



# ROBIN

Four Ply

2189

8p



## Materials

4 (5) (5) balls

Robin TRICEL-NYLON PERLE, VOGUE,

CASINO CREPE or  BRI-NYLON

## Four Ply

1 pair each Robin knitting needles Nos. 10, 11 and 12

Holder

4 buttons

## Measurements

To fit chest 18 (20) (22) inches

Length from shoulder  $11\frac{1}{2}$  ( $12\frac{3}{4}$ ) ( $14\frac{1}{4}$ ) inches

## Tension

7 stitches and 9 rows to 1 inch over stocking stitch and pattern on No. 10 needles

## IMPORTANT

For perfect garment reproduction use ONLY the recommended Robin yarn  
Checking tension carefully  
Changing needles if necessary to obtain tension stated.

## Abbreviations

|                                             |                    |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| k. knit                                     | p. purl            |
| st(s) stitch(es)                            | ins. inches        |
| inc. increase                               | dec. decrease      |
| patt. pattern                               | rep. repeat        |
| beg. beginning                              | sl. slip           |
| tog. together                               | y.fd. yarn forward |
| p.s.s.o. pass slip stitch over              |                    |
| g.st. garter stich (every row k.)           |                    |
| st.st. stocking stitch (1 row k., 1 row p.) |                    |
| t.b.l. through back of loop                 |                    |

## Note

Instructions for the larger sizes are in brackets, where only one figure is given this applies to all sizes.

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## BACK

With No. 11 needles cast on 107(115) (123) sts. and work 6 rows g.st.

Change to No. 10 needles and work 2 rows st.st.

## Commence pattern

**1st row** \*K.2tog., y.fd., k.6; rep. from \* to last 3 sts., k.2tog., y.fd., k.1.

**2nd, 4th, 6th and 8th rows** P.

**3rd row** K.2, \* y.fd., sl.1, k.1, p.s.s.o., k.3, k.2tog., y.fd., k.1; rep. from \* to last st., k.1.

**5th row** \*K.3, y.fd., sl.1, k.1, p.s.s.o., k.1, k.2tog., y.fd.; rep. from \* to last 3 sts., k.3.

**7th row** K.4, \* y.fd., sl.1, k.2tog., p.s.s.o., y.fd., k.5; rep. from \* last rep. ending k.4.

These 8 rows form the patt. rep. them twice more.

Continue in st.st. work 6 rows.

**Next row** K.2tog., k.28 (32) (36), k.2tog.t.b.l., k.43, k.2tog., k.28 (32) (36), k.2tog.

Beg. with p. row work 7 rows st.st.

**Next row** K.2tog., k.26 (30) (34), k.2tog.t.b.l., k.43, k.2tog., k.26 (30) (34), k.2tog.

Continue dec. in this way every 8th row twice more: 91 (99) (107) sts., then work straight to 8 (9) (10) ins. from beg. ending on a k. row.

**Next row** P.6 (1) (1), p.2tog., \* p.2, p.2tog.; rep. from \* 18 (22) (24) times more, p. to end: 71 (75) (81) sts.

## Shape armholes

Change to g.st.

Cast off 5 (7) (6) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows.

Dec. 1 st. at each end of next 5 rows. 51 (51) (59) sts.

**Next row** P.

# Baby Dress

Now work 2 reps. of patt. ★

Continue in st.st. to  $11\frac{1}{2}$  (12 $\frac{3}{4}$ ) (14 $\frac{1}{4}$ ) ins. from beg. ending on a p. row.

## Shape shoulders

Cast off 6 (6) (7) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows, then 6 (6) (8) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Change to No. 12 needles and work 5 rows g.st., cast off.

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## FRONT

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Work as back to ★ then work 4 (6) (8) rows st.st.

## Shape neck

**Next row** K.15 (15) (19), turn leaving remaining sts. on holder, p. to end.

★★ Dec. 1 st. at neck edge on every right side row to 12 (12) (15) sts. Work straight to same length as back to shoulder ending at side edge.

## Shape shoulder

**Next row** Cast off 6 (6) (7) sts., work to end.

Work 1 row, cast off.

Leaving centre 21 sts. on holder rejoin yarn to remaining sts. and work from ★★ to end.

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## NECKBAND

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With No. 12 needles right side facing, k. up 44 (50) (56) sts. evenly round front neck, work 4 rows g.st., cast off.

## Back shoulder edging

With No. 12 needles k. up 16 (16) (18) sts. across back shoulder.

Work 3 rows g.st., cast off. Work other back shoulder in same way.

## Right Front shoulder edging

With No. 12 needles right side facing, k. up 16 (16) (18) sts. across front shoulder turn and k. 1 row.

**Next row—make buttonholes** K.2, cast off 2 sts., k.4 (4) (6) including st. on needle, cast off 2 sts., k. to end.

**Next row** K.6 cast on 2 sts., k.4 (4) (6), cast on 2 sts., k.2. Cast off.

## Left Front shoulder edging

Work as right front shoulder to buttonhole row.

**Next row—make buttonholes** K.6, cast off 2 sts., k.4 (4) (6) including st. on needle, cast off 2 sts., k. to end.

**Next row** K.2, cast on 2 sts., k.4 (4) (6), cast on 2 sts., k.6. Cast off.

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## ARMBANDS (Alike)

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Place front shoulder over back shoulder and join  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch at side edge.

With No. 12 needles right side facing, k. up 68 (74) (80) sts. evenly round armhole edge, turn and k.1 row.

**Next row** K.2tog., \* k.4, k.2tog.; rep. from \* to end.

K.2 rows. Cast off.

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## TO COMPLETE

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Press work carefully on wrong side using a warm iron over a damp cloth.

Join side seams. Press as before. Sew on buttons.



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