



MANOS DEL URUGUAY

FREE PATTERN



UK VERSION

Rose Mallow

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Pattern uses **Manos Silk Blend**. Shown in SB9695 Europa

Other suggested Cabrito colours to choose from:



SB3110 Stellar



SB9622 Caribe



SB3176 Shortcake



MANOS DEL URUGUAY

See www.roosteryarns.com for more colours in the Manos Silk Blend range.

SIZE

To fit bust:

81	86	91	96	102 cm
32	34	36	38	40 in

Actual size:

81	86	92	97	103 cm
32	34	36½	38¾	40½ in

Finished length:

61	61	63	63	65 cm
24	24	24¾	24¾	25½ in

Also check the sizing diagram for actual measurements.

MATERIALS

Manos del Uruguay SILK BLEND (70% Extrafine Merino, 30% Silk), approx 135m/148yds per 50g,

5 (6: 6: 6: 7) x 50g hanks

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3.5mm (US 4) needles

4mm (US 6) needles

Stitch Holder

TENSION

22sts and 30rows in 10cm (4in) square over st st using 4mm (US 6) needles. Please work swatch and check carefully. If necessary, change size of needles to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

k: knit

p: purl

rep: repeat

st(s): stitch(es)

STITCH GUIDE

Selvedge st = purl first st and knit last st tbl (through back of loop) on all rows.

INSTRUCTIONS

BACK

Using 3½ mm (US 4) needles cast on 96 (**102: 108: 114:** 120) sts.

Row 1 (WS): 1 selvedge st, * K1, P1, rep from * to last st, 1 selvedge st.

Rep last row twice, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4 mm (US 6) needles.

Beg with a K row, now work in st st until back measures approx 6 cm [2¾ in], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape sides

Next row dec (RS): 1 selvedge st, k2 tog, K to last 3 sts, sl1, k1, pssso, 1 selvedge st.

Rep last dec row on 2 foll 20th rows = 90 (**96: 102: 108:** 114) sts.

Cont straight until back meas 42 (**42: 43: 43:** 44) cm [16½ (**16½:17:17:** 17 ¼) in], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape armholes

Cast off 4 (**5: 6: 6:** 7) sts at beg of next two rows.

Next row dec (RS): 1 selvedge st, k1, k2tog, K to last 4 sts, sl 1, k1, pssso, k1, 1 selvedge st. Rep last dec row on foll 4 alt rows = 72 (**76: 80: 86:** 90) sts.

Cont straight until armhole meas 16 (16: 17: 17: 18) cm [6¼ (6¼:6¾: 6¾: 7 in)], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape neck

Next row (RS): knit until there are 21 (**22: 23: 25:** 26) sts on right needle and turn, leaving rem sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row (neck edge), then 2 sts on foll 2 alt rows, then dec 1 st on foll 2 alt rows, and at same time shape shoulders when armhole meas 19 (**19: 20: 20:** 21) cm [7½ (**7½: 8: 8:** 8 ¼) in], ending with RS facing for next row.

Work each side of neck separately.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 6 (**7: 7: 8:** 9) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 6 (**6: 7: 8:** 8) sts.

With RS facing slip centre 30 (**32: 34: 36:** 38) sts onto a holder, rejoin yarn and knit to end.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

FRONT

Work as given for back until front meas 42 (**42: 43: 43:** 44) cm [16½ (**16½: 17: 17:** 17¼) in], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape left armhole and divide for front opening

Cast off 4 (**5: 6: 6:** 7) sts, knit until there are 40 (**42: 44: 47:** 49) sts on right needle and turn, leaving rem sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Work 1 row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Next row dec (RS): 1 selvedge st, k1, k2tog, knit to last st, 1 selvedge st.

Rep last dec row on 4 foll alt rows = 35 (**37: 39: 42:** 44) sts.

Work straight until armhole measures 8.5 (**8.5: 9.5: 9.5:** 10.5) cm [3¼ (**3¼: 3¾: 3¾:** 4) in], ending with WS facing for next row.

Shape left front neck

Next row (WS): slip 5 (6: 7: 8: 9) sts onto a stitch holder at beg of row, purl to last st, 1 selvedge st = 30 (**31: 32: 34:** 35) sts.

Work 1 row, ending with WS facing for next row.

Cast off 4 sts at neck edge, then 3 sts on foll alt rows, then 2 sts on foll 2 alt rows, then dec 1 st on foll 3 alt rows, then 1 st on 4 foll 4th rows = 12 (**13**: 14: **16**: 17) sts.

Work straight until front matches back to beg of shoulder shaping.

Shape shoulder in the same way as back.

With RS facing rejoin yarn to rem sts, cast off centre 2 sts, knit to last st, 1 selvedge st.

Shape right armhole and neck

Cast off 4 (**5**: 6: **6**: 7) sts, knit to last st, 1 selvedge st.

Next row dec (RS): knit to last 4 sts, sl 1, k1, pssso, k1, 1 selvedge st.

Complete to match first side, reversing shapings.

SLEEVES

Using 3½ mm (US 4) needles cast on 56 (**58**: 62: **64**: 68) sts, work in rib as given for back until rib meas 2 cm [$\frac{3}{4}$ in].

Change to 4 mm (US 6) needles beg with a K row and cont in st st.

Work straight until sleeve measures 5 cm [2 in], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end within selvedge st on next and every foll 6th row 4 times = 66 (**68**: 72: **74**: 78) sts.

Cont straight until sleeve measures 16 cm [$6\frac{1}{4}$ in], ending on RS facing for next row.

Shape top

Cast off 4 (5: 6: 6: 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row dec (RS): 1 selvedge st, k1, k2tog, knit to last 4 sts, sl 1, k1, pssso, k1, 1 selvedge st.

Rep this dec on foll alt rows 18 (**18**: 21: **20**: 21) times.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows 1 (**1**: 0: **1**: 1) time.

Cast off rem 16 sts on RS.

MAKING UP

Join shoulders.

Neckband: With RS facing, using 3½ mm (US 4) needles beg and end at front edges, pick up and knit (includes sts

on holder): 129 (**133**: 137: **141**: 145) sts from neck.

Row 1: 1 selvedge st, * k1, p1, rep from *, to last 2 sts, k1, 1 selvedge st.

Row 2: 1 selvedge st, * p1, k1, rep from *, to last 2 sts, p1, 1 selvedge st.

These 2 rows form 1 x 1 rib.

Rep until rib meas approx 2,5 cm [1 in], ending on RS facing for next row.

Cast off in rib.

Front borders (both alike)

With RS facing, using 3½ mm (US 4) needles, pick up and knit 25 (**25**: 27: **27**: 29) sts evenly down right front opening edge.

Work in 1 x 1 rib until rib measures approx 2.5 cm [1 in], ending on RS facing for next row.

Cast off in rib.

Complete left front opening edge in the same way.

Lay right side of front band over left side front band and sew row-end edges to cast off sts at base of front opening.

Insert sleeves. Sew sleeve and side seams within 1 selvedge st.



