



TENSIONS

Sweaters:

23 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking stitch) on 3¾ mm needles.

Toys:

26 sts and 34 rows to 10 cm (stocking stitch before stuffing) on 3 mm needles.

22 sts and 28 rows to 10 cm (stocking stitch) on 4 mm needles.

24 sts and 46 rows to 10 cm (garter stitch) on 3 mm needles.

It is important to check your tension before starting your garment or toy. If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, your tension is tight and you should change to a larger size needle. If there are too few stitches to 10 cm, your tension is loose and you should change to a smaller size needle.

IMPORTANT

It is essential to work to the stated tension.

The specified yarn must be used, otherwise we cannot accept responsibility for the finished product.

The quantities of yarn stated are approximate as they are based on average requirements.

Check the actual yarn colour as printing may not match the yarn exactly.

ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit; **P** = purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **st st** = stocking stitch (1 row knit, 1 row purl); **g st** = garter stitch (every row knit); **inc** = increase by working into front and back of stitch; **dec** = decrease by working 2 stitches together; **tog** = together; **tbl** = through back of loop(s); **beg** = beginning; **alt** = alternate; **rep** = repeat; **cont** = continue; **foll** = following; **rem** = remain(ing); **RS** = right side; **WS** = wrong side; **cm** = centimetres; **in** = inches; **mm** = millimetres; **patt** = pattern; **M1** = make a stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and working into back of it; **sL1K** = slip 1 knitways; **sL1P** = slip 1 purlways; **psso** = pass slipped stitch over; **0** = no stitch, row or time to be worked in this size.

U.S.A. GLOSSARY

Cast off = bind off; tension = gauge; knit up = pick up and knit; stocking stitch = stockinette stitch.

NOTE FOR MOTIF KNITTING

When working from sweater charts, do not carry colours across wrong side of work, but use separate balls as required, twisting yarns when changing colour to avoid a hole.

Read odd rows K from right to left and even rows P from left to right.

TOAD TOY

Height approx 49 cm (19½ in).

MATERIALS

Wool o' the West Pageant DK

1 x 100g ball each of Pale Yellow, Tan, Flesh, White, Pale Green, Gold and Black.

Wool o' the West English Maid DK

1 x 150g ball each of Pale Yellow, Tan, Flesh, White, Pale Green, Gold and Black.

Both yarns - Small amounts of Olive, Rust and Lilac.

Pair 3 mm (UK 11 - USA 3) needles.

Good quality washable stuffing.

For tension, notes, abbreviations and note on swiss embroidery, see first page of text.

RIGHT BOOT (worked from top downwards)

With Tan, cast on 16 sts and starting with a K row, work 2 rows in st st.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll 4th row (20 sts). Work 5 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th row twice (14 sts). Work 5 rows.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll 2 alt rows (20 sts). Work 1 row.

Next Row - K14, turn and leave rem 6 sts on a length of yarn.

Next Row - P8, turn.

Cont on these 8 sts for top of foot and work 8 rows.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and every foll 10th row twice (14 sts). Work 5 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 6th row (10 sts). Work 3 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 2 rows, thus ending with a P row. Leave rem 6 sts on a length of yarn.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to inside edge where 6 sts were left on right side of foot and **knit up** 37 sts along right side of foot, then K first 3 sts from those 6 sts left at toe end of foot (46 sts).

****** Work 3 rows.

Next Row - K1, K3tog, K to last 4 sts, sL1K, K2tog, psso, K1. Work 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows once more. Cast off rem 38 sts. ******

With RS facing, rejoin yarn and K rem 3 sts from those left at toe end of foot, **knit up** 37 sts along left side of foot, then K6 sts from length of yarn (46 sts).

Work as before from ****** to ******.

RIGHT LEG

With RS facing and Flesh, **knit up** 16 sts across top of Right Boot.

Next Row - P.

