



River Colors Studio shares this pattern with you for the Yarn Discovery Tour 2017

## Surround shown in Malabrigo Caracol

Malabrigo Caracol 4(4,5,5,6,7) or Woolfolk Hygge 4(5,5,6,7,8)

Size US 15 32 inch circular needle

Size US 13 32 inch circular needle

Gauge 8 stitches over 4 inches in stockinette

12 rows over 4 inches on bigger needle

## Sizing

To fit chest measurements 38(42,46,52,56,60) with 0-2 inches of ease

Back

Using the larger needle

Cast on 38(42,46,52,56,60)stitches

Knit 12 rows(garter stitch) and then

Change to **stockinette** and knit until piece measures 4.5 inches from the beginning ending with a wrong side row

## Front

Using the larger needle

Cast on 38 stitches(42,46,52,56,60)

Knit 8 rows(garter stitch) and then

Change to **stockinette** and knit until piece measures 3.5 inches from the beginning ending with a wrong side row

**Join the front and the back in the round** at this point by knitting across the back and placing a marker, then continue on the same needle to the front and place a marker and join together being careful not to twist. Continue in the round until the piece measures 18 inches from the bottom of the back piece. At this point divide the piece into the front and back again by taking the 38(42,46,52,56,60) stitches from the front and placing them on a stitch holder.

Continue on the back piece as follows.

(WS)purl across the back stitches.

(RS)bind off 4(5,6,4,5,5) stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows

Then 2 stitches at the beg of next 0(0,0,4,4,6) rows-30(32,34,36,38,38) stitches remain.

Work even until armhole measures 4.5(5, 5.5,6,6.5,7) inches from beginning, end with a (WS) row

**RS** At this point switch to the smaller needles and increase 14(15,15,17,18,18) stitches evenly across 44(47,49,53,56,56) stitches.

Work until armhole measure 7(7.5,8,8.5,9,9.5) from the beginning of the armhole ending with a WS row. PM either side of center 22(23,23,23,24,24) stitches.

**RS** Work across to marker, bind off center stitches and work to the end. Place remaining 11(12,13,15,16,16) stitches from each side on to stitch holders.

Continue on the front by joining a new ball of yarn and following the same directions as the back *WS*) purl across the back stitches.

(RS) bind off 4(5,6,4,5,5) stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows

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Work even until armhole measures 4.5(5, 5.5,6,6.5,7) inches from beginning, end with a (WS) row *RS* At this point switch to the smaller needles and increase 14(15,15,17,18,18) stitches evenly across 44(47,49,53,56,56) stitches.

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*Finishing*. Join shoulders by doing a triple needle bind off. Crochet around the arm hole edges by working 2 rounds of single crochet.