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# Winding Roads Vest

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SKILL LEVEL:



SIZES and MATERIALS:

Finished Measurements:

**Bust:** 36" (38", 40", 42", 46", 48")

**Length:** 23" (24", 24", 24", 25", 25")

**Featured Yarn:** HiKoo® *Sueño Worsted* and *Sueño Worsted Tonal*, 80% Superwash Merino Wool, 20% Viscose from Bamboo; 182 yds / 100 g; 3 (4, 4, 4, 5, 5) hanks.

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4.5 mm (approx US 7) needles

5.0 mm (approx US 8) needles

*or sizes needed to obtain gauge*

stitch markers, tapestry needle, cable needle

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Shown in *Sueño Worsted* #1338 (Denim)

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## STITCH PATTERNS:

### 13-Stitch Right Cross Cable:

Slip 6 sts to cable needle and hold to back of work, (K1 tbl, p1) 3x, k1 tbl, then working off the cable needle, (p1, k1tbl) 3x.

**Seven Sisters Cable:** (mult of 13 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** (K1 tbl, P1) 6x, K1 tbl.

**Row 2 (and all WS rows):** (P1 tbl, K1) 6x, P1 tbl.

**Rows 3, 5, & 7 (RS):** (K1 tbl, P1) 6x, K1 tbl.

**Row 9:** 13-St RC.

**Row 11 (RS):** (K1 tbl, P1) 6x, K1 tbl.

**Row 12:** Repeat Row 2.

Rep Rows 1 - 12 for pat.

**Gauge:** 18 sts and 24 rows = 4" x 4" (10 cm x 10 cm) in St st on larger needle

*To save time, check your gauge and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.*



## INSTRUCTIONS:

### Back:

With larger needle, CO 91 (95, 99, 103, 107, 113) sts.

Purl one row.

Beg with a KNIT row, work in St st until piece measures 2", ending after working a WS row.

## Shaping:

**Note:** To make seaming easier, decs are worked one stitch from the edge.

**Dec Row:** K1, SSK, knit to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

**Next Row:** Purl.

Cont in pat as est, dec 1 stitch at each end of needle on a RS row every 2" four more times, ending after working a WS row = 81 (85, 89, 93, 97, 103) sts. Piece should measure 10".

**Next Row (RS):** Work 33 (35, 37, 39, 41, 44) sts, place marker, P1, work Row 1 of Seven Sisters Cable over the next 13 sts, P1, place marker, knit to end.

**Next Row (WS):** Purl to marker, SM, K1, work Row 2 of Seven Sisters cable over the next 13 sts, K1, SM, purl to end.



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Cont in pat as est, complete 28 rows of the Seven Sisters cable pat between the markers (remembering to keep the first and last stitch *between* the markers in Rev St st), ending after working a WS row.

Cont in St st ONLY, without further shaping, until piece measures 14" (14", 14", 14", 14.5", 14.5"), ending after working a WS row.

**Next Row (RS):** Knit, placing a removable marker at EACH END of this row to mark the beg of the armholes.

Work even until armhole measures 8.5" (9.5", 9.5", 9.5", 10", 10"), ending after working a RS row.

**Next Row (WS):** P16 (18, 20, 22, 24, 27) shoulder sts, BIND OFF next 49 sts for neck, **while at the same time** dec 8 sts across the bind-off, then purl the remaining 16 (18, 20, 22, 24, 27) shoulder sts. Place shoulder sts on holders.

### Right Front:

With larger needles, CO 46 (48, 50, 52, 54, 57) sts.

**Set-Up Row (WS):** P38 (40, 42, 44, 46, 49) sts, place marker, K1 (P1 tbl, K1) 3x, P1 tbl.

**Row 1:** (K1 tbl, P1) 4x, SM, knit to end.

**Row 2:** Purl to marker, (K1, P1 tbl) 4x.

Cont in pat as est until piece measures 2", ending after working a WS row.

**Next Row (RS):** (K1 tbl, P1) 4x, SM, knit to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

**Next Row:** Purl to marker, SM, (K1, P1 tbl) 4x.

Cont in pat as est, dec 1 stitch at THE END of a RS row every 2" four more times ending after working a WS row = 41 (43, 45, 47, 49, 52) sts. Piece should measure 10". Place all sts on a holder.

### Left Front:

With larger needles, CO 46 (48, 50, 52, 54, 57) sts.

**Set-Up Row:** (P1 tbl, K1) 4x, place marker, purl to end.

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit to marker, SM, (P1, K1 tbl) 4x.

**Row 2:** (P1 tbl, K1) 4x, SM, purl to end.

Cont in pat as est until piece measures 2", ending after working a WS row.