Cont in st st and **shape leg** as follows:

1st Inc Row - K2, (M1 - see abbreviations, K4) 3 times, M1, K2 (20 sts). Work 3 rows.

2nd Inc Row - K3, (M1, K5) 3 times, M1, K2 (24 sts). Work 3 rows.

3rd Inc Row - K4, (M1, K6) 3 times, M1, K2 (28 sts). Work 3 rows.

TOAD TOY continued

4th Inc Row - K5, (M1, K7) 3 times, M1, K2 (32 sts). Work 3 rows.

5th Inc Row - K6, (M1, K8) 3 times, M1, K2 (36 sts). Work 3 rows.

6th Inc Row - K7, (M1, K9) 3 times, M1, K2 (40 sts). Work 3 rows.

7th Inc Row - K8, (M1, K10) 3 times, M1, K2 (44 sts). Work 1 row.

8th Inc Row - K9, (M1, K11) 3 times, M1, K2 (48 sts). Work 1 row.

9th Inc Row - K10, (M1, K12) 3 times, M1, K2 (52 sts). Work 1 row.

Shape Front Gusset Edge and Back

Next Row - Cast off 17 sts placing marker between 13th and 14th cast-off sts, K to end.

Next Row - Cast on 13 sts, P across these sts, P to end (48 sts).

Next Row - K2tog, K18, M1, K13, M1, K15.

Next Row - P to last 2 sts, P2tog.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K2tog, K16, M1, K14, M1, K15. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K2tog, K15, (M1, K15) twice.

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - (K16, M1) twice, K15. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K16, M1, K17, M1, K15. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K16, M1, K18, M1, K15 (51 sts).

Work 3 rows, thus ending with a P row.

Break yarn and leave sts on a spare needle.

LEFT BOOT

Work as for Right Boot.

LEFT LEG

With RS facing and Flesh, **knit up** 16 sts across top of Left Boot.

Next Row - P.

Cont in st st and **shape leg** as follows:

1st Inc Row - K2, (M1, K4) 3 times, M1, K2 (20 sts). Work 3 rows.

2nd Inc Row - K2, (M1, K5) 3 times, M1, K3 (24 sts). Work 3 rows.

3rd Inc Row - K2, (M1, K6) 3 times, M1, K4 (28 sts). Work 3 rows.

4th Inc Row - K2, (M1, K7) 3 times, M1, K5 (32 sts). Work 3 rows.

5th Inc Row - K2, (M1, K8) 3 times, M1, K6 (36 sts). Work 3 rows.

6th Inc Row - K2, (M1, K9) 3 times, M1, K7 (40 sts). Work 3 rows.

7th Inc Row - K2, (M1, K10) 3 times, M1, K8 (44 sts). Work 1 row.

8th Inc Row - K2, (M1, K11) 3 times, M1, K9 (48 sts). Work 1 row.

9th Inc Row - K2, (M1, K12) 3 times, M1, K10 (52 sts). Work 1 row.

Shape Front Gusset Edge and Back

Next Row - Cast on 13 sts, K across these sts, K to end.

Next Row - Cast off 17 sts placing marker between 13th and 14th cast-off sts, P to end (48 sts).

Next Row - K15, M1, K13, M1, K18, K2tog.

Next Row - P2tog, P to end.

Dec 1 st at end of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K15, M1, K14, M1, K16, K2tog. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K15, (M1, K15) twice, K2tog.

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K15, (M1, K16) twice. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K15, M1, K17, M1, K16. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K15, M1, K18, M1, K16 (51 sts).

Work 3 rows, thus ending with a P row. Break yarn and leave sts on a spare needle.

FRONT GUSSET

With Flesh, cast on 2 sts and starting with a K row, work in st st, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 2nd and foll 4 rows (12 sts).

Place marker at each end of last row.

Cont inc 1 st at each end of every row until there are 22 sts, then on every alt row until there are 30 sts, then on every foll 4th row until there 34 sts. Work 3 rows, thus ending with a P row. Break yarn and leave sts on a spare needle.

