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## Arusha Jacket

designed by  
Margret Willson



Technique used: Knit



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(75% Microdenier Acrylic/25% Merino Wool

3 oz/85 g, 185 yds/169 m skein):

Color #0021 Peacock, 33 (36, 39, 42, 45, 48)

oz/936 (1020, 1106, 1191, 1276, 1361) gr

One pair US size 10 ½ (6.5 mm) needles, or size to

obtain gauge

Cable needle (cn)

Stitch markers

Stitch holder

Yarn needle

Six buttons, 1 1/2.5 cm in diameter



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**SIZES:** Small (Medium, Large, XLarge, XXXLarge)

**KNITTED MEASUREMENTS**

Bust 38 (42, 46, 50, 54, 58)"

Length 24 (24 ¼, 24 ½, 24 ¾, 25, 25)"

**GAUGE**

In Double Moss stitch, 14 sts and 22 rows = 4"/10 cm

In Overall Stitch Pattern, 17 sts and 25 rows = 4"/10 cm

**NOTE**

Work with two strands of yarn together throughout.

**SPECIAL TERMS**

**C4F** (Cable 4 Front): Slip 2 sts to cn, hold in front, k2, k2 from cn.

**C4B** (Cable 4 Back): Slip 2 sts to cn, hold in back, k2, k2 from cn.

**C3F** (Cable 3 Front): Slip 2 sts to cn, hold in front, k1, k2 from cn.

**C3B** (Cable 3 Back): Slip 1 st to cn, hold in back, k2, k1 from cn.

**T3F** (Twist 3 Front): Slip 2 sts to cn, hold in front, p1, k2 from cn.

**T3B** (Twist 3 Back): Slip 1 st to cn, hold at back, k2, p1 from cn.

**Dec** (decrease) *At beg of row:* k1, ssk; *at end of row:* work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

**STITCHES USED**

1x1 rib (multiple of 2 sts +1)

**Row 1 (RS):** \*P1, k1; repeat from \* across, end p1.

**Row 2:** Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you.

Repeat Row 2 for 1x1 rib.

**Rope Cable** (panel of 8 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, p1, k4, p1, k1.

**Row 2:** P1, k1, p4, k1, p1.

**Row 3:** K1, p1, C4B, p1, k1.

**Row 4:** Repeat row 2.

Repeat Rows 1-4.

**Garter Stitch Diamond Cable** (panel of 14 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** P5, C4F, p5.

**Row 2:** K5, p4, k5.

**Row 3:** P4, C3B, C3F, p4.

**Row 4:** K4, p2, k2, p2, k4.

**Row 5:** P3, C3B, k2, C3F, p3.

**Row 6:** K3, p2, k4, p2, k3.

**Row 7:** P2, C3B, k4, C3F, p2.

**Row 8:** K2, p2, k6, p2, k2.

**Row 9:** P2, k10, p2.

**Row 10:** Repeat row 8.

**Row 11:** P2, T3F, k4, T3B, p2.

**Row 12:** Repeat row 6.

**Row 13:** P3, T3F, k2, T3B, p3.

**Row 14:** Repeat row 4.

**Row 15:** P4, T3F, T3B, p4.

**Row 16:** Repeat row 2.

Repeat Rows 1-16.

**Double Moss Stitch** (multiple of 2 sts + 1)

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, \*p1, k1, repeat from \* across.

**Row 2:** Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts as they face you.

**Row 3:** P1, \*k1, p1, repeat from \* across.

**Row 4:** Repeat row 2.

Repeat Rows 1-4.

**Cable Rib** (panel of 14 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** P1, (k1, p1) twice, k4, p1, (k1, p1) twice.

**Row 2:** K1 (p1, k1) twice, p4, k1 (p1, k1) twice.

**Row 3:** P1 (k1, p1) twice, C4F, p1 (k1, p1) twice.

**Row 4:** Repeat row 2.

Repeat Rows 1-4.

**One-row buttonhole**

1: Work to marker, bring yarn to front and sl next st, put yarn to back and sl next st, drop yarn.

2: Pass first slipped stitch over second slipped st, (sl next st, pass previous slipped st over it) twice--3 buttonhole sts bound off.

- 3: Pass last slipped st back to left needle, turn work.  
 4: With yarn in back, cast on 3 sts.  
 5: Cast on one more st, but bring the yarn to the front between this extra st and the last buttonhole st before placing the extra st on the left needle. Turn work.  
 6: Slip a st from the left needle, pass the extra st over the slipped st.  
 Repeat steps 1-6 for each buttonhole.

### BACK

Cast on 87 (95, 103, 107, 115, 123) sts.

**Set-up Row (WS):** K1, (p1, k1) 2 (3, 4, 5, 7, 8) times, pm (place marker), [p1, k1, p4, k1, p1, pm, k1 (p1, k1) twice, p4, k1, (p1, k1) twice, pm, p1, k1, p4, k1, p1, pm], k1, (p1, k1) 8 (10, 12, 12, 12, 14) times, pm, repeat between [ ], end k1, (p1, k1) 2 (3, 4, 5, 7, 8) times.

