

HAND KNIT YARNS by
Naturally

Fashion Collection

FC 38

Premature
to 18 months



Styled in...

Stella

4ply

FC38

Top, Jacket & Singlet

Premature to 18 months

Items photographed in:
Stella 4ply: Top: #11, Jacket #416, Singlet #422

MATERIALS AND MEASUREMENTS					
To Fit Age, approximately	Premature	0-3 months	6-9 months	12-18 months	
To Fit Chest Sizes	36	41	46	51	cm
	14	16	18	20	ins
Finished Measurement	38	43	48	53	cm
	15	17	19	21	ins
TOP - Stella 4ply (50gr)	1	2	2	2	Balls
JACKET - Stella 4ply (50gr)	1	2	2	2	Balls
SINGLET - Stella 4ply (50gr)	1	1	2	2	Balls
Length to Shoulder	19	22	25	28	cm
	7 ½	8 ½	9 ¾	11	ins
TOP & JACKET - Sleeve Length to underarm	2	2	2.5	2.5	cm
	¾	¾	1	1	ins
Needle sizes	4ply: 2.5mm (US 2) and 3.25mm (US 3) needles, stitch holders, stitch markers Top: Crochet hook size 2.5mm for split neck edging, 3 (3, 3, 4) sets of snap fasteners; Jacket: 2 (2, 2, 3) sets of snap fasteners Optional for all items: Beads or ribbon for decoration				

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

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ABBREVIATIONS

Beg - beginning; cm - centimetres; cont - continue; ins - inches; k - knit; meas - measures; NR - next row; p - purl; rep - repeat; RS(F) - right side (facing); sl - slip; skp - slip 1 st, knit 1 st, pass slipped st over; st(s) - stitch(es); Stst - stocking stitch; tog - together; WS - wrong side.

IMPORTANT

Use **ONLY** the Naturally yarn specified.

(We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used.) Follow our instructions exactly.

We advise every knitter to check their tension carefully before

commencing the garment.

All measurements in this design are based on the stated tension therefore it is essential that the correct tension be obtained and maintained throughout the garment to achieve success. We recommend the needle size we have used to obtain the tension BUT as each knitter knits differently it may be necessary for some knitters to change their needle size accordingly.

CHECK YOUR TENSION CAREFULLY

TENSION

4ply: 28 sts and 36 rows over Stst - 10cm (4ins) on 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

MOSS STITCH

(over odd # of sts)

Row 1 - P1; *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep this row for Moss Stitch throughout.

TOP

BACK

****With 2.5mm (US 2) needles, cast on 53 (61, 67, 75) sts.**

Moss Stitch for 6 rows.

Change to 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

Stst until work meas 12 (14, 16, 18) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape underarms/sleeves

Cast on 2 (2, 3, 3) sts beg next 2 rows.

Cast on 3 (3, 4, 4) sts beg next 2 rows – 63 (71, 81, 89) sts.**

Cont straight until work meas 17 (20, 23, 26) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Neck

NR (RS) – K24 (27, 32, 36) sts, turn, on these sts only.

Cast off 2 (2, 2, 3) sts beg next WS row, then 2 (2, 3, 3) sts beg following WS rows – 20 (23, 27, 30) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off loosely.

With RSF, return to rem sts, slip next 15 (17, 17, 17) sts to holder for centre back, rejoin yarn and k to end.

P 1 row.

Cast off 2 (2, 2, 3) sts beg next RS row, then 2 (2, 3, 3) sts beg following RS row – 20 (23, 27, 30) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a RS row.

NR (WS) – Cast off 7 (8, 8, 9) sts, Moss Stitch over rem sts (beg with p1, k1).

Cast off in patt.

FRONT

Work as for back until front meas 14 (17, 20, 23) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Neck

NR (RS) – K26 (29, 34, 38) sts, turn, on these sts only.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 6 (6, 7, 8) rows – 20 (23, 27, 30) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

NR (RS) – Cast off 7 (8, 8, 9) sts, Moss Stitch over rem sts (beg with p1, k1).

