



# NORO

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## Sizes

Sized for X-Small (Small, Medium)

## Finished Measurements

- Width 39 (45, 52)in/99 (114, 132)cm.
- Length 21 (23, 25)in/53 (58, 63)cm.

## Materials

- 2 (2, 2) × 200g balls of Noro *Akari* in #29.
- A pair size US 6/4mm knitting needles.
- A pair size US 7/4.5mm knitting needles.

## Gauge

21 sts and 23 rows = 4in/10cm measured over pattern using US 7/4.5mm needles.

TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE.

## General and Knitting Abbreviations

**approx** approximately; **beg** begin(ning); **CC** contrasting color; **cm** centimeter(s); **cn** cable needle; **cont** continue(ing); **dec** decrease(ing); **dpn** double-pointed needle(s); **est** established; **folll** follow(s) (ing); **g** gram(s); **in** inch(es); **inc** increase(ing); **k** knit; **kfb** knit into front and back of stitch; **LH** left-hand; **mm** millimeter(s); **MC** main color; **M1** make one (see glossary); **p** purl; **patt(s)** pattern(s); **pm** place marker; **pssso** pass slip stitch(es) over; **rem** remain(s) (ing); **rep** repeat; **rev** reverse(ing) (ed); **RH** right-hand; **rnd(s)** round(s); **RS** right side; **SKP** slip 1, knit 1, pass slip stitch over; **SK2P** slip 1, knit 2 stitches together, pass slip stitch over k2tog; **S2KP** slip 2 stitches together knitwise, knit 1, pass slip stitches over knit 1; **sl** slip; **sm** slip marker; **ssk/ssp** slip, slip, knit/purl (see glossary); **st(s)** stitch(es); **St st** Stockinette stitch; **tbl** through back loop; **tog** together; **WS** wrong side(s); **wyib** with yarn in back; **wyif** with yarn in front; **yo** yarn over (hook or needle); \* repeat directions following \* as many times as indicated; [ ] repeat directions inside brackets as many times as indicated.

## Glossary

**bind off** To finish off an edge and keep stitches from unraveling by lifting the first stitch over the second, the second over the third, etc. (UK: cast off).

**bind off in ribbing** Maintain the rib pattern as you bind off (knit the knit stitches; purl the purl stitches) (UK: cast off in ribbing)

**cast on** Form a foundation row by making specified number of loops on the knitting needle.

**decrease** Reduce the number of stitches in a row (i.e., knit 2 together; purl 2 together).

**increase** Add to the number of stitches in a row (i.e., knit in front and back of stitch).

**knitwise** Insert the needle into the stitch as if you were going to knit it.

**make one** Insert tip of LH needle from front to back under the strand between the last stitch worked and the next stitch on the needle. Knit into the back loop to increase one stitch.

**make one purl stitch** With the needle tip, lift the strand between the last stitch worked and the next stitch on left-hand needle and purl it. One purl stitch has been added.

**no stitch** On some charts, “no stitch” is indicated with shaded spaces where stitches have been decreased or not yet made. In such cases, work the stitches of the chart, skipping over the “no stitch” spaces.

**place markers** Loop a piece of contrasting yarn or a purchased stitch marker onto the needle.

**pick up and knit/purl** Knit (or purl) into the loops along an edge.

**purlwise** Insert the needle into the stitch as if you were going to purl it.

**selvage stitch** Edge stitch that helps make seaming easier.

**skip** Skip specified number of stitches of the previous row and work into next stitch (UK: miss).

**slip, slip, knit/purl** Slip next two sts knitwise (purlwise), one at a time, to right-hand needle. Insert tip of left-hand needle into fronts of these sts from left to right and knit/purl them together to decrease one stitch.

**slip stitch** In knitting, pass a stitch from the left-hand to the right-hand needle as if to purl without working it. In crochet, insert hook through loop or edge, yarn over and pull through loop on hook (UK: ss or sc).

**work even** Continue in specified pattern without increasing or decreasing (UK: work straight).

**yarn over** In knitting, make a new stitch by placing the yarn over the right-hand needle (UK: yfwd, yon, yrn). In crochet, wind yarn around hook. (UK: yoh or yrh).

