Varsity jacket with striped rib

Size M · US terms



Finished size
About 46¾ in (118.5 cm) round the body and about 25¼ in (64 cm) long

Skill
Intermediate
Single crochet with squared armholes, post stitch rib, pockets, seams

Yarn
Medium (4), 3 colors

Hook
5.5 mm (US I-9)

Gauge
13 stitches and 15 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In single crochet (UK double crochet).

What you need

Yarn A: forest, main color	**about 1,075 yd (983 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: cream, contrast	**about 550 yd (503 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: gold, the shield edging	**about 45 yd (41 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 840 g in all, an estimate, where 100 g is 200 yd (183 m).

Hook: 5.5 mm (US I-9), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: yarn needle, scissors, tape measure, stitch markers, pins, 7 sew-on snaps, about 5/8 in (15 mm) across, 7 flat gold buttons, ¾ in (20 mm) across and sewing thread and a sewing needle.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge.

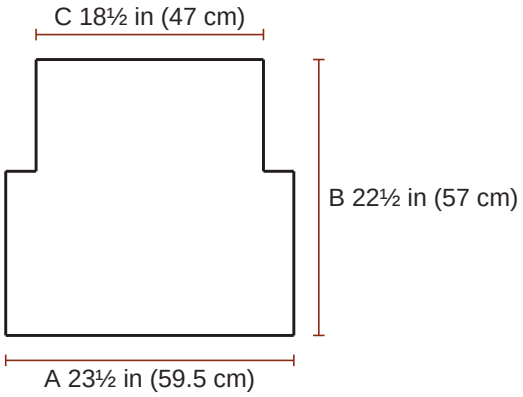
Sizes

Size	Yarn, an estimate	Around the body (closed)	Length with the hem rib	Across the back above the armholes	Armhole depth	Sleeve from its top edge, with the cuff	Upper sleeve	Cuff around	Hem rib around, relaxed, with the bands	Back neck	Collar height
XS	about 1,365 yd (1,248 m)	38¾ in (98.5 cm)	24¼ in (61.5 cm)	16½ in (42 cm)	8 in (20.5 cm)	19 in (48.5 cm)	16 in (40.5 cm)	8 in (20.5 cm)	35 in (89 cm)	6¾ in (17 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)
Size S	about 1,515 yd (1,385 m)	42½ in (108 cm)	24¾ in (63 cm)	17¼ in (44 cm)	8½ in (21.5 cm)	20 in (51 cm)	17¼ in (44 cm)	8½ in (21.5 cm)	38¼ in (97 cm)	7½ in (19 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)
Size M (this file)	**about 1,670 yd (1,527 m)**	**46¾ in (118.5 cm)**	**25¼ in (64 cm)**	**18½ in (47 cm)**	**9 in (23 cm)**	**21 in (53.5 cm)**	**17¾ in (45 cm)**	**8½ in (21.5 cm)**	**41¾ in (106 cm)**	**7½ in (19 cm)**	**3 in (7.5 cm)**

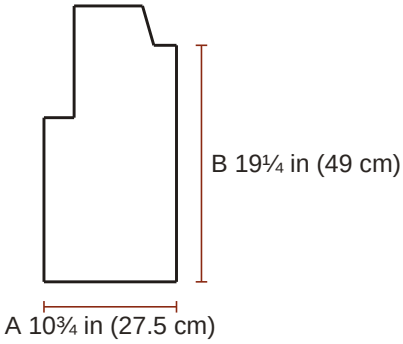
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Size L	about 1,770 yd (1,618 m)	50½ in (128.5 cm)	25¼ in (64 cm)	19 in (48.5 cm)	9½ in (24 cm)	21¾ in (55 cm)	19 in (48.5 cm)	8½ in (21.5 cm)	45½ in (115.5 cm)	7½ in (19 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)
1X	about 1,895 yd (1,733 m)	54¾ in (139 cm)	26 in (66 cm)	19¾ in (50 cm)	10¼ in (26 cm)	22¾ in (58 cm)	20¼ in (51.5 cm)	9¼ in (23.5 cm)	49¼ in (125 cm)	7½ in (19 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)
2X	about 2,050 yd (1,875 m)	58½ in (148.5 cm)	26½ in (67.5 cm)	20¼ in (51.5 cm)	10¾ in (27.5 cm)	23¾ in (60.5 cm)	21½ in (54.5 cm)	9¼ in (23.5 cm)	53 in (134.5 cm)	7½ in (19 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)
3X	about 2,175 yd (1,989 m)	62¾ in (159.5 cm)	26½ in (67.5 cm)	21 in (53.5 cm)	11¼ in (28.5 cm)	24¾ in (63 cm)	22¼ in (56.5 cm)	9¾ in (25 cm)	56¾ in (144 cm)	8 in (20.5 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)
4X	about 2,300 yd (2,103 m)	66½ in (169 cm)	27 in (68.5 cm)	21½ in (54.5 cm)	11¾ in (30 cm)	26 in (66 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	9¾ in (25 cm)	59¾ in (152 cm)	8 in (20.5 cm)	3 in (7.5 cm)

