

SNOWFLAKE

4087
61-76cm 24-30"



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			3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	years
To Fit Chest			61 24	66 26	71 28	76 30	cm in
Actual Measurement			71 28	76 30	81 32	86 34	cm in
Full Length (approximately)			41 16	46 18	51 20	53 21	cm in
Sleeve Length (adjustable)			29 11½	33 13	37 14½	39 15½	cm in
Quality	Shade						Balls
097 Snowflake	386 383	Main Contrast	2 1	3 2	3 2	4 2	50 gm

The quantities of yarn are based upon average requirements and are therefore approximate.

1 Pair of 5½mm (UK5 - USA9) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 4½mm (UK7 - USA7) Knitting Needles.

Stitch Holders.

3 Buttons.

Black DK yarn for embroidery.
Stuffing for bears head.

Owing to printing restrictions the colour reproduction is matched as closely as possible to the yarn.

TENSION

14 sts and 19 rows to 10cm, (4in) over stocking stitch on 5½mm needles or the size required to give correct tension.

VERY IMPORTANT

IT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORK TO THE STATED TENSION TO ENSURE SUCCESS.

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As 4 sizes are quoted we suggest that you circle all the figures for the size you wish to make before you commence.

BACK

Using 4½mm needles and M, cast on 50 [54:58:62] sts, work 5 rows in 2x2 rib.

6th Row. Rib to end dec 1 st in centre of row. 49 [53:57:61] sts.

Change to 5½mm needles and C, working in st-st (throughout) work 54 [64:72:76] rows.

Divide for Back Opening

Next Row. K23 [25:27:29], turn, leave rem 26 [28:30:32] sts on a stitch holder.

Work 17 rows more in st-st.

Shape Shoulder

Next Row. Cast off 16 [18:19:20] sts loosely, slip rem 7 [7:8:9] sts onto a stitch holder.

With rs facing, rejoin yarn to rem 26 [28:30:32] sts left on a stitch holder and proceed as follows:-

Next Row. Cast off 3 sts loosely, knit to end, 23 [25:27:29] sts.

Work 17 rows more in st-st.

Shape Shoulder

Next Row. Slip 7 [7:8:9] sts onto a stitch holder, cast off rem 16 [18:19:20] sts loosely.

FRONT

Using 4½mm needles and M, cast on 50 [54:58:62] sts, work 5 rows in 2x2 rib.

6th Row. Rib to end dec 1 st in centre of row. 49 [53:57:61] sts.

Change to 5½mm needles and working in st-st (throughout) proceed as follows:-

Work from 1st to 26th row from Chart working size required as indicated.

Using M only work 0 [4:10:10] rows more.

Work from 27th to 47th row from Chart working size required as indicated.

Using M only work 14 [20:22:26] rows more.

Next Row. Work 48th row of Chart.

Working from 49th to 62nd row of Chart shape neck as follows:-

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INTARSIA TECHNIQUE

When working with different balls of yarn the colour to be used should be twisted round the colour just used to link the colours together and avoid holes. DO NOT BREAK OFF AND JOIN IN EXCEPT WHERE NECESSARY.

ABBREVIATIONS

alt alternate	patt pattern
C Contrast	rem remain(ing)
cont continue	rep repeat
dec decrease(ing)	rs right side
fol following	sts() stitch(es)
inc increase(ing)	tog together
k knit	ws wrong side
M main	cm centimetres
Ø no rows	mm millimetres
p purl	in inch(es)

WORKING ABBREVIATIONS

2x2 Rib

1st Row. * K2, p2, rep from * to last 2 sts, k2.

2nd Row. * P2, k2, rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows.

St-st. Stocking stitch

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Purl.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows.

m1. Make one stitch

Pick up loop between last and next stitch and work into the back of this loop.

Shape Neck

Next Row. K20 [22:23:24], turn, leave rem 29 [31:34:37] sts on a stitch holder.