## Stitches/Techniques Used

**p2sso** Slip two stitches together as if to knit, knit one stitch, then pass the two slipped stitches over the stitch you just knit.

## Back

With US 7/4.5mm needles cast on 102 (119, 136) sts and patt as follows:

**Row 1 (RS)** Knit to end.

**Row 2** Purl to end.

**Row 3** \* K1, sl 1, k1, p2tog, k1, p2sso, [k1, yf] 4 times, k1, [sl 1, k1, pssso] twice, k4 \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 4 and all following alt rows** Purl to end.

**Row 5** \* K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k2, yf, k3, [yf, k1] twice, [sl 1, k1, pssso] twice, k3 \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 7** \* K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k1, yf, k5, [yf, k1] twice, [sl 1, k1, pssso] twice, k2 \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 9** \* K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, yf, k3, k2tog, [k1, yf] 3 times, k1, [k2tog] twice, k1 \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 11** \* K4, [k2tog] twice, [k1, yf] 4 times, k1, sl 2tog, k1, p2sso, k1 \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 13** \* K3, [k2tog] twice, [k1, yf] twice, k3, yf, k2, k2tog, k1, \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 15** \* K2, [k2tog] twice, [k1, yf] twice, k5, yf, k1, k2tog, k1, \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 17** \* K1, [k2tog] twice, [k1, yf] 3 times, k1, k2tog, k3, yf, k2 \* rep \* to \* 5 (6, 7) times more.

**Row 18** Purl to end.

Rows 3 to 18 form the pattern.

Rep from row 3 for a further 62 (68, 74) rows.

## Shape armholes

With RS facing, cast off 5 (6, 7) sts at the beg of the next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at each end of the foll 10 (11, 12) rows—72 (85, 98)sts rem.

Patt straight for a further 28 (34, 40) rows.

## Shape back neck and shoulders

**Row 1 (RS)** Patt 26 (30, 34) sts, turn and put rem sts on a spare needle.

**Row 2** Cast off 3 sts and patt to end.

**Row 3** Patt to end.

**Row 4** As row 2.

**Row 5** Cast off 9 (11, 13) sts and patt to end.

**Row 6** As row 2.

Cast off rem 8 (10, 12) sts.

Return to the sts on the spare needle.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn and cast off the center 20 (25, 30) sts.

Cont on rem 26 (30, 34) sts as follows:





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**Row 4** Patt to end.  
**Row 5** As row 3.  
**Row 6** Cast off 9 (11, 13) sts and patt to end.  
**Row 7** As row 3.  
 Cast off rem 8 (10, 12) sts.

### Front

Work as given for Back until Front is 26 (28, 30) rows shorter than Back.

### Shape front neck

Patt 31 (36, 41) sts and put rem sts on a spare needle.  
 Turn p2tog and patt to end. Cont to dec 1 st at neck edge on the next 13 (14, 15) rows—17 (21, 25) sts rem.  
 Patt 9 (10, 11) rows straight.

### Shape shoulder

**Row 1 (RS)** Cast off 9 (11, 13) sts and patt to end.  
**Row 2** Patt to end.  
 Cast off rem 8 (10, 12) sts.  
 Return to the sts on the spare needle. Slip the center 10 (13, 16) sts onto a st holder for neckband.  
 With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem 31 (36, 41) sts and complete to match first side.

### Neck edging

Join right shoulder seam.  
 With RS facing and US 6/4mm needles, pick up and knit around neck edge as follows:  
 23 (25, 27) sts evenly down left front neck edge, 10 (13, 16) sts from st holder across center front, 23 (25, 27) sts evenly up right front neck edge and 40 (44, 48) sts across back neck—96 (107, 118) sts.  
 Knit 6 rows. Cast off.

### Armbands

Join left shoulder and neckband seams.  
 With RS facing and US 6/4mm needles, pick up and k74 (80, 86) sts evenly around armhole edge.  
 Knit 6 rows. Cast off.

### Finishing

Sew up side and armband seams. ■