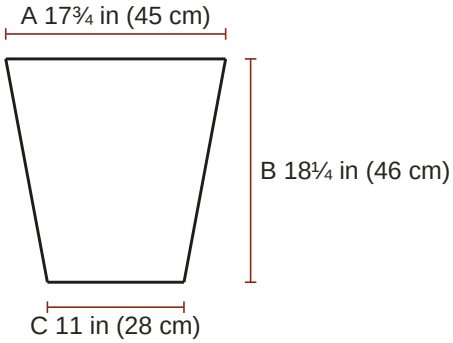
Schematic



Back
A the width
B from top to bottom
C the width



Left front
A the whole width
B the lower part



Sleeve (make 2)
A the top of the sleeve, opened flat
B the sleeve
C half the cuff

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Gauge

13 stitches and 15 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in single crochet.

> **The swatch.** A test piece to measure and pull out. It is not the start of the pattern. Ch 21; begin in the 2nd ch from the hook and work 22 rows of single crochet on 20 sts, about 6¼ in (16 cm) wide and 5¾ in (14.5 cm) high, and measure 4 in (10 cm) in the middle. Use a larger hook if your swatch is small, a smaller one if it is large. Ribs: row 1 is single crochet; row 2 is double crochet, 7 rows to 4 in (10 cm); the post stitch rows have 7.5 rows to 4 in (10 cm) and 13 sts, laid flat.

Notes

- For women and men, eight sizes by the chest.
- The finished jacket, closed, is from 6½ in (16.5 cm) to 6¾ in (17 cm) wider than the body measurement, by the size. Choose by the finished measurement you like; no fit is promised beyond the measurements given. The body measurement taken is the larger figure of the size.
- The turning chain (ch 1 for single crochet, ch 2 for double crochet) never counts as a stitch. Work the first stitch of every row into the first stitch, at the base of the turning chain.
- The chain at the start of a round never counts as a stitch. Work the first stitch of the round into the stitch at its base, where the round was joined.
- The two rounds of the shield edging are joined and not turned; the right side faces you.
- Odd-numbered rows are right side rows. Mark the right side of each piece with a stitch marker or a scrap of yarn.
- The left front and the right front are named as worn. With the right side facing you, the rows of the left front begin at its side edge and end at its front edge, and the rows of the right front begin at its front edge and end at its side edge; on wrong side rows it is the other way about.
- A decrease counts as one stitch.
- The left pocket and its welt belong to the left front as worn, the right ones to the right front.
- Rib: front post and back post double crochet (UK: treble) by turns. Row 3 sets the ribs. From row 4 on, the first stitch of the row below that you meet stands out toward you and has a front post stitch, the next lies back and has a back post stitch, and so on.
- Where a foundation chain is picked up, the 1 ch that was skipped at the start of row 1 of the piece is left out.
- The rib is elastic: it draws in and stretches. The widths given are those of the rib laid flat and not stretched.
- Sew every seam with the yarn needle and the yarn named, a new length about two and a half times as long as the seam.
- To work a post stitch around a dc2tog, take the hook around both of its legs together.
- Color changes in rows: work the last yarn over of the last stitch of the row before with the new yarn. Cut the old yarn, leaving an end of about 6 in (15 cm), or, if it is needed again at the same edge within 6 rows and that edge is straight, carry it loosely up the edge.
- To fit bust or chest 38 to 40 in (96.5 to 101.5 cm).