UPPER BODY

With RS facing and White, K across 51 sts of Left Leg, 34 sts of Front Gusset, then 51 sts of Right Leg (136 sts).

Starting with a P row, work 5 rows in st st.

1st Dec Row - K8, K2tog, K15, K2tog, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K15, sL1K, K1, psso, K16, K2tog, K15, K2tog, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K15, sL1K, K1, psso, K8 (128 sts). Work 3 rows.

2nd Dec Row - K7, (K2tog, K14) twice, (sL1K, K1, psso, K14) twice, (K2tog, K14) twice, sL1K,

K1, psso, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K7 (120 sts).

Work 3 rows.

3rd Dec Row - K6, K2tog, K13, K2tog, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K13, sL1K, K1, psso, K12, K2tog, K13, K2tog, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K13, sL1K, K1, psso, K6 (112 sts).

Work 3 rows.

4th Dec Row - K5, K2tog, K12, K2tog, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K12, sL1K, K1, psso, K10, K2tog, K12, K2tog, K14, sL1K, K1, psso, K12, sL1K, K1, psso, K5 (104 sts).

Work 1 row.

Shape Neck

Next Row - K48, place marker in last st worked, turn and work this side first.

Dec 1 st at beg (neck edge) on next and at this same edge on foll 7 rows, **at the same time** dec 1 st at end (back edge) on 2nd and every foll 4th row until 38 sts rem. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at back edge on next and every foll 4th row twice, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next and every alt row until 30 sts rem. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at back edge on next and foll 2 alt rows, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 6 rows (19 sts).

Dec 1 st at beg of next row, then cast off 2 sts at beg of foll row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row, then cast off 3 sts at beg of foll row.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. Cast off rem 4 sts. With RS facing, rejoin White to rem sts, cast off next 8 sts **loosely**, place marker in st on right hand needle, K to end.

Work to match first side, reversing shapings.

HEAD (starting at back neck)

With Pale Green, cast on 86 sts. Starting with a K row, work in st st, inc 1 st at each end of 2nd and foll 3 rows (94 sts). Work 1 row.

Shape Back of Head

Next Row - Inc in first st, K53, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P13, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, K17, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P21, turn.

Cont thus, working 4 sts more before turning on every row until the row "sL1P, P85, turn" has been worked.

Next Row - sL1P, K81, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P77, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, K73, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P69, turn.

Cont thus, working 4 sts less before turning on every row until the row "sL1P, P13, turn" has been worked.

Next Row - sL1P, K to last st, inc in last st.

Next Row - P across all sts (96 sts).

Place marker at each end of last row.

Shape Chin Edges and Top of Head

Next Row - Cast off 5 sts, K37 (38 sts on right-hand needle), K2tog, K6, sL1K, K1, psso, K to end (89 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 5 sts, P to end (84 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 5 sts, K31 (32 sts on right-hand needle), K2tog, K6, sL1K, K1, psso, K to end (77 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 5 sts, P to end (72 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 4 sts, K26 (27 sts on right-hand needle), K2tog, K6, sL1K, K1, psso, K to end (66 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 4 sts, P to end (62 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 4 sts, K21 (22 sts on right-hand needle), K2tog, K6, sL1K, K1, psso, K to end (56 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 4 sts, P to end (52 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 4 sts, K16 (17 sts on right-hand needle), K2tog, K6, sL1K, K1, psso, K to end (46 sts).

Next Row - Cast off 4 sts, P to end (42 sts). Place marker at each end of last row.

Shape Mouth Opening

Next Row - K17, (sL1K, K1, psso) twice, (K2tog) twice, K17.

Inc 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then cast on 4 sts at beg of foll 2 rows (52 sts).

Next Row - Cast on 4 sts, K across these sts, K27, (M1, K2) 4 times, K to end.

