

# Patons®

## Silk BAMBOO

### LACY TOP (TO KNIT)

#### SIZES

##### Finished bust

XS/S (**M-L-XL-2/3XL-4/5XL**)

36 (**40-44-48-55- 63½**) ins

[91.5 (**101.5-112-122-139.5-161.5**) cm].

#### MATERIALS

Patons® Silk Bamboo (65 g/1.8 oz)

6 (**7-7-8-9-9**) balls of #85219 (Sea)

Sizes 3.5 mm (U.S. 4) and 4 mm (U.S. 6) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain tension.**

#### TENSION

22 sts and 28 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] with larger needles in stocking st.

#### INSTRUCTIONS

*The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus ( ).*

#### BACK and FRONT (make alike).

With smaller needles, cast on 90 (**102-114-126-142-166**) sts.

Work in (K2. P2) ribbing for 7½ ins [19 cm], ending with a WS row and inc 7 (**7-7-7-9-9**) sts evenly across last row. 97 (**109-121- 133-151-175**) sts.

Change to larger needles and proceed as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). K1. \*yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K1. K2tog. yfwd. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.

**2nd row:** Purl.

**3rd row:** K2. \*yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pssso. yfwd. K3. Rep from \* to last 5 sts. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog.

pssso. yfwd. K2.

**4th row:** Purl.



Rep last 4 rows for pat until work from beg measures approx 17 ins [43 cm], ending with 4th row of pat.

#### Place pat for neck shaping:

**1st row:** (RS). Pat 17 (**23-29-35-44-56**) sts.

K63. Pat 17 (**23-29-35-44- 56**) sts.

Rep last row 10 times more, keeping center 63 sts in garter st (knit every row).

**Shape neck: Next row:** (WS). Pat 17 (**23-29-35-44-56**) sts. K9. Cast off center 45 sts. K9 (including st on needle after cast off). Pat 17 (**23-29-35-44-56**) sts.

Cont in pat on last 26 (**32-38-44-53-65**) sts, working garter st across 9 sts at neck edge until work from beg measures 24 ins [61 cm], ending with a WS row.

**Shape shoulder:** Cast off 9 (**11-13-15-18-22**) sts beg next and following alt row. Work 1 row even in pat. Cast off rem 8 (**10-12-14-17-21**) sts.

With RS facing, join yarn to rem sts and work to correspond to other side, reversing all shapings.

#### FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Place markers on side edges 7 (**7½-8-8-8½-9**) ins [18 (**19-20.5-20.5-21.5-23**) cm] down from shoulder seams.

**Armbands:** With RS of work facing and smaller needles, pick up and knit 71 (**75-79-79-83-87**) sts evenly between markers. Knit 9 rows (garter st). Cast off knitwise (WS). Sew side and armband seams.



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