

210-211-56 Men's Sweater



Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Basic Alpaca Namibuto [50% alpaca, 50% lamb's wool; 107 yds/98m per 1.41 oz./40g skein]; color #35 charcoal gray, 9 skeins [360g]

Tools/Notions:

- 3.9mm (approx. US 6) and 4.5mm (US 7) straight knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- 3.6mm (approx. US 5) and 3.9mm (approx. US 6) double-pointed knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- tapestry needle

Finished measurements:

- chest 108cm/42.52"
- cross back width 48cm/18.90"
- length 66cm/25.98"
- sleeve length 59cm/23.23"

Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- pattern stitch: 18 sts and 25 rows

Gauge may vary according to individual knitting style. Change needle size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.

Knitting Tips

Body & sleeves: Cast on with long-tail cast-on method and work in k2p2 ribbing and pattern stitch according to schematic. Bind off stitches for armhole. For neckline shaping, bind off stitches and work fully fashioned decreases (1 stitch in from the edge). For sleeve shaping, use lifted increase; place all stitches at sleeve cap on stitch holder..

Finishing: Join shoulders with three-needle bind-off. Join sleeves to body with stitches-to-rows mattress stitch. For collar, pick up stitches around front and back neckline. Work k2p2 stitches in the round and bind off in pattern. Fold collar in half and whipstitch bind-off round to inside of collar, forming a collar of double thickness. Starting from hem, sew sides and sleeve undersides with mattress stitch..

Abbreviations:

BO = bind off
CO = cast on
PU = pick up
RE = row(s) even
= rows-stitches-times

