

Needles: 3.5, 6.5 Estimated Ydg: 516 Back

With rib needle, cast on 74 sts. Estab rib pat on Row 1: *K2, P2. Repeat from *. End K2. Work 9 rws. On row 10, increase as below. [2 cm].

Rib-to-Body Inc Row [Work 14, inc 1 in next st] 4x, work 14. (78 sts)

With body needle, work in pat st until piece meas 18"[row 64].

Armhole Shaping Bind off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rws. Dec 1 st each side, every other row 4x.

Cont in pat st until piece meas 32 cm from start [row 120].

Shape Shoulders and Back Neck Bind off 6 sts beg of next row.At beg of next row, bind off 6 sts, work 11 sts, attach a second ball of yarn and bind off 28 back neck sts. Complete row. At beg of next row, bind off 5 sts and dec 1 st at each neck edge.Bind off 5 sts beg of next row. Bind off 5 sts beg of next 2 rws. End off.

Gauge: 27 sts 40 rws per 10cm

Front

Size: 55

make two, [reversing shaping] With smaller needles, cast on 38 sts. Estab rib pat on Row 1: *K2 , P2. Repeat from *. End K2. Estab rib pat. Work 9 rws [2 cm]. On row 10, inc as follows:

Rib-to-Body Inc Row Work 19 [inc 1 in next st, work 18] 1x. (39 sts)

Work as for back, including all shaping,

<u>and, at the same time</u> when piece meas 27.5 cm [row 102]

Begin Neck Shaping At neck edge, bind off 8 sts Bind off 2 sts at each neck edge 1x Dec 1 st at neck edge, every other row 5x.

Cont in pat st until piece meas 32 cm from start [row 120].

Shape Shoulders Work shoulder shaping (at shoulder edge) to correspond with back. Work sleeves. (pg 2) Continued on page 2.

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Sleeves

With smaller needles, cast on 50 sts. Work same as body rib for 14 rws [3 cm]

Sleeve Shaping

Using larger needle, work one RS row. Begin sleeve shaping: Inc 1 st on each side every 6th rw 2x, then every 8th rw 6x.

Cont in pat st until piece meas 19 cm [row 64].

Cap Shaping Bind off 4 sts each side. Dec 1 st each side, every other row, 4x Dec 1 st each side every 2nd rw 10x. Dec 1 st each side every 3rd rw 3x. Bind off 3 sts at the beg of next 4 rws. Bind off rem 12 sts.

Join seams. Weave in all ends. Seam each shoulder. (16 sts)

Neck Finishing Using smaller needle and RS facing, pick up 8 bound off sts from right front, pick up 2 sts from side bind off, pick up 18 side neck sts, pick up 36 back neck sts, pick up 18 left side neck sts, pick up 2 sts from side bind off, pick up 8 bound off sts. Working back and forth, estab pat. Inc or dec as necessary on the first row to balance pattern. Work for 2.5 cm. Bind off loosely in pat.

Bands

Finishing Bands: Right Front With smaller needles and RS facing, pick up 94 sts. Work 2.5cm in rib, end WS. Bind off neatly.

Left Front Repeat instructions for right front.

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