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Instructions

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ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **dc** double crochet (UK treble), **Rnd** round, **st** stitch.
RS right side, the one that shows.
2 sc in next st: both in one stitch. **sc in next 60 sts**: one in each.
[ ] 8 times: work what is inside 8 times in all.
(76 sc): the stitches you have when the row is done. **How to read a pattern**.

Special stitches

sc2tog (single crochet 2 stitches together (UK double crochet 2 together)): Insert the hook in the next stitch and pull up a loop, insert the hook in the following stitch and pull up a loop (3 loops on the hook); yarn over and pull through all 3 loops.

dc2tog (double crochet 2 stitches together (UK treble 2 together)): [yarn over, insert the hook in the next stitch and pull up a loop, yarn over and pull through 2 loops] twice (3 loops on the hook); yarn over and pull through all 3 loops.

fpdc (front post double crochet (UK front post treble)): Yarn over, insert the hook from the front to the back and to the front again around the post of the stitch named, pull up a loop, [yarn over and pull through 2 loops] twice. The front is the side that faces you. A post stitch takes the place of the stitch it is worked around: do not work into the top of that stitch as well.

bpdc (back post double crochet (UK back post treble)): As fpdc, but insert the hook from the back to the front and to the back again around the post.

Back

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 77.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(76 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 50**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(76 sc)

2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50

☐ **Row 51**	Fasten off and turn. Skip the first 8 sts and join yarn A in the next st; ch 1, and beginning in that st, sc in next 60 sts, leave the last 8 sts unworked	(60 sc)
☐ **Rows 52 to 84**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(60 sc)

52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79
80 81 82 83 84

☐ **End**	The back is about 23½ in (59.5 cm) wide, 18½ in (47 cm) across above the armholes and 22½ in (57 cm) long, without the hem rib. Fasten off.	

Left front

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 36.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(35 sc)

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☐ **Rows 2 to 50**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(35 sc)

2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50

☐ **Row 51**	Fasten off and turn. Skip the first 8 sts and join yarn A in the next st; ch 1, and beginning in that st, sc in next 27 sts	(27 sc)
☐ **Rows 52 to 72**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(27 sc)

52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72

☐ **Row 73**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 21 sts, leave the last 6 sts unworked	(21 sc)
☐ **Row 74**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(21 sc)
☐ **Row 75**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 19 sts, sc2tog	(20 sc)
☐ **Row 76**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(20 sc)
☐ **Row 77**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 18 sts, sc2tog	(19 sc)
☐ **Row 78**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(19 sc)
☐ **Row 79**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 17 sts, sc2tog	(18 sc)
☐ **Rows 80 to 84**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(18 sc)

80 81 82 83 84

☐ **End**	The left front is about 10¾ in (27.5 cm) wide at its lower edge, and 18 sts are left at the shoulder. Fasten off.	

Right front

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 36.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(35 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 50**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(35 sc)

2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50

☐ **Row 51**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 27 sts, leave the last 8 sts unworked	(27 sc)
☐ **Rows 52 to 72**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(27 sc)

52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72

☐ **Row 73**	Fasten off and turn. Skip the first 6 sts and join yarn A in the next st; ch 1, and beginning in that st, sc in next 21 sts	(21 sc)
☐ **Row 74**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(21 sc)
☐ **Row 75**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 19 sts	(20 sc)
☐ **Row 76**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(20 sc)
☐ **Row 77**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 18 sts	(19 sc)

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☐ **Row 78**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(19 sc)
☐ **Row 79**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 17 sts	(18 sc)
☐ **Rows 80 to 84**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(18 sc)

80 81 82 83 84

☐ **End** The right front is about 10¾ in (27.5 cm) wide at its lower edge, and 18 sts are left at the shoulder. Fasten off.