**Next Row:** K1, SSK, knit to marker, SM, (P1, K1 tbl) 4x.

**Next Row:** (K1, P1 tbl) 4x, SM, purl to end.

Cont in pat as est, dec 1 stitch at the beg of a RS row every 2" 4x more, ending after working a WS row = 41 (43, 45, 47, 49, 52) sts. Piece should measure 10".

**Next Row:** Work across row to last 8 sts, SM, (P1, K1 tbl) 3x, P2tog, THEN, using the same ball of yarn, work in pat across the Right Front sts on the holder as follows: (K1 tbl, P1) 4x, (this is Row 1 of the Seven Sisters Cable pat), SM, knit to end = 81, (85, 89, 93, 97, 103) sts.

**Next Row:** Purl to marker, SM, K1, work Row 2 of Seven Sisters Cable pat over 13 sts, K1, SM, purl to end.

Cont in pat as est, complete a total of 28 rows of the Seven Sisters cable pat between the markers (remembering to keep the first and last stitch BETWEEN the markers in Rev St st), ending after working a WS row.

**Next Row (RS):** Work to marker, SM, (P1, K1 tbl) 4x, THEN, using a SEPARATE ball of yarn, knit into the front and back in the next stitch, (K1 tbl, P1) 3x, SM, knit to end = 41 (43, 45, 47, 49, 52) sts for each side and 82, (86, 90, 94, 97, 104) total sts.

**Note:** When piece measures 14" (14", 14", 14", 14.5", 14.5") from cast on, place a marker at each end of this row to mark the beg of the armhole.

**Next Row (WS):** Purl to marker, SM, (K1, P1 tbl) 4x, DROP YARN, pick up second ball of yarn, (P1 tbl, K1) 4x, SM, purl to end.

**Next Row (RS):** Work to 2 sts before the marker, K2tog, SM, (P1, K1 tbl) 4x, pick up second ball of yarn, (K1 tbl, P1) 3x, SM, SSK, Knit to end.

**Note:** For decreases worked on WS rows, use SSP for the Right Neck, and P2tog for the Left Neck.

**Next Row (WS):** Purl to marker, SM, (K1, P1 tbl) 4x, DROP YARN, pick up second ball of yarn, (P1 tbl, K1) 4x, SM, purl to end.

Working both sides at the same time, dec one stitch at each neck edge every 3rd row a total of 16 (17, 17, 17, 18, 18) x = 25 (26, 28, 30, 31, 34) sts remaining for each side.

Work until armhole measures 9" (10", 10", 10", 10.5", 10.5"), ending after working a WS row. Place all sts on holders for shoulders.

With RS together, AND keeping the 8 rib pat sts on each holder for the Neckband, use a Three Needle Bind Off to seam the 17 (18, 20, 22, 23, 26) sts of each shoulder together.

**Right Front Neck Band:** Place 8 sts from Right Front holder onto larger needle.

With RS facing, work in pat across the 8 sts, inc one stitch in the last stitch (this additional stitch is used to help in seaming the neckband to the back neck bind-off).

**Next Row (WS):** P1, (K1, P1 tbl) 4x.

Cont in pat as est, making sure to keep the last RS stitch in St st, work until piece measures 5". Place all sts on a holder.

**Left Front Neck Band:** Work as for Right Front Neck Band, keeping the FIRST stitch on the RS in St st (to ease in seaming), until piece measures 5". Using the Kitchener Stitch OR a Three Needle Bind Off (with RS together), sew the two ends of the neckband together, then sew the Neck Band to the back neck, gently easing the band to fit.

**Armhole Bands:** With RS facing and using smaller needle, PUK 88 (90, 90, 90, 92, 92) sts between Front and Back armhole markers.

**Next Row (WS):** \*K1, P1 tbl; repeat from \* to end.

**Next Row (RS):** \*K1 tbl, P1; repeat from \* to end.

Repeat WS row once more (3 pat rows total).

Bind off all sts knitwise.

### FINISHING:

Sew side seams. Weave in ends. Block to measurements.



