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Whilst planning this bookazine, when asked what theme the content would take, we felt this year it really was easy, following the fantastic response to all of the archived vintage patterns that were featured in the *Woman's Weekly* Centenary Year issues and the special

pull-out collection in May, combined with the interest shown by all who visited the WW Live! Show in September and – if that wasn't enough – the results collected from our reader survey in the autumn. You told us you wanted to knit and crochet more of our vintage patterns. So, another visit to the depths of the *Woman's Weekly* archives was planned to select more patterns from the bound volumes of every issue ever published. It really is quite an extraordinary experience – history over 100 years all at your finger tips.

So, as you take a nostalgic view at the contents on offer and reflect on a bygone era, you'll be reminded that we've been knitting and crocheting together for a long time and the trust in the *Woman's Weekly* patterns over the years, is the same today – patterns that work for you every time. We hope you will enjoy all of the patterns that we've chosen, from the delicate lace cardigan and shawl, the classic knits for men, to the fun toys for the children, which have all been reworked for our modern needs, using yarns that are available to us today, giving every design a fresh brand-new look.

We hope you continue to enjoy knitting and crocheting with us today and for many years to come.

Kandy

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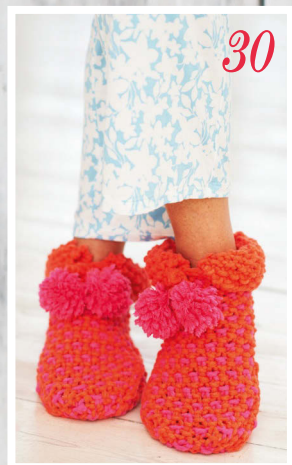
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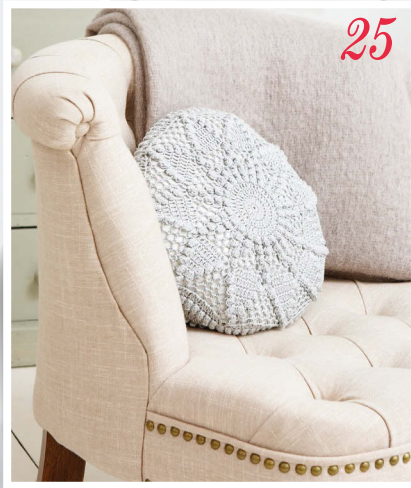


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Add some romantic nostalgia to your wardrobe with this delicate shawl and crossover cardy

INTERMEDIATE MAKE

6th September,
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FINE LACE WRAPOVER CARDIGAN

Measurements

To fit sizes 81 (86) (91) (97) (102) (107) (112) cm/32 (34) (36) (38) (40) (42) (44) in.

Width across back at underarms 51.5 (55) (58) (61) (64.5) (67.5) (71) cm/20¼ (21½) (22¾) (24) (25¼) (26½) (28) in.

Side seam including waistband All sizes 26cm/10¼in.

Length to shoulder including waistband 45 (45) (47) (47) (49) (49) (51.5) cm/17¾ (17¾) (18½) (18½) (19¼) (19¼) (20¼) in.

Sleeve seam including cuff All sizes 26cm/10¼in.

Materials

5 (5) (5) (5) (6) (6) (6) 25g (250m) balls of Rico Fashion Romance (50% acrylic, 30% mohair, 20% wool) in Ice Blue (004). Pair of 3mm (No.11) and 3¾mm (No.9) knitting needles; 1 press stud fastener. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** The yarn can be also purchased from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 812 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk.

Tension

25 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 3¾mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **mst**, moss st; **pssso**, pass sl st over; **skpo**, (sl1, k1, pssso); **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st.

Note

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Main part

(worked in one piece)

With 3¾mm needles, cast on loosely 81 (89) (97) (105) (113) (121) (129) sts for lower back edge.

1st row: K1, [skpo, k1, yf, k1, yf, k1, k2tog, k1] to end.

2nd row and every alternate row: P.

3rd row: K1, [yf, skpo, k3, k2tog, yf, k1] to end.

5th row: K2, [yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k3] to last 7 sts, yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k2.

7th row: K3, [yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k5] to last 6 sts, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k3.

8th row: P.

These 8 rows form pattern.

Shape sides: 9th to 24th rows: Working extra sts into ss, inc 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following 4th rows – 89 (97) (105) (113) (121) (129) (137) sts.

25th row: Inc in first st, yf, k1, k2tog, k1, pattern to last 4 sts, skpo, k1, yf, inc in last st.

27th row: K3, k2tog, yf, k1, pattern to last 5 sts, yf, skpo, k3.

29th row: Inc in first st, k1, k2tog, yf, k3, pattern to last 4 sts, yf, skpo, k1, inc in last st.

31st row: K1, pattern to last 4 sts, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1.

33rd row: K2, yf, k1, yf, k1, k2tog, k1, pattern to last 6 sts, skpo, k1, yf, k1, yf, k2.

35th row: K5, k2tog, yf, k1, pattern to last 7 sts, yf, skpo, k5.

37th row: Inc in first st, pattern to last 6 sts, yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, inc in last st – 97 (105) (113) (121) (129) (137) (145) sts.

39th row: As 7th row.

41st to 48th rows: Working extra sts into ss, inc 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following alternate rows.

49th row: Inc in first st, yf, k1, k2tog, k1, pattern to last 4 sts, skpo, k1, yf, inc in last st.

51st row: Inc in first st, k2, k2tog, yf, k1, pattern to last 5 sts, yf, skpo, k2, inc in last st.

53rd row: Inc in first st, k2, k2tog, yf, k3, pattern to last 5 sts, yf, skpo, k2, inc in last st.

55th row: Inc in first st, k1, pattern to last 5 sts, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1, inc in last st.

57th to 72nd rows: Work 41st to 56th rows – 129 (137) (145) (153) (161) (169) (177) sts.

Shape sleeves: Working extra sts into pattern as the occur, cast on 4 sts at beginning of next 12 rows and 8 (8) (8) (8) (4) (4) (4) sts at beginning of following 8 (8) (8) (8) (16) (16) (16) rows – 241 (249) (257) (265) (273) (281) (289) sts.

Pattern another 44 (44) (52) (52) (52) (52) (60) rows.

Shape back neck: Next row: Pattern 105 (109) (111) (115) (117) (121) (123), cast off next 31 (31) (35) (35) (39) (39) (43) sts, pattern to end.

Work on last set of 105 (109) (111) (115) (117) (121) (123) sts for left side.

Pattern another 3 rows.

Mark each end of last row for top of sleeve and shoulder.

Left front: Pattern 4 (4) (12) (12) (12) (12) (20) rows. Inc and work into pattern 1 st at front edge on next row and 11 following

4th rows – 117 (121) (123) (127) (129) (133) (135) sts.

Shape sleeve: Continue to inc 1 st at front edge on 4 (4) (4) (4) (6) (6) (6) following 4th rows, at the same time, cast off 8 (8) (8) (8) (4) (4) (4) sts at beginning of next row and 3 (3) (3) (3) (7) (7) (7) following alternate rows, then 4 sts on 6 following alternate rows – 65 (69) (71) (75) (79) (83) (85) sts.

Inc 1 st at front edge on next row and 7 following 4th rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at outside edge on next row and 14 following alternate rows – 58 (62) (64) (68) (72) (76) (78) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Inc 1 st at front edge on next row and 16 following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at outside edge on next row and 8 following 4th rows – 66 (70) (72) (76) (80) (84) (86) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Inc 1 st at front edge only on next row and 2 following alternate rows – 69 (73) (75) (79) (83) (87) (89) sts. Pattern 3 rows. Cast off.

Right side: Rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 105 (109) (111) (115) (117) (121) (123) sts. Pattern another 3 rows.

Mark each end of last row for top of sleeve and shoulder.

Right front: Pattern 4 (4) (12) (12) (12) (12) (20) rows. Inc and work into pattern 1 st at front edge on next row and 10 following 4th rows – 116 (120) (122) (126) (128) (132) (134) sts. Pattern 3 rows.

Shape sleeve: Continue to inc 1 st at front edge on next row and 4 (4) (4) (4) (6) (6) (6) following 4th rows, at the same time, cast off 8 (8) (8) (8) (4) (4) (4) sts at beginning of next row and 3 (3) (3) (3) (7) (7) (7) following alternate rows, then 4 sts on following 6 alternate rows – 65 (69) (71) (75) (79) (83) (85) sts. Pattern 1 row.

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Inc 1 st at front edge on next row and 16 following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at outside edge on next row and 8 following 4th rows – 66 (70) (72) (76) (80) (84) (86) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Inc 1 st at front edge only on next row and 2 following alternate rows – 69 (73) (75) (79) (83) (87) (89) sts. Pattern 3 rows. Cast off.

Front band

With 3mm needles, cast on 9 sts.

Mst row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Continue in mst until band fits up front edge of one front, round back neck, then down other front edge. Cast off in mst. Sew in place.

Waistband

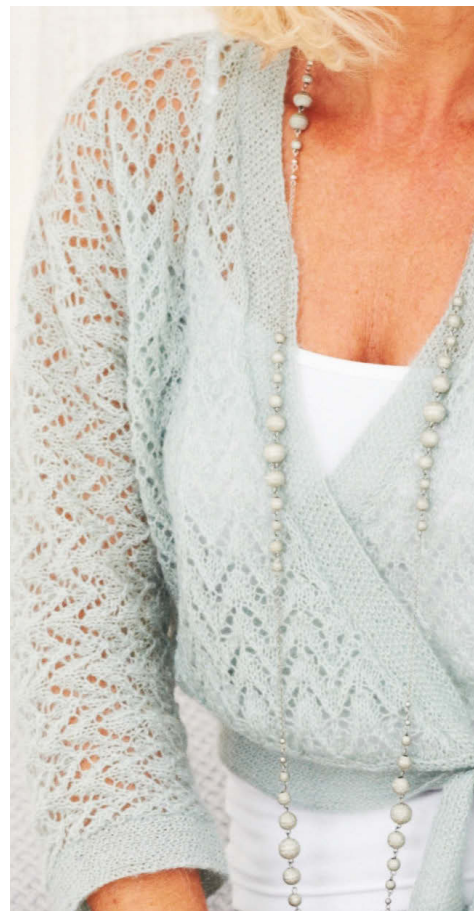
With 3mm needles, cast on 3 sts.

1st row: K1, p1, k1.

2nd row: Work p1 and k1 in first st, p1, k1.

3rd row: K1, p1, k1, work p1 and k1 in last st.

4th row: Work p1 and k1 in first st, [p1, k1] to end.



5th row: K1, [p1, k1] to last st, work p1 and k1 in last st.

Repeat 4th and 5th rows, 5 times more – 17 sts.

Continue straight in mst until band measures 26cm from end of shaping.

Mark last row at longer edge.

Measuring from marker, continue in mst until band fits along lower edge of right front, across back, then first 10 (11.5) (13) (14.5) (16) (17.5) (19) cm of left front.

Place second marker on last row at longer edge. Work another 26cm in mst.

Dec 1 st at shaped edge on next 14 rows – 3 sts. Cast off in mst.

With right side facing and using 3mm needles, pick up and k44 (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) sts along lower edge of left front from corner to within 10 (11.5) (13) (14.5) (16) (17.5) (19) cm of side edge.

K 3 rows. Cast off.

Cuffs

(both alike)

With 3mm needles, cast on 11 sts.

Mst row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Continue in mst until cuff fits along straight row-ends of sleeve. Cast off in mst.

To make up

Sew cuffs in position. Fold main part in half and join side and underarm seams. Sew on waistband, placing first marker level with corner at lower edge of right front and second marker 10 (11.5) (13) (14.5) (16) (17.5) (19) cm away from side seam on left front. Sew press stud fastener to attach left front corner to underside of right front.



11th October,
1952



The cloudy softness of this wool looks particularly charming in harvest blue, turquoise, pastel pink, or pale yellow.

KNITTED STOLE

Measurements

Finished size 41 x 152cm/16 x 59¾in.

Materials

3 x 25g (210m) balls of Rowan Kid Silk Haze (70% kid mohair, 30% silk) in Jelly (597). Pair of 3¾mm (No 9) knitting needles. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call Rowan Yarns on 01484 681 881 or visit knitrowan.com.

Tension

26 stitches and 29 rows to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 3¾mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl, **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **k2togb**, k2tog through back of loops; **sl**, slip; **psso**, pass sl st over; **yf**, yarn forward to make a st.

Note

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To complete

With 3¾mm needles, cast on 107 sts.

Moss st row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Repeat moss st row, 7 times more.

Continue in pattern:

1st row: Moss st 5, k1, [yf, k2togb, k3, k2tog, yf, k1] to last 5 sts, moss st 5.

2nd row: Moss st 5, p to last 5 sts, moss st 5.

3rd row: Moss st 5, k2, [yf, k2togb, k1, k2tog, yf, k3] to last 12 sts, yf, k2togb, k1, k2tog, yf, k2, moss st 5.

4th row: As 2nd row.

5th row: Moss st 5, p1, [k2, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k2, p1] to last 5 sts, moss st 5.

6th row: Moss st 5, k1, [p7, k1] to last 5 sts, moss st 5.

7th row: Moss st 5, p1, * k2tog, k1, [yf, k1] twice, k2togb, p1, repeat from * to last 5 sts, moss st 5.

8th row: As 6th row.

9th to 14th rows: Repeat 7th and 8th rows, 3 times.

These 14 rows form pattern.

Repeat 1st to 14th rows, 30 times more.

Work 8 rows moss st.

Cast off loosely in moss st.

To make up

Pin out to measurements given. Cover with a damp cloth and leave until dry.

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Measurements

To fit ages 6–12 (12–18) (18–24) months.

Actual chest measurements 51 (54) (57) cm/20 (21) (22¼) in.

Side seam 31 (34.5) (38) cm/12 (13½) (16) in.

Length to back neck 42.5 (46.5) (51) cm/16¾ (18¼) (20) in.

Sleeve seam All sizes 3.5cm/1½in.

Materials

3 (4) (5) 50g (170m) balls of Sublime Baby Cashmere Merino Silk 4ply (75% merino, 20% silk, 5% cashmere) in Paddle (100). Pair of 2¾mm (No.12) and 3¼mm (No.10) knitting needles; 2 buttons; length of ribbon.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.

For other yarn stockists, ring Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm over stocking stitch, 23 stitches over lace pattern measures 10cm, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st; **ss**, stocking stitch (k on right side and p on wrong side); **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size; **wrap1**, slip next st on to right hand needle, take yarn between needles to opposite side of work, place the slipped st back on to left hand needle, bring yarn back.

Note

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BABY DRESS

Back

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 112 (120) (128) sts. K 5 rows.

Work border pattern. **1st row:** K1, [yf, k2tog] to last st, k1. **2nd row:** P.

3rd row: K1, [k2tog, yf] to last st, k1.

4th row: P.

These 4 rows form border pattern.

Pattern another 19 rows. K 3 rows.

Beginning with a k row, ss 72 (78) (86) rows.

Dec row: K2 (1) (nil), [k3tog, k2] 21 (23) (25) times, k3tog, k2 (1) (nil) – 68 (72) (76) sts.

K 3 rows.

Eyelet row: K2, [yf, k2tog] to last 2 sts, k2.

K 3 rows.

Work bodice pattern. **1st row:** K24 (25) (26), [yf, k2tog] 10 (11) (12) times, k24 (25) (26).

2nd row: P22 (23) (24), k2, p20 (22) (24), k2, p22 (23) (24).

3rd row: K24 (25) (26), [k2tog, yf] 10 (11) (12) times, k24 (25) (26).

4th row: P22 (23) (24), k2, p20 (22) (24), k2, p22 (23) (24).

These 4 rows form bodice pattern.

Pattern another 8 (12) (16) rows.

Shape armholes: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows and 2 following alternate rows – 50 (54) (58) sts. ** Pattern another 24 (28) (32) rows.

For neckband: **Next row:** P13 (14) (15), k24 (26) (28), p13 (14) (15).

Shape shoulders: 1st row: K to last 4 (5) (5) sts, wrap1, turn.

2nd row: P9 (9) (10), k24 (26) (28), p9 (9) (10), wrap 1, turn.

3rd row: K to last 8 (10) (10) sts, wrap1, turn.

4th row: P5 (4) (5), k24 (26) (28), p5 (4) (5), wrap 1, turn. **5th row:** K to end.

Cast off all sts in pattern.

Front

Work as back to **.

Pattern another 8 (12) (16) rows.

For neckband: 1st row: P13 (14) (15), k24 (26) (28), p13 (14) (15). **2nd row:** K.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more.

For neck: **Next row:** P13 (14) (15), k2, cast off kwise next 20 (22) (24) sts, k 1 st more, p13 (14) (15).

Work on last set of 15 (16) (17) sts only for left side.

Left side: Next row: K. **Next row:** K2, p to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 4 times more. K 1 row.

Shape shoulder: 1st row: K2, p9 (9) (10), wrap 1, turn. **3rd row:** K.

4th row: K2, p5 (4) (5), wrap 1, turn.

5th row: K to end. Cast off all sts in pattern.

Right side: With right side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 15 (16) (17) sts.

Next row: K. **Next row:** P to last 2 sts, k2.

Repeat last 2 rows, 4 times more.

Shape shoulder: 1st row: K to last 4 (5) (5) sts, wrap 1, turn. **3rd row:** P9 (9) (10), k2.





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4th row: K to last 8 (10) (10) sts, wrap 1, turn.
5th row: P5 (4) (5), k2. **6th row:** K to end.
Cast off all sts in pattern.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 48 (52) (56) sts.
K 5 rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Inc row: [K4 (3) (2), inc in next st] 3 (4) (5) times, k2 (2) (4), [yf, k2tog] 7 (8) (9) times, k2 (2) (4), [inc in next st, k4 (3) (2)] 3 (4) (5) times – 54 (60) (66) sts.

1st row: P18 (20) (22), k2, p14 (16) (18), k2, p18 (20) (22).

2nd row: K20 (22) (24), [k2tog, yf] 7 (8) (9) times, k20 (22) (24). **3rd row:** As 1st row.

4th row: K20 (22) (24), [yf, k2tog] 7 (8) (9) times, k20 (22) (24).

These 4 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 5 rows.

Shape top: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 2 following 4th rows, then on 4 following alternate rows – 32 (38) (44) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 4 (6) (8) rows – 24 (26) (28) sts.

Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows – 18 (20) (22) sts.

Next row: [K2tog] to end – 9 (10) (11) sts. Cast off.

To make up

Join right shoulder seam and beginning at armhole edge, join first 4 (5) (5) sts of left shoulder seam. Make two button loops along front and sew buttons along back of remaining left shoulder. Sew in sleeves, then join side and sleeve seams. Pin out garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry. Thread ribbon through eyelet holes, bringing ends out at centre of front.



BABY CARDIGAN

Measurements

To fit ages 6–12 (12–18) (18–24) months.

Actual chest measurements 56 (60) (64) cm/22 (23½) (25¼) in.

Side seam 14.5 (15.5) (17.5) cm/5¾ (6) (7) in.