Sleeve: make 2

Yarn B, cream.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn B, ch 37.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(36 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(36 sc)

2 3 4 5 6

☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; 2 sc in first st, sc in each st across to last st, 2 sc in last st	(38 sc)
☐ **Rows 8 to 47**	Repeat Rows 4 to 7, 10 more times (40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58 sc at the ends of the repeats)	(58 sc)

8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35
36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47

☐ **Rows 48 to 68**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(58 sc)

48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68

☐ **End** The sleeve is about 17¾ in (45 cm) across the top and 18¼ in (46.5 cm) long, without the cuff. Fasten off.

Cuff: make 2, one on each sleeve

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Work this at step 2 of Assembly. Colors: rows 1 and 2 yarn A; row 3 yarn C; row 4 yarn A; row 5 yarn B; row 6 yarn A. With the right side facing, join yarn A in the first ch at the right-hand end of the foundation chain of a sleeve, with that chain uppermost; ch 1, then work this edge: sc in each of the 36 chs of the foundation chain of the sleeve, along their free side (36 sc). There are 36 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 2 sts, **[**dc in next 2 sts, dc2tog**] 8 times**, dc in next 2 sts	(28 dc)
☐ **Rows 3 to 6**	Ch 2, turn; **[**fpdc around next st, bpdc around next st**] 14 times**	(14 fpdcs, 14 bpdcs)

3 4 5 6

☐ **End** The cuff is about 8½ in (21.5 cm) wide and 3 in (7.5 cm) deep. Fasten off.

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Left pocket

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 25.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(24 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(24 sc)
	2 3 4 5 6	
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in each st across	(23 sc)
☐ **Rows 8 to 25**	Repeat Rows 6 and 7, 9 more times (22, 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 sc at the ends of the repeats)	(14 sc)
	8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25	
☐ **Row 26**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(14 sc)
☐ **End**	The pocket is about 7½ in (19 cm) wide at its lower edge, 4¼ in (11 cm) wide at its top and 7 in (18 cm) high. Its slanted edge, rows 7 to 26, is the opening. Fasten off.	

Right pocket

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 25.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(24 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(24 sc)
	2 3 4 5 6	
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across to last 2 sts, sc2tog	(23 sc)
☐ **Rows 8 to 25**	Repeat Rows 6 and 7, 9 more times (22, 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 sc at the ends of the repeats)	(14 sc)
	8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25	
☐ **Row 26**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(14 sc)
☐ **End**	The pocket is about 7½ in (19 cm) wide at its lower edge, 4¼ in (11 cm) wide at its top and 7 in (18 cm) high. Its slanted edge, rows 7 to 26, is the opening. Fasten off.	

Left pocket welt

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Colors: row 1 yarn A; row 2 yarn C; rows 3 and 4 yarn A. With the right side facing, join yarn A at the lower end of the slanted edge of the left pocket; ch 1, then work this edge: along rows 7 to 26 of the left pocket, sc in the end of each of the next 20 rows (20 sc). There are 20 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Rows 2 to 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(20 sc)
	2 3 4	
☐ **End**	The welt is about 1 in (2.5 cm) deep. Fasten off.	

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Right pocket welt

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Colors: row 1 yarn A; row 2 yarn C; rows 3 and 4 yarn A. With the right side facing, join yarn A at the upper end of the slanted edge of the right pocket; ch 1, then work this edge: along rows 7 to 26 of the right pocket, met from the last of them, sc in the end of each of the next 20 rows (20 sc). There are 20 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Rows 2 to 4** 2 3 4	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(20 sc)
☐ **End**	The welt is about 1 in (2.5 cm) deep. Fasten off.	