Cast on 4 sts at beg of next row (64 sts).

Place marker at each end of last row.

Shape Nose

Next Row - K37, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P9, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, K14, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P19, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, K24, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, P29, turn.

Next Row - sL1P, K to end.

Next Row - P across all sts.

Work 4 rows across all sts.

Next Row - (K2tog) 32 times (32 sts).

Work 3 rows.

Next Row - (K2tog) 16 times (16 sts). Work 1 row.

Next Row - (K2tog) 8 times.

Break yarn, thread through rem 8 sts, pull up tightly and fasten off.

Join back seam of upper body for 3 cm from top of neck shaping, leaving 4 cast-off sts at top of each side of neck shaping free. Join under-nose seam to markers. Sew cast-on edge of head in place around neck shaping between markers, leaving cast-off sts at centre front of body free. Sew shaped side edges of lower edge of head to cast-off sts at centre front of body, placing markers at centre.

CHIN

With Pale Green, cast on 2 sts and starting with a K row, work in st st, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 2nd and every row until there are 20 sts, then on every alt row until there are 32 sts. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K12, (M1, K1) 4 times, (K1, M1) 4 times, K12 (40 sts). Work 1 row.

Inc 1 st at each end of next row (42 sts).

Work 4 rows.

Next Row - P13, (P2tog) 8 times, P13. Cast off rem 34 sts **loosely**.

MOUTH

With Olive, cast on 32 sts and starting with a K row, work in st st, shaping sides by dec 1 st at each end of 5th and every alt row until 24 sts rem. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 2 rows (20 sts). Break Olive.

Join in Rust and dec 1 st at each end of next 8 rows. Cast off rem 4 sts.

Sew cast-off edge of chin all around shaped edges of mouth. Sew shaped edges of chin around chin edges of head between markers, then cast-on edge of mouth to mouth opening on head.

Join under-foot seams, then back leg seams to top of boots. Stuff boots firmly. Join remainder of back leg seams up to cast-on sts at back. Join cast-on sts at each side of back to cast-off sts at top of legs up to first marker. Join each side of front gusset to front gusset edges on legs, matching markers. Join back seam, leaving a gap for stuffing. Stuff legs, head and body firmly (body should measure 55 cm all round at widest point). Close gap in back seam.

EYES (make 2)

With Pale Green, cast on 6 sts and starting with a K row, work in st st for 2 rows.

Next Row - (K1, M1) twice, K2, (M1, K1) twice (10 sts). Work 1 row.

Next Row - (K1, M1) twice, K2, place marker in last st worked for placement of eye chart, K4, (M1, K1) twice (14 sts). Work 1 row.

Next Row - (K1, M1) twice, K10, (M1, K1) twice (18 sts). Work 1 row.

Next Row - K1, M1, K to last st, M1, K1.

Work 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows twice more (24 sts).

Work 10 rows.

Next Row - (K2tog) 12 times (12 sts).

Work 3 rows.

Next Row - (K2tog) 6 times. Break yarn, thread through rem 6 sts, pull up tightly and fasten off.

Using markers as a guide, swiss embroider eyes from chart.

Stuff eyes firmly and sew to top of head.

HANDS (make 2)

With Pale Green, cast on 16 sts and starting with a K row, work 2 rows in st st.

Next Row - K4, M1, K8, M1, K4. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K4, M1, K10, M1, K4. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K4, M1, K12, M1, K4. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K4, M1, K14, M1, K4 (24 sts).

Work 1 row.

Next Row - K11, M1, K2, M1, K11. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K11, M1, K4, M1, K11. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K11, M1, K6, M1, K11. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K11, M1, K8, M1, K11 (32 sts).

Work 1 row.

Shape Thumb and Fingers

Next Row - K20, turn.

Next Row - Cast on 1 st, P8, turn (9 sts).

Next Row - Cast on 1 st, K9 (10 sts).