Length to shoulder 25.5 (28) (31.5) cm/10 (11) (12½) in.

Sleeve seam with cuff turned back 18 (20) (23) cm/7 (8) (9) in.

Materials

3 (3) (4) 50g (170m) balls of Sublime Baby Cashmere Merino Silk 4ply (75% merino wool, 20% silk, 5% cashmere) in Vanilla (003). Pair of 2¾mm (No.12) and 3¼mm (No.10) knitting needles; 3 buttons. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.**

For other yarn stockists, ring Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, 33 stitches of border pattern measure 10cm across, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st) **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st; **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size; **gst**, garter st (every row k).

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

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Back

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 78 (84) (90) sts. K 5 rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Inc row: K4 (6) (3), inc in next st, [k6 (5) (5), inc in next st] 10 (12) (14) times, k3 (5) (2) – 89 (97) (105) sts. P 1 row.

1st row: P1, [k3tog but do not drop the sts off left needle, yf, then k3tog the same 3 sts again, dropping sts off left needle, p1] to end.

2nd row: K1, [p3, k1] to end.

3rd row: P1, [k3, p1] to end.

4th row: As 2nd row.

Work 1st to 3rd rows again.

Next row: P3 (5) (2), p2tog, [p6 (5) (5), p2tog] 10 (12) (14) times, p4 (6) (3) – 78 (84) (90) sts. Beginning with a k row, ss 44 (48) (54) rows.

Shape armholes: Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows and 1 (2) (3) following alternate row(s) – 62 (66) (70) sts.

Ss 2 rows.

Work in yoke pattern thus:

1st to 4th rows: [P1, k1] to end.

5th to 8th rows: [K1, p1] to end.

These 8 rows form yoke pattern. Pattern another 23 (25) (29) rows.

Shape shoulders and neck: **Next row:** Cast off 6 sts, pattern 13 (14) (15) sts more, cast off next 22 (24) (26) sts, pattern to end. Work on last set of 20 (21) (22) sts for left side.

Left side: Cast off 6 sts at beginning of next row, 3 sts on following row and 6 sts on next row – 5 (6) (7) sts. Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Right side: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining sts, cast off 3 sts, pattern to end – 11 (12) (13) sts. Cast off 6 sts at beginning of next row – 5 (6) (7) sts. Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Left front

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 39 (42) (45) sts. K 5 rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Inc row: K3 (2) (1), inc in next st, [k3, inc in next st] 7 (8) (9) times, k7 – 47 (51) (55) sts.

Next row: K6, p to end.

1st row: P1, [k3tog but do not drop the sts off left needle, yf, then k3tog the same 3 sts again, dropping sts off left needle, p1] to last 6 sts, k6.

2nd row: K7, [p3, k1] to end.

3rd row: P1, [k3, p1] to last 6 sts, k6.

4th row: As 2nd row.

Work 1st to 3rd rows again.

Next row: K7, p nil (4) (nil), [p2tog, p6] 5 (5) (6) times – 42 (46) (49) sts.

Next row: K. **Next row:** K6, p to end.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in gst and remainder in ss, work 42 (46) (52) rows.

Shape armhole: Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next row. Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 3 rows and 1 (2) (3) following alternate row(s) – 34 (37) (39) sts. Work 2 rows.

Work in yoke pattern thus:

1st row: K6 (7) (7), [p1, k1] to end.

2nd row: [P1, k1] to last 8 (7) (7) sts, p1, k7 (6) (6).

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K7 (6) (6), p1, [k1, p1] to end.

6th row: [K1, p1] to last 6 (7) (7) sts, k6 (7) (7).

7th and 8th rows: As 5th and 6th rows.

These 8 rows form yoke pattern.

Pattern another 14 (14) (16) rows.

Shape neck: **Next row:** Pattern 10 and slip these sts on to safety pin, pattern to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 7 (9) (10) rows – 17 (18) (19) sts. Work 1 (1) (2) row(s).

Shape shoulder: Cast off 6 sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row – 5 (6) (7) sts. Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Right front

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 39 (42) (45) sts.

K 5 rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Inc row: K7, inc in next st, [k3, inc in next st] 7 (8) (9) times, k3 (2) (1) – 47 (51) (55) sts.

Next row: P to last 6 sts, k6.

1st row: K6, p1, [k3tog but do not drop the sts off left needle, yf, then k3tog the same 3 sts again, dropping sts off left needle, p1] to end.

2nd row: [K1, p3] to last 7 sts, k7.

3rd row: K6, p1, [k3, p1] to end.

4th row: As 2nd row.

Work 1st to 3rd rows again.

Next row: [P6, p2tog] 5 (5) (6) times, p nil (4) (nil), k7 – 42 (46) (49) sts.

Next row: K. **Next row:** P to last 6 sts, k6.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in gst and remainder in ss, work 43 (47) (53) rows.

Shape armhole: Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 3 rows and 1 (2) (2) following alternate row(s) – 34 (37) (40) sts.

Buttonhole row (wrong side): Pattern to last 6 sts, k2, yf, k2tog, k2.

Making 2 more buttonholes on 2 following 12th (12th) (14th) rows, continue as follows:

Work 1 (1) (3) rows, dec 1 st at armhole edge on 1st of these rows on 3rd size only – 34 (37) (39) sts.

Work in yoke pattern thus:

1st row: K nil (1) (1), [p1, k1] to last 8 sts, p1, k7.

2nd row: K6, [p1, k1] to last nil (1) (1) st, p nil (1) (1).

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: P nil (1) (1), [k1, p1] to last 6 sts, k6.

6th row: K7, [p1, k1] to last 1 (nil) (nil) st, p1 (nil) (nil).

7th and 8th rows: As 5th and 6th rows.

These 8 rows form yoke pattern.

Pattern another 15 (15) (17) rows.

Shape neck: **Next row:** Pattern 10 and slip these sts onto safety pin, pattern to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 7 (9) (10) rows – 17 (18) (19) sts. Work 1 (1) (2) row(s).

Shape shoulder: Cast off 6 sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row – 5 (6) (7) sts. Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 46 (52) (58) sts.

Work 32 rows in yoke pattern as given on back, decreasing 5 (7) (7) sts evenly on last row – 41 (45) (51) sts.

Beginning with a p row, work 3 rows in ss.

Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 6 (7) (8) following 6th rows – 55 (61) (69) sts.

Ss 11 (11) (15) rows.

Shape top: Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 2 following 4th rows and 4 following alternate rows – 33 (39) (47) sts. P 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 4 (6) (6) rows – 25 (27) (35) sts. Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 (2) (4) rows – 17 (19) (19) rows.

Cast off.

Collar

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing, using 2¾mm needles, slip 10 sts from right front safety pin onto needle, join in yarn and pick up and k14 (15) (16) sts up right front neck, 5 sts down right back neck, 23 (25) (27) sts across back neck, 5 sts up left back neck, 14 (15) (16) sts down left front neck, then k10 sts from left front safety pin – 81 (85) (89) sts.

Next row: Cast off 4 sts, k to end, turn and cast off 4 – 73 (77) (81) sts.

Next row: K3, p to last 3 sts, k3. **Next row:** K. Repeat last 2 rows, 3 times more.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Next row: K3, p nil (2) (4), inc in next st, [k4, inc in next st] 13 times, p1 (3) (5), k3 – 87 (91) (95) sts.

1st row: K3, p1, [k3tog but do not drop the sts off left needle, yf, then k3tog the same 3 sts again, dropping sts off left needle, p1] to last 3 sts, k3.

2nd row: K4, p3, [k1, p3] to last 4 sts, k4.

3rd row: K3, p1, [k3, p1] to last 3 sts, k3.

4th row: As 2nd row.

Work 1st and 2nd rows again.

Next row: K3 (5) (4), k2tog, [k4, k2tog] 13 (13) (14) times, k4 (6) (5) – 73 (77) (80) sts.

K 4 rows. Cast off kwise.

To make up

Sew in sleeves, then join side and sleeve seams, reversing seam half way on cuffs.

Turn back cuffs. Sew on buttons. Pin jacket to measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.

A bedroom scene featuring a bed with a light pink crocheted blanket. In the background, a round side table holds a vase of dried flowers, a framed photo of a couple, and a stack of books. The text "INTERMEDIATE MAKE" is overlaid on the image.

INTERMEDIATE MAKE



Nostalgic Boudoir

This delicate crocheted bedspread will add a touch of vintage elegance and texture to the bedroom

Measurements

Approximately 180 x 180cm/71 x 71in, excluding edging.

Materials

2 x 50g (105m) balls of Sublime Egyptian Cotton (100% cotton) in Smudge (354). Size 3.00 crochet hook. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

Each square measures 16 x 16cm, using

3.00 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **tr**, treble; **slst**, slip stitch; **sp**, space; **chsp**, chain space.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

FIRST STRIP

First square: With 3.00 hook, make 44ch.

1st row (right side): 1tr in 8th ch from hook (counts as 1tr and 2ch) [2ch, miss next 2ch, 1tr in next ch] to end, turn – 13chsp.

2nd row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * 4 times more, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, work from * to * 5 times, 2ch, 1tr in 5th of 7ch, turn.

3rd row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * 4 times more, 1tr in each of next 3tr, work from * to * 5 times, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

4th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss

first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * twice more, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr] twice, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr] twice, work from * to * 3 times, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn

5th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * once more, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in each of next 4tr, 5ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in each of next 4tr, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, work from * to * twice, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

6th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * once more, 1tr in each of next 3tr, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, 5ch, miss next 3tr, 1dc in next chsp, 5ch, miss next 3tr, 1tr in next tr, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in each of next 4tr, work from * to * twice, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn,

7th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr] twice, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, 5ch, miss next 3tr, [1dc in next chsp, 5ch] twice, miss next 3tr, 1tr in next tr, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr] twice, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

8th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * once more, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, 3tr in next chsp, 5ch, 1dc in next chsp, 5ch, 3tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, work from * to * twice, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

9th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * once more, 1tr in each of next 3tr, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, 3tr in next chsp, 2ch, 3tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in each of next 4tr, work from * to * twice, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

10th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * once more, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in each of next 4tr, 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in each of next 4tr, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, work from * to * twice, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

11th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * twice more, [2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr] twice, 2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next tr, [2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr] twice, work from * to * 3 times, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

12th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp, 1tr in next tr *, work from * to * 4 times more, 1tr in each of next 3tr, work from * to * 5 times, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, turn.

13th row: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), miss first chsp, 1tr in next tr, * 2ch, miss next chsp,



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1tr in next tr *, work from * to * 4 times, 2ch, miss next 2tr, 1tr in next tr, work from * to * 5 times, 2ch, 1tr in 3rd of 5ch, do not turn. ***

14th round: 8ch (counts as 1tr and 5ch), 4tr in first corner sp, * 2ch, miss next sp, [4tr in next sp, 2ch, miss next sp] 5 times **, 4tr, 5ch, 4tr all in next corner sp *, work from * to * twice more, then from * to ** once, 3tr in corner sp at beginning of round, slst in 3rd of 8ch. Fasten off and neaten ends.

Second square: Work as given for first square to ***.

14th joining round: With wrong sides together, matching pattern so the 13th rows are aligned and facing in the same direction and with second square in front of first square, join one side edge of squares thus: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), slst in chsp at corner of first square, 2ch, 4tr in corner sp on second square, [1ch, slst in next chsp on first square, 1ch, miss next sp on second square and work 4tr in following sp] 6 times, 2ch, slst in chsp at corner of first square, 2ch, 4tr in same corner sp of second square, complete second square in the same way as given on 14th round of first square, ending 3tr in corner sp at beginning of round, slst in 3rd of 5ch. Fasten off and neaten ends.

Make a further 8 squares and join them in the same way as the second square was joined to the first, thus making first strip a 10 square wide.

SECOND STRIP

Eleventh square: Work as given for first square of first strip to ***.

14th joining round: Work as 14th round of first square to **, 4tr in next corner sp, 2ch then with wrong sides together, having eleventh square in front of first square of first strip and with 13th row of squares at bottom, join these edges thus: slst in chsp at corner of first square, 2ch, 4tr in corner sp on eleventh square, [1ch, slst in next chsp on first square, 1ch, miss next sp on eleventh square and work 4tr in following sp] 6 times, 2ch, slst in corner join on first strip, 2ch, 4tr in same corner sp on eleventh square,

complete eleventh square in the same way as given on 14th round of first square, ending with 3tr in corner sp at beginning of round, slst in 3rd of 8ch.

Fasten off and neaten ends.

Twelfth square: Work as given for first square of first strip to ***.

14th joining round: With wrong sides together, 13th row aligned and twelfth square in front of eleventh square, join edges thus: 5ch (counts as 1tr and 2ch), slst in chsp at corner on eleventh square, 2ch, 4tr in corner sp on twelfth square, * [1ch, slst in next chsp on eleventh square, 1ch, miss next sp on eleventh square and work 4tr in following sp] 6 times, 2ch, slst in corner join, 2ch, 4tr in same corner sp on twelfth square *, work from * to * once joining to square above, then complete twelfth square in the same way as given on 14th round of first square, ending 3tr in corner sp at beginning of round, slst in 3rd of 5ch. Fasten off and neaten ends.

Make a further 8 squares and join them in the same way as the twelfth square was joined to the eleventh square and to the second square of first strip.

Make and join a further 8 strips in the same way, thus making the bed spread 10 squares long and 10 squares wide.

Edging

With right side facing, and using 3.00 hook, join yarn to any corner chsp, 3ch (counts as 1tr), ** work 1tr, [5ch, slst in 3rd ch from hook (a picot made), 2ch, 2tr] 3 times all in same corner chsp, [miss next 4tr, work 2tr, 5ch, slst in 3rd ch from hook, 2ch, 2tr all in next sp] 6 times, * work 2tr, 5ch, slst in 3rd ch from hook, 2ch, 2tr all in next join, [miss next 4tr, work 2tr, 5ch, slst in 3rd ch from hook, 2ch, 2tr all in next sp] 6 times *, work from * to * to next corner chsp, work 1tr in corner chsp **, work from ** to ** three times more, omitting 1tr at end of last repeat, slst in 3rd of 3ch at beginning. Fasten off and neaten ends.

Top-Notch Knit

This slim-fitting bracelet-sleeved jacket is an effortlessly elegant revival from our archives

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1954



Measurements

To fit sizes 81–86 (91–97) (102–107) (112–117) cm/32–34 (36–38) (40–42) (44–46) in.

Actual measurements 88.5 (100) (108.5) (120) cm/35 (39¼) (42¾) (47¼) in.

Side seam 20 (21) (22) (22.5) cm/8 (8¼) (8¾) (9) in.

Length to back neck 40 (42) (44) (46) cm/15¾ (16½) (17¼) (18) in.

Sleeve seam (with cuff turned back)
All sizes 35cm/13¾in.

Materials

8 (9) (9) (10) 50g (250m) balls of Sublime Baby Cashmere Merino Silk 4ply (75% wool, 20% silk, 5% cashmere) in Button (051). Pair of 2¾mm (No.12) and long length 3¼mm (No.10) knitting needles. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

28 stitches and 44 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts together); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size.

Note

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Back

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 96 (112) (124) (140) sts.

1st and 2nd rows: [K2, p2] to end.

3rd and 4th rows: [P2, k2] to end.

These 4 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 4 (8) (8) (12) rows.

Shape sides: Working extra sts into pattern as they occur, inc 1 st at each end of next row and 13 following 6th rows – 124 (140) (152) (168) sts. Pattern another 1 (1) (5) (5) row(s).

Shape for sleeves: Keeping pattern correct, cast on 2 sts at beginning of next 4 rows and 4 sts at beginning of following 4 rows.

Cast on 8 sts at beginning of next 6 rows and 62 sts at beginning of following 2 rows – 320 (336) (348) (364) sts.

Pattern another 52 (58) (62) (66) rows.

Shape top of sleeves and shoulders: Cast off 14 (15) (15) (16) sts at beginning of next 16 rows and 14 (13) (15) (14) sts at beginning of following 4 rows – 40 (44) (48) (52) sts. Cast off.

Edging: With right side facing and using 2¾mm needles, pick up and k92 (108) (120) (136) sts evenly along cast-on edge.

Cast off kwise.

Left front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 20 (24) (28) (32) sts. Pattern 1 row as back.

Working extra sts into pattern as they occur, inc 1 st at front edge on next 7 (11) (11) (15) rows – 27 (35) (39) (47) sts.

Shape side: Continue to inc at front edge on next 13 (13) (15) (15) rows and 8 following alternate rows, at the same time, inc 1 st at side edge on next row and 4 (4) (5) (5) following 6th rows – 53 (61) (68) (76) sts. Pattern another 1 (1) (5) (5) row(s).

Inc 1 st at side edge on next row and 8 (8) (7) (7) following 6th rows – 62 (70) (76) (84) sts. Pattern another 1 (1) (5) (5) row(s) – read pattern another 2 (2) (6) (6) rows here on right front.

Shape for sleeve: Keeping pattern correct, cast on 2 sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row. Pattern 1 row. Cast on 4 sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row. Pattern 1 row. Cast on 8 sts at beginning of next row and 2 following alternate rows. Pattern 1 row. Cast on 62 sts at beginning of next row – 160 (168) (174) (182) sts.

Pattern another 52 (56) (58) (60) rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 16 (17) (18) (19) sts at beginning of next row – 144 (151) (156) (163) sts.

2nd, 3rd and 4th sizes: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and nil (1) (2) following alternate row(s) – 150 (154) (160) sts. Pattern 1 row.

All sizes: Shape top of sleeve and

shoulder: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and 3 following alternate rows, at the same time, cast off 14 (15) (15) (16) sts at beginning of next row and 3 following alternate rows – 84 (86) (90) (92) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Keeping neck edge straight, cast off 14 (15) (15) (16) sts at beginning of next row and 3 following alternate rows – 28 (26) (30) (28) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Cast off 14 (13) (15) (14) sts at beginning of next row. Pattern 1 row. Cast off. **

Edging: With right side facing, using 2¾mm needles and beginning 5cm from front edge, pick up and k9 sts along cast-off neck sts and 104 (110) (116) (122) sts evenly along front edge and cast-on edge.

Cast off kwise.

Right front

Work as left front to **, noting variation.

Edging: With right side facing and using 2¾mm needles, pick up and k104 (110) (116) (122) sts evenly along cast-on edge and front edge to neck shaping, then 9 sts along cast-off sts of neck, ending 5cm from front edge. Cast off kwise.

Collar

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 30 (34) (38) (42) sts.

1st row: K2, [p2, k2] to end.

2nd row: Cast on 6 sts, [k2, p2] to end.

3rd row: Cast on 6 sts, p2, [k2, p2] to end.

4th row: Cast on 6 sts, [p2, k2] to end.

These 4 rows set position of pattern.

Keeping pattern correct, cast on 6 sts at beginning of next 7 (9) (9) (11) rows – 90 (106) (110) (126) sts.

Pattern another 23 (25) (29) (31) rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 8 rows – 74 (90) (94) (110) sts. Cast off.

Edging: With right side facing and using 2¾mm needles, pick up and k96 (112) (120) (128) sts evenly along row-ends of first side, cast-off edge and row-ends of other side of collar.

