

Hamlin is seamlessly constructed top down, with set in sleeves in a simple lace pattern, and a tailored silhouette. Worked in an aran weight yarn, Hamlin is a quick knit, with a touch of feminine detail in the lace.



Sizes: To fit bust 30(32: 34: 36: 38: 40: 42: 44: 46: 48: 50)". Actual measurements of garment are shown on schematic.

**Yarn:** Ella Rae Classic Superwash Aran, shown in Magenta. 5(5: 5: 6: 6: 6: 7: 7: 7: 8: 8) skeins. If substituting for another aran weight yarn, you will need approximately 960(1020: 1080: 1150: 1210: 1290: 1350: 1420: 1480: 1560: 1630) yards / 875(930: 980: 1050: 1100: 1175: 1230: 1295: 1350: 1420: 1485) metres.

Needles: 4mm and 4.5mm circulars and DPNs (or long circulars for magic loop). 24" circulars are fine but you may find it easier to have longer lengths for the shoulder section.

Use 4.5mm needles throughout unless otherwise stated.

**Gauge:** 19 sts and 25 rows per 4" in stocking stitch on 4.5mm needles.



### **Abbreviations:**

K: knit P: purl

St(s): stitch(es)

K2tog: knit two together

SSK: slip, slip, knit

M1R: (make 1 right) insert left needle underneath bar between sts from back to front and place on left

needle tip, knit normally.

MIL: (make 1 left) insert left needle underneath bar between sts from front to back and place on left needle tip, knit through back loop.

W&T: wrap and turn RS/WS: right/wrong side PM/SM:Place/Slip Marker

**DDEC:** slip 2 together, k1, pass

slipped stitches over  $\,$ 

Y0: varn over

### **Left Shoulder Front**

Using the long tail method, CO 13(14: 14: 15: 15: 15: 15: 16: 16: 16: 17). Beginning with a K row, work 6(6: 6: 8: 8: 8: 8: 10: 10: 10: 10) rows straight in stocking stitch.

**Next Row (RS):** K7(7: 7: 8: 8: 8: 8: 9: 9: 9), w&t, s1, p to end.

Work 3 rows straight in stocking stitch without short rows.

Next Row (WS): P to end, then using the backwards loop method CO 1(1: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2). 14(15: 16: 17: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19)sts.

Beginning with a K row, work 2 rows straight in stocking stitch.

Break yarn and place sts on a holder/waste yarn.

#### Left Shoulder Back

With RS of left shoulder front facing, rejoin yarn and pick up and K 13(14: 14: 15: 15: 15: 16: 16: 16: 17) across CO edge from before.

Beginning with a P row, work 5(5: 5: 7: 7: 7: 7: 9: 9: 9: 9) rows straight in stocking stitch.

**Next Row (RS)**: K to last 2, m1L, K2. 14(15: 15: 16: 16: 16: 16: 17: 17: 17: 18) sts.

Next Row (WS): P 8(8: 8: 9: 9: 9: 10: 10: 10: 10), w&t, K to last 2, m1L, K2. 15(16: 16: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19) sts.

**Next Row:** P.

Next Row: K to last 2, m1L, K2.

Repeat last 2 rows once more.

17(18: 18: 19: 19: 19: 19: 20: 20: 20: 21)sts.

**Next Row:** P

Break yarn and place sts on a holder/waste yarn.

# **Right Shoulder Front**

Using the long tail method, CO 13(14: 14: 15: 15: 15: 15: 16: 16: 16: 17) sts.

Beginning with a Prow, work 6(6: 6: 8: 8: 8: 8: 10: 10: 10: 10) rows straight in stocking stitch.

Next Row (WS): P7(7: 7: 8: 8: 8: 8: 9: 9: 9), w&t, s1, K to end.

Work 3 rows straight in stocking stitch, beginning with a P row.

Next Row (RS): K to end, then using the backwards loop method CO 1(1: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2). 14(15: 16: 17: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19) sts.

