

Shepherd

1814

8 PLY

BABY WOOL

SIZES
45-60cm

Crew Neck Sweater
With Dropped
Shoulders And
Matching
Leggings



MEASUREMENTS:

Sizes: 45 50 55 60 cm

Sweater:

Finished measurement: 51 57 63 69 cm

Length to back neck: 25 29 33 37 cm

Sleeve length: 16 20 23 27 cm

Leggings:

Full length: 33 38 43 48 cm

Leg length: 14 18 22 26 cm

MATERIALS:

SHEPHERD BABY WOOL 8 PLY
50 g balls

Sweater:

3 4 5 6

Leggings:

3 4 4 5

Note: Quantities stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

One pair each size 3.25 mm and 4 mm knitting needles. Cable needle. Stitch holders. 3 buttons for Sweater. Elastic for Leggings. Motifs (optional).

SWEATER

BACK:

**With 3.25 mm needles, cast on 54 (58: 66: 70) sts and work in rib as fol:

1st row: K2, *p2, k2, rep from * to end.

2nd row: P2, *k2, p2, rep from * to end.

Rep these 2 rows until work meas 3 (3: 4: 4) cm, fin with a 1st row.

Inc row: Rib 5 (4: 4: 5), M1, [rib 5 (4: 5: 4), M1] 2 (3: 3: 4) times, [rib 1, M1] twice, *rib 4 (5: 5: 6), M1, rib 4 (4: 5: 5), M1, [rib 1, M1] twice, rep from * once more, rib 9 (6: 7: 6), [M1, rib 8 (6: 7: 5)] 1 (2: 2: 3) times. [68 (74: 82: 88) sts]

Change to 4 mm needles and work in patt as fol:

1st row: (right side) K16 (18: 21: 23), p2, k4, p2, [k6 (7: 8: 9), p2, k4, p2] twice, k16 (18: 21: 23).

2nd row: P16 (18: 21: 23), k2, p4, k2, [p6 (7: 8: 9), k2, p4, k2] twice, p16 (18: 21: 23). Rep last 2 rows twice more.

7th row: K16 (18: 21: 23), p2, C4B, p2, [k6 (7: 8: 9), p2, C4B, p2] twice, k16 (18: 21: 23).

8th row: As 2nd row.

TENSION:

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm over stst on 4 mm needles.

NOTE: THIS PARAGRAPH IS MOST IMPORTANT.

To obtain perfect results, correct tension is absolutely essential. Check tension by knitting a sample at least 10 cm square. If you obtain more sts per 10 cm than specified change to larger needles, if less use smaller needles.

ABBREVIATIONS:

alt = alternate; beg = beginning; cm = centimetres; dec = decrease(ing); fin = finishing; fol = follow(s)ing; inc = increase(ing); k = knit; meas = measures; 0 = no rows/stitches/times; p = purl; patt = pattern; psso = pass slipped stitch over; rem = remain(ing); rep = repeat; RS = right side; sl = slip; st(s) = stitch(es); stst = stocking stitch (RS row k, WS row p); tbl = through back of loop; tog = together; WS = wrong side; yf = yarn forward.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS:

C4B = cable 4 back (sl next 2 sts onto cable needle and hold at back of work, k next 2 sts from left hand needle, then k sts from cable needle).

M1 = make 1 stitch (pick up horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st and work into back of it).

These 8 rows form the patt. Rep patt until Back meas approximately 15 (18: 20.5: 23) cm from beg (or length required), fin with an 8th patt row.

Place markers each end of last row worked to denote armholes.

Dec row: K15 (17: 20: 22), k2tog tbl, p1, k1, k2tog, k1, p1, k2tog, [k4 (5: 6: 7), k2tog tbl, p1, k1, k2tog, k1, p1, k2tog] twice, k15 (17: 20: 22). [59 (65: 73: 79) sts]**

Cont in stst, beg with a p row, until Back meas 4 (5: 6.5: 8) cm from markers, fin with a WS row.