Work 9 rows on these 10 sts.

Next Row - (K2tog) 5 times. Break yarn, thread through rem 5 sts, pull up tightly and fasten off.

**** With RS facing, rejoin yarn to sts on left-hand needle, K4, turn.**

Next Row - Cast on 1 st, P8, turn (9 sts).

Next Row - Cast on 1 st, K9 (10 sts).

Work 15 rows on these 10 sts.

Next Row - (K2tog) 5 times. Break yarn, thread through rem 5 sts, pull up tightly and fasten off. ******

Rep from ****** to ****** once more.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to last 4 sts on left-hand needle, K4.

Next Row - P8. Work 12 rows.

Next Row - (K2tog) 4 times.

Break yarn, thread through rem 4 sts, pull up tightly and fasten off.

RIGHT ARM

With RS facing and White, **knit up** 16 sts across cast-on edge of first Hand. Work 5 rows in g st, then starting with a K row, work 2 rows in st st.

Next Row - K3, M1, K2, M1, K11. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K4, M1, K2, M1, K12. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K5, M1, K2, M1, K13. Work 3 rows.

Cont thus, working 1 st more before and after each inc on next and every foll 4th row until the row "K10, M1, K2, M1, K18" has been worked (32 sts). Work 3 rows.

Shape top as follows:

Next Row - K10, turn and work this side first. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row and at this same edge on foll 3 rows. Dec 1 st at end of next and foll 3 alt rows (2 sts). Work 1 row. Cast off.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, cast off next 4 sts, K to end (18 sts). Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row and at this same edge on foll 7 rows. Dec 1 st at beg of next and foll alt row (8 sts). Work 1 row. Cast off.

LEFT ARM

With RS facing and White, **knit up** 16 sts across cast-on edge of first Hand. Work 5 rows in g st, then starting with a K row, work 2 rows in st st.

Next Row - K11, M1, K2, M1, K3. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K12, M1, K2, M1, K4. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K13, M1, K2, M1, K5. Work 3 rows. Cont thus, working 1 st more before and after each inc on next and every foll 4th row until the row "K18, M1, K2, M1, K10" has been worked (32 sts). Work 3 rows.

Shape top as follows:

Next Row - K18, turn and work this side first. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row and at this same edge on foll 7 rows. Dec 1 st at end of next and foll alt row (8 sts). Work 1 row. Cast off.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, cast off next 4 sts, K to end (10 sts). Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row and at this same edge on foll 3 rows. Dec 1 st at beg of next and foll 3 alt rows (2 sts). Work 1 row. Cast off.

Join thumb, finger and hand side seams. Stuff thumb, fingers and hands firmly. Join side arm seams. Stuff arms firmly. Sew arms to sides of body, placing cast-off sts at top of arms 1 cm below seam joining head to body.

TIE

Main Piece

With Lilac, cast on 16 sts and starting with a K row, work 8 rows in st st.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row (20 sts). Work 3 rows.

Place marker at each end of last row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every alt row until 12 sts rem. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 4 rows (4 sts).

Next Row - K1, K2tog, K1.

Next Row - P3tog and fasten off.

Knot Piece

With Lilac, cast on 10 sts and starting with a K row, work 20 rows in st st. Cast off.

With seam at centre back, oversew shaped edges of Main Piece together from cast-on edge to markers. Join cast-on edges of Main Piece together. Allowing side edges of Knot Piece to roll back slightly, fold Knot Piece around top of Main Piece and join cast-on and cast-off edges together. Sew Tie onto centre front of body with top edge of Tie level with seam joining head to body.

COLLAR

With White, cast on 120 sts and K 1 row.

Next Row - (RS), K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Next Row - K1, P to last st, K1.

Rep last 2 rows 3 times more, then first of these 2 rows again (110 sts). Cast off **loosely** knitways. Sew edges of Collar in place all round neck.