Cast off kwise.

Cuffs

(both alike)

Join shoulder and top of sleeve seam.

With wrong side facing and using 3¼mm needles, pick up and k90 (94) (98) (102) sts evenly around straight row-ends of sleeve.

1st row: K2, [p2, k2] to end.

2nd row: P2, [k2, p2] to end.

3rd row: P2, [k2, p2] to end.

4th row: K2, [p2, k2] to end.

These 4 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 26 (26) (30) (30) rows.

Cast off, but do not break off the yarn.

Edging: Change to 2¾mm needles and pick up and k80 (84) (88) (92) sts along cast-off edge. Cast off kwise.

To make up

Join side and underarm seams, reversing seam on cuffs. Turn back cuffs and catch down underside of cuffs to sleeve seams. Sew on collar. Pin out garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.



Scattered Approach

Revive your living space with a dash of chic nostalgic style and delicate texture added to your home

INTERMEDIATE MAKE



27th April,
1974

Materials

3 x 50g (105m) balls of Sublime Egyptian Cotton (100% cotton) in Forever and Ever (322). Size 3.00 crochet hook. A cushion pad of approximately 36cm/14 in diameter.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension and measurements

Worked at a tension of 22 trebles and 12 rows, to 10 x 10cm, using 3.00 hook, the cushion should measure 30cm/12in diameter.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **tr**, treble; **yrh**, yarn round hook; **B1**, bobble 1, (work 5tr in next st, remove hook, insert hook in top of first of these 5tr, then back into loop of 5th tr and pull loop through first tr, yrh and pull through loop on hook); **slst**, slip stitch; **chsp**, chain space.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back

1st round: Leaving a loose end and using 3.00 hook, wind yarn around index finger of left-hand to form a ring, insert hook into ring, yarn over hook and pull through, 1ch (does not count as a st), work 11dc in ring, pull up end of yarn tightly to close ring, slst in 1st dc.

2nd round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 2tr in base of 3ch, [3tr in next dc] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 33 sts.

3rd round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), [1tr in next tr] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

4th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in base of 3ch, [2tr in next tr] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 66 sts.

5th round: As 3rd round.

6th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in base of 3ch, 1tr in each of next 5tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 5tr] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 77 sts.

7th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in base of 3ch, 1tr in each of next 6tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 6tr] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 88 sts.

8th to 15th rounds: Continue working as before, working 1tr more between increases on each successive repeat – 176 sts.

16th round: As 3rd round.

17th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), B1, [1tr in next tr, B1] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

18th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in B1, [1tr in next tr, 1tr in B1] to end, slst in 3rd



of 3ch.

Fasten off and neaten ends.

Front

1st round: Leaving a loose end and using 3.00 hook, wind yarn around index finger of left-hand to form a ring, insert hook into ring, yarn over hook and pull through, 1ch (does not count as a st), work 11dc in ring, pull up end of yarn tightly to close ring, slst in 1st dc.

2nd round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in base of 3ch, [2tr in next dc] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 22 sts.

3rd round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in base of 3ch, 1tr in next tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in next tr] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 33 sts.

4th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in base of 3ch, 1tr in each of next 2tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 2tr] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 44 sts.

5th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), B1, [1tr in next tr, B1] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

6th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), B1, 1tr in next tr, B1, [1tr, 3ch, 1tr all in next tr, B1, 1tr in next tr, B1] 10 times, 1tr in base of 3ch at beginning, 3ch, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

7th round: Slst in first B1, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 1tr in next tr, B1, 3ch, miss next tr, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, miss next tr, [B1, 1tr in next tr, B1, 3ch, miss next tr, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, miss next tr] 10 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

8th round: Slst in first B1, 3ch (counts as 1tr), B1, 1tr in next B1, 3ch, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, [1tr in next B1, B1, 1tr in next B1, 3ch, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 10 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

9th round: Slst in first B1, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 3ch, miss next tr, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 3 times, * miss next tr, B1, 3ch, miss next tr, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 3 times, repeat from * 9 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

10th round: Slst in first B1, 3ch (counts as

1tr), 1tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc] twice, 1tr in next chsp, * 1tr, 3ch, 1tr all in next B1, 1tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc] twice, 1tr in next chsp, repeat from * 9 times, 1tr in base of 3ch at beginning, 3ch, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

11th round: Slst in next tr, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 1tr in each of next 7tr, [B1, 3ch, miss next tr, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, miss next tr, B1, 1tr in each of next 7tr] 10 times, B1, 3ch, miss next tr, 1dc in next chsp, 3ch, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

12th round: Slst in first B1 and into next tr, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 1tr in each of next 5tr, * B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] twice, miss next B1, B1, 1tr in each of next 5tr, repeat from * 9 times, B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] twice, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

13th round: Slst in first B1 and into next tr, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 1tr in each of next 3tr, * B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 3 times, miss next B1, B1, 1tr in each of next 3tr, repeat from * 9 times, B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 3 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

14th round: Slst in first B1 and into next tr, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 1tr in next tr, B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 4 times, * miss next B1, B1, 1tr in next tr, B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 4 times, repeat from * 9 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

15th round: Slst in first B1 and into next tr, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 4tr in base of 3ch, then complete as given for B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 5 times, * miss next B1, B1, 3ch, miss next B1, [1dc in next chsp, 3ch] 5 times, repeat from * 9 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

16th round: Slst in first B1, 3ch (counts as 1tr), * 1tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc] 4 times, 1tr in next chsp, * 1tr in next B1, 1tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc, [2tr in next chsp, 1tr in next dc] 4 times, 1tr in next chsp, repeat from * 9 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 176 sts.

17th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), B1, [1tr in next tr, B1] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

18th round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 1tr in B1, [1tr in next tr, 1tr in B1] to end, slst in 3rd of 3ch. Fasten off and neaten ends.

To make up

Join back and front pieces together, leaving an opening. Insert cushion pad and join opening.



*13th December,
1941*

INTERMEDIATE MAKE

All Dolled Up!

Create a head-to-toe vintage wardrobe from 1941 and rework the past

Measurements

To fit 36cm-long, soft-bodied doll.

Materials

1 x 50g ball of DK yarn in each of Green, Pink and Cream; small amount of DK yarn in Blue. Pair of 3¼mm (No. 9) knitting needles; two 14cm-long pieces of 15mm Pink ribbon for ties; 1 button; length of elastic.

Tension

24 stitches and 30 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **k1d**, k next st 1

row down; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **p2togb**, p2tog through back of sts; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st; **skpo**, sl1, k1, pass sl st over; **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **wrap 1**, take yarn between needles to opposite side of work, slip next st on to right-hand needle, bring yarn back to original position, then place the slipped st back on to left-hand needle.

Note

Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

KNICKERS

Left leg: With Cream, cast on 32 sts. K 3 rows. Beginning with a k row, ss 6 rows. Inc 1 st at each end of next 2 rows for crotch – 36 sts.

Work back shaping: 1st row: K3, wrap 1, turn. **2nd row and 7 following alternate rows:** P to end. **3rd row:** K5, wrap 1, turn. **5th row:** K7, wrap 1, turn. **7th row:** K9, wrap 1, turn. **9th row:** K11, wrap 1, turn. **11th row:** K13, wrap 1, turn. **13th row:** K15, wrap 1, turn. **15th row:** K17, wrap 1, turn. Beginning with a k row, ss 12 rows. Work 2 rows in k1, p1 rib. Cast off in rib.

Right leg: Reading p for k and k for p, work as left leg. Join leg seams from cast-on edge to crotch, then centre back and front seams. Join ends of elastic to form a ring and place on wrong side of rib, then work herringbone casing over it.

VEST

Back and front

(both alike)

With Cream, cast on 37 sts. K 3 rows. Beginning with a k row, ss 2 rows.

Dec row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. Ss 3 rows. Repeat last 4 rows, twice more, then work dec row again – 29 sts. K 2 rows. Cast off kwise.

Straps (make 2): With Cream, cast on 23 sts. P 1 row. Cast off kwise. Join side seams. Sew straps in place.

DRESS

Front

With Blue, cast on 62 sts.

K 1 row. K 2 rows in Green and k 2 rows in Pink. Continue in Green. Beginning with a k row, ss 25 rows.

Next row: P3, p2tog, [p4, p2tog] 9 times, p3 – 52 sts.

Foundation row: K1, [k2tog, yf, k1, yf, skpo] to last st, k1.

1st row (wrong side): P. **2nd row:** K1, [k2tog, yf, k1d, yf, skpo] to last st, k1.

These 2 rows form lace pattern. Pattern another 7 rows.

Next row: K1, [k2tog, k1d, skpo] to last st, k1 – 32 sts. Work 2 rows in k1, p1 rib.

Beginning with 1st row, pattern 5 rows.

Shape armholes: Keeping pattern correct, dec 1 st at each end of next 4 rows – 24 sts.**

Beginning with a k row, ss 6 rows.

Shape neck: Next row: K8, turn and work on these sts only for left side.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows – 5 sts. Ss 4 rows. Cast off.

With right side facing, slip centre 8 sts on to st holder, rejoin yarn to remaining 8 sts for right side and k to end. Complete as left side.

Back

Work as front to **.

Divide for opening: Next row: K13, turn and work on these sts for right side.

Next row: K1, p12. K 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 4 times more, then work 1st of these rows again.

Shape neck: Next row: K5, k2tog, turn leaving remaining 6 sts on a safety-pin – 6 sts.

Next row: P2tog, p4 – 5 sts. Cast off.

With right side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 11 sts, cast on 2 sts, k to end – 13 sts.

Next row: P12, k1. K 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 4 times more.

Shape neck: Next row: P7, turn leaving remaining 6 sts on a safety-pin.

Next row: K2tog, k5. **Next row:** P4, p2tog – 5 sts. Cast off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With Blue, cast on 21 sts.

K 1 row. K 2 rows in Green and k 2 rows in Pink. Continue in Green. **Inc row:** [Inc in each of next 2 sts, k1] 7 times – 35 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 7 rows.

Shape top: Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 2 following alternate rows, then on next 7 rows – 15 sts. Cast off.

Neckband

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing and Pink, k6 from left back neck, pick up and k2 sts up left back neck, 7 sts down left front neck, k8 sts from centre front, pick up and k7 sts up right front neck, 2 sts down right back neck, then k6 from right back neck – 38 sts.

K 1 row. K 2 rows in Green and k 1 row in Blue. Cast off kwise.

To make up

Join side and sleeve seams. Gather sleeve tops to fit into armhole and sew in place. Catch down cast-on sts at base of back opening on wrong side. Make a buttonhole loop in Green on left side of opening. Sew on button. Using two strands of Green together, make 60cm chain cord for belt.

JACKET

Back

With Blue, cast on 42 sts.

** K 1 row. K 2 rows in Pink and k 2 rows in Green.

Continue in Pink. **Foundation row:** K1, [k2tog, yf, k1, yf, skpo] to last st, k1.

1st row (wrong side): P. **2nd row:** K1, [k2tog, yf, k1d, yf, skpo] to last st, k1.

These 2 rows form pattern. Pattern another 19 rows.**

Shape raglan armholes: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

1st row: K1, skpo, pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

2nd row: P1, p2tog, p to last 3 sts, p2togb, p1.

Work 1st row. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 28 sts.

7th row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

P 1 row. Repeat last 2 rows, 5 times more – 16 sts. Leave these sts.

Left front

With Blue, cast on 22 sts.

Work as for back from ** to **.

Shape raglan armhole: Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next row. P 1 row.

1st row: K1, skpo, pattern to end.

2nd row: Pattern to last 3 sts, p2togb, p1.

Work 1st row. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 15 sts.

7th row: K1, skpo, k to end. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 12 sts.

Shape neck: 1st row: K1, skpo, k4, k2tog, turn and leave remaining 3 sts on a safety pin. **2nd row:** P2tog, p5. **3rd row:** K1, skpo, k1, k2tog. **4th row:** P2tog, p2. **5th row:** K1, skpo. P2tog and fasten off.

Right front

With Blue, cast on 22 sts.

Work as back from ** to **. Pattern 1 row more.

Shape raglan armhole: Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next row.

1st row: Pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

2nd row: P1, p2tog, p to end.

Work 1st row. P 1 row.



Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 15 sts.

7th row: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 12 sts.

Shape neck: 1st row: K3 and slip these 3 sts on to safety-pin, skpo, k4, k2tog, k1.

2nd row: P5, p2togb.

3rd row: Skpo, k1, k2tog, k1.

4th row: P2, p2tog.

5th row: Skpo, k1. P2tog and fasten off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With Blue, cast on 22 sts. K 1 row. K 2 rows in Pink and k 2 rows in Green.

Continue in Pink. **Inc row:** K1, k2tog, yf, k1, [yf, k2, yf, k1] 5 times, yf, skpo, k1 – 32 sts. Beginning with a 1st row, pattern 19 rows as on back.

Shape raglan top: Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

1st row: K1, skpo, pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 20 sts.

7th row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. P 1 row.

9th row: As 7th row. **10th row:** P1, p2togb, p to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1.

Repeat last 2 rows, 3 times more – 2 sts.

Cast off.

Neckband

Join raglan seams. With right side facing and Green, k3 from right front neck, pick up and

k7 sts up right front neck, 1 st from right sleeve top, k2tog, k12, k2tog across back neck sts, pick up and k1 st from left sleeve top, k7 sts down left front neck, then k3 from left front neck – 36 sts. K 1 row. K 2 rows in Pink and k 1 row in Blue. Cast off kwise.

Front bands

(both alike)

With right side facing and Pink, pick up and k29 sts along front edge. K 2 rows.

Cast off kwise.

To make up

Join side and sleeve seams. With Pink, make two 10cm-long chain cords for ties and attach at neck edge on fronts.

BONNET

With Blue, cast on 42 sts. K 1 row.

K 2 rows in Pink and k 2 rows in Green.

Continue in Pink.

Beginning with a k row, ss 5 rows.

Beginning with 1st row, pattern 12 rows as on back of jacket.

Beginning with a p row, ss 5 rows.

Shape crown: 1st row: K2, [k2tog, k3] 8

times. P 1 row. **3rd row:** K2, [k2tog, k2] 8

times. P 1 row. **5th row:** K2, [k2tog, k1] 8

times. P 1 row. **7th row:** [K2tog] 9 times.

8th row: P1, [p2tog] 4 times – 5 sts. Break off yarn. Thread end through remaining sts, draw up and secure. Join crown seam.

Edging: With right side facing and Pink, pick up and k35 sts along lower edge of bonnet.

K 2 rows. Cast off kwise.

Sew ribbon ties to bonnet.

SHOES

With Green, cast on 21 sts.

1st row: K1, [p1, k1] to end. **2nd row:** P1, [k1, p1] to end. Work 1st row again.

K 1 row and P 1 row.

Eyelet row: K1, [yf, k2tog] 10 times. P 1 row.

Shape instep: 1st row: Join in Pink, k7, with Green k7, turn.

2nd row: With Green p7, turn.

With Green, ss 10 rows on these 7 sts. Break off Green.

With right side facing and attached Pink, pick up and k7 sts along first side of instep, k2tog, k3, k2tog across top of instep, pick up and k7 sts along other side of instep, then k remaining 7 sts – 33 sts. K 1 row.

K 2 rows in Green and k 2 rows in Blue.

Continue in Green.

Shape sole: 1st row: K1, skpo, k7, skpo, k3, k2tog, k4, k2tog, k7, k2tog, k1. K 1 row.

3rd row: K1, skpo, k6, skpo, [k2, k2tog] twice, k6, k2tog, k1. K 1 row.

5th row: K1, skpo, k5, skpo, k1, [k2tog] twice, k5, k2tog, k1. **6th row:** K7, k2tog, skpo, k7 – 16 sts. Cast off.

Join sole and back seam.

With Green, make 12cm-long chain cord and thread through eyelets.

Creature Comforts

Treat your feet to some warm and terribly chic but homely footwear



EASY MAKE

CROCHETED SLIPPERS

Measurements

To fit average woman's foot.

Materials

3 x 50g (48m) balls of Rico Essential Big (50% wool, 50% acrylic) in Turquoise (034). Size 5.00 crochet hook; 26cm long rubber insoles; matching sewing thread. The yarn can be purchased from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 818 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk.

Tension

13 stitches and 16 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 5.00 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **st**, stitch; **dc2tog**, work 2dc together [insert hook in next st, yarn round hook and pull through] twice, yarn round hook and pull through all 3 loops on hook; **tr**, treble; **slst**, slip st.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Outer sides (make 2)

With 5.00 hook, make 8ch for back heel.

Foundation row (right side): 1dc in 2nd ch from hook (counts as 1 st), [1dc in next ch] to end, turn – 7dc.

1st row: 1ch (does not count as a st), [1dc in next dc] to end, turn.

2nd row: 1ch (does not count as a st), [working in back loop of every st, 1dc in next dc] to end, turn.

These 2 rows form pattern. Continue in pattern until work fits side of your foot from centre of back heel to little toe, ending with a right side row, making the total number of rows worked divisible by 4 plus 1.

Shape for toes: Next row: Pattern to last 2 sts, dc2tog, turn.

Next row: 1ch, dc2tog, pattern to end, turn. Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 3 sts.

Next row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, dc2tog, turn.

Edging row: Slst in each of remaining 2 sts, 1ch, 1dc in first row-end, [1ch, 1dc in next row-end] along straight row-end (sole) edge to heel, work 1dc, 1ch and 1dc in first ch of heel, 1dc in each of next 5ch, work 1dc, 1ch and 1dc in last ch, now work along top edge thus: slst in first row-end, [miss next row-end, 3tr in next row-end, miss next row-end, slst in next row-end] to last 5 rows, [1ch, 1dc in end of next row-end] 5 times, slst in 1st slst. Fasten off.

Inner sides (make 2)

With 5.00 hook, make 8ch.

Foundation row (right side): 1dc in 2nd ch

from hook (counts as 1 st), [1dc in next ch] to end, turn – 7dc.

1st row: 1ch (does not count as a st), [1dc in next dc] to end.

2nd row: 1ch (does not count as a st), [working in back loop of every st, 1dc in next dc] to end. These 2 rows form pattern. Continue in pattern until work measures same as outer side to beginning of toe shaping, ending with a right side row, making the total number of rows worked divisible by 4 plus 1.

Shape for toes: Next row: 1ch, dc2tog, pattern to end, turn.

Next row: Pattern to last 2 sts, dc2tog, turn. Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 3 sts.

Next row: 1ch, dc2tog, 1dc in last dc, turn.

Edging row: Slst in each of remaining 2 sts, 1ch, 1dc in first row-end, [1ch, 1dc in end of next row-end] 4 times along shaped (top) edge, 1ch, slst in next row-end, [miss next row-end, 3tr in next row-end, miss next row-end, slst in next row-end] to heel, work 1dc, 1ch and 1dc in first ch of heel, 1dc in each of next 5ch, work 1dc, 1ch and 1dc in last ch, now work along sole edge thus: 1dc in next row-end, [1ch, 1dc in next row-end] to end, slst in first slst. Fasten off.