Divide for Back Opening:

Next row: K32 (35: 39: 42), TURN and cont on right side of neck only, leaving rem sts on a spare needle.

Next row: K5, p to end.

Next row (buttonhole): K to last 3 sts, yf, k2tog, k1.

Next row: K5, p to end.

Next row: K to end.

Next row: K5, p to end.

Rep last 2 rows 3 times more.

Next row (buttonhole): K to last 3 sts, yf, k2tog, k1.

Next row: K5, p to end.

Next row: K to end.

Next row: K5, p to end.

Rep last 2 rows once more, thus fin with a WS row.

Next row: Cast off 16 (18: 21: 23) sts, k to end.

Sl rem 16 (17: 18: 19) sts onto a stitch holder for neckband.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem 27 (30: 34: 37) sts at neck edge and work as fol:

Next row: Cast on 5 sts, k across these 5 sts, k to end. [32 (35: 39: 42) sts]

Next row: P to last 5 sts, k5.

Next row: K to end.

Next row: P to last 5 sts, k5.

Rep last 2 rows 7 times more, thus fin with a WS row.

Next row: K16 (17: 18: 19) sts, cast off rem 16 (18: 21: 23) sts.

Sl rem 16 (17: 18: 19) sts onto a stitch holder for neckband.

FRONT:

Work as given for Back from ** to **.

Cont in stst, beg with a p row, until Front is 12 (14: 14: 16) rows less than Back to shoulder, thus fin with a WS row.

Shape Neck:

Next row: K22 (25: 28: 31), TURN and cont on left side of neck only, leaving rem sts on a spare needle.

Next row: P1, p2tog, p to end.

Next row: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Rep last 2 rows once more.

Next row: P to end.

Next row: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Rep last 2 rows 1 (2: 2: 3) times more. [16 (18: 21: 23) sts]

Work 3 rows straight, thus fin with a WS row. Cast off.

Sl centre 15 (15: 17: 17) sts onto a stitch holder for neckband.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem 22 (25: 28: 31) sts at neck edge and k to end.

Next row: P to last 3 sts, p2tog tbl, p1.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to end.

Rep last 2 rows once more.

Next row: P to end.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to end.

Rep last 2 rows 1 (2: 2: 3) times more. [16 (18: 21: 23) sts]

Work 3 rows straight, thus fin with a WS row. Cast off.

SLEEVES (2 Alike):

With 3.25 mm needles, cast on 34 (34: 38: 38) sts and work in rib as given for Back for 3 (3: 4: 4) cm, fin with a 1st row.

Inc row: [Rib 1, M1] 0 (1: 0: 1) times, rib 5 (3: 5: 3), *M1, [rib 2 (1: 1: 1), M1] 1 (2: 2: 2) times, * rib 4 (5: 5: 6), M1, rib 5 (5: 6: 6), M1, rib 2, M1, rib 4 (5: 5: 6), M1, rib 5, rep from * to * once more, rib 5 (3: 6: 4), [M1, rib 1] 0 (1: 0: 1) times. [42 (46: 48: 50) sts]

Change to 4 mm needles and work in patt as fol:

1st row: (right side) K3 (4: 4: 4), p2, k4, p2, *k6 (7: 8: 9), p2, k4, p2, rep from * to last 3 (4: 4: 4) sts, k to end.

2nd row: P3 (4: 4: 4), k2, p4, k2, *p6 (7: 8: 9), k2, p4, k2, rep from * to last 3 (4: 4: 4) sts, p to end.

Rep last 2 rows once more.

5th row: K1, M1, k2 (3: 3: 3), p2, k4, p2, *k6 (7: 8: 9), p2, k4, p2, rep from * to last 3 (4: 4: 4) sts, k to last st, M1, k1.

6th row: P4 (5: 5: 5), k2, p4, k2, *p6 (7: 8: 9), k2, p4, k2, rep from * to last 4 (5: 5: 5) sts, p to end.