Next Row: P. Break yarn and place sts on a holder/waste yarn.

## **Right Shoulder Back**

With RS of right shoulder front facing, rejoin yarn at cast on edge, and pick up and K 13(14: 14: 15: 15: 15: 16: 16: 16: 17) across CO edge from before.

Beginning with a P row, work 5(5: 5: 7: 7: 7: 7: 9: 9: 9: 9) rows straight in stocking stitch.

Next Row: K2, m1R, K to end. 14(15: 15: 16: 16: 16: 16: 17: 17: 17: 18) sts.

**Next Row:** P.

Next Row: K2, m1R, k6(6: 6: 7: 7: 7: 7: 8: 8: 8: 8), w&t, S1, P to end. 15(16: 16: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19) sts.

Next Row: K2, m1R, K to end. 16(17:17:18:18:18:18:19:19:19:20) sts.

Next Row: P.

Next Row: K2, m1R, K to end. 17(18: 18: 19: 19: 19: 19: 20: 20: 20: 21) sts.

You will now begin to join the shoulder pieces together.

Create the back as follows:

Next Row (WS): P across all sts on needle, then using the backwards loop method CO 24(26: 28: 29: 31: 33: 35: 37: 38: 40: 42) sts, then place held sts from left shoulder back onto left needle tip with WS facing and P across these 17(18: 18: 19: 19: 19: 19: 20: 20: 20: 21) sts. 58(62: 64: 67: 69: 71: 73: 77: 78: 80: 84) sts total. Break yarn and place sts on spare needle.

Join in fronts and create sleeves as follows:

Place 14(15: 16: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19) sts from left shoulder front on needle and with RS facing, rejoin yarn at left front.

Next Row (RS): k14(15: 16: 17: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19) (left shoulder front sts), PM, pick up and knit 15(15: 15: 17: 17: 17: 17: 19: 19: 19: 19) across left shoulder edge for left sleeve, PM, knit across 58(62: 64: 67: 69: 71: 73: 77: 78: 80: 84) (held back sts), PM, pick up and knit 15(15: 15: 17: 17: 17: 19: 19: 19: 19) sts across right shoulder edge for right sleeve, PM, k across 14(15: 16: 17: 17: 17: 18: 18: 18: 19) (right shoulder front sts), CO 2.

118(124: 128: 137: 139: 141: 143: 153: 154: 156: 162) sts total.

**Next Row (WS):** P across all sts, CO 2. 120(126: 130: 139: 141: 143: 145: 155: 156: 158: 164) sts.

You will immediately begin working in pattern and increasing on the sleeve caps.

Next Row: \*K to m, SM, m1R, work round 1(1: 1: 3: 3: 3: 3: 1: 1: 1: 1) from Sleeve Cap Lace Instructions (see back page) to M, m1L, SM, rep from \* once more, K to end, CO 2(2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3).

126(132: 136: 145: 147: 149: 152: 162: 163: 165: 171) sts.

**Next Row:** P to end, CO 2(2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3).

128(134: 138: 147: 149: 151: 155: 165: 166: 168: 174) sts.

Next Row: \*P to m, SM, m1R, work round 3(3: 3: 5: 5: 5: 5: 3: 3: 3) from Sleeve Cap Lace Instructions to M, m1L, SM, rep from \* once more, K to end, CO 2(2: 2: 2: 3: 3: 3: 3: 4: 4).

134(140: 144: 153: 156: 158: 162: 172: 173: 176: 182) sts.

**Next Row:** P to end, CO 2(2: 2: 2: 3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 4: 4).

136(142: 146: 155: 159: 161: 165: 175: 176: 180: 186) sts.

Continue working sleeve caps using Lace Pattern Written Instructions as set. This will now be referred to as 'patt to M'.

Begin working from round 1 when you finish each repeat.

**Next Row:** \*K to m, SM, m1R, patt to m, m1L, SM, rep from \* once more, K to end, CO 3(3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 4: 4: 4: 4).