Hem rib

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Work this at step 6 of Assembly. Colors: rows 1 and 2 yarn A; row 3 yarn C; row 4 yarn A; row 5 yarn B; row 6 yarn A. With the right side facing, join yarn A in the ch at the front corner of the left front, at the right-hand end of the lower edge, with that edge uppermost; ch 1, then work these edges in order: sc in each of the 35 chs of the foundation chain of the left front, along their free side (35 sc); sc in each of the 76 chs of the foundation chain of the back, along their free side (76 sc); sc in each of the 35 chs of the foundation chain of the right front, along their free side (35 sc). There are 146 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next st, **[**dc in next 7 sts, dc2tog**] 16 times**, dc in next st	(130 dc)
☐ **Rows 3 to 6** 3 4 5 6	Ch 2, turn; **[**fpdc around next st, bpdc around next st**] 65 times**	(65 fpdcs, 65 bpdcs)
☐ **End**	The hem rib is about 40 in (101.5 cm) wide and 3 in (7.5 cm) deep. Fasten off.	

Right front band

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Work this at step 7 of Assembly. With the right side facing, join yarn A at the lower corner of the right front edge, as worn, in the end of row 6 of the hem rib; ch 1, then work these edges in order: along rows 2 to 6 of the hem rib, met from the last of them, sc in the end of the next row, 2 sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows (9 sc); along row 1 of the hem rib, sc in the end of the next row (1 sc); along rows 1 to 72 of the right front, sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows, [skip the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 6 rows] 9 times, skip the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows (62 sc). There are 72 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Rows 2 to 7** 2 3 4 5 6 7	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(72 sc)
☐ **End**	The band is about 1 7/8 in (4.8 cm) wide. Fasten off.	

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Left front band

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Work this at step 7 of Assembly. With the right side facing, join yarn A at the neck corner of the left front edge, as worn; ch 1, then work these edges in order: along rows 1 to 72 of the left front, met from the last of them, sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows, [skip the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 6 rows] 9 times, skip the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows (62 sc); along row 1 of the hem rib, sc in the end of the next row (1 sc); along rows 2 to 6 of the hem rib, 2 sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows, sc in the end of the next row (9 sc). There are 72 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Rows 2 to 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(72 sc)
	2 3 4 5 6 7	
☐ **End**	The band is about 1 7/8 in (4.8 cm) wide. Fasten off.	

Collar rib

Yarn A, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	Work this at step 8 of Assembly. Colors: rows 1 and 2 yarn A; row 3 yarn C; row 4 yarn A; row 5 yarn B; row 6 yarn A. With the right side facing, join yarn A at the neck end of the right front band, in the end of its last row; ch 1, then work these edges in order: along rows 1 to 7 of the right front band, met from the last of them, sc in the end of each of the next 7 rows (7 sc); sc in each of the 6 free sts of row 72 of the right front (6 sc); up the neck edge, along rows 73 to 84 of the right front, sc in the end of each of the next 5 rows, skip the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 6 rows (11 sc); sc in each of the 24 middle sts of row 84 of the back (24 sc); down the neck edge, along rows 73 to 84 of the left front, met from the last of them, sc in the end of each of the next 6 rows, skip the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 5 rows (11 sc); sc in each of the 6 free sts of row 72 of the left front (6 sc); along rows 1 to 7 of the left front band, sc in the end of each of the next 7 rows (7 sc). There are 72 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.	
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 2, turn; **[**dc in next 7 sts, dc2tog**] 8 times**	(64 dc)
☐ **Rows 3 to 6**	Ch 2, turn; **[**fpdc around next st, bpdc around next st**] 32 times**	(32 fpdcs, 32 bpdcs)
	3 4 5 6	
☐ **End**	The collar is about 19¾ in (50 cm) long and 3 in (7.5 cm) high. It stands up around the neck. Fasten off.	

Shield patch

Yarn B, cream.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn B, ch 17.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(16 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(16 sc)
	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in each st across to last 2 sts, sc2tog	(14 sc)

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☐ **Rows 12 to 17** 12 13 14 15 16 17	Repeat Rows 10 and 11, 3 more times (12, 10, 8 sc at the ends of the repeats)	(8 sc)
☐ **Rows 18 to 20** 18 19 20	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in each st across to last 2 sts, sc2tog	(2 sc)
☐ **End**	The patch is about 5 in (12.5 cm) wide and 5¼ in (13.5 cm) high. The foundation chain is its upper edge, and the 2 sts of row 20 are its point. Fasten off.	