WAISTCOAT

Back

With Gold, cast on 80 sts and work 2 rows in g st. Starting with a K row, work 4 rows in st st.

Next Row - (RS), K11, sL1K, K1, pssso, K15, sL1K, K1, pssso, K20, K2tog, K15, K2tog, K11. Work 3 rows.

Next Row - K11, sL1K, K1, pssso, K14, sL1K, K1, pssso, K18, K2tog, K14, K2tog, K11. Work 3 rows.

Next Row - K11, sL1K, K1, pssso, K13, sL1K, K1, pssso, K16, K2tog, K13, K2tog, K11. Work 3 rows.

Next Row - Cast off 2 sts, K8 (9 sts on right-hand needle), sL1K, K1, pssso, K12, sL1K, K1, pssso, K14, K2tog, K12, K2tog, K11.

Next Row - Cast off 2 sts, P to end (60 sts).

Dec 1 st at each end of next row. Work 1 row.

Next Row - K2tog, K19, sL1K, K1, pssso, K12, K2tog, K19, K2tog. Work 3 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 4th row (50 sts). Work 15 rows.

Shape shoulders by casting off 2 sts at beg of of next 4 rows. Leave rem 42 sts on a spare needle.

Right Front

With Gold, cast on 2 sts and K 1 row.

Next Row - (WS), cast on 6 sts, P across these sts, P to last st, inc in last st.

Next Row - Inc in first st, K to end.

Rep last 2 rows once more.

Next Row - Cast on 5 sts, P across these sts, P to last st, inc in last st.

Next Row - Inc in first st, K to end.

Rep last 2 rows once more (32 sts). Place marker at beg of last row to mark centre front.

Work 11 rows. Place marker at end of last row.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next and foll alt row.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row, then 3 sts at beg of foll row (21 sts). Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row, then 1 st at end of foll row.

Rep last 2 rows twice more (12 sts).

Dec 1 st at each end of next row. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next and foll 5 alt rows (4 sts).

Work 8 rows, thus ending with a K row.

Shape shoulder by casting off 2 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 2 sts.

Left Front

Work as for Right Front, reversing all shapings.

Right Front Lower Border

With RS facing and Gold, **knit up** 24 sts down long shaped edge of Right Front, 1 st at centre of cast-on sts, then 9 sts up short shaped edge to first marker (34 sts). Work 2 rows in g st. Cast off.

Left Front Lower Border

With RS facing and Gold, **knit up** 9 sts down short shaped edge of Left Front from first marker, 1 st at centre of cast-on sts, then 24 sts up long shaped edge (34 sts). Work 2 rows in g st. Cast off.

Neck Border

Join shoulder seams.

With RS facing and Gold, **knit up** 34 sts up right front slope from second marker on Right Front to shoulder seam, K42 from back, then **knit up** 34 sts down left front slope to second marker on Left Front (110 sts). Work 2 rows in g st. Cast off.

Armhole Borders

With RS facing and Gold, **knit up** 50 sts all round armhole. Work 2 rows in g st. Cast off.

Join front seams, side seams and Borders.

Buttons (make 2)

With Gold, cast on 20 sts.

Next Row - (RS), (K2tog) 10 times. Break yarn, thread through rem 10 sts, pull up tightly and fasten off.

Join ends together to form a circle. Sew onto centre front of Waistcoat over front seam.

Slip Waistcoat onto toy and sew lower edges in place to hold down.

JACKET

Back

With Pale Yellow, cast on 77 sts.

1st Row - (RS), K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

2nd Row - P1, *K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Joining in and breaking off colours as required, **patt** thus:

1st Row - (RS), in Pale Yellow, K3, *P1, K4; rep from * to last 4 sts, P1, K3.

2nd Row - In Pale Yellow, P3, *K1, P4; rep from * to last 4 sts, K1, P3.

3rd to 5th Rows - Rep 1st and 2nd Rows once more, then 1st Row again.