To make up

Join paired pieces together at back heel. Pin sole edge of each slipper to rubber insole and sew in position, then over sew the edge again. Join centre instep seam on each slipper.

Measurements

To fit an average woman's foot.

Length (excluding cuff) Approximately 23cm/9in.

Materials

3 x 50g (48m) balls of Rico Essential Big (50% wool, 50% acrylic) in Coral (017); 2 balls in Fuchsia (28). Pair of 5½mm (No.5) knitting needles; size 4.50 crochet hook. The yarn can be purchased from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 818 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk.

Tension

13 stitches and 24 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 5½mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts together); **mst**, moss st; **yfb**, yarn to back; **ytf**, yarn to front.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

FOOT WARMER (make 2)

With 5½mm needles and Coral, cast on 32 sts for ankle edge.

1st row: With Coral, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd row: With Coral, [k1, p1] to end.

3rd row: With Fuchsia, [k1, sl1] to last 2 sts, k2.

4th row: With Fuchsia, k2, [ytf, sl1, yfb, k1] to end.

5th row: With Coral, [k1, p1] to end.

6th row: With Coral, [p1, k1] to end.

7th row: With Fuchsia, k2, [sl1, k1] to end.

8th row: With Fuchsia, [k1, ytf, sl1, yfb] to last 2 sts, k2.

These 8 rows form pattern. Pattern another 16 rows.

Dividing row: With right side facing, sl first 8 sts on to st holder, rejoin yarns and pattern 16, turn and leave remaining 8 sts on a st holder. Work on these 16 sts for instep.

Instep: Pattern 15 rows.

Shape for toes: Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following 3rd rows – 8 sts.

Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row.

Pattern 1 row.

Cast off.

Sole: With right side facing, rejoin yarns at

inside edge of second set of 8 sts, pattern 8, then pattern 8 across first set of 8 sts – 16 sts. Pattern 15 rows.

Shape for toes: Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following 3rd rows – 8 sts.

Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row.

Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Cuffs (make 2)

With 5½mm needles and Coral, cast on 35 sts.

Mst row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Mst another 9 rows. Cast off in mst.

To make up

Join instep to sole along each side and top of toes on each warmer.

With right side facing, using 4.50 hook and Coral, work chain st along each side seam.

Join back heel seam. Beginning and ending at centre of instep, sew cast-off edge of cuffs to top of foot warmers. Turn back cuffs.

With 4.50 hook and Coral, make two chain cords, each approximately 26cm long.

Using Fuchsia, make 4 small pompoms and attach one to each end of cords. Tie cords into bow and attach at centre of instep of each warmer, just below cuffs.



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Measurements

To fit ages 2–3 (3–4) (4–5) (5–6) years.

Actual chest measurements 66 (71) (75) (81) cm/26 (28) (29½) (32) in.

Side seam (including edging) 22 (25) (27.5) (31) cm/8½ (9¾) (10¾) (12¼) in.

Length to shoulder (including edging) 34 (38.5) (42) (46) cm/13¼ (15) (16½) (18) in.

Sleeve seam (including edging) 22 (24) (26.5) (28.5) cm/8½ (9½) (10¼) (11¼) in.

Materials

5 (6) (6) (7) 50g (170m) balls of Sublime Baby Cashmere Merino Silk 4 ply (75% merino wool, 20% silk, 5% cashmere) in Sweet Pea (0205). Size 3.00 and 3.50 crochet hooks; 4 (5) (5) (5) buttons. You can buy this yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

24 stitches and 18 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 3.50 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **st**, stitch; **htr**, half treble; **tr**, treble; **inc**, increase; **htr2tog**, [yarn round hook, insert hook in next st, yarn round hook and pull through] twice, yarn round hook and pull through all 5 loops on hook; **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size; **dec**, decrease.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back

With 3.50 hook, make 80 (86) (92) (98) ch. Change to 3.00 hook.

Foundation row (wrong side): 1htr in 3rd ch from hook (counts as 2 sts), [1htr in next ch] to end, turn – 79 (85) (91) (97) sts.

Pattern row: 2ch (counts as 1htr), [1htr in next st] to end, turn.

Pattern another 34 (40) (44) (50) rows.

Shape armholes: Next row: Slst in each of first 6 sts, 2ch (counts as 1 st), htr2tog, pattern to last 8 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

Dec row: 2ch, htr2tog, pattern to last 3 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn. Repeat dec row, 3 (4) (4) (4) times more – 59 (63) (69) (75) sts.

Pattern another 17 (18) (20) (22) rows.

Shape shoulders: Next row: Slst in each of first 4 (4) (5) (5) sts, 1ch (does not count as a st), pattern to last 4 (4) (5) (5) sts, turn. Repeat last row, twice more.

Next row: Slst in each of first 4 (6) (5) (7) sts, 1ch (does not count as a st), pattern to last 4 (6) (5) (7) sts – 27 (27) (29) (31) sts. Fasten off.

Left front

With 3.50 hook, make 44 (47) (50) (53) ch. Change to 3.00 hook.

Foundation row (wrong side): 1htr in 3rd ch from hook (counts as 2 sts), [1htr in next ch] to end, turn – 43 (46) (49) (52) sts.

Pattern row: 2ch (counts as 1htr), [1htr in next st] to end, turn.

Pattern another 34 (40) (44) (50) rows.

Shape armhole: Next row: Pattern to last 6 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

1st dec row: 2ch, htr2tog, pattern to end, turn.

2nd dec row: Pattern to last 3 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more, then work 1st dec row, nil (1) (1) (1) time – 33 (35) (38) (41) sts.

Pattern another 9 (10) (10) (12) rows.

Shape neck: Next row: Slst in first 7 (7) (8) (9) sts, 1ch (does not count as a st), pattern to

end, turn.

Next row: Pattern to last 3 sts, turn.

Next row: Slst in first 3 sts, 1ch, pattern to end, turn.

1st dec row: Pattern to last 3 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

2nd dec row: 2ch, htr2tog, pattern to end, turn.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 16 (18) (20) (22) sts.

Pattern 1 (1) (3) (3) row(s).

Shape shoulder: 1st row: Pattern to last 4 (4) (5) (5) sts, turn.

2nd row: Slst in each of first 4 (4) (5) (5) sts, 1ch (does not count as a st), pattern to end, turn.

Work 1st row – 4 (6) (5) (7) sts. Fasten off.

Right front

With 3.50 hook, make 44 (47) (50) (53) ch. Change to 3.00 hook.

Foundation row (wrong side): 1htr in 3rd ch from hook (counts as 2 sts), [1htr in next ch] to end, turn – 43 (46) (49) (52) sts.

Pattern row: 2ch (counts as 1htr), [1htr in next st] to end, turn.

Pattern 4 (6) (2) (2) rows.

Buttonhole row: Pattern to last 4 sts, 2ch, miss 2 sts, pattern 2, turn.

Making 3 (4) (4) (4) more buttonholes on following 14th (12th) (14th) (16th) rows, continue thus: pattern another 29 (33) (41) (47) rows.

Shape armhole: Next row: Slst in each of first 6 sts, 2ch (counts as 1 st), htr2tog, pattern to end, turn.

1st dec row: Pattern to last 3 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

2nd dec row: 2ch, htr2tog, pattern to end, turn.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more, then work 1st dec row, nil (1) (1) (1) time – 33 (35) (38) (41) sts.

Pattern another 9 (10) (10) (12) rows.

Shape neck: Next row: Pattern to last 7 (7) (8) (9) sts, turn.

Next row: Slst in first 3 sts, 1ch (does not



count as a st), pattern to end, turn.

Next row: Pattern to last 3 sts, turn.

1st dec row: 2ch, htr2tog, pattern to end, turn.

2nd dec row: Pattern to last 3 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

Repeat last 2 rows once more – 16 (18) (20) (22) sts.

Pattern 1 (1) (3) (3) row(s).

Shape shoulder: 1st row: Slst in each of first 4 (4) (5) (5) sts, 1ch (does not count as a st), pattern to end, turn.

2nd row: Pattern to last 4 (4) (5) (5) sts, turn. Work 1st row – 4 (6) (5) (7) sts. Fasten off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 3.50 hook, make 40 (42) (46) (50) ch. Change to 3.00 hook.

Foundation row (wrong side): 1htr in 3rd ch from hook (counts as 2 sts), [1htr in next ch] to end, turn – 39 (41) (45) (49) sts.

Pattern 5 rows as given on back.

Inc row: 2ch, 1htr in first st, pattern to last st, 2htr in last st, turn.

Repeat last 6 rows, 4 (5) (5) (5) times more – 49 (53) (57) (61) sts.

Pattern another 5 (3) (7) (11) rows.

Shape top: Next row: Slst in each of first 6 sts, 2ch (counts as 1 st), htr2tog, pattern to last 8 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

Pattern 1 row.

Dec row: 2ch, htr2tog, pattern to last 3 sts, htr2tog, 1htr in next st, turn.

Repeat last 2 rows, 3 times more – 29 (33) (37) (41) sts.

Repeat dec row, 5 (7) (9) (11) times – 19 sts. Fasten off.

Edging: With right side facing and using 3.00 hook, join yarn at lower edge of sleeve, 3ch (counts as 1tr), work 36 (40) (44) (48) tr along chain edge, turn.

Next row: Slst in first st, [1tr in each of next 3tr, slst in next tr] to end. Fasten off.

Front and hem edging

Join shoulder and side seams. With right side facing and using 3.00 hook, join yarn to right side seam, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 40 (44) (48) (52) tr along lower edge of front, 3tr in corner, 77 (89) (93) (105) tr to neck shaping, 3tr in corner, 89 (89) (93) (97) tr around neck edge, 3tr in corner, 77 (89) (93) (105) tr along straight edge of left front, 3tr in corner, 41 (45) (49) (53) tr along lower edge of front, 79 (83) (91) (95) tr along lower edge of back – 416 (452) (480) (520) tr.

Next round: Slst in first st, [1tr in each of next 3tr, slst in next tr] to last 3tr, 1tr in each of last 3tr, slst in slst at beginning. Fasten off.

To make up

Sew in sleeves, then join sleeve seams. Sew on buttons. Pin out garment to measurements given, cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.

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Ahoy There!

This nautical dolly will help little ones sail the seas of imagination



Measurements

Approximately 31cm/12¼in high.

Materials

1 x 50g (120m) ball of Rico Essentials Merino DK (100% wool) in each of Dark Blue (38), Natural (60), Pink (02) and Jeans (27); length of DK in Dark Brown; small amount of embroidery thread in each of Black, Brown, White and Dusky Pink. Pair of 3mm (No.11) knitting needles; washable toy stuffing; red colouring pencil. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** The yarn can also be purchased from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 818 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk.

Tension

26 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **gst**, garter st (every row k).

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Figures in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Legs, body and head

First leg: With 3mm needles and Dark Blue, cast on 9 sts.

P 1 row. **Inc row:** Inc kwise in each st. Repeat last 2 rows, once more – 36 sts. Ss 3 rows.

1st dec row: [K7, k2tog] to end – 32 sts. Ss 5 rows.

2nd dec row: [K6, k2tog] to end – 28 sts. Ss 7 rows.

3rd dec row: [K5, k2tog] to end – 24 sts. Ss 12 rows. ** Leave these sts.

Second leg: Work as first leg to **.

Joining row: P across second leg sts then across first leg sts – 48 sts.

Mark each end of last row.

Body: **1st dec row:** [K10, k2tog] 4 times – 44 sts. Ss 3 rows.

2nd dec row: [K9, k2tog] 4 times – 40 sts. Ss 3 rows.

3rd dec row: [K8, k2tog] 4 times – 36 sts. Ss 3 rows.

Change to Natural and ss 18 rows.

4th dec row: K5, k2tog, k4, k2tog, k10, k2tog, k4, k2tog, k5 – 32 sts. P 1 row.

5th dec row: K5, k2tog, k2, k2tog, k10, k2tog, k2, k2tog, k5 – 28 sts. P 1 row.

6th dec row: [K5, k2tog] 4 times – 24 sts.

Change to Pink and p 1 row.

Head: **1st inc row:** [Inc in next st, k5] 4 times – 28 sts. P 1 row.

2nd inc row: [K4, inc in next st] twice, k8, [inc in next st, k4] twice – 32 sts. Ss 3 rows.

3rd inc row: K4, inc in next st, k5, inc in next st, k10, inc in next st, k5, inc in next st, k4 – 36 sts. Ss 11 rows.

1st dec row: K4, k2tog, k5, k2tog, k10, k2tog, k5, k2tog, k4 – 32 sts. Ss 3 rows.

2nd dec row: [K4, k2tog] twice, k8, [k2tog, k4] twice – 28 sts. P 1 row.

3rd dec row: [K2, k2tog] to end – 21 sts. P 1 row.

4th dec row: [K1, k2tog] to end – 14 sts.

Break off yarn and thread end through remaining sts, pull up tightly and secure.

Join leg seams from cast-on edge to markers, then join back body and head seam, leaving an opening. Gather cast-on edge on each leg, pull up tightly and secure. Stuff legs, body and head firmly and close opening. Wind length of Natural around neck, pull up and fasten off.

Feet (make 2)

With 3mm needles and Dark Blue, cast on 9 sts. P 1 row.

Inc row: [Inc kwise in next st] to end – 18 sts. Beginning with a p row, ss 11 rows.

Dec row: [K2tog] to end – 9 sts. P 1 row. Cast off.

Join row-ends together. With this seam at side, join cast-off sts together. Stuff firmly and join cast-on edge. Place lower edge of legs on top of feet at heel end and sew in position.

Ears (make 2)

With 3mm needles and Pink, cast on 6 sts. Ss 2 rows. Cast off.

Fold ears in half and oversew sides. With folded edge on the outside, sew ears in position.

Facial features

Mark the eye positions on the front of the head. With Black embroidery thread, work one small chain stitch for the pupil at each eye position. Using Brown embroidery thread, back stitch a circle around each pupil for the iris. Work a half circle of chain stitches to one side of each iris in White embroidery thread.

With Black embroidery thread, outline the white of the eyes with back stitches.

With Brown embroidery thread, work a short straight stitch above the eyes for the eyebrows.

Using Dusky Pink, embroider a nose with a single short straight stitch and 3 horizontal straight stitches for the mouth, making centre stitch slightly longer. Work a tiny vertical stitch across the centre of the mouth with White embroidery thread.

Lightly colour cheeks with red pencil.

Jumper

Back: With 3mm needles and Jeans, cast on 22 sts. Gst 26 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following 4th rows – 14 sts. Cast off.

Front: With 3mm needles and Jeans, cast on

22 sts. Gst 26 rows.

Shape neck: **Next row:** K2tog, k7, k2tog, turn and work on these 9 sts only for left side.

Left side: Gst 3 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 2 following 4th rows – 3 sts. Cast off for shoulder.

Right side: Rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 11 sts. Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following 4th rows – 3 sts. Cast off for shoulder.

Collar: With 3mm needles and Natural, cast on 18 sts. Gst 13 rows.

Next row: K7, k2tog, turn and work on these 8 sts only for first side.

First side: K 1 row. Dec 1 st at end of next row and 4 following alternate rows – 3 sts. K 3 rows.

Next row: K1, k2tog – 2 sts. K 1 row. K2tog and fasten off.

Second side: Rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 9 sts. Dec 1 st at beginning of next row and 5 following alternate rows – 3 sts. K 3 rows.

Next row: K2tog, k1 – 2 sts. K 1 row. K2tog and fasten off.

Tie: With 3mm needles and Dark Blue, cast on 3 sts. Gst 24 rows. Cast off.

Join row-ends of back and front together, then join shoulder seams. Sew collar to neck edge. Fold tie in half at 45 degree angle and sew folded edge to centre front at base of collar. Place jumper on body.

Arms (make 2)

Hand: With 3mm needles and Pink, cast on 6 sts. P 1 row.

1st inc row: [Inc kwise in next st] to end – 12 sts. Beginning with a p row, ss 5 rows.

Sleeve: Change to Jeans. Gst 2 rows.

2nd inc row: [Inc in next st, k2] to end – 16 sts. Gst 21 rows.

Shape top: **1st dec row:** [K2, k2tog] to end – 12 sts. Gst 2 rows.

2nd dec row: [K1, k2tog] to end – 8 sts. Gst 2 rows. Cast off.

Gather cast-on edge, then join row-ends together. Stuff firmly. With the seam at underarm, sew top of arms to sides of body, sewing through jumper.

Hat

With 3mm needles and Dark Blue, cast on 36 sts. K 1 row.

Change to Natural and p 1 row.

Inc row: [Inc in next st, k1] to end – 54 sts. Beginning with a p row, ss 5 rows.

1st dec row: [K1, k2tog] to end. Ss 3 rows. Work 1st dec row – 24 sts. P 1 row.

2nd dec row: [K2tog] to end. P 1 row. Work 2nd dec row – 6 sts.

Break off yarn and thread end through remaining sts, pull up tightly and secure.

With 3mm needles and Dark Blue cast on 3 sts for ribbon. Gst 24 rows. Cast off.

Join back seam of hat and stuff lightly. Pin hat on top of head. With Brown, work 4 loop stitches for fringe at centre of front of head just under cast on edge of hat, then sew hat in position. Fold ribbon in half at 45 degree angle and sew folded edge to side of hat.

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Measurements

To fit sizes 81 (86) (91) (96) (102) (107) (112) (117) (122) cm/32 (34) (36) (38) (40) (42) (44) (46) (48) in.

Actual measurements 87.5 (93.5) (99.5) (105.5) (109.5) (115) (119.5) (124.5) (129.5) cm/34½ (36¾) (39) (41½) (43) (45¼) (47) (49) (51) in.

Side seam 35 (35) (35) (36) (36) (36) (37) (37) (37) cm/13¾ (13¾) (13¾) (14) (14) (14) (14½) (14½) (14½) in.

Length to shoulder 53 (54) (55) (56.5) (57) (58) (60) (60.5) (61) cm/21 (21¼) (21½) (22¼) (22½) (23) (23½) (23¾) (24) in.

Sleeve seam 6.5 (6.5) (6.5) (7) (7) (7) (8) (8) (8) cm/2½ (2½) (2½) (2¾) (2¾) (2¾) (3) (3) (3) in.

Materials

7 (7) (8) (8) (9) (9) (10) (10) (11) 50g (175m) balls of Sublime Extra Fine Merino Wool 4-ply (100% wool) in Redcurrant (17). Pair of 2¾mm (No. 12) and 3¼mm (No. 10) knitting needles; 6 buttons. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **sl**, slip.

Note

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Back

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 120 (128) (136) (144) (150) (158) (164) (172) (178) sts.

Beginning with a k row, ss 11 rows.

K 1 row for fold line.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a k row, ss 10 rows.

Pick up row: [K next st tog with corresponding st on cast-on row] to end. Ss another 115 (115) (115) (119) (119) (119) (123) (123) (123) rows.

Shape armholes: Cast off 7 (7) (7) (7) (7) (8) (8) (8) sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 (3) (5) (5) (5) (5) (7) (7) (7) rows and 5 (6) (6) (7) (7) (8) (7) (8) (9) following alternate rows – 90 (96) (100) (106) (112) (116) (120) (126) (130) sts.