**Row 1:** Work 1x1 rib over first 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts, [row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts, row 1 cable rib over next 14 sts, row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts], 1x1 rib over next 17 (21, 25, 25, 25, 29) sts, repeat between [ ], end 1x1 rib over last 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts.

Work as established until piece measures 2 ¼", ending with row 2 of rope cable and cable rib.

#### Establish Pattern:

**Row 1 (RS):** Double moss st over first 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts, [row 3 rope cable over next 8 sts, row 1 garter st diamond over next 14 sts, row 3 rope cable over next 8 sts], double moss st over next 17 (21, 25, 25, 25, 29) sts, repeat between [ ], end double moss st over last 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts.

Work as established until piece measures 15 (14 ¾, 14 ½, 14 ¼, 14, 13 ½)" "from beg, ending with a WS row.

#### Shape Armholes

Bind off 4 (4, 6, 8, 8, 10) sts at beg of next 2 rows--79 (87, 91, 91, 99, 103) sts. Dec 1 st each end every RS row 6 (6, 6, 6, 8, 10) times--67 (75, 79, 79, 83, 83) sts. Work even until armhole measures 8 ½ (9, 9 ½, 10, 10 ½, 11)", ending with a WS row.

#### Shape Shoulders

Bind off 10 (12, 13, 13, 14, 14) sts at beg of next 4 rows. Place rem 27 sts on holder for Back neck.

### LEFT FRONT

Cast on 42 (46, 50, 52, 56, 60) sts.

**Set-up Row (WS):** K1, (p1, k1) 3 (4, 5, 5, 5, 6) times, pm, [p1, k1, p4, k1, p1, pm], k1 (p1, k1) twice, p4, k1 (p1, k1) twice, pm, repeat between [ ], end k1, (p1, k1) 2 (3, 4, 5, 7, 8) times.

**Row 1 (RS):** Work 1x1 rib over first 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts, row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts, row 1 cable rib over next 14 sts, row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts, 1x1 rib over last 7 (9, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts.

Work as established until piece measures 2 ¼", ending with row 2 of rope cable and cable rib.

#### Establish Pattern:

**Row 1 (RS):** Double moss st over first 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts, row 3 of rope cable over next 8 sts, row 1 of garter st diamond over next 14 sts, row of rope cable over next 8 sts, double moss st over last 7 (9, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts.

Work as established until piece measures same as Back to armhole, ending with a WS row.

#### Shape Armhole

Bind off 4 (4, 6, 8, 8, 10) sts at beg of next row--38 (42, 44, 44, 48, 50) sts. Dec 1 st at armhole edge every other row 6 (6, 6, 6, 8, 10) times--32 (36, 38, 38, 40, 40) sts. Work even until armhole measures 5 (5 ½, 6, 6 ½, 7, 7 ½)", ending with a RS row

#### Shape Neck

Bind off 6 sts at beg of next row--26 (30, 32, 32, 34, 34) sts. Dec 1 st at neck edge each RS row 6 times--20 (24, 26, 26, 28, 28) sts. Work even until piece measures same as Back to shoulder, ending with a WS row.

#### Shape Shoulder

Bind off 10 (12, 13, 13, 14, 14) sts at beg of next 2 RS rows.

### RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 42 (46, 50, 52, 56, 60) sts.

**Set-up Row (WS):** K1 (p1, k1) 2 (3, 4, 5, 7, 8) times, pm, [p1, k1, p4, k1, p1, pm], k1 (p1, k1) twice, p4, (k1, p1) twice, k1, pm, repeat between [ ], end k1 (p1, k1) 3 (4, 5, 5, 5, 6) times.

**Row 1 (RS):** Work 1x1 rib over first 7 (9, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts, row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts, row 1 cable rib over next 14 sts, row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts, 1x1 rib over last 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts.

Work as established until piece measures 2 ¼", ending with row 2 of rope cable and cable rib.

**Establish Pattern:**

**Row 1 (RS):** Double moss st over first 7 (9, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts, row 3 rope cable over next 8 sts, row 1 of garter st diamond over next 14 sts, row 3 rope cable over next 8 sts, double moss st over last 5 (7, 9, 11, 15, 17) sts.

Work as established until piece measures same as back to armhole, ending with a RS row.