Working on these 20 [22:23:24] sts only proceed as follows:-

Next Row. Patt.

work 4 rows dec 1 st at neck edge in every row. 16 [18:19:20] sts.

Work 8 rows more without shaping.

Cast off loosely.

With rs facing, working on rem 29 [31:34:37] sts, slip 9 [9:11:13] sts onto a stitch holder, rejoin yarn to rem 20 [22:23:24] sts and knit to end.

Complete to match first side of neck.

SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using 4½mm needles and M, cast on 22 [22:26:26] sts, work in 2x2 rib for 4 [4:5:5]cm, (1½ [1½:2:2]in), ending with a rs row.

Next Row. Rib 2 [2:4:4], m1, (rib 3, m1) 6 times, rib 2 [2:4:4].

29 [29:33:33] sts.

Change to 5½mm needles and

working in st-st (throughout) inc 1 st at each end of 3rd and every foll 5th row to 43 [49:53:57] sts.
Cont without shaping until sleeve measures 29 [33:37:39]cm, (11½ [13:14½:15½]in), or length required, ending with a ws row.
Cast off loosely.

NECKBAND

Join shoulder seams. With rs facing, using 4½mm needles and M, knit across 7 [7:8:9] sts left on a stitch holder at left side of back neck, pick up and knit 12 sts evenly along left side of neck, 9 [9:11:13] sts left on a stitch holder at front of neck, 13 sts evenly along right side of neck and knit across 7 [7:8:9] sts left on a stitch holder at right side of back neck. 48 [48:52:56] sts.
1st Row. K1, * p2, k2, rep from * to last 3 sts, p2, k1.
2nd Row. P1, k2, * p2, k2, rep from * to last st, p1.
3rd and 4th Rows. As 1st and 2nd rows.
5th Row. K1, * p2, k2, rep from * to last 3 sts, p2, k1.
Cast off loosely in rib.

OVERLAY

With rs facing, using 4½mm needles

and C pick up and knit 5 sts evenly along neckband and 13 sts evenly along back opening. 18 sts.
Commencing with 2nd row of 2x2 rib, work 1 row.
Next Row. Rib 2, (cast off 1 st, rib 4) twice, cast off 1 st, rib 2.
Next Row. Rib 3, cast on 1 st, (rib 5, cast on 1 st) twice, rib 2.
Work 1 row in rib.
Cast off loosely in rib.

UNDERLAY

Work as given for Overlay omitting buttonholes.

HEAD

Using 5½mm needles and C, cast on 3 sts working in st-st (throughout) work 2 rows.
Work 2 rows inc 1 st at each end of every row. 7 sts.
Next Row. Knit to end, cast on 4 sts. 11 sts.
Next Row. Purl to end, cast on 4 sts. 15 sts.
Work 15 rows inc 1 st at each end of 3rd and every foll 3rd row. 25 sts.
Work 5 rows more without shaping.
Work 2 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 21 sts.
Work 4 rows dec 1 st at each end of 2nd and foll alt row. 17 sts.

Work 2 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 13 sts.
Cast off loosely.

EARS

(Make 4)

Using 5½mm needles and C, cast on 10 sts and work 6 rows in st-st.
7th Row. K2tog, k6, k2tog. 8 sts.
8th Row. P2tog, p4, p2tog. 6 sts.
Cast off loosely.
Join side and top edges of 2 ears together to make 1 complete ear.
Join first 6 rows of head to 4 cast on sts. Attach ears to top of head.
Using black yarn, satin and straight stitch embroider eyes and nose.

TO MAKE UP

Fold sleeves in half lengthways, then placing folds to shoulder seams, sew sleeves in position. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew overlay and underlay in position at back of neck. Sew on buttons. Lightly stuff head and sew in position to front of sweater. Using black yarn and straight stitch embroider details on claws as shown on Chart.
See ball band for pressing and care instructions.