Ss another 51 (51) (53) (53) (55) (57) (59) (59) (59) rows.

Shape shoulders: Cast off 7 (8) (8) (9) (9) (9)

(10) (10) (11) sts at beginning of next 6 rows and 6 (6) (7) (7) (9) (11) (9) (11) (10) sts on following 2 rows – 36 (36) (38) (38) (40) (40) (42) (44) (44) sts. Cast off.

Left front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 72 (76) (80) (84) (89) (93) (96) (100) (103) sts.

1st row: K to last 42 (42) (42) (42) (47) (47) (47) (47) sts, p2, [k1, sl1, k1, p2] to end.

2nd row: K2, [p3, k2] 8 (8) (8) (8) (9) (9) (9) (9) (9) times, p to end.

** These 2 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 124 (124) (124) (128) (128) (128) (132) (132) (132) rows – read 125 (125) (125) (129) (129) (129) (133) (133) (133) rows here on right front.

Shape armhole: Cast off 7 (7) (7) (7) (7)

(8) (8) (8) (8) sts at beginning of next row.

Pattern 1 row – omit this row on right front.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge of next 3 (3) (5) (5) (5) (5) (7) (7) (7) rows and 5 (6) (6) (7) (7) (8) (7) (8) (9) following alternate rows – 57 (60) (62) (65) (70) (72) (74) (77) (79) sts.

Pattern another 3 rows.

Shape neck: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then work 1 row straight. Repeat last 3 rows, 11 (11) (12) (12) (12) (12) (12) (13) (13) times more, then work first 2 (2) (1) (1) (1) (1) (2) (1) (1) row(s) again – 31 (34) (35) (38) (43) (45) (46) (48) (50) sts.

Pattern another 10 (10) (10) (10) (12) (14) (15) (13) (13) rows – read 11 (11) (11) (11) (13) (15) (16) (14) (14) rows here on right front.

Shape shoulder: Cast off 7 (8) (8) (9) (9) (9) (10) (10) (11) sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row. Work 1 row. Cast off 9 (10) (10) (11) (12) (12) (13) (13) (13) sts at beginning of next row – 8 (8) (9) (9) (13) (15) (13) (15) (15) sts. Work 1 row. Cast off.

Right front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 72 (76) (80) (84) (89) (93) (96) (100) (103) sts.

1st row: P2, [k1, sl1, k1, p2] 8 (8) (8) (8) (9) (9) (9) (9) (9) times, k to end.

2nd row: P to last 42 (42) (42) (42) (47) (47) (47) (47) sts, k2, [p3, k2] to end.

Complete as left front from ** to end, noting variations.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 80 (84) (88) (92) (96) (100) (104) (108) (112) sts.

Beginning with a k row, ss 9 rows.

K 1 row for fold line.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a k row, ss 8 rows.

Pick up row: [K next st tog with corresponding st on cast-on row] to end. P 1 row.

Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 4 following 3rd (3rd) (3rd) (3rd) (3rd) (3rd) (4th) (4th) (4th) rows — 90 (94) (98) (102) (106) (110) (114) (118) (122) sts.

Ss another 1 (1) (1) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) row(s).

Shape top: Cast off 7 (7) (7) (7) (7) (8) (8) (8) (8) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st



at each end of next row and 4 following 4th rows, then on 9 (9) (9) (11) (11) (12) (12) (12) (12) following alternate rows – 48 (52) (56) (56) (60) (60) (64) (68) (72) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 7 (9) (11) (7) (9) (9) (11) (13) (15) rows – 34 (34) (34) (42) (42) (42) (42) (42) sts. Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 4 (4) (4) (6) (6) (6) (6) (6) rows – 18 sts. Cast off.

Buttonhole band

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 25 sts.

1st row: K12, sl1, k12. **2nd row:** P.

These 2 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 4 rows.

1st buttonhole row: K4, cast off 4, pattern to last 8 sts, cast off 4, k to end.

2nd buttonhole row: P to end, casting on 4 sts over cast-off sts in previous row.

Pattern another 24 (24) (24) (26) (26) (26) (28) (28) (28) rows.

Repeat last 26 (26) (26) (28) (28) (28) (30) (30) (30) rows, 4 times more, then work the 2 buttonhole rows again. Pattern another 6 (8) (10) (8) (10) (12) (10) (10) (10) rows.

Shape reverse: Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 12 following 3rd rows – 51 sts.

Pattern another 3 (5) (7) (7) (9) (9) (11) (11)

(13) rows. Cast off.

Button band

Work to match buttonhole band, omitting buttonholes.

Collar

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 45 sts.

1st row: K22, sl1, k22.

2nd row: P. These 2 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 150 (150) (162) (162) (166)

(168) (174) (176) (178) rows. Cast off.

Pockets

(make 2)

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 57 (57) (57) (57) (62) (62) (62) (62) (62) sts.

1st row: P2, [k1, sl1, k1, p2] to end.

2nd row: K2, [p3, k2] to end.

These 2 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 78 (86) (90) (96) (100) (106)

(110) (116) (120) rows.

Cast off in pattern.

To make up

Place pockets lengthways along lower edge of each front and sew row-ends of pockets to cast-on edges of fronts, then cast-on and cast-off edges to each side of fronts. Join shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves, then join side and sleeve seams. Sew one side of front bands in position. Fold collar in half along sl st and join short edges. Beginning and ending 13 sts across cast-off edge of reverse, sew collar in place. Fold band along sl st to wrong side, lining up buttonholes and slip st in position. Join cast-on and cast-off edges on front bands. Neaten buttonholes. Sew on buttons.

Pin out garment to measurements given.

Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.

LACEY TOP

Measurements

To fit sizes 81 (86) (91) (97–102) cm/32 (34) (36) (38–40) in.

Actual measurements 83 (91) (99) (107) cm/32½ (36) (39) (42) in.

Side seam 30 (31) (32) (33) cm/11¾ (12¼) (12½) (13) in.

Length to shoulder 43 (45) (47) (49) cm/17 (17¾) (18½) (19¼) in.

Sleeve seams All sizes 10cm/4in.

Materials

2 (3) (3) (3) 25g (250m) balls of Rico Fashion Romance (50% acrylic, 30% mohair, 20% wool) in Grey (005). Pair of 3mm (No. 11) and 4mm (No. 8) knitting needles. Yarn can be purchased from Hulu Crafts, call 01548831 911, or visit

hulucrafts.co.uk.

Tension

20 stitches and 34 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over lacy diamond pattern, using 4mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **psso**, pass slip st over; **skpo**, (sl1, k1, psso); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.



5th row: K1, k2tog, yf, k5, [yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k5] to last 3 sts, yf, skpo, k1.

6th row: K1, p to last st, k1.

7th row: K3, [yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k3] to end.

8th row: K1, p to last st, k1.

These 8 rows form pattern.

Continue in pattern until work measures 30 (31) (32) (33) cm from beginning, ending with a right-side row.

Shape for sleeves: Cast on 16 sts, k1, p15 across these 16 sts, p to end, turn and cast on 16 sts – 115 (123) (131) (139) sts.

Continue in pattern until work measures 40 (42) (44) (46) cm from beginning, ending with a wrong-side row.

Neck ribbing: **1st row:** Pattern 35, p1, [k1, p1] 22 (26) (30) (34) times, pattern 35.

2nd row: K1, p33, k2, [p1, k1] 21 (25) (29) (33) times, p1, k2, p33, k1.

Working centre sts in rib as set, continue in pattern until work measures 43 (45) (47) (49) cm from beginning, ending with a wrong-side row.

Shape shoulders: Continue working as before and cast off 8 sts at beginning of next 8 rows and 3 sts at beginning of following 2 rows – 45 (53) (61) (69) sts.

Cast off loosely in rib.

Sleeve edgings

(both alike)

Leaving ribbed section free for neck opening, join shoulder seams.

With right side facing and using 3mm needles, pick up and k89 (95) (101) (107) sts evenly along row-ends of sleeve.

1st rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

2nd rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Repeat these 2 rows, once more, then work the 1st row again.

Cast off loosely in rib.

To make up

Join side and sleeve seams, including sleeve edgings.

Back and front (alike)

With 3mm needles, cast on 83 (91) (99) (107) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat the last 2 rows until rib measures 12cm, ending with a 2nd row.

Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: K4, [yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k5] to last 7 sts, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k4.

2nd row: K1, p to last st, k1.

3rd row: K2, [k2tog, yf, k3, yf, skpo, k1] to last 9 sts, k2tog, yf, k3, yf, skpo, k2.

4th row: K1, p to last st, k1.

Teddy Girl

Make sure their favourite furry is the best dressed on the bed!



INTERMEDIATE MAKE

8th May,
1948



Measurements

To fit teddy 36cm/14in tall.

Actual chest measurement 30cm/11¾in.

Side seam 13cm/5in.

Length to shoulder 20cm/8in.

Sleeve seam 2cm/¾in.

Materials

2 x 50g (155m) balls of DMC Natura Just Cotton (100% cotton) in Crimson (N61) and small amount in Ivory (N02) for embroidery. Pair of 3mm (No.11) knitting needles; 3 press stud fasteners, waist length of narrow elastic.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.

For other yarns stockists, call DMC Creative World Ltd on 0116 275 4000 or visit dmccreative.co.uk.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **gst**, garter st (every row k); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st; **wrap1**, slip next st onto right hand needle, take yarn between needles to opposite side of work, place the slipped st back onto left hand needle, bring yarn back.

Note

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Back and front

With 3mm needles, cast on 133 sts.

K 1 row.

Inc row: K5, [inc in next st kwise, k10] 11 times, inc in next st kwise, k6 – 145 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 23 rows.

Cast on 3 sts at beginning of next row – 148 sts.

Next row: K3 for border, p to last 3 sts, k3 for border. **Next row:** K.

Repeat last 2 rows, 5 times more.

1st dec row: K3, p2, [p2tog, p1] 45 times, p2tog, p3, k3 – 102 sts.

1st rib row: K3, p1, k1, [p2, k1] to last 4 sts, p1, k3.

2nd rib row: K4, p1, [k2, p1] to last 4 sts, k4. Repeat last 2 rows, once more, then work 1st rib row again.

2nd dec row: K4, p1, [k2tog, p1, k2, p1] 15 times, k2tog, p1, k4 – 86 sts.

Next row: K.

Next row: K3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

Shape armholes: Next row: K20, cast off next 5 sts, k to last 25 sts, cast off next 5 sts,

k to end.

Work on last set of 20 sts for right back.

Right back: Keeping the 3 sts in gst as set and remainder in ss, dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 4 rows – 16 sts.

Work another 16 rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 7 sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row.

Cast off 2 sts at beginning of next row – 6 sts. Leave these sts on a st holder.

Front: With wrong side facing rejoin yarn to centre 36 sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 4 rows – 28 sts. Ss another 11 rows.

Shape neck: Dividing row: K9, cast off next 10 sts, k to end. Work on last set of 9 sts only for right side.

Right side: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows – 6 sts. Ss 4 rows.

Joining right shoulder: With right sides of right back and right side of front together and needles pointing in same direction, cast off shoulder sts by taking 1 st from each needle and working them tog.

Left side: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn at neck edge to remaining 9 sts of front.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows – 6 sts. Ss 4 rows. Leave these sts on a st holder.

Left back: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 20 sts.

Keeping the 3 sts in gst as set and remainder in ss, dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 4 rows – 16 sts.

Work another 15 rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 7 sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row.

Cast off 2 sts at beginning of next row – 6 sts. P 1 row.

Join left shoulder in same way as right shoulder.

Collar

With right side facing and using 3mm needles, pick up and k10 sts from left back neck omitting border, 8 sts down left front neck, 10 sts from centre, 8 sts up right front neck and 10 sts from right back neck omitting border – 46 sts. K 3 rows.

Dividing row: K23, turn and work on these sts only for left side.

Left side: K 3 rows.

Dec row: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. K 1 row. Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 20 sts.

Cast off kwise, decreasing 1 st as before.

Right side: Rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 23 sts and k to end.

K 3 rows.

Dec row: K1, k2tog, k to end. K 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 20 sts.

Cast off kwise, decreasing 1 st as before.

Sleeves (both alike)

With 3mm needles, cast on 33 sts.

K 3 rows.

Inc row: K1, [inc in next st kwise, k1] to end – 49 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 3 rows.

Shape top: Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 4 following alternate rows then on following 6 rows – 21 sts.

Dec row: P1, [p2tog] to end – 11 sts. Cast off.

To make up

Using two strands of Ivory together, bind together second and first k1 st of 1st row of rib with single back stitch, continue in this way, banding following pairs of k sts to end, making sure that the yarn is carried across wrong side to the tension of the fabric. The following row of embroidery is worked along 3rd row of ribbing and you begin with binding 3rd and 2nd stitch together. Work 1 more row of embroidery as on first row along 6th row of ribbing. Join back seam from cast-on edge to beginning of back borders. Catch down cast-on sts of left back border on wrong side. Sew in sleeves, then join sleeve seams. Sew on press studs evenly spaced along borders on back.

Pants

Front: With 3mm needles, cast on 47 sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more, then work 1st rib row again.

Beginning with a k row, ss 4 rows.

Inc 1 st at each end of next row and following 4th row – 51 sts.

Ss 5 rows.

Shape leg openings: Cast off 5 sts at beginning of next 2 rows and 3 sts on following 2 rows – 35 sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 10 rows – 15 sts. Ss 12 rows.

Back: Inc 1 st at each end of next 6 rows – 27 sts.

Cast on 3 sts at beginning of next 8 rows – 51 sts.

Ss 5 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and following 4th row – 47 sts. Ss 2 rows.

Next 2 rows: K41, wrap1, turn, p35, wrap1, turn.

Next 2 rows: K30, wrap1, turn, p25, wrap1, turn.

Next 2 rows: K20, wrap1, turn, p15, wrap1, turn.

Next 2 rows: K10, wrap1, turn, p5, wrap1, turn.

Next row: K to end.

P 1 row across all sts.

Work 5 rows in rib. Cast off in rib.

Leg opening edgings (both alike): With right side facing and using 3mm needles, pick up and k44 sts evenly around shaped leg opening edge.

K 2 rows. Cast off kwise.

Fold pants in half widthwise and join side seams. Join ends of elastic to form ring. Place this ring on wrong side of ribbing and work herringbone casing over it.

INTERMEDIATE MAKE



Bags Of Style

You'll never be short of a shopping bag with this handy crocheted foldaway and neat handbag – both perfect for those hands-full moments!

TWEED CROCHET BAG

Measurements

32cm/12½in across top edge,
20cm/8in high.

Materials

4 x 50g (100m) balls Sublime Luxurious Aran Tweed (40% wool, 40% cotton, 20% llama) in Woody (367). Size 5.00 and 5.50 crochet hooks.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.

For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

11 stitches and 9 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over double crochet worked into the back loop, using 5.50 hook and two strands of yarn together.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **st**, stitch; **slst**, slip stitch; **yrh**, yarn round hook.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Main part

With 5.50 hook and using two strands of yarn together, make 52ch and taking care not to twist length, slst in first ch to form ring.

Work in continuous rounds marking first st of each round and moving marker up at the end of each round.

1st round: 1dc in each ch to end – 52dc.

Working into back loop only of each st, continue thus: **2nd to 5th rounds:** 1dc in each st to end.

6th round: 1dc in each of first 6dc, 2dc in next dc, [1dc in each of next 12dc, 2dc in next dc] 3 times, 1dc in each of last 6dc – 56dc.

7th and 3 following alternate rounds: 1dc in each dc.

8th round: 1dc in each of first 7dc, 2dc in next dc, [1dc in each of next 13dc, 2dc in next dc] 3 times, 1dc in each of last 6dc – 60dc.

10th round: 1dc in each of first 7dc, 2dc in next dc, [1dc in each of next 14dc, 2dc in next dc] 3 times, 1dc in each of last 7dc – 64dc.

12th round: 1dc in each of first 8dc, 2dc in next dc, [1dc in each of next 15dc, 2dc in next dc] 3 times, 1dc in each of last 7dc – 68dc.

14th round: 1dc in each of first 8dc, 2dc in next dc, [1dc in each of next 16dc, 2dc in next dc] 3 times, 1dc in each of last 8dc – 72dc.

15th round: As 7th round.

16th round: As 7th round, turn.

Flap: Working into both loops of each st, continue thus: **Next row:** 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in each of first 36dc, turn and work on these sts only.

Next row: 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in each of dc to end, turn

Repeat last row, 4 times more. Fasten off.

Base

With 5.00 hook and using two strands of yarn together, make 16ch.

1st round (wrong side): 2dc in 2nd ch from hook, 1dc in each of next 13ch, 5dc in last ch, working along other side of commencing ch, work 1dc in each of next 13ch, 3dc in same place as first 2dc, slst in first dc, turn – 36dc.

2nd round: 1ch (does not count as a st), 3dc in first dc, 1dc in each of next 17dc, 5dc in next dc, slst in first dc, turn – 44dc.

3rd round: 1ch, 3dc in first dc, 1dc in each of next 21dc, 5dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 20dc, 3dc in last dc, slst in first dc, turn – 52dc.

Join base to main part: With wrong sides tog and base behind main part, insert hook through first ch of commencing ch at lower edge of main part, then through first dc of base (the final dc of 3rd round before the slst), yrh and draw loop through, yrh and draw through both loops on hook, [insert hook through next ch at lower edge of main part, then through next dc of base, yrh and draw loop through, yrh and draw through both loops on hook] 51 times.

Next round: 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end. Fasten off.

Handles (make 2)

With 5.50 hook and using two strands of yarn together, make 60ch.

Next row: 1dc in 2nd ch from hook, 1dc in each ch to end. Fasten off.

To make up

Flatten bag and mark side edges. Fold flap onto front and pin in place. Placing ends of handles at side edges, 8cm from lower edge of bag, sew lower ends of handles to front and back as shown in photograph. Join ends together at sides.



CROCHET BAG IN A POUCH

Measurements

Pouch measures 13cm/5in diameter; string bag measures 27 x 33cm/10½ x 13in.

Materials

1 x 100g (133m) ball of King Cole Craft Cotton (90% cotton, 10% other fibres) in Natural (046). Size 3.50 and 4.50 crochet hooks; 1 button.

You can buy this yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.

For other yarn stockists, call King Cole on 01535 650 230 or visit kingcole.co.uk.

Tension

First 3 rounds of pouch measure 7.5cm across, using 3.50 hook; 3 arches and 6 rows to 10 x 10cm, using 4.50 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dtr**, double treble; **htr**, half treble; **tr**, treble; **slst**, slip stitch; **st**, stitch; **yrh**, yarn round hook.

Note

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Pouch back

With 3.50 hook, wind yarn round index finger of left hand to form ring, insert hook into ring, yrh and pull through, 3ch (counts as first tr), work 15tr in ring, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 16 sts.

1st round: 3ch, 1tr in same place as slst, [2tr in next tr] 15 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 32 sts. Continue, working into back loop only of each st.