6th Row - In Black, as 2nd Row.

These 6 rows form patt. Cont in patt for a further 14 rows.

Keeping patt correct, **shape armholes** by casting off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 2 alt rows (65 sts). Work 27 rows straight, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulders by casting off 3 sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 4 sts at beg of foll 2 rows. Cast off rem 45 sts.

Left Front

With Pale Yellow, cast on 34 sts and work 2 rows in K1, P1 rib.

Joining in and breaking off colours as required, **patt** thus:

1st Row - (RS), in Pale Yellow, K3, *P1, K4; rep from * to last 6 sts, P1, K5.

2nd Row - In Pale Yellow, P5, *K1, P4; rep from * to last 4 sts, K1, P3.

3rd to 5th Rows - Rep 1st and 2nd Rows once more, then 1st Row again.

6th Row - In Black, as 2nd Row.

These 6 rows form patt. Cont in patt for a further 14 rows.

Keeping patt correct, **shape armhole** by casting off 3 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next and foll 2 alt rows (28 sts). Work 1 row, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape front slope by dec 1 st at end of next row and at this same edge on foll 8 rows (19 sts).

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at front slope edge on next and every alt row until 14 sts rem. Work 1 row.

Place marker at beg of last row. Dec 1 st at end of next and every alt row until 10 sts rem. Work 1 row, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder by casting off 3 sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 4 sts.

Right Front

With Pale Yellow, cast on 34 sts and work 2 rows in P1, K1 rib.

Joining in and breaking off colours as required, **patt** thus:

1st Row - (RS), in Pale Yellow, K5, *P1, K4; rep from * to last 4 sts, P1, K3.

2nd Row - In Pale Yellow, P3, *K1, P4; rep from * to last 6 sts, K1, P5.

3rd to 5th Rows - Rep 1st and 2nd Rows once more, then 1st Row again.

6th Row - In Black, as 2nd Row.

These 6 rows form patt. Cont in patt and work to match Left Front, reversing all shapings.

Sleeves

With Pale Yellow, cast on 27 sts and work 2 rows in rib as for Back. Joining in and breaking off colours as required, work in patt as for Back, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 3rd and foll 3 alt rows, then on every foll 4th row twice, taking inc sts into patt (39 sts). Work 3 rows, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape top by casting off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at each end of next and every alt row until 21 sts rem, then on every row until 11 sts rem. Cast off.

Right Lapel

With Pale Yellow, cast on 16 sts and work 2 rows in g st.

Next Row - (RS), K.

Next Row - K2, P to end.

Cont thus and cast off 2 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Place marker at beg of last row. Cast off 4 sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 6 sts.

Left Lapel

With Pale Yellow, cast on 16 sts and work 2 rows in g st.

Next Row - (RS), K.

Next Row - P to last 2 sts, K2.

Cont thus and work 1 row. Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row. Place marker at end of last row. Work 1 row. Cast off 4 sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Cast off rem 6 sts.

Collar

With Pale Yellow, cast on 74 sts and work 2 rows in g st.

Next Row - (RS), K.

Next Row - K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Cont thus and work a further 2 rows. Place marker at each end of last row. Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off 8 sts at beg of next 4 rows. Cast off rem 38 sts **loosely**.

Using Black, work vertical lines of chain stitch up each line of P sts on Back, Fronts and Sleeves. Sew in ends. Join shoulder seams. Sew sleeve tops in place all round armhole shapings. Join side and sleeve seams. Fold front edges to WS along first line of chain stitches in from centre and slip stitch in place. Sew shaped edge of Lapels to Fronts with a flat seam from start of front slope shaping up to marker. Sew shaped cast-off edge of Collar all round neck shaping between markers on Fronts. Sew straight side edges of Collar to top edges of Lapels up to markers. Fold Lapels and Collar to RS and slip stitch edges in place to hold down.

Using markers as a guide, swiss embroider eyes from chart.