**Shape Armhole**

Bind off 4 (4, 6, 8, 8, 10) sts at beg of next row--38 (42, 44, 44, 48, 50) sts. Dec 1 st at armhole edge every other row 6 (6, 6, 6, 8, 10) times--32 (36, 38, 38, 40, 40) sts. Work even until armhole measures 5 (5 ½, 6, 6 ½, 7, 7 ½)", ending with a WS row

**Shape Neck**

Bind off 6 sts at beg of next row--26 (30, 32, 32, 34, 34) sts. Dec 1 st at neck edge each RS row 6 times--20 (24, 26, 26, 28, 28) sts. Work even until piece measures same as Back to shoulder, ending with a RS row.

**Shape Shoulder**

Bind off 10 (12, 13, 13, 14, 14) sts at beg of next 2 WS rows.

**SLEEVES**

Cast on 48 (48, 52, 52, 56, 56) sts.

**Set-up row (WS):** K1, (p1, k1) 4 (4, 5, 5, 6, 6) times, pm [p1, k1, p4, k1, p1, pm], k1 (p1, k1) twice, p4, k1, (p1, k1) twice, pm, repeat between [ ], end k1 (p1, k1) 4 (4, 5, 5, 6, 6) times.

**Row 1 (RS):** Work 1x1 rib over first 9 (9, 11, 11, 13, 13) sts, [row 1 rope cable over next 8 sts], row 1 of cable rib over next 14 sts, repeat between [ ], end 1x1 rib over last 9 (9, 11, 11, 13, 13) sts.

Work as established until rib measures 2 ¼", ending with row 2 of rope cable and cable rib.

**Establish Pattern:**

**Row 1 (RS):** Double moss st over first 9 (9, 11, 11, 13, 13) sts, [rope cable row 3 over next 8 sts], garter st diamond row 1 over next 14 sts, repeat between [ ], end double moss st over last 9 (9, 11, 11, 13, 13) sts.

**Row 2 (WS):** Work as established.

**Inc Row (RS):** Maintaining pattern inc 1 st at each end of this row and every RS row 0 (0, 0, 3, 3, 7) times, then every 4th row 7 (7, 7, 6, 6, 4) times--64 (64, 68, 72, 76, 80) sts. Work even until piece measures 8 ¼", ending with a WS row.

**Shape Cap**

Bind off 4 (4, 6, 8, 8, 10) sts at beg of next 2 rows--56 (56, 56, 56, 60, 60) sts. Dec 1 st each end every RS row 13 (13, 14, 14, 15, 17) times--30 (30, 28, 28, 30, 26) sts, Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 4, 3) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then bind off 4 (4, 3, 3, 4, 3) at beg of next 2 rows, Bind off rem 14 sts.

**FINISHING**

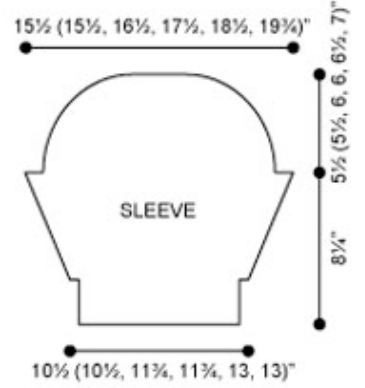
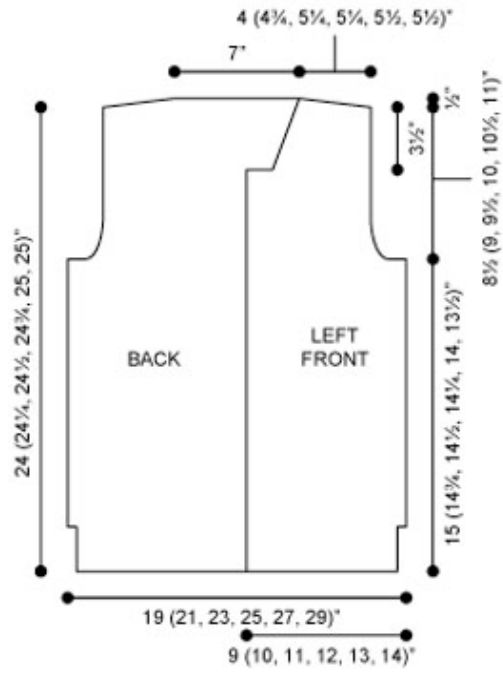
Block pieces to measurements. Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves; sew sleeve and side seams.

**Button Band:** With RS facing, pick up and knit 83 (85, 85, 87, 87, 87) sts along left Front edge. Work in 1x1 rib until band measures 1 ¾" from pick-up row; Bind off all sts loosely in rib. Place markers for 6 buttonholes along right front edge, with first one ½" from lower edge, last one ½" from beg of neck shaping and rem 4 evenly spaced between.

**Buttonhole Band:** Work as for Button band; AT SAME TIME, when band measures ¾" from beg, work 6 one-row buttonholes (see Special Terms).

**Neckband:** With RS facing, pick up and knit 85 sts around neck edge, including sts on holder. Work in 1x1 rib until band measures 3 ½" from pick-up row; Bind off all sts loosely in rib.

Using yarn needle, weave in ends.



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