2nd round: 3ch, 1tr in same place as slst, 1tr in next tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in next tr] 15 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 48 sts.

3rd round: 3ch, 1tr in same place as slst, 1tr in each of next 2tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 2tr] 15 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 64 sts.

4th round: 3ch, 1tr in same place as slst, 1tr in each of next 3tr, [2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 3tr] 15 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 80 sts.

Fasten off.

Pouch front

Work as pouch back but do not fasten off.

Join front and back: Place wrong sides together with back behind front, insert hook through both loops of first tr of front then through outer loop only of first tr of back, yrh

and draw loop through both tr then through loop on hook, [insert hook through both loops of next tr of front then through outer loop only of next tr of back, yrh and draw loop through both tr then through loop on hook] 59 times.

Opening edging: 1slst in both loops of each of remaining 20tr of front, turn and work 1slst into front loop only of each of first 9tr of back opening, 10ch for button loop, miss next 2tr, 1slst in each of remaining 9tr of back opening. Fasten off.

Mesh sides: 1st round (wrong side): Turn pouch inside out and with pouch front facing work into free loops of last round of pouch back. Rejoin yarn to any loop, slst in same place as join, [4ch, miss next 4 loops, slst in next loop] 15 times, 2ch, miss last 4 loops, 1htr in first slst, turn – 16 arches. Change to 4.50 hook.

Pattern round: Slst in arch below hook, [8ch, slst in next arch] 15 times, 4ch, 1dtr in first slst, turn.

Repeat pattern round, 17 times more.

Edging: 1st round (right side): Slst in arch below hook, [5ch, slst in next arch] 15 times, 5ch, slst in first slst, do not turn. Change to 3.50 hook.

2nd round: 3ch (counts as first tr), [1tr in

each of next 5ch, 1tr in next slst] 15 times, 1tr in each of last 5ch, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 96 sts.

First handle: 2ch (counts as first tr), 1tr in each of next 3tr, turn.

Next row: 2ch, miss first tr, 1tr in each of next 2tr, 1tr in 2nd of 2ch, turn.

Repeat last row, 19 times more. Fasten off. Miss next 15tr of edging and sew end of handle to next 4tr of edging.

Second handle: Miss next 25tr of edging, rejoin yarn to next tr and work as for first handle.

To make up

Sew button to pouch front.



Tea's Up!

Keep your reviving 'Rosy Lee' steaming with these fetching vintage-style tea cosies



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FLOWERED TEA COSY

Measurements

Approximately 17.5cm/7in high.

Materials

2 x 50g (170m) balls of Deramores Baby DK (55% nylon, 45% acrylic) in Denim Blue (004); 1 ball in each of Blossom Pink (005), Deramores Pink (006) and Primrose Yellow (008); small amount in Apple Green (007). Pair of 3¼mm (No.9) knitting needles; 3.00 crochet hook. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.**

Tension

21 stitches and 41 rows, to 10 x 10 cm, over rib pattern, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **ch**, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **tr**, treble; **slst**, slip st; **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side).

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Figures in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Sides

First side: With 3¼mm needles and Denim Blue, cast on 47 sts. K 6 rows.

Rib pattern row: K2, [p2, k2] to last st, p1. Rib pattern another 50 rows.

Shape top: 1st dec row: K1, [p2tog, k2tog] to last 2 sts, p2tog – 24 sts.

Work 6 rows in k1, p1 rib.

2nd dec row: K1, [k2tog] to last st, k1 – 13 sts. P 1 row and k 1 row. Cast off.

Second side: With 3¼mm needles and



Denim Blue, cast on 47 sts. K 6 rows.

Rib pattern row: P1, k2, [p2, k2] to end. Rib pattern another 50 rows.

Shape top: 1st dec row: P2tog, [k2tog, p2tog] to last st, k1 – 24 sts. Work 6 rows in p1, k1 rib.

2nd dec row: K1, [k2tog] to last st, k1 – 13 sts. P 1 row and k 1 row. Cast off.

Ruffles

With right side facing, using 3.00 hook and Denim Blue, work along each vertical k st of rib pattern on sides thus:

Next row: Insert hook from side under the 2 loops of k st on first rib row, work 1dc, 3ch and 2tr around these 2 loops, [miss k st on each of next 5 rows, work 1dc, 3ch and 2tr around the 2 loops of k st on next row] 8 times, slst around the 2 loops of k st on next row. Fasten off.

Join sides together, leaving an opening for tea pot handle and spout.

Work ruffles around openings as before, but working in edge st and missing 3 rows instead of 5.

Linings

(make 2)

With 3¾mm needles and Denim Blue, cast on 41 sts.

Dec row: K1, [k2tog] to end.

Beginning with a p row, ss 5 rows.

Work dec row again – 11 sts. Ss 2 rows. Cast off.

Small flowers

With 3.00 hook and Blossom Pink, make 5ch.

Petal row: 3tr in 4th ch from hook, work 3tr and 1dc in last ch. Fasten off.

Make 4 more small flowers with Blossom Pink and 5 more in each of Deramores Pink and Primrose Yellow.

Large flowers

With 3.00 hook and Blossom Pink, make 4ch, slst in first ch to form ring.

Petal row: [Work 3ch, 2tr, 3ch and 1dc in ring] 6 times, slst in 1st of 3ch. Fasten off.

Make 3 more large flowers with Blossom Pink and 4 more in each of Deramores Pink and Primrose Yellow.

To make up

Roll each small flower to form rose bud shape. Place flowers in same colour bunches and sew to top of cosy. With Apple Green, work 3 stitches across centre of large flowers in shape of star, drawing it up slightly to close centre of flower and leaving a long end. Use the long end to make twisted cord and secure in position. With Primrose Yellow, work French knot at centre of each large flower. Sew large flowers around smaller flowers on top of cosy, alternating colours and allowing twisted end to dangle. Join row-ends on lining, then join cast-off edge together. Place lining on wrong side of top of cosy and slip stitch cast-on edge in position.

COTTAGE TEA COSY

Measurements

Approximately 25cm/9¾in wide, 16cm/6¼in deep and 24cm/9½in high, excluding chimney.

Materials

2 x 50g (170m) balls of Deramores Baby DK (55% nylon, 45% acrylic) in Ivory (002); 1 ball in Pebble Grey (009); small amounts in each of Denim Blue (004), Deramores Pink (006), Apple Green (007) and Primrose Yellow (008) for embroidery; Black embroidery thread. Pair of 3¾mm (No.9) knitting needles; small amount of toy stuffing; 60 x 50cm/23½ x 19¾in piece in each

of cotton fabric and polyester wadding for lining and matching sewing thread.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.

Tension

21 stitches and 41 rows, to 10 x 10 cm, over moss stitch, using 3¾mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts together); **mst**, moss st.

Note

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Back and front walls

(both alike)

With 3¾mm needles and Ivory, cast on 55 sts.

K 1 row.

Mst row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Mst another 59 rows. Cast off.

Side walls

(make 2)

With 3¾mm needles and Ivory, cast on 35 sts.

K 1 row.

Work 60 rows in mst as on back and front walls.

Shape top: Keeping mst correct, dec 1 st at each end of next 16 rows – 3 sts. Cast off.

Roof

With 3¾mm needles and Pebble Grey, cast on 59 sts. K 1 row.

1st row: P5, [k1, p5] to end.

2nd row: K5, [p1, k5] to end.

3rd row: P5, [k1, p5] to end.

4th row: P.

5th row: P2, [k1, p5] to last 3 sts, k1, p2.

6th row: K2, [p1, k5] to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

7th row: P2, [k1, p5] to last 3 sts, k1, p2.

8th row: P.

These 8 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 55 rows. K 1 row. Cast off.

Chimney

With 3¾mm needles and Ivory, cast on 9 sts. K 1 row. Work 14 rows in mst as on back and front walls. Cast off.

Make 4 more chimney pieces.

Embroidery

Using Apple Green and stem stitch, embroider door frame on front wall as on photo. With Primrose Yellow, embroider door knob, knocker and handle with straight stitch. Mark position of windows: two on each back and front walls and one on each side wall. Using Black embroidery thread work window frames with straight



stitch for horizontal bars and back stitch for vertical bars. Embroider shutters on each side of every window in Denim Blue, working sides in stem stitch with straight stitch slats. Work 3 plants evenly spaced on lower edge of back wall, using Apple Green and back stitch for stems and Deramores Pink and lazy-daisy stitch for each flower. Embroider one plant at each side of front door on front wall in same way, followed by wall flower in Apple Green with chain stitch stem and lazy-daisy stitch leaves and lazy-daisy flower in Denim Blue. On final plant, leaves are embroidered with Apple Green and lazy-daisy stitch and flowers with Primrose Yellow and straight stitch.

To make up

Out of lining fabric and polyester wadding, cut out wall and roof shapes, using knitted pieces as templates and allowing 1cm extra along each side for seam. Tack wadding to lining pieces lightly. Join knitted walls along row-ends, then place roof on top and sew in position. Join row-ends of four chimney pieces together. Sew remaining piece to top of chimney. Stuff chimney, place on top of roof and sew in position. Join padded lining in same way as knitted cosy, then turn up hem. With wrong side on the outside, insert lining into knitted cosy and sew folded edge to cast-on edge of knitted cosy. Secure lining in position with few tacking stitches.

Comfortable Classic

This archive pattern for a man's cardigan looks super smart. Check out our original model's pipe!

INTERMEDIATE MAKE

1956



brown, beige, or a local sweater would be his choice.

Measurements

To fit chest sizes 91–97 (102–107) (112–117) cm/36–38 (40–42) (44–46) in.

Actual measurements 104 (113.5) (122) cm/41 (44¾) (48) in.

Side seam 41 (43) (44) cm/16 (17) (17¼) in.

Length to back neck 65 (68) (70) cm/25½ (26¾) (27½) in.

Sleeve seam 46 (48) (51) cm/18 (19) (20) in.

Materials

15 (17) (18) 50g (120m) balls of Rico Essentials Merino DK (100% wool) in Petrol Blue (39). Pair of 3¼mm (No. 10) and 4mm (No. 8) knitting needles. Open-ended zip fastener of appropriate length. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** The yarn can also be bought from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 818 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk

Tension

27 stitches and 35 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over textured rib slightly stretched, using 4mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **k2togb** or **p2togb**, k2tog or p2tog through back of sts; **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts together); **psso**, pass slip st over; **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size.

Note

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Back

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 141 (153) (165) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

These 2 rows form single rib.

Rib another 26 rows.

Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: [K2, p1] to end.

2nd row: K1, p1, [k2, p1] to last st, k1.

These 2 rows form textured rib pattern.

Pattern another 116 (122) (126) rows.

Shape raglan armholes: ** 1st row: Cast off 3 sts, pattern to end.

2nd row: Cast off 3 sts, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

3rd row: K2, k2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, p2togb, k2.

4th row: K1, p1, p2togb, pattern to last 4 sts, p2tog, p1, k1.

5th row: K2, p2tog, pattern to last 4 sts,

k2togb, k2. **6th row:** K1, p1, k2togb, pattern to last 4 sts, k2tog, p1, k1. **7th row:** K2, k2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

8th row: As 6th row. **

Repeat 3rd to 8th rows, 1 (2) (3) time(s) more – 111 sts.

Next row: K2, k2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, p2togb, k2. **Next row:** K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. **Next row:** K2, k2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2. **Next row:** K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. **Next row:** K2, p2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. Repeat last 6 rows, 10 times more, then work first 4 (2) (nil) of these rows again – 41 (43) (45) sts. Cast off.

Left front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 69 (75) (81) sts. Work 28 rows in single rib as on back.

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 118 (124) (128) rows in textured rib pattern as on back.

Shape raglan armhole: 1st row: Cast off 3 sts, pattern to end.

2nd row: Pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

3rd row: K2, k2tog, pattern to end.

4th row: Pattern to last 4 sts, p2tog, p1, k1.

5th row: K2, p2tog, pattern to end.

6th row: Pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, p1, k1.

7th row: K2, k2tog, pattern to end.

8th row: As 6th row.

Repeat 3rd to 8th rows, 1 (2) (3) time(s) more – 54 sts.

Next row: K2, k2tog, pattern to end.

Next row: Pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

Next row: K2, k2tog, pattern to end.

Next row: Pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

Next row: K2, p2tog, pattern to end.

Next row: Pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

*** Repeat last 6 rows, 7 (6) (6) times more, then work first 2 (4) (nil) of these rows again – 29 (31) (33) sts.

Shape neck: Continue to dec 1 st at armhole edge as before on next row and 8 (8) (9) following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 17 (18) (19) rows, working dec at outer edge when they can no longer be worked inside the border of 2 sts – 3 (4) (4) sts. Pattern 1 (nil) (1) row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next row and nil (1) (1) following alternate row – 2 sts.

Work 1 row.

K2tog and fasten off.

Right front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 69 (75) (81) sts.

Work 28 rows in single rib as on back.

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 119 (125) (129) rows in textured rib pattern as on back.

Shape raglan armhole: 1st row: Cast off 3 sts, pattern to end.

2nd row: Pattern to last 4 sts, p2togb, k2.

3rd row: K1, p1, p2togb, pattern to end.

4th row: Pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

5th row: K1, p1, k2togb, pattern to end.

6th row: Pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

7th row: K1, p1, k2togb, pattern to end.

Repeat 2nd to 7th rows, 1 (2) (3) time(s) more – 54 sts.

Next row: Pattern to last 4 sts, p2togb, k2.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to end.

Next row: Pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to end.

Next row: Pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to end.

Complete as left front from *** to end.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 63 (69) (73) sts.

Work 27 rows in single rib as on back.

Inc row: Rib 4 (7) (4), [inc in next st, rib 4] to last 4 (7) (4) sts, inc in next st, rib to end – 75 (81) (87) sts.

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 8 rows in textured rib pattern as on back. Working extra sts into pattern as they occur, inc 1 st at each end of next row and 14 following 8th rows – 105 (111) (117) sts. Pattern another 15 (21) (31) rows.

Shape top: Work as back from ** to ** – 87 (93) (99) sts.

Next row: K2, k2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, p2togb, k2. **Next row:** K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. **Next row:** K2, k2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2. **Next row:** K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. **Next row:** K2, p2tog, pattern to last 4 sts, k2togb, k2.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. Repeat last 6 rows, 11 (12) (13) times more, then work first 4 (2) (nil) of these rows again – 11 (13) (15) sts. Cast off.

Collar

Join all raglan seams. With right side facing and using 3¼mm needles, pick up and k26 (28) (30) sts up right front neck, 12 (14) (16) sts from right sleeve top, 49 (51) (53) sts across back neck, 12 (14) (16) sts from left sleeve top and 26 (28) (30) sts down left front neck – 125 (135) (145) sts.

Beginning with a 2nd row, rib 3 rows as back welt.

Next row: Sl1, p1, psso, rib to end.

Next 2 rows: Sl1, k1, psso, rib to end.

Next row: Sl1, p1, psso, rib to end.

Repeat last 4 rows, twice more.

Next row: Sl1, p1, psso, rib to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Repeat last row, 7 (9) (11) times more – 97 (103) (109) sts.

Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 6 rows, working first 2 of these 3 sts tog each time – 79 (85) (91) sts.

Cast off loosely in rib.

To make up

Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in zip.

Cable Class

Stay on trend with this vintage
'too cool for school' knit

INTERMEDIATE MAKE



Measurements

To fit chest 58 (63) (69) (74) cm/23 (25) (27) (29) in.

Actual measurements 65 (71) (76) (81) cm/25½ (28) (30) (32) in.

Side seam 25 (26.5) (28) (29.5) cm/9¾ (10½) (11) (11¾) in.

Length to shoulder 38 (41) (44) (46.5) cm/15 (16) (17¼) (18¼) in.

Sleeve seam 29.5 (31) (32.5) (34) cm/11¼ (12¼) (12¾) (13½) in.

Materials

3 (3) (4) (4) 100g hanks of June Onigbanjo double knitting wool (100% wool) in shade 8900. Pair of 3¼mm (No.10) and 4mm (No.8) knitting needles; cable needle; open-ended zip fastener of appropriate length. Yarn costs £6 per 100g hank. For more details write to: June Onigbanjo, Box 3, 19 Rooley Lane, Sowerby, West Yorkshire HX6 1JG. Call: 01422 832257, e-mail: info@britishwool.net or visit juneonigbanjo.co.uk.

Tension

22 stitches and 28 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 4mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size; **c4b**, cable 4 back (slip next 2 sts onto cable needle and leave at back, k2, then k2 from cable needle); **c4f**, cable 4 front (slip next 2 sts onto cable needle and leave at front, k2, then k2 from cable needle); **c6f**, cable 6 front (slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at front, k3, then k3 from cable needle); **c6b**, cable 6 back (slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at back, k3, then k3 from cable needle).

Note

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Back

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 74 (80) (86) (92) sts.

Work 20 rows in k1, p1 rib.

Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: K30 (33) (34) (37), p2, [k4 (4) (6) (6), p2] twice, k30 (33) (34) (37).

2nd row: P30 (33) (34) (37), k2, [p4 (4) (6) (6), k2] twice, p30 (33) (34) (37).

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K30 (33) (34) (37), p2, c4f (c4f) (c6f) (c6f), p2, c4b (c4b) (c6b) (c6b), p2, k30 (33) (34) (37).

6th row: As 2nd row.

These 6 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 48 (52) (56) (60) rows.

Shape armholes: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 4 (4) (5) (5) sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows and 2 (3) (3) (4) following alternate rows – 56 (60) (64) (68) sts.

Pattern another 27 (29) (33) (35) rows.

Shape shoulders: Cast off 5 (6) (6) (7) sts at beginning of next 4 rows and 6 sts at beginning of following 2 rows – 24 (24) (28) (28) sts. Cast off, working [k2tog] 1 (1) (2) (2) time(s) over each cable.

Left front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 38 (42) (44) (48) sts.

Work 20 rows in k1, p1 rib, increasing 1 st at centre of last row on 1st and 3rd sizes only – 39 (42) (45) (48) sts.

Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: K30 (33) (34) (37), p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k1.

2nd row: K3, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p30 (33) (34) (37).

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K30 (33) (34) (37), p2, c4b (c4b) (c6b) (c6b), p2, k1.

6th row: As 2nd row.

These 6 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 48 (52) (56) (60) rows.

Shape armhole: Cast off 4 (4) (5) (5) sts at beginning of next row. Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 3 rows and 2 (3) (3) (4) following alternate rows – 30 (32) (34) (36) sts.

Pattern another 14 (14) (18) (18) rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 7 (7) (9) (9) sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows and 2 following alternate rows – 16 (18) (18) (20) sts.

Pattern another 3 (5) (5) (7) rows.

Shape shoulder: Cast off 5 (6) (6) (7) sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row – 6 sts. Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Right front

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 38 (42) (44) (48) sts.

Work 20 rows in k1, p1 rib, increasing 1 st at centre of last row on 1st and 3rd sizes only – 39 (42) (45) (48) sts.

Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: K1, p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k30 (33) (34) (37).

2nd row: P30 (33) (34) (37), k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k3.

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K1, p2, c4f (c4f) (c6f) (c6f), p2, k30 (33) (34) (37).