Moss st 3 more rows.

Cast off in patt.

With RSF, return to rem sts, slip next 11 (13, 13, 13) sts to holder for centre front, rejoin yarn and k to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 6 (6, 7, 8) rows – 20 (23, 27, 30) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with

a RS row.

Cast off loosely.

COMPLETE

Block pieces to measurements.

Use mattress st to sew all seams.

Join shoulders, sew outer edge of moss st band to shoulder.

Sew snap fasteners in place at left shoulder the first at neckband, 2nd not to far away from first to avoid gaping and rem between 2nd and shoulder seam.

NECK EDGING

With RSF of garment, and 2.5mm (US 2) needles, beg at left front shoulder edge (incl Moss), pick up and k21 (21, 23, 23) sts down front neck edge, k centre 11 (13, 13, 13) sts, pick up and k17 (17, 19, 19) sts up right front to shoulder seam, 13 sts down back neck, k back neck 15 (17, 17, 17) sts and dec 1 st at centre back, pick up and k15 sts up neck edge – 91 (95, 99, 99) sts.

Moss stitch for 6 rows.

Cast off in patt.

ARMHOLE EDGING

With RSF and 2.5mm (US 2) needles, beg at underarm edge, pick up and k23 (26, 30, 33) sts up armhole edge, 1 st at shoulder seam, 23 (26, 30, 33) sts down armhole edge – 47 (53, 61, 67) sts. Moss stitch for 2 rows.

Cast off in patt.

Join sides and sleeves.

Decorate with beads or ribbon if desired.

JACKET

BACK

Work as for Top from ** to **.

NR (RS) – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, k to last 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, Moss st to end.

NR – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5), p to last 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, Moss st to end.

Rep these 2 rows until work meas 18 (21, 24, 27) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

NR (RS) – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, k15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss Stitch over next 27 (29, 31, 33) sts, k15 (18, 20,

23) sts, Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts.

NR – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, p15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss Stitch over next 27 (29, 31, 33) sts, p15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts.

Rep last 2 rows once more.

Cast off loosely in patt.

LEFT FRONT

With 2.5mm (US 2) needles, cast on 33 (37, 41, 45) sts.

Moss Stitch for 6 rows.

Change to 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

NR (RS) – K to last 3 sts, Moss st 3 sts.

NR – Moss st 3 sts, p to end.

NR (RS) – K to last 5 sts, Moss st 5 sts.

NR – Moss st 5 sts, p to end.

Rep these last 4 rows until front meas 12 (14, 16, 18) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape underarm/sleeve

Keeping front edge correct, cast on 2 (2, 3, 3) sts beg next RS row, then 3 (3, 4, 4) sts beg foll RS row – 38 (42, 48, 52) sts.

Work 1 row.

NR (RS) – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, k to front edge sts, Moss st to end.

NR – Moss st front edge sts, p to last 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, Moss st to end.

Cont in this manner until work meas 17.5 (20.5, 23.5, 26.5) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

NR (RS) – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, k15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss st to end.

NR – Moss st 20 (21, 23, 24) sts, p15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5).

Rep last 2 rows twice more.

Cast off loosely in patt.

RIGHT FRONT

With 2.5mm (US 2) needles, cast on 33 (37, 41, 45) sts.

Moss Stitch for 6 rows.

Change to 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

NR (RS) – Moss st 3, k to end.

NR – P to last 3 sts, Moss st 3.

NR – Moss st 5, k to end.

NR – P to last 5 sts, Moss st 5.

Rep these last 4 rows until front meas 12 (14, 16, 18) cm from beg, end with a RS row.

Shape underarm/sleeve

Keeping front edge correct, cast

on 2 (2, 3, 3) sts beg next WS row, then 3 (3, 4, 4) sts beg foll WS row – 38 (42, 48, 52) sts.

