

Bodice without Markers (in 2 Sizes) - An addition to the 'Gown in 2 Sizes' Pattern

(adapted from Jenny's Burial Gown)

Small Size

Begin at the neck edge and cast on **26** stitches loosely.

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: K2, (yo, P2tog, P1) repeat to last 3 sts, yo, K2tog, K1 - 8 'holes'.

Row 3: begin raglan increases:

K4, inc, inc, K2, inc, inc, K6, inc, inc, K2, inc, inc, K4 - **34 sts.**

Row 4, and all alternate rows: K3, Purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Row 5: K5, inc, inc, K4, inc, inc, K8, inc, inc, K4, inc, inc, K5

Row 7: K6, inc, inc, K6, inc, inc, K10, inc, inc, K6, inc, inc, K6

Row 9: K7, inc, inc, K8, inc, inc, K12, inc, inc, K8, inc, inc, K7

Row 11: K8, inc, inc, K10, inc, inc, K14, inc, inc, K10, inc, inc, K8

Row 12: K9, inc, inc, K12, inc, inc, K16, inc, inc, K12, inc, inc, K9 - **74 sts.**

Row 13: Continue on these 74 sts as follows...

Form the Sleeves

Next Row, Wrong Side facing you: K3, P8, K16, P20, K16, P8, K3.

Row 2: K11, (K2tog, yo) 8 times, K20, (yo, K2tog) 8 times, K11.

Row 3: K3, P8, Cast off 16 sts rib-wise, P19, Cast off 16 sts rib-wise, P7, K3.

Remaining on your needle are **42 sts** (11 + 20 + 11).

Row 4: Knit across all the stitches, keeping tension over the gaps - **42 sts.**

Row 5: K3, Purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Holes at Waist

Next Row, Right Side facing: K3, (yo, K2tog, K2) to last 3 sts, yo, K3 - **43 sts**, 10 'holes'.

Next Row: K3, Purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Increase row: K4, inc in every stitch to last 4 sts, K4 - **78 sts.**

Continue to 'Choice of Skirt Pattern' and work the skirt:

Large Size

Begin at the neck edge and cast on **32** stitches loosely.

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: K2, (yo, P2tog, P1) repeat to last 3 sts, yo, K2tog, K1 - 10 'holes'.

Row 3: begin raglan increases:

K5, inc, inc, K3, inc, inc, K8, inc, inc, K3, inc, inc, K5 - **40 sts.**

Row 4, and all alternate rows: K3, Purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Row 5: K6, inc, inc, K5, inc, inc, K10, inc, inc, K5, inc, inc, K6

Row 7: K7, inc, inc, K7, inc, inc, K12, inc, inc, K7, inc, inc, K7

Row 9: K8, inc, inc, K9, inc, inc, K14, inc, inc, K9, inc, inc, K8

Row 11: K9, inc, inc, K11, inc, inc, K16, inc, inc, K11, inc, inc, K9

Row 13: K10, inc, inc, K13, inc, inc, K18, inc, inc, K13, inc, inc, K10

Row 15: K11, inc, inc, K15, inc, inc, K20, inc, inc, K15, inc, inc, K11

Row 17: K12, inc, inc, K17, inc, inc, K22, inc, inc, K17, inc, inc, K12 - **96 sts.**

Row 18: Continue on these 96 sts as follows...

Form the Sleeves

Row 1, Wrong Side facing you: K3, P11, K21, P26, K21, P11, K3.

Row 2: K14, (K2tog, yo) 10times, K28, (yo, K2tog) 10times, K14.

Row 3: K3, P11, Cast off 21 sts rib-wise, P25, Cast off 21 sts rib-wise, P10, K3.

Remaining on your needle are **54 sts** (14 + 26 + 14)

Row 4: Knit across all the stitches, keeping tension over the gaps - **54 sts.**

Row 5: K3, Purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Holes at Waist

Next Row, Right Side facing you: K3, (K2tog, yo, K2) to last 3 sts, K3 - 12 'holes'.

Next Row: K3, Purl to last 3 sts, K3.

Increase Row: K5, (inc, K1) to last 6 sts, inc, K5 - **78 sts.**

Continue to 'Choice of Skirt Pattern' on main pattern and work the skirt