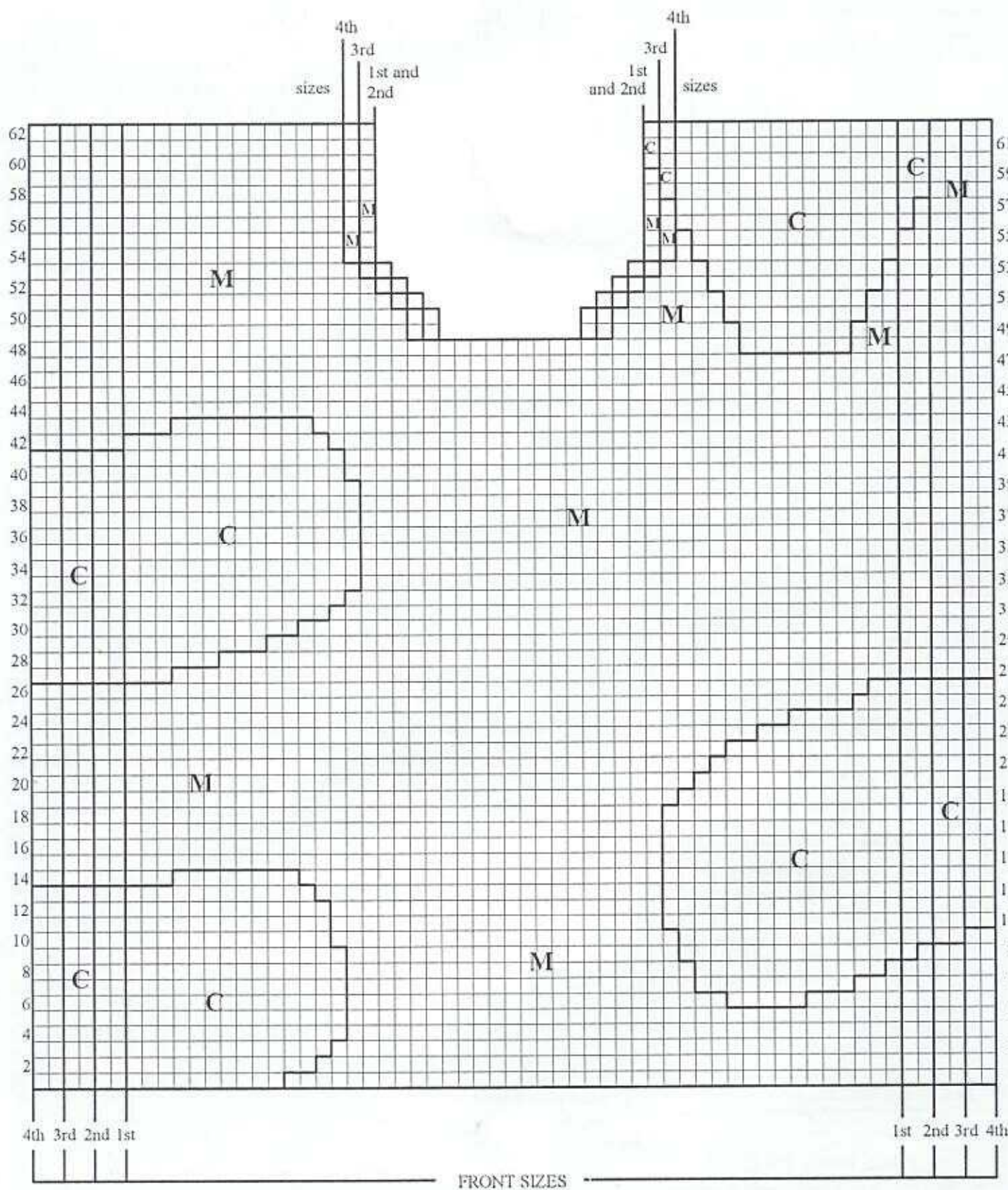
SATIN STITCH



STRAIGHT STITCH



CHART



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