NR (RS) – Moss st front edge sts, k to last 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, Moss st to end.

NR – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, p to front edge sts, Moss st to end.

Cont in this manner until work meas 17.5 (20.5, 23.5, 26.5) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

NR (RS) – Moss st 20 (21, 23, 24) sts, k15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5).

NR – Moss st 3 (3, 5, 5) sts, p15 (18, 20, 23) sts, Moss st to end.

Rep last 2 rows twice more.

Cast off **loosely in patt.**

COMPLETE

Block pieces to measurements.

Use mattress st to sew all seams.

Join upper sleeves and shoulders including 2 Moss sts at neck edge.

Join sides and sleeves.

Fold top front corners down to RS, tack in place if needed.

Sew snap fasteners in place use photo as placement guide, sew beads or other decorations over top of snap fastener if desired.

SINGLET

BACK

With 2.5mm (US 2) needles, cast on 53 (61, 67, 75) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 6 rows.

Change to 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

Stst until work meas 13 (15, 17, 19) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape underarms

Cast of 2 sts beg next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st each end next 2 (3, 4, 5) RS rows – 45 (51, 55, 61) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 18 (21, 24, 27) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Neck

NR (RS) – K15 (17, 19, 22) sts, turn,

on these sts only.

Cast off 2 (2, 2, 3) sts beg next 2 WS rows – 11 (13, 15, 16) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Place marker at armhole edge.

Dec 1 st at neck edge every other row 3 (3, 4, 4) times, then 1 st every row until all sts are used up.

Fasten off.

With RSF, return to rem sts, slip next 15 (17, 17, 17) sts to holder for centre back, rejoin yarn and k to end.

P 1 row.

Cast off 2 (2, 3, 3) sts beg next 2 RS rows – 11 (13, 15, 16) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Place marker at armhole edge.

Dec 1 st at neck edge every other row 3 (3, 4, 4) times, then 1 st every row until all sts are used up.

Fasten off.

FRONT

Work as for back until front meas 15 (18, 21, 24) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Neck

NR (RS) – K17 (19, 21, 24) sts, turn, on these sts only.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 6 (6, 6, 8) rows – 11 (13, 15, 16) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Place marker at armhole edge.

Dec 1 st at neck edge every other row 3 (3, 4, 4) times, then 1 st every row until all sts are used up.

Fasten off.

With RSF, return to rem sts, slip next 11 (13, 13, 13) sts to holder for centre front, rejoin yarn and k to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 6 (6, 6, 8) rows – 11 (13, 15, 16) sts.

Cont straight until work meas 19 (22, 25, 28) cm from beg, end with a WS row.

Place marker at armhole edge.

Dec 1 st at neck edge every other row 3 (3, 4, 4) times, then 1 st every row until all sts are used up.

Fasten off.

COMPLETE

Block pieces to measurements.

BACK NECK EDGING

With RSF of Back and 2.5mm needles, beg at right tip (fasten off st of right shoulder) pick up and k20 (22, 24, 26) sts down to back neck, k the back neck 15 (17, 17, 17) sts, pick up and k20 (22, 24, 26) sts up neck and side to tip – 55 (61, 65, 69) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 3 rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

FRONT NECK EDGING

With RSF of Front and 2.5mm needles, beg at left tip, pick up and k28 (30, 32, 34) sts down to front neck, k the front neck 11 (13, 13, 13) sts, pick up and k28 (30, 32, 34) sts up neck and side to tip – 67 (73, 77, 81) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 3 rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

With RS of back and front facing, place both pieces on flat surface overlapping shoulder tips at markers (back overlapping front).

Join neatly.

ARMHOLE EDGING

With RSF of garment, beg at underarm edge, pick up and k22 (25, 27, 32) sts up armhole edge, 1 st at shoulder marker, 22 (25, 27, 32) sts down armhole edge – 45 (51, 55, 65) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 3 rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

Repeat for other side.

Use mattress st, join sides.

Decorate with beads or ribbon if desired.