

Slacksuit

TAKING Lulubelle for a picnic? She'll be a smash in this all-in-one slacksuit. See directions below. Jacket directions are on page 56.

Materials: 1 ball Patons Azalea patonised yarn; 1 pr. No. 10 knitting needles; 2 small press studs; length of hat elastic for waist.

Measurements: Length, 8in.

Tension: 8 sts. to lin. in width.

Abbreviations: M.1., * pick up loop which lies before next st., place on left-hand needle and knit it t.b.l.; t.b.l., through back of loop.

LEFT SIDE

Cast on 14 sts.

1st Row: Knit.

2nd Row: K 1, p to last st., k 1. Rep. 1st and 2nd rows five times.

** 13th Row: Inc. once in first st., knit to last st., inc. once in last st.

Rep. 2nd row once, then 1st and 2nd rows 5 times **.

Rep. from ** to ** twice (20 sts.) ***.

Work 1 row straight.

Next Row: Cast off 2 sts., p to last st., k 1.

Rep. 1st and 2nd rows 8 times. **** Next Row: K 9, m.1., k 9.

Rep. 2nd row once, then 1st and 2nd rows 3 times ****.

Next Row: K 9, m.1., k 1, m.1., k 9 (21 sts.).

Rep. 2nd row once, then 1st and 2nd rows once.

Next Row: K 9, cast off 3, k 9.

Next Row: K 1, p 7, k 1.

***** Next Row: Knit.



Work 5 rows more on these 9 sts. Cast off.

Join in yarn to remaining sts., work 7 rows and cast off.

RIGHT SIDE

Work as given for left side to ***. Next Row: Cast off 2 sts., knit to end of row.

Rep. 2nd row once, then 1st and 2nd rows 8 times.

Rep. from **** to **** for left side once.

Next Row: K 9, m.1., k 1, m.1., k 9, turn and cast on 2 sts. (for underlap).

Rep. 2nd row once, then 1st and 2nd rows once.

Next Row: K 9, cast off 3, k 11. Next Row: K 1, p 9, k 1. Work as given from **** to end of left side.

TO MAKE UP

With a slightly damp cloth and warm iron, press lightly. Using a flat seam throughout sew up each leg seam to crutch. Join centre-front seam and centre-back seam to underlap. Sew press studs in position on underlap. Thread elastic through sts. at waist.