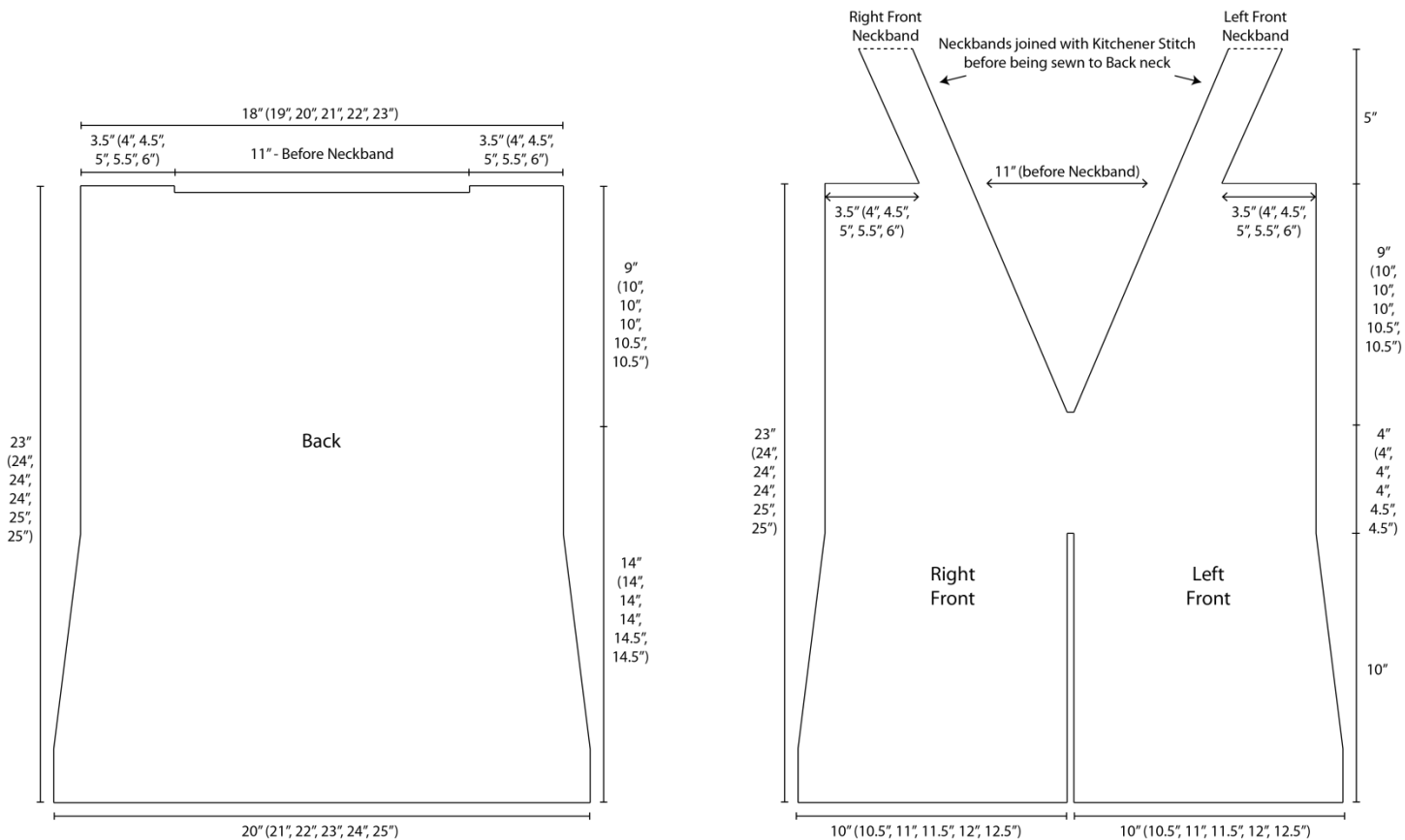
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**ABBREVIATIONS:**

<b>approx</b>	approximate(ly)
<b>beg</b>	begin(ning)
<b>CO</b>	Cast On
<b>cont</b>	continue(s) / continuing
<b>dec</b>	decrease(s) / decreasing
<b>est</b>	established
<b>inc</b>	increase(s) / increasing
<b>k</b>	knit
<b>k2tog</b>	knit two stitches together as one (decreases 1 stitch)
<b>p</b>	purl
<b>p2tog</b>	purl two stitches together as one (decreases 1 stitch)
<b>pat</b>	pattern
<b>Rev St st</b>	Reverse Stockinette Stitch: Purl all right side rows and knit all wrong side rows.
<b>RS</b>	Right Side

<b>SM</b>	slip marker
<b>SSK</b>	Slip 2 stitches knit wise, one at a time, from the left needle to the right needle, then insert the left needle into the front of the slipped stitches and knit them together (decreases 1 stitch).
<b>SSP</b>	Slip 2 stitches knitwise, one at a time, from the left needle to the right needle, transfer them back to the left needle, then purl them together through the back loop (decreases 1 stitch).
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>St st</b>	Stockinette Stitch: Knit all right side rows, and purl all wrong side rows.
<b>tbl</b>	through the back loop
<b>WS</b>	Wrong Side
<b>x</b>	times

**Schematics**



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