6th row: As 2nd row.

These 6 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 49 (53) (57) (61) rows.

Shape armhole: Cast off 4 (4) (5) (5) sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 3 rows and 2 (3) (3) (4) following alternate rows – 30 (32) (34) (36) sts.

Pattern another 15 (15) (19) (19) rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 7 (7) (9) (9) sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows and 2 following alternate rows – 16 (18) (18) (20) sts.

Pattern another 3 (5) (5) (7) rows.

Shape shoulder: Cast off 5 (6) (6) (7) sts at beginning of next row and following alternate row – 6 sts. Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Left sleeve

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 44 (46) (50) (52) sts.

Work 20 rows in k1, p1 rib, increasing 4 sts evenly along last row – 48 (50) (54) (56) sts. Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: K20 (21) (22) (23), p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k20 (21) (22) (23).

2nd row: P20 (21) (22) (23), k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p20 (21) (22) (23).

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K20 (21) (22) (23), p2, c4b (c4b) (c6b) (c6b), p2, k20 (21) (22) (23).

6th row: As 2nd row.

These 6 rows form pattern.

**** Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 5 (6) (7) (8) following 6th (6th) (5th) (5th) rows – 60 (64) (70) (74) sts.**

Continue straight until sleeve measures 29.5 (31) (32.5) (34) cm from beginning, ending with a wrong side row.

Shape top: Cast off 4 (4) (5) (5) sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and following 4th row, then on 4 (6) (8) (10) following alternate rows – 40 sts.

Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 8 rows – 24 sts.

Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows – 18 sts. Cast off.

Right sleeve

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 44 (46) (50) (52) sts.

Work 20 rows in k1, p1 rib, increasing 4 sts evenly along last row – 48 (50) (54) (56) sts. Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: K20 (21) (22) (23), p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k20 (21) (22) (23).

2nd row: P20 (21) (22) (23), k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p20 (21) (22) (23).

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K20 (21) (22) (23), p2, c4f (c4f) (c6f)

(c6f), p2, k20 (21) (22) (23).

6th row: As 2nd row.

These 6 rows form pattern.

Work as left sleeve from ** to end.

Patch pockets

(Make 2)

With 4mm needles, cast on 26 (26) (30) (30) sts.

1st row: K1, p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k8, p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k1.

2nd row: P1, k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p8, k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p1.

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K1, p2, c4f (c4f) (c6f) (c6f), p2, k8, p2, c4b (c4b) (c6b) (c6b), p2, k1.

6th row: As 2nd row.

These 6 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 17 rows.

Next row: Pattern 4 (4) (3) (3), [p2tog, p1] 1 (1) (2) (2) time(s), pattern 5, p2tog, pattern 5, [p2tog, p1] 1 (1) (2) (2) time(s), pattern 4 (4) (3) (3) – 23 (23) (25) (25) sts.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

1st rib row: P1 (1) (nil) (nil), [k1, p1] to last nil (nil) (1) (1) st, k nil (nil) (1) (1).

2nd rib row: K1 (1) (nil) (nil), [p1, k1] to last nil (nil) (1) (1) st, p nil (nil) (1) (1).

Rib another 2 rows. Cast off in rib.

Collar

With 4mm needles cast on 78 (78) (88) (88) sts.

1st row: K1, p1, k1, [p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k8] 4 times, p2, k4 (4) (6) (6), p2, k1, p1, k1.

2nd row: K2, p1, [k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p8] 4 times, k2, p4 (4) (6) (6), k2, p1, k2.

3rd and 4th rows: As 1st and 2nd rows.

5th row: K1, p1, k1, [p2, c4f (c4f) (c6f) (c6f), p2, k8] 4 times, p2, c4f (c4f) (c6f) (c6f), p2, k1, p1, k1.

6th row: As 2nd row.

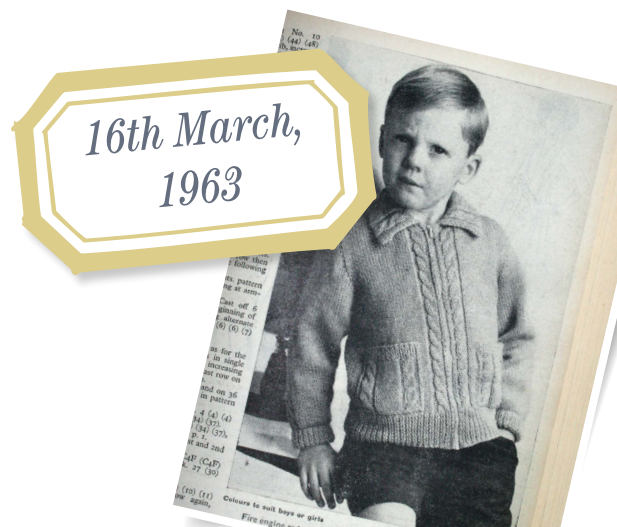
These 6 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 12 rows.

Beginning with a k row, ss 4 rows for facing. Cast off.

To make up

Join shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves, then join side and sleeve seams. Fold facing on collar to wrong side and slip stitch in position. Sew cast-on edge of collar to neck edge. Position and sew on pockets on fronts. Sew in zip.





INTERMEDIATE MAKE



24th November,
1962

...ces of Hayfield
in grey and one
pool in white and
...taneous needles :
Now working in stripe pattern as
set out, work 4 rows straight, then
inc. 1 st. at each end of the next row
and following 11 right-side rows.
The Understrap :
on 15 sts. and beginn
odd-numbered rows with
even-numbered rows with

Canine Couture

If your pooch is a bit of a diva, show the rest of the pack he has something to bark about

Measurements

28cm/11in wide and 47cm/18½in long.

Materials

2 x 50g (100m) balls of Rico Essentials Soft Merino Aran (100% wool) in Mouse Grey (095); 1 ball in each of Lemon (063) and Petrol (025). Pair of 3¾mm (No.9) and 4½mm (No.7) knitting needles; size 3.50 crochet hook; 1 button. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** You can also purchase the yarn from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 818 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk.

Tension

20 stitches and 26 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 4½mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts together); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **skpo**, slip 1, k1, pass slip st over.

Note

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Coat

With 4½mm needles and Mouse Grey, cast on 13 sts.

1st row: K4, [p1, k1] twice, p1, k4.

2nd row: Cast on 2 sts, p6, k1, [p1, k1] twice, p4.

3rd row: Cast on 2 sts, k6, [p1, k1] twice, p1, k5, work k1 and p1 in last st.

4th row: Cast on 2 sts, k1, p1, k1, p6, k1, [p1, k1] twice, p5, work p1 and k1 in last st.

5th row: Cast on 2 sts, [p1, k1, p1, k6, p1, k1] twice, work p1 and k1 in last st.

6th row: Cast on 2 sts, [p1, k1] 3 times, p6, k1, [p1, k1] twice, p6, k1, p1, work k1 and p1 in last st.

7th row: Cast on 2 sts, [k1, p1] 3 times, * k6, [p1, k1] twice, p1, repeat from * once, k twice in last st.

8th row: P2, k1, [p1, k1] twice, * p6, k1, [p1, k1] twice, repeat from * once, p twice in last st.

The last 2 rows set position of pattern.

Taking extra sts into pattern as they occur and working in stripes of 2 rows Lemon, 2 rows Mouse Grey, 2 rows Lemon, 2 rows Mouse Grey, 2 rows Lemon, 8 rows Mouse Grey, 2 rows Petrol, 2 rows Mouse Grey, 2 rows Petrol, 8 rows Mouse Grey throughout, inc 1 st at each end of next 5 rows, 4 following alternate rows and 3 following 4th rows – 55 sts.

Pattern another 55 rows.

Shape neck: Next row: Pattern 20, cast off next 15 sts, pattern to end.

Work on last set of 20 sts for left side.

Left side: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 6 rows – 14 sts. Pattern another 29 rows. Cast off.

Right side: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 20 sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 6 rows – 14 sts. Pattern another 29 rows. Cast off.

Neckband: With right side facing and using 3¾mm needles, pick up and k23 sts evenly along right side of neck, 12 sts from centre and 23 sts up left side of neck – 58 sts.

P 1 row, turn and cast on 3 sts – 61 sts.

Cast off row: * K2, skpo, slip these 3 sts back on to left needle, repeat from * until 3 sts remain, slip these sts back on to left needle

and cast them off.

Edging: With right side facing and using 3¾mm needles, pick up and k64 sts evenly along straight outside edge of left side, 26 sts along shaped edge, 8 sts from cast-on edge, 26 sts along shaped edge of right side and 64 sts along straight edge – 188 sts. P 1 row, turn and cast on 3 sts – 191 sts.

Cast off row: * K2, skpo, slip these 3 sts back on to left needle, repeat from * until 3 sts remain, slip these sts back on to left needle and cast them off.

Strap

With 4½mm needles and Mouse Grey, cast on 13 sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat these 2 rows, 30 times more.

Cast off in rib.

To make up

Work vertical stripes as follows: With right side facing and using 3.50 hook, attach Lemon to first p st at right side of coat. With yarn at back, insert hook in first p st, catch yarn at back and pull through to front, [insert hook in next p st above, yarn round hook and pull through the p st and loop on hook] to end. Fasten off. Attach Lemon to next p st and work vertical stripe in chain st as before. Work 1 more vertical stripe in Lemon. Using Petrol, work vertical stripes over next group of 3 p sts as before. Continue working vertical stripes in chain stitches over each group of 3 p sts, using Lemon and Petrol alternately. Join cast off edges together. Sew button to one end of strap and attach other end to left side of coat. Make button loop on right side of coat.





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MAN'S FAIRISLE SLIPOVER

Measurements

To fit sizes 97 (102) (107) (112) (117) (122) (126) cm/38 (40) (42) (44) (46) (48) (50) in.

Actual measurements 102 (107) (113) (118) (124) (129) (135) cm/40 (42) (44½) (46½) (48¾) (50¾) (53) in.

Side seam 36 (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) cm/14 (14½) (15) (15½) (15¾) (16) (16½) in.

Length to shoulder 62 (63) (65) (66) (68) (69) (71) cm/24½ (24¾) (25½) (26) (26¾) (27¼) (28) in.

Materials

4 (4) (4) (5) (5) (5) 50g (180m) balls of King Cole Merino Blend 4 ply (100% wool) in Petrol (926); 3 (3) (3) (4) (4) (4) (4) balls in Fudge (929). Pair of 2¾mm (No.12) and 3¼mm (No.10) knitting needles. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.**

For other yarn stockists, call King Cole Ltd on 01535 650 230 or visit kingcole.co.uk.

Tension

32 stitches and 30 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over colour pattern, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **nil**, meaning nothing is work here for this size

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back

With 2¾mm needles and Petrol, cast on 127 (133) (141) (147) (155) (161) (169) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rib another 35 rows.

Inc row: Rib 2 (1) (2) (1) (2) (1) (2), inc in next st, rib 2, [inc in next st, rib 3, inc in next st, rib 2] to last 3 sts, inc in next st, rib 2 – 163 (171) (181) (189) (199) (207) (217) sts.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Stranding yarn not in use loosely across wrong side and reading chart (see page 62) from right to left on right side (k) rows and from left to right on wrong side (p) rows, work colour pattern from chart thus:

1st row: K9 (13) (nil) (4) (9) (13) (nil) edge



sts of 1st row of chart, k across 36-st pattern repeat 4 (4) (5) (5) (5) (6) times, k10 (14) (1) (5) (10) (14) (1) edge st(s).

2nd row: P10 (14) (1) (5) (10) (14) (1) edge st(s) of 2nd row of chart, p across 36-st pattern repeat 4 (4) (5) (5) (5) (6) times, p9 (13) (nil) (4) (9) (13) (nil) edge sts. Continue working colour pattern from chart as set until back measures 36 (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) cm from beginning, ending with a wrong side row. **

Shape armholes: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 9 (9) (9) (9) (11) (11) (11) sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 (7) (9) (9) (9) (11) (13) rows and 8 (8) (8) (10) (10) (10) (10) following alternate rows – 119 (123) (129) (133) (139) (143) (149) sts.

Continue straight until armholes measure 26 (26) (27) (27) (28) (28) (29) cm, ending with a wrong side row.

Shape shoulders: Next row: Cast off 34 (35) (37) (39) (41) (42) (44) sts, pattern to last 34 (35) (37) (39) (41) (42) (44) sts, cast off last 34 (35) (37) (39) (41) (42) (44) sts. Leave remaining 51 (53) (55) (55) (57) (59) (61) sts on a st holder.

Front

Work as back to **.

Shape armholes and neck: Next row: Cast off 9 (9) (9) (9) (11) (11) (11) sts, pattern 71 (75) (80) (84) (87) (91) (96) sts more, turn and work on these 72 (76) (81) (85) (88) (92) (97) sts for left side.

Left side: Pattern 1 row. Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 5 (7) (9) (9) (9) (11) (13) rows and 8 (8) (8) (10) (10) (10) (10) following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and 10 (11) (12) (14) (14) (15) (16) following alternate rows – 48 (49) (51) (51) (54) (55) (57) sts.

Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and 3 (3) (3) (1) (2) (2) (2) following alternate row(s), then on 10 following 4th rows – 34 (35) (37) (39) (41) (42) (44) sts.

Continue straight until front measures same as back to shoulder shaping, ending with a wrong side row. Cast off.

Right side: With right side facing, slip centre st on to safety-pin, rejoin yarn to remaining sts, and pattern to end – 81 (85) (90) (94) (99) (103) (108) sts.

Cast off 9 (9) (9) (9) (11) (11) (11) sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 5 (7) (9) (9) (9) (11) (13) rows and 8 (8) (8) (10) (10) (10) (10) following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and 10 (11) (12) (14) (14) (15) (16) following alternate rows – 48 (49) (51) (51) (54) (55) (57) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and 3 (3) (3) (1) (2) (2) (2) following alternate row(s), then on 10 following 4th rows – 34 (35) (37) (39) (41) (42) (44) sts.

Continue straight until front measures same as back to shoulder shaping, ending with a wrong side row. Cast off.

Neckband

Join right shoulder seam. With right side facing, using 2¾mm needles and Petrol, pick up and k62 (62) (64) (64) (66) (66) (68) sts down left front neck, k centre st and mark this st, pick up and k62 (62) (64) (64) (66) (66) (68) sts up right front neck, then k51 (53) (55) (55) (57) (59) (61) sts across back neck decreasing 1 st at centre – 175 (177) (183) (183) (189) (191) (197) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to within 1 st of marked st, bring yarn to front, insert right needle pwise through back of 2nd st then through front of 1st st, slipping both sts off left needle, p1, pass 2 slipped sts over p st just worked, k1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: [P1, k1] to within 1 st of marked st, insert right needle kwise through front of 2nd st then 1st st, slipping both sts off left needle, k1, pass 2 slipped sts over k st just worked, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more, then work 1st row again. Cast off in rib, decreasing at centre front as before.

Armbands

(both alike)

Join left shoulder and neckband seam.

With right side facing, using 2¾mm needles and Petrol, pick up and k157 (159) (163) (165) (169) (173) (175) sts evenly around armhole edge.

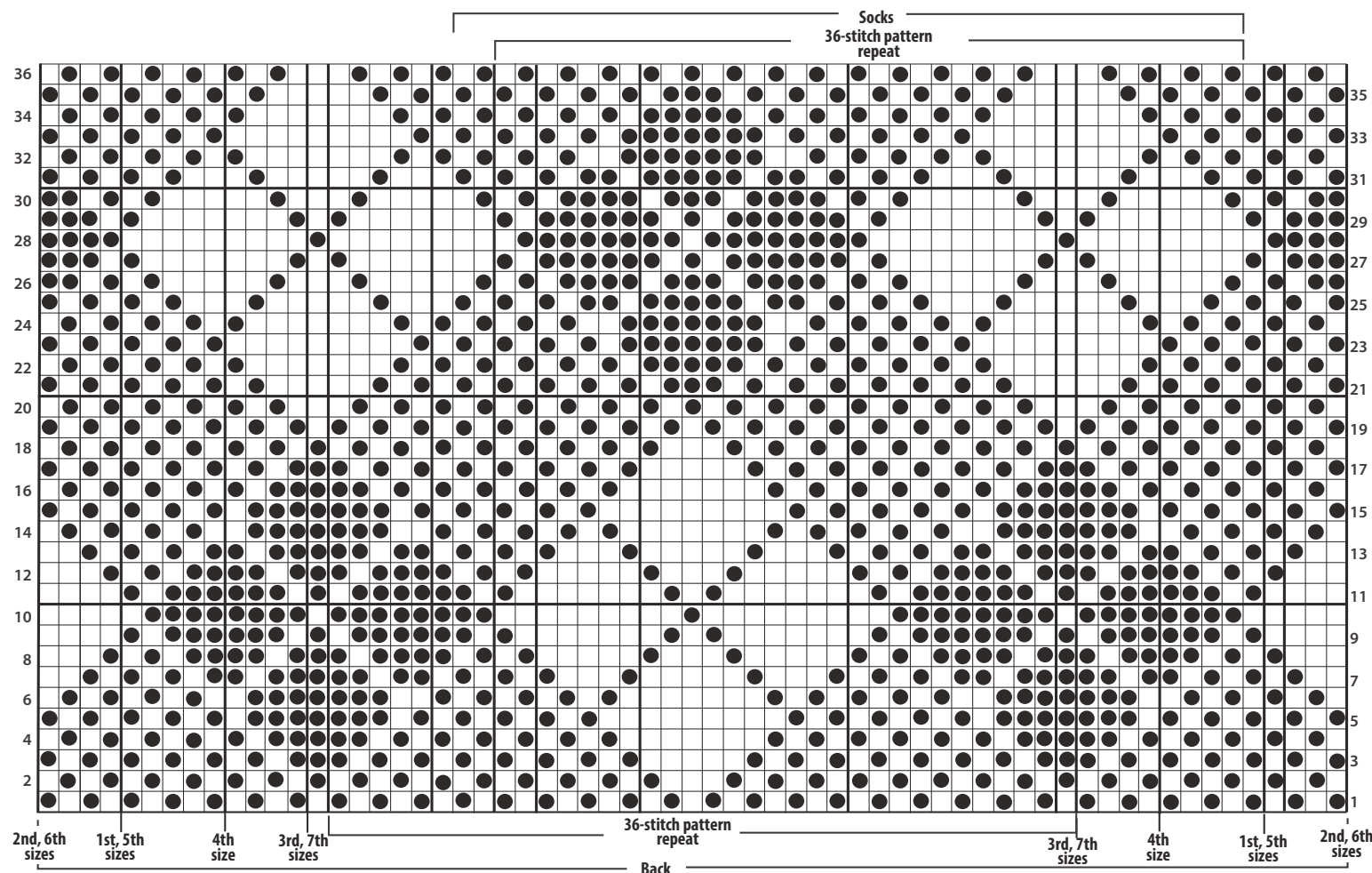
1st rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

2nd rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Rib another 5 rows. Cast off in rib.

To make up

Pin out garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry. Join side and armband seams.



MAN'S SOCKS

Measurements

To fit an average man's foot.