7th row: K4 (5: 5: 5), p2, C4B, p2, *k6 (7: 8: 9), p2, C4B, p2, rep from * to last 4 (5: 5: 5) sts, k to end.

8th row: As 6th row.

These 8 rows, omitting incs, form the patt. Rep patt and **AT THE SAME TIME**, working extra sts into patt, inc one st each end of every 4th (6th: 6th: 4th) row from last inc until there are 50 (52: 64: 64) sts.

Sizes 45 (50: 60) cm only:

Inc one st each end of every 6th (8th: 6th) row until there are 54 (58: 74) sts.

All Sizes:

Cont straight until Sleeve meas 15.5 (19.5: 22.5: 26.5) cm from beg (or length required), fin with a WS row.

Dec row: [P1, k1, k2tog] 0 (0: 0: 1) times, k0 (0: 2: 1), p2 (2: 1: 1), k2tog, [k4 (5: 6: 7), k2tog tbl, p1, k1, k2tog, k1, p1, k2tog] 3 times, k4 (5: 6: 7), k2tog tbl, p2 (2: 1: 1),

k0 (0: 2: 1), [k2tog tbl, k1, p1] 0 (0: 0: 1) times.

Cast off rem 43 (47: 53: 61) sts.

NECKBAND:

Omitting ribbing, press all pieces according to instructions on bandwrap, taking care not to flatten cables.

Join shoulder seams.

With RS facing and 3.25 mm needles, k16 (17: 18: 19) sts from holder at left back neck, pick up and k11 (14: 14: 15) sts down left front neck, k14 (14: 16: 16) sts from front neck holder (dec one st at centre front neck), pick up and k11 (14: 14: 15) sts up right front neck, k16 (17: 18: 19) sts from holder at right back neck. [68 (76: 80: 84) sts]

1st row: K5, p2, *k2, p2, rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

2nd row: K7, p2, *p2, rep from * to last 7 sts, k7.

3rd row: As 1st row.

4th row (buttonhole): K7, p2, *k2, p2, rep from * to last 7 sts, k4, yf, k2tog, k1.

5th row: As 1st row.

6th row: As 2nd row.

7th row: As 1st row.

Cast off knitwise over k sts and ribwise over rib sts.

TO MAKE UP:

Sl st cast on sts of Back Opening to WS of work.

Sew motif to front as required (optional).

Sew cast off edge of Sleeves between markers, matching centre top of sleeve to shoulder seam.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Press seams lightly.

Sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes.

LEGGINGS

LEFT HALF:

With 3.25 mm needles, cast on 42 sts and work in rib as fol:

1st row: K2, *p2, k2, rep from * to end.

2nd row: P2, *k2, p2, rep from * to end.

Rep these 2 rows until work meas 6 cm, fin with a 1st row.

Inc row: Rib 2, *M1, rib 3, rep from * to last st, M1, rib 1. [56 sts]

Change to 4 mm needles and work 2 rows in stst, beg with a k row.

Next row: K1, M1, k to last st, M1, k1.

Cont in stst, inc one st each end of every 4th row until there are 68 (74: 80: 86) sts, fin with a WS row. [work should meas 14 (18: 22: 26) cm from beg]

Shape Crotch:

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 4 rows and one st at beg of fol 4 rows. [56 (62: 68: 74) sts]

Cont straight until work meas 16 (17: 18: 19) cm from beg of crotch shaping, fin with a WS row.

Change to 3.25 mm needles and work in rib as given at beg of Left Half for 6 cm. Cast off loosely ribwise.

RIGHT HALF:

Work as given for Left Half.

TO MAKE UP:

Omitting ribbing, press all pieces according to instructions on bandwrap.

Join two halves from waist to crotch.

Sew motif to leg as required (optional).

Join leg seams.

Fold waistband in half to inside and sl st in place at base of ribbing, inserting elastic before completing.

Press seams lightly.