Shield edging

Yarn C, gold.

☐ **Foundation**	With the right side facing, join yarn C in the ch at the right-hand end of the foundation chain of the shield patch, with that chain uppermost; ch 1, then work these edges in order: sc in each of the 16 chs of the foundation chain of the shield patch, along their free side (16 sc); along rows 1 to 20 of the shield patch, sc in the end of each of the next 20 rows (20 sc); sc in each of the 2 sts of row 20 of the shield patch (2 sc); along rows 1 to 20 of the shield patch, met from the last of them, sc in the end of each of the next 20 rows (20 sc). There are 58 sc in all; join with sl st in first sc. This is rnd 1.	
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 1; 2 sc in first st, sc in next 14 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc	(60 sc)
☐ **End**	The 2 increases of rnd 2 stand at the two upper corners, in the first and in the last of the 16 sts of rnd 1 that lie along the foundation chain. Fasten off, leaving an end of about 50 in (125 cm) for sewing.	

Assembly

1. Shoulders: lay the left front and the right front on the back with right sides together and the side edges level. Sew the 18 sts of row 84 of each front to the 18 sts at that end of row 84 of the back, one to one, with yarn A. The middle 24 sts of the back stay open for the neck.

2. Cuff: work one on each sleeve now, as written above. The 1 ch skipped at the beginning of row 1 of the sleeve is left out.

3. Sleeves: with right sides together, lay the middle of the top edge of a sleeve (row 68, 58 sts) at a shoulder seam, 29 sts to each side of it. Sew 29 sts to the ends of rows 51 to 84 of the back and 29 sts to the ends of rows 51 to 84 of the front, about 6 sts to every 7 row ends, with yarn A. Then sew the ends of rows 60 to 68 of each side edge of the sleeve to the 8 sts left unworked at the underarm, on the front and on the back. Sew the second sleeve to the other armhole.

4. Sides and sleeves: with right sides together and yarn A, sew each side seam, the ends of rows 1 to 50 of the back to the ends of rows 1 to 50 of the front, row to row. Sew each sleeve seam with yarn B, row end to row end, from the underarm to the cuff, and the 6 rows of the cuff with yarn A.

5. Pockets: work the welts on the pockets first, as written above. Lay the left pocket, right side up, on the right side of the left front and the right pocket on the right front, the straight side edge of the pocket toward the front edge and the slanted edge toward the side seam, with the foundation chain of the pocket on the line between rows 2 and 3 of the front, 6 sts of the front free between the pocket and the front edge and 5 sts free between the pocket and the side seam. Pin it flat, the welt flat too. With a new length of yarn A of about 54 in (135 cm) sew down, with small stitches, the 14 sts of row 26 at the top, the straight side edge, the 24 chs of the lower edge and the ends of rows 1 to 6 below the slanted edge. Sew the two short ends of the welt to the front with a new length of yarn A of about 8 in (20 cm). The slanted edge with its welt stays open for the hand.

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6. Hem rib: work it now, as written above.

7. Front bands: work the right front band and the left front band now, as written above.

8. Collar rib: work it now, as written above.

9. Snaps: decide which front is to lie on top: the left front, as on men's clothes, or the right front, as on women's. On the wrong side of that band sew 7 snap halves with sewing thread, in the middle of its width (row 4), at its sts 4, 15, 26, 36, 47, 58 and 69, counted from the lower edge; sew the other halves to the right side of the other band, at the same sts. On the right side of the upper band, over each snap, sew a button flat, through its holes and the band.

10. Shield, if you like: work the shield patch and the shield edging, as written above. Lay the shield, right side up and its point below, on the left front, as worn, with the foundation chain of the patch on the line between rows 68 and 69 of the front, 5 sts of the front free between the patch and the front edge, the edging not counted, and 6 sts free between the patch and the armhole seam. Sew it down along its last round with its own end. It is left plain, for a letter or a badge of your own.

Finishing

- Weave in all the ends. Wash as the yarn label says and lay flat to the measurements to dry.

In all: 8 pieces.

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