Length of foot from toe to back heel
26cm/10¼in.

Materials

2 x 50g (180m) balls of King Cole Merino Blend 4 ply (100% wool) in Silver (36); 1 ball in Petrol (926). Pair of 2¼mm (No.12) and 3¼mm (No.10) knitting needles. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.**

For other yarn stockists, call King Cole Ltd on 01535 650 230 or visit kingcole.co.uk.

Tension

32 stitches and 30 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over

colour pattern, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **p2togb**, p2tog through back loops; **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **skpo**, sl1, k1, pass sl st over; **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **wrap 1**, slip next st onto right hand needle, take yarn between needles to opposite side of work, place the slipped st back on to left hand needle.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

KEY FOR CHART

Slipover ☐ Fudge ☒ Petrol

Socks ☐ Petrol ☒ Silver

then k2tog, k17 across first set of 19 sts – 36 sts. Beginning with a p row, ss 29 rows.

Next row: Sl1, k22, k2tog, k1, wrap 1, turn.

Next row: Sl1, p11, p2tog, p1, wrap 1, turn.

Next row: Sl1, k12, k2tog, k1, wrap 1, turn.

Next row: Sl1, p13, p2tog, p1, wrap 1, turn. Continue in this way, working 1 st more before the dec on next 6 rows.

Next row: Sl1, k20, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Sl1, p21, p2tog, p1 – 24 sts.

Break off the yarn and with right side facing, rejoin yarn to first row of heel, then pick up and k18 sts along row-ends of first side of heel, k24 heel sts, pick up and k18 sts along other row-ends of heel – 60 sts. P 1 row.

Next row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: P1, p2tog, p to last 3 sts, p2togb, p1. Repeat last 2 rows, 5 times more – 36 sts.

Ss another 46 rows.

Shape toe: **Next row:** K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 10 times more – 14 sts.

Place both set of toe sts with right sides together, and taking 1 st from each side and working them tog, cast off toe sts.

To make up

Join the back leg seam and the sides on foot. Pin out socks to the measurements given. Cover with a damp cloth and leave until dry.

To make

With 2¼mm needles and Silver, cast on 74 sts.

Work 40 rows in k1, p1 rib.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Stranding yarn not in use loosely across wrong side and reading chart (above) from right to left on right side (k) rows and from left to right on wrong side (p) rows, work colour pattern from chart thus:

1st row: [K across 36-st pattern repeat of 1st row of chart] twice, k2 edge sts.

2nd row: P2 edge sts of 2nd row of chart, [p across 36-st pattern repeat] twice.

Continue working colour pattern from chart as

set until 72 rows in all have been worked. Break off yarns.

Work instep: With right side facing, sl first 19 sts on to st holder, rejoin yarns and inc in first st, pattern 34, inc in next st, turn and leave remaining 19 sts on a st holder – 38 sts. Pattern 53 rows, dec 1 st at each end of last row – 36 sts.

Continue in Silver only.

Shape toe: **Next row:** K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 10 times more – 14 sts.

Leave these sts on a st holder.

Shape heel: With right side facing, rejoin Silver at inside edge of second set of 19 sts, k17, k2tog,

INTERMEDIATE MAKE

Class Cut

This delicate knit dates back to 1923, the current decade of 'Downton Abbey chic' that has been reworked with today's yarn



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Measurements

To fit bust sizes 81 (86) (91) (97) (102) (107) cm/32 (34) (36) (38) (40) (42) in.

Actual measurements 91 (98) (105) (111.5) (115) (118) cm/36 (38½) (41¼) (44) (45¼) (46½) in.

Side seam All sizes 43cm/17in.

Length to back neck 61 (62.5) (64) (66) (67.5) (69) cm/24 (24½) (25¼) (26) (26½) (27) in.

Sleeve seam All sizes 10cm/4in.

Materials

Pair of 3¼mm (No. 10) knitting needles. Yeoman yarn pack, which contains 600g of Yeoman Panama 4-ply (50% cotton, 50% acrylic). Yeoman yarn pack cost £17.50, including p&p. We used Turquoise (213), but the yarn is also available in 29 other colours. For more yarn details, or free shade card, write to: Yeoman Yarns Ltd, 36 Churchill Way, Fleckney, Leicester LE8 8UD. Call 0116 240 4464, e-mail sales@yeomanyarns.co.uk or visit yeoman-yarns.co.uk.

Tension

24 stitches and 50 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **mst**, moss st; **up1**, pick up loop lying between needles and k into this loop to form eyelet; **skpo**, slip 1, k1, pass slip st over; **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size.

Note

Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back, fronts and sleeves

(knitted in one piece)

Back: With 3¼mm needles, cast on 111 (119) (127) (135) (139) (143) sts.

Mst row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Mst another 39 rows, working 2 st tog at centre of last row – 110 (118) (126) (134) (138) (142) sts.

Work pattern. **1st row:** K.

2nd row: P.

3rd row: K1, [skpo] to last st, k1.

4th row: K1, [up1, k1] to last 2 sts, up1, k2.

5th row: K.

6th row: P.

7th row: K1, [k2tog] to last st, k1.

8th row: K2, [up1, k1] to end.

These 8 rows form pattern. Pattern another 168 rows.

Shape sleeves: 1st row: Cast on 24 sts, for mst k1, [p1, k1] 6 times, k to end.

2nd row: Cast on 24 sts, for mst k1, [p1, k1] 6 times, p to last 13 sts, k1, [p1, k1] to end – 158

(166) (174) (182) (186) (190) sts.

3rd row: Mst 13, [skpo] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

4th row: Mst 13, [up1, k1] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

5th row: Mst 13, k to last 13 sts, mst 13.

6th row: Mst 13, p to last 13 sts, mst 13.

7th row: Mst 13, [k2tog] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

8th row: Mst 13, [k1, up1] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

9th row: Mst 13, k to last 13 sts, mst 13.

10th row: As 6th row.

Repeat 3rd to 10th rows, 8 (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) times more, decreasing 1 st at centre of last row – 157 (165) (173) (181) (185) (189) sts.

Shape back neck: 1st row: Mst 13, [skpo] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, for mst k1, [p1, k1] 21 (21) (21) (23) (23) (23) times, [skpo] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 13.

2nd row: Mst 13, [up1, k1] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 43 (43) (43) (47) (47) (47), [up1, k1] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 13.

3rd row: Mst 13, k44 (48) (52) (54) (56) (58), mst 43 (43) (43) (47) (47) (47), k to last 13 sts, mst 13.

4th row: Mst 13, p44 (48) (52) (54) (56) (58), mst 43 (43) (43) (47) (47) (47), p to last 13 sts, mst 13.

5th row: Mst 13, [k2tog] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 43 (43) (43) (47) (47) (47), [k2tog] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 13.

6th row: Mst 13, [k1, up1] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 43 (43) (43) (47) (47) (47), [k1, up1] 22 (24) (26) (27) (28) (29) times, mst 13.

7th row: As 3rd row.

8th row: As 4th row.

Work 1st to 6th rows again.

Next row: Mst 13, k44 (48) (52) (54) (56) (58), mst 9, cast off in mst next 25 (25) (25) (29) (29) (29) sts, mst 8 sts more, k to last 13 sts, mst 13. Work on last set of 66 (70) (74) (76) (78) (80) sts for left front.

Left front: 1st row (wrong side): Mst 13, p to last 9 sts, mst 9.

2nd row: Mst 9, [skpo] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

3rd row: Mst 13, [up1, k1] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

4th row: Mst 9, k to last 13 sts, mst 13.

5th row: As 1st row.

6th row: Mst 9, [k2tog] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

7th row: Mst 13, [k1, up1] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

8th row: As 4th row.

Repeat 1st to 8th rows, 1 (1) (1) (nil) (nil) (nil) time more, then work 1st row again.

Shape front: 1st row: Mst 9, [skpo] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

2nd row: Mst 13, [up1, k1] to last 9 sts, up1, mst 9.

3rd row: Mst 9, k to last 13 sts, mst 13.

4th row: Mst 13, p to last 9 sts, mst 9.

5th row: Mst 9, k1, [k2tog] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

6th row: Mst 13, [k1, up1] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

7th row: As 3rd row.

8th row: As 4th row.

Repeat last 8 rows, 7 (8) (9) (11) (12) (13) times more, then work 1st to 7th rows again – 84 (90) (96) (102) (106) (110) sts.

Shape for sleeve: 1st row: Cast off 24, p to last 9 sts, mst 9 – 60 (66) (72) (78) (82) (86) sts.

2nd row: Mst 9, [skpo] to last st, k1.

3rd row: [K1, up1] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

4th row: Mst 9, k to end.

5th row: P to last 9 sts, mst 9.

6th row: Mst 9, k1, [k2tog] to last st, k1.

7th row: K2, [up1, k1] to last 9 sts, up1, mst 9.

8th row: As 4th row.

9th row: As 5th row.

Repeat 2nd to 9th rows, 21 times more, increasing 1 st at centre of last row – 105 (111) (117) (123) (127) (131) sts.

Work 40 rows in mst across all sts.

Cast off in mst.

Right front: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 66 (70) (74) (76) (78) (80) sts.

1st row (wrong side): Mst 9, p to last 13 sts, mst 13.

2nd row: Mst 13, [skpo] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

3rd row: Mst 9, [up1, k1] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

4th row: Mst 13, k to last 9 sts, mst 9.

5th row: As 1st row.

6th row: Mst 13, [k2tog] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

7th row: Mst 9, [k1, up1] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

8th row: As 4th row.

Repeat 1st to 8th rows, 1 (1) (1) (nil) (nil) (nil) time more, then work 1st row again.

Shape front: 1st row: Mst 13, [skpo] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

2nd row: Mst 9, [up1, k1] to last 13 sts, up1, mst 13.

3rd row: Mst 13, k to last 9 sts, mst 9.

4th row: Mst 9, p to last 13 sts, mst 13.

5th row: Mst 13, [k2tog] to last 10 sts, k1, mst 9.

6th row: Mst 9, [k1, up1] to last 13 sts, mst 13.

7th row: As 3rd row.

8th row: As 4th row.

Repeat last 8 rows, 7 (8) (9) (11) (12) (13) times more, then work 1st to 6th rows again – 84 (90) (96) (102) (106) (110) sts.

Shape for sleeve: 1st row: Cast off 24, k to last 9 sts, mst 9 – 60 (66) (72) (78) (82) (86) sts.

2nd row: Mst 9, p to end.

3rd row: K1, [skpo] to last 9 sts, mst 9.

4th row: Mst 9, [up1, k1] to end.

5th row: K to last 9 sts, mst 9.

6th row: Mst 9, p to end.

7th row: K1, [k2tog] to last 10 sts, k1, mst 9.

8th row: Mst 9, k1 [up1, k1] to end.

9th row: As 5th row.

Repeat 2nd to 9th rows, 21 times more, then work 2nd row again, increasing 1 st at centre of last row – 105 (111) (117) (123) (127) (131) sts.

Work 40 rows in mst across all sts.

Cast off in mst.

Belts

Left front belt: With 3¼mm needles, cast on 17 sts.

Work in mst as on back until belt measures 45cm. Cast off in mst.

Right front belt: With 3¼mm needles, cast on 17 sts.

Work in mst as on back until belt measures 95cm.

Cast off in mst.

To make up

Join underarm and side seams, leaving a 4cm opening in right side seam on mst band for belt. Sew belts to fronts in line with opening.

Sock It To Me

INTERMEDIATE MAKE

Making good use of our archive patterns, we discovered this pair of smart socks that will set a chic stride on the streets



*24th December,
1966*

Measurements

Fits 6 to 8 shoe size.

Length from top of ribbing to base of heel 71cm/28in.

Materials

4 x 50g (180m) balls of King Cole Merino Blend 4 ply (100% wool) in Aran (46). Pair of 2¼mm (No. 13), 2¾mm (No. 12), 3mm (No. 11), 3¼mm (No. 10) and 3¾mm (No. 9) knitting needles. You can buy this yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call King Cole on 01535 650 230 or visit kingcole.co.uk.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3¼mm needles. 20 stitches and 38 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over lace pattern on 3¾mm needles. 30 stitches and 50 rows to 10 x 10cm over pattern on 2¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **psso**, pass sl st over; **skpo**, (sl1, k1, psso); **dec**, decrease, (by taking 2 sts tog); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

To make

With 3¾mm needles, cast on 75 sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 17 times more, then work 1st rib row again.

Dec row: Rib 3, [work 2tog, rib 4] to end – 63 sts.

1st row: K5, [yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k7] 5 times, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k5.

2nd row and every alternate row: P.

3rd row: K3, [k2tog, yf, k3, yf, skpo, k3] 6 times.

5th row: K2, [k2tog, yf, k1, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k1] 5 times, k2tog, yf, k1, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k2.

7th row: K1, k2tog, yf, k1, [yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k1, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1] 5 times, yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k1.

9th row: K3, [yf, skpo, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k2tog, yf, k3] 6 times.

11th row: K4, [yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k5] 5 times, yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k4.

12th row: P.

These 12 rows form pattern. Pattern another 24 rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles and pattern another 48 rows.

Change to 3mm needles and pattern another 48 rows.

Change to 2¾mm needles and pattern another 60 rows.

Change to 2¼mm needles and pattern another 60 rows.

Break off yarn.

Dividing row: With right side facing, slip first 16 sts on to st holder, rejoin yarn to remaining sts and k twice in first st, k8, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k7, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k8, k twice in next st, turn and work on these 33 sts only for instep.

Instep: 1st row and every alternate row (wrong side): P.

2nd row: K3, [yf, skpo, k3, k2tog, yf, k3] 3 times.

4th row: K1, k2tog, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k1, [k2tog, yf, k1, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k1] twice, k2tog, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k1.

6th row: K2, k2tog, yf, k1, [yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k1, k2tog, yf, k1] twice, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k1, yf, skpo, k2.

8th row: K1, [k2tog, yf] twice, k3, [yf, skpo, yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k2tog, yf, k3] twice, [yf, skpo] twice, k1.

10th row: K2, [k2tog, yf, k5, yf, skpo, k1] twice, k2tog, yf, k5, yf, skpo, k2.

12th row: K1, k2tog, yf, k7, [yf, sl1, k2tog, psso, yf, k7] twice, yf, skpo, k1.

Repeat last 12 rows, 6 times more.

P 1 row, dec 1 st at centre of last row – 32 sts.

Shape for toes: Dec row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Ss 3 rows.

Repeat last 4 rows, once more – 28 sts.

Work dec row again. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 4 times more, then work

dec row again – 16 sts.

Leave these sts on a spare needle.

Heel and sole: 1st row: With right side facing, rejoin yarn at end of dividing row, k twice in first st, k14, then k last st tog with first 2 sts on st holder at side edge, k13, k twice in last st – 32 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 25 rows.

Shape heel: 1st row: K20, skpo, k1, turn.

2nd row: P11, p2tog, p1, turn.

3rd row: K12, skpo, k1, turn.

4th row: P13, p2tog, p1, turn.

5th row: K14, skpo, k1, turn.

6th row: P15, p2tog, p1, turn.

7th row: K16, skpo, k1, turn.

8th row: P17, p2tog, p1, turn.

9th row: K18, skpo, k1, turn.

10th row: P19, p2tog, p1 – 22 sts.

Break off yarn.

Shape instep: With right side facing, rejoin yarn at base of heel, pick up and k15 sts along row-ends of heel, k22 heel sts, then pick up and k15 sts along other row-ends of heel – 52 sts.

P 1 row.

Dec row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Repeat last 2 rows, 9 times more – 32 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss another 61 rows.

Shape for toes: Dec row: K1, skpo, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Ss 3 rows.

Repeat last 4 rows, once more – 28 sts.

Work dec row again. P 1 row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 4 times more, then work dec row again – 16 sts.

With right sides of instep and sole together and taking 1 st from each needle and working them tog, cast off toe sts together. Taking 1 st into the seam, join side seams of foot, then back seam of leg.



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Young Ones

Keep the kids cosy in the cold
weather in cute retro knits

INTERMEDIATE MAKE

Measurements

To fit chest 61 (66) (71) (76) (81) cm/24 (26) (28) (30) (32) in.

Actual measurements 69 (75) (80) (86) (91) cm/27¼ (29½) (31½) (34) (36) in.

Side seam 24.5 (26) (28.5) (31) (33) cm/9¾ (10¼) (11¼) (12¼) (13) in.

Length to back neck 40 (43) (46) (50) (54) cm/15¾ (17) (18) (19½) (21¼) in.

Sleeve seam 28 (30) (32) (34) (36) cm/11 (11¾) (12½) (13¼) (14) in.

Materials

3 (3) (4) (4) (5) 100g hanks of June Onigbanjo Aran in Jeans. Pair of 4mm (No.8) and 5mm (No.6) knitting needles. Yarn costs £6 per 100g hank. For more yarn details, write to: June Onigbanjo, Box 3, 19 Rooley Lane, Sowerby, West Yorkshire HX6 1JG. Call 01422 832257, e-mail: info@britishwool.net or visit juneonigbanjo.co.uk.

Tension

18 stitches and 26 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 5mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **inc**, increase (by working twice in same st); **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **psso**, pass slip st over; **skpo**, (slip 1, k1, psso); **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size.

Note

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Back

With 4mm needles, cast on 62 (68) (72) (78) (82) sts.

1st rib row: K2 (1) (1) (nil) (2), [p2, k2] to last 4 (3) (3) (2) (4) sts, p2, k2 (1) (1) (nil) (2).

2nd rib row: P2 (1) (1) (nil) (2), [k2, p2] to last 4 (3) (3) (2) (4) sts, k2, p2 (1) (1) (nil) (2). Rib another 8 rows.

Change to 5mm needles.

1st row: K2 (1) (1) (nil) (2), [p2, k2] to last 4 (3) (3) (2) (4) sts, p2, k2 (1) (1) (nil) (2).

2nd row: K.

These 2 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 52 (56) (62) (68) (74) rows.

Shape raglan armholes:

1st and 3rd sizes only: Dec row: P1, skpo, pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, p1.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

Next row: P1, k1, pattern to last 2 sts, k1, p1.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1.

All sizes: Dec row: P1, skpo, pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, p1.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. **

Repeat last 2 rows, 17 (21) (20) (24) (26) times more – 24 (24) (28) (28) (28) sts.

Leave these sts on a st holder.

Front

Work as back to ** – 58 (66) (68) (76) (80) sts.

Repeat last 2 rows, 11 (15) (14) (18) (20) times more – 36 (36) (40) (40) (40) sts.

Shape neck: Next row: P1, skpo, pattern 7, work 2tog, turn and work on these 10 sts only for left side.

Left side: Next row: Pattern to last 2 sts, p1, k1. **Next row:** P1, skpo, pattern to last 2 sts, work 2tog.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 4 sts.

Next row: Pattern 2, p1, k1.

Next row: P1, sl1, k2tog, psso – 2 sts.

Next row: P1, k1.

Work 2tog and fasten off.

Right side: With right side facing, slip centre 12 (12) (16) (16) (16) sts onto a st holder, rejoin yarn to remