
Next row—Rib to sts. on stitch-holder, slip sts. from top of pocket on to left-hand needle, rib across these sts., patt. to end.
Continue in patt., until work measures same as Back up to armhole shaping, finishing with **wrong** side facing for next row.

Shape Raglan armhole as follows:—
Next row—Cast off 8, patt. to end.
Proceed as follows:—
1st row—Work 2 tog., patt. to last 11 sts., K.2 tog., P.1, Tw.2B., P.2, Tw.2B., P.1, K.1.
2nd row—(K.2, P.2) twice, K.1, P.2 tog., patt. to end.
Dec. at front edge on every 6th [5th, 4th] row from previous dec. and dec. at armhole edge on every row as on these 2 rows, work 10 more rows.
Still dec. at front edge on every 6th [5th, 4th] row, proceed as follows:—
1st row—Work to last 11 sts., K.2 tog., P.1, Tw.2B., P.2, Tw.2B., P.1, K.1.
2nd row—(K.2, P.2) twice, K.1, P.1, work to end.
Working dec. at front edge on every 6th [5th, 4th] row as before until 9 [12, 15] dec. **in all** have been worked at front edge, continue dec. at armhole edge as on last 2 rows on next and every alt. row, **noting** that when 12 sts. remain, dec. at armhole edge are worked inside K. st. on this edge.
When the 9 [12, 15] front dec. are completed, continue dec. at armhole edge **only** on every alt. row as before until 1 st. remains.
Work 1 row.
Fasten off.

POCKET TOP

Slip 25 sts. from top of pocket on to No. 9 needle.
K. 3 rows.
Cast off.

POCKET, LEFT FRONT AND POCKET TOP

Pocket—Work as Right Front.
Left Front
Work ribbing and inc. row as on Right Front (60 [64, 68] sts.).

Change to No. 7 needles and proceed as follows:—
1st row—* P.2, K.B.2, rep. from * to last 24 sts., P.2, (Tw.2F., Tw.2B., P.2, K.B.3, P.2) twice.
2nd row—(K.2, P.B.3, K.2, P.4) twice, * K.2, P.B.2, rep. from * to last 2 sts., K.2.
Continue in patt. until work matches Right Front up to buttonhole, finishing with right side facing for next row.

Next row—Work to last 36 sts., cast off 3, work to end.
Next row—Work across 33 sts., cast on 3, work to end.
Work 2 rows.
Next row—Work to last 47 sts., K. next 25 sts. on to a stitch-holder, work to end.
Next row—Work to sts. on stitch-holder, **place pocket**, work to end.
Continue on these sts. until work measures same as Right Front up to armhole shaping, finishing with **wrong** side facing for next row.

Shape Raglan armhole as follows:—
Next row—Patt. to last 8 sts., cast off 8.
Break off wool.
Rejoin wool and proceed as follows:—
1st row—K.1, P.1, Tw.2F., P.2, Tw.2F., P.1, K.2 tog.t.b.l., work to last 2 sts., work 2 tog.
2nd row—Work to last 11 sts., P.2 tog.t.b.l., K.1, (P.2, K.2) twice.
Working dec. as on Right Front, proceed for 10 more rows in this manner.
Next row—K.1, P.1, Tw.2F., P.2, Tw.2F., P.1, K.2 tog.t.b.l., work to end.
Complete to match Right Front reversing shapings.

SLEEVES

Using No. 9 needles, cast on 66 sts.
Work in Twisted rib as on Back for 3 ins., finishing with **wrong** side facing for next row.
Next row—Rib 7, (inc. in next st., rib 2) 17 times, inc. in next st., rib to end (84 sts.).

Change to No. 7 needles and proceed in patt. as follows:—
1st row—* P.2, K.B.3, P.2, Tw.2F., Tw.2B., rep. from * to last 7 sts., P.2, K.B.3, P.2.
2nd row—* K.2, P.B.3, K.2, P.4, rep. from * to last 7 sts., K.2, P.B.3, K.2.
These 2 rows form the patt.
Working extra sts. into patt., inc. 1 st. at both ends of next and every following 9th [8th, 8th] row until there are 108 [110, 112] sts.
Continue on these sts. until work measures 18½ ins. from beg., finishing with **wrong** side facing for next row (length of Sleeve adjustable at this point).
Next row—Cast off 8, patt. to last 8 sts., cast off 8.
Break off wool.
Rejoin wool and **shape Raglan top** by dec. 1 st. at both ends of next 13 rows, then every alt. row until 8 sts. remain.
Work 1 row.
Cast off.

FRONT BAND AND COLLAR

Using No. 9 needles, cast on 16 sts.
1st row—K.1, (Tw.2F., P.2) 3 times, Tw.2F., K.1.
2nd row—K.1, (P.2, Tw.2F.) 3 times, P.2, K.1.
Rep. these 2 rows twice more.
Next row—Rib 6, cast off 4, rib to end.
Next row—Rib 6, cast on 4, rib to end.
Continue in this manner, working a buttonhole on every 21st and 22nd row from previous buttonhole until 7 buttonholes **in all** have been completed.
Work 2 rows.
Knitting st. at both ends on every row and working extra sts. into twisted rib patt. throughout, cast on 2 sts. at beg. of next and every alt. row until there are 58 sts., thus finishing at straight edge.
Work 111 [113, 115] rows.
Cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next and every alt. row until 16 sts. remain.
Work Right Front Band to match Left Front Band omitting buttonholes.
Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Omitting twisted rib on No. 9 needles with wrong side of work facing, block each piece by pinning out round edges. Omitting twisted rib on No. 9 needles, press each piece **very lightly** using a warm iron and damp cloth. Flat-stitch Pockets into position on wrong side and Pocket Tops on right side of work. Using a back-stitch seam throughout, join side and sleeve seams; stitch Sleeves into position, matching shapings, stitching 5 rows at top of Back to 4 cast-off sts. at top of sleeve. Using a flat seam stitch Front Bands and Collar into position. Attach buttons to Front Band and inside Pocket to match buttonhole. Press seams.

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