143(149: 153: 162: 166: 168: 172: 183: 184: 188: 194) sts.

**Next Row:** P to end, CO 3(3: 3: 3: 3: 3: 4: 4: 4: 4).

146(152: 156: 165: 169: 171: 175: 187: 188: 192: 198)sts.

Next Row: \*K to m, SM, m1R, patt to m, m1L, SM, rep from \* once more, K to end, CO 12(14: 14: 15: 15: 17: 17: 18: 18: 20), join to begin working in the round.

162(170: 174: 184: 188: 192: 196: 208: 210: 214: 222) sts.

Next Row: K.

Next Row: (K to m, SM, m1R, patt to m, m1L, SM), K to end.

166(174: 178: 188: 192: 196: 200: 212: 214: 218: 226) sts.

Repeat last 2 rounds 6(7: 7: 6: 6: 7: 7: 6: 6: 7: 8) times more.

190(202: 206: 212: 216: 224: 228: 236: 238: 246: 258) sts.

Work 5 rounds without increasing, continuing pattern on sleeves as set.

**Next Row:** \*K to 1 from M, m1L, K1, SM, m1R, patt to m, m1L, SM, K1, m1R, rep from \* once more, K to end.

198(210: 214: 220: 224: 232: 236: 244: 246: 254: 266) sts.

Next Row: K.

Repeat last 2 rounds 3(3: 4: 5: 7: 7: 8: 9: 11: 11: 11) times more.

Repeat increase round once more.

230(242: 254: 268: 288: 296: 308: 324: 342: 350: 362) sts.

You will now begin working down the body as follows:

Next Row (dividing round): K to M, remove M, place next 47(49: 51: 53: 57: 59: 61: 63: 67: 69: 71) sts onto waste yarn for left sleeve, using the backwards loop method CO 8(8: 8: 8: 8: 10: 10: 10: 10: 12: 12) sts onto right needle tip, remove M, K 68(72: 76: 81: 87: 89: 93: 99: 104: 106: 110) across back, place next 47(49: 51: 53: 57: 59: 61: 63: 67: 69: 71) sts on waste yarn for right sleeve, using the backwards loop method CO 8(8: 8: 8: 10: 10: 10: 10: 12: 12), K to end.

152(160: 168: 178: 190: 198: 206: 218: 228: 236: 244) sts.

**Next Row:** K 22(23: 24: 26: 28: 29: 30: 32: 34: 35: 36), PM, (this will now be your beginning of round marker) K 76(80: 84: 89: 95: 99: 103: 109: 114: 118: 122), K to end.

Work 5 rounds straight in stocking stitch.

Next Row: \*K4, k2tog, K to 6 from M, ssk, K4, SM, rep from \* once more.

148 (156: 164: 174: 186: 194: 202: 214: 224: 232: 240) sts.

Work 4 rounds straight in stocking stitch without shaping.

Repeat last 5 rounds 8 times more.

116 (124: 132: 142: 154: 162: 170: 182: 192: 200: 208) sts.

Work 4 rounds straight in stocking stitch without shaping.

Next Row: \*K4, m1L, K to 4 from M, m1R, K4, SM, rep from \* once more. 120(128: 136: 146: 158: 166: 174: 186: 196: 204: 212) sts.

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Repeat last 5 rounds 8 times more. 152(160: 168: 178: 190: 198: 206: 218: 228: 236: 244) sts.

All sizes work 3 rounds straight in stocking stitch without shaping.

Sizes 30, 32 & 34: work 1 more round straight.

Sizes 38, 40 & 42: work 1 more round increasing 2 sts evenly.

Sizes 46, 48 & 50: work 1 more round increasing 4 sts evenly.

Sizes 36 & 44: work 1 more round decreasing 2 sts evenly.

152(160: 168: 176: 192: 200: 208: 216: 232: 240: 248) sts.

#### All sizes

Change to 4mm needle.

**Next Row:** (K1, P1, K1, P3, K1, P1) to end.

Repeat last round until rib is desired length (sample shown is 3.5"). Cast off purlwise.

### Sleeves (both worked the same)

Place held 47(49: 51: 53: 57: 59: 61: 63: 67: 69: 71) sts onto DPNs or 2 circulars.

Rejoin yarn with RS facing and K across.

Pick up and K 10(10: 10: 10: 10: 12: 12: 12: 12: 14: 14) across underam, placing a marker after 5th (5th: 5th: 5th: 5th: 6th: 6th: 6th: 7th: 7th) stitch. 57(59: 61: 63: 67: 71: 73: 75: 79: 83: 85) sts total.

Note: On some lace rounds and all decrease rounds, the DDEC is worked across the beginning of round. On these rounds, slip the first stitch of the round, then work to last 2 sts as instructed. Slip next 2 sts purlwise separately, remove marker, slip first stitch of round onto right needle tip, then slip all 3 sts back onto left needle tip and work DDEC as usual. This will be referred to as 'grabbing' a stitch from the beginning of the round.

**Round 1:** Work in patt as set to m. This is now your beginning of round. **Round 2:** ssk, K to end. 56(58:60:62:66:70:72:74:78:82:84) sts. When there are insufficient sts to work a full repeat (e.g. if you have a multiple of 4(+2) sts, work the extra sts as K.

**Round 3:** Work in lace pattern as set, incorporating extra underarm sts into pattern.

Round 4: k.

Work 7(7: 5: 7: 5: 3: 3: 4: 3: 3) more rounds as set, continuing to alternate between pattern rounds and K rounds.

**Decrease round:** S1, K to 2 from m, DDEC grabbing 1 stitch from beginning of round. 54(56: 58: 60: 64: 68: 70: 72: 76: 80: 82) sts.

Work 11(11: 9: 11: 9: 7: 7: 9: 7: 7: 7) rounds in pattern as set without decreasing.

Repeat decrease round and straight rounds section 10(10: 11: 11: 13: 14: 15: 14: 16: 17: 18) times more, 34(36: 36: 38: 38: 40: 40: 44: 44: 46: 46) sts.

Work 4(4: 18: 0: 2: 22: 16: 0: 12: 6: 0) more rounds in pattern as set, or until sleeve is 1" shorter than desired length.

Change to 4mm DPNs/circulars.

Next Round: P to end.

Next Round: K to end.

Repeat last 2 rounds once more. Cast off purlwise.



## **Neck Edging**

Using 4mm circulars and beginning at left shoulder 'seam', pick up and k 9(9: 9: 10: 10: 10: 12: 12: 12: 12) down left shoulder front to beginning of increases, 32(34: 36: 37: 39: 41: 43: 45: 46: 48: 50) across front neck, 18(18: 18: 20: 20: 20: 20: 24: 24: 24: 24) across right shoulder to beginning of centre back neck CO,24(26: 28: 29: 31: 33: 35: 37: 38: 40: 42) across back neck, 9(9: 9: 10: 10: 10: 10: 12: 12: 12) up left shoulder back to shoulder 'seam'.

92(96: 100: 106: 110: 114: 118: 130: 132: 136: 140) sts total.

PM and join to begin working in the round.

Round 1: P to end.

Round 2: K to end.

Repeat last 2 rounds once more.

Cast off all sts purlwise fairly tightly to prevent neckline from flaring out.

Weave in all ends and enjoy!









# **Sleeve Cap Lace Instructions**

Round 1: (yo, DDEC, yo, K1) to 3 from M, yo, DDEC, yo.

Round 2: K.

Round 3: k2tog, yo, (K1, yo, DDEC, yo) to 3 from M, K1, yo, ssk.

Round 4: K.

Round 5: K2, (yo, DDEC, yo, K1) to 1 from M, K1.

Round 6: K.

Round 7: (K1, yo, DDEC, yo) to 1 from M, K1.

Round 8: K.

