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Easy

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Directions are for size Small; changes for sizes Medium, Large and Extra Large are in parentheses.

TLC® "Heathers™": 15 1/2 (17 1/2, 20, 22 1/2) Ounces Nutmeg 2443.

Knitting Needles: 4.5mm [US 7] and 5mm [US 8].
Stitch markers; yarn needle; 5 (5, 6, 6) 7/8" buttons;
sewing needle and thread.

GAUGE: 18 sts = 4"; 26 rows = 4" in pat with larger needles. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.**

To Fit Bust: 30-32 (34-36, 38-40, 42-44)".
Finished Bust: 35 1/2 (39, 42 1/2, 46)".
Finished Length: 19 (20, 20 1/2, 21)".

BACK: With smaller needles, cast on 72 (79, 87, 94) sts. K every row for 1" inc 8 (9, 9, 10) sts evenly across last row – 80 (88, 96, 104) sts.

Change to larger needles and pat as follows:

Row 1 (Right Side): * K1, P1; rep from * across.

Row 2: * K1, P1; rep from * across.

Rows 3 and 4: Knit.

Rep Rows 1-4 for pat until 9 1/2 (10, 10, 10)" from beg, end by working a wrong side row.

Shape Armholes: Keeping continuity of pat, bind off 8 (12, 16, 18) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 64 (64, 64, 68) sts.

Work even in pat until armhole measures 8 1/2 (9, 9 1/2, 10)", end by working a wrong side row.

Shape Shoulders: Bind off 6 sts at beg of next 4 rows. Bind off 5 (5, 5, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Bind off rem 30 sts.

LEFT FRONT: With smaller needles, cast on 35 (38, 42, 45) sts. K every row for 1" inc 3 (4, 4, 5) sts evenly across last row – 38 (42, 46, 50) sts.

Change to larger needles and pat same as for Back until 9 1/2 (10, 10, 10)" from beg, end by working a wrong side row.

Shape Armhole: Bind off 8 (12, 16, 18) sts at beg of next row – 30 (30, 30, 32) sts. Work even in pat until approximately 16 1/2 (17 1/2, 18, 18 1/2)" from beg, end by working a right side row.

Shape Neck-Next Row: Bind off 5 sts at neck edge, then 3 sts at same edge, then 2 sts at same edge – 20 (20, 20, 22) sts. Dec 1 st at same edge every row 3 times – 17 (17, 17, 19) sts. Work even until Front measures same as Back to shoulder, end by working a wrong side row.

Shape Shoulder: Bind off 6 sts at shoulder edge twice. Work one row even. Bind off 5 (5, 5, 7) sts.

RIGHT FRONT: Work same as Left Front, reversing neck and shoulder shapings.

SLEEVES: With smaller needles, cast on 36 sts. K every row for 1" inc 4 sts evenly across last row – 40 sts. Change to larger needles and pat, shaping sides by inc 1 st each end of every 4th row 0 (6, 15, 25) times, every 6th row 14 (15, 8, 0) times, then every 8th row 4 (0, 0, 0) times, working added sts into pat – 76 (82, 86, 90) sts. Work even until approximately 21 1/2 (22, 22, 21 1/2)" from beg. Bind off.

FINISHING-Button Band: Sew shoulder seams. With right side facing and smaller needles, pick up and K68 (72, 74, 76) sts evenly down left front edge. K every row for 1". Bind off.

Buttonhole Band: Mark right front for 5 (5, 6, 6) evenly spaced buttonholes. With right side facing and smaller needles, pick up and K68 (72, 74, 76) sts evenly up right front edge. K every row for 1/2". **Buttonhole Row 1:** [K to marker, bind off 3 sts] 5 (5, 6, 6) times, K to end. **Buttonhole Row 2:** [K to bind-off, turn, cast on 3 sts, turn] 5 (5, 6, 6) times, K to end. K every row until band measures 1". Bind off.

Collar: With right side facing and smaller needles, pick up and K78 sts around neckline, beg and end halfway through front bands. K every row for 3 1/2" AND shape collar by inc 1 st at each shoulder seam and at center back neck every other row AND change to larger needles when collar measures 2" from beg. Bind off.

Sew side and sleeve seams. Set in sleeves. Sew on buttons.



TLC® "Heathers™": Art. E512 (5 ounce/260 yard skein).

ABBREVIATIONS: **beg** = beginning; **inc** = increase; **K** = knit; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = Purl; **pat** = pattern; **rem** = remaining; **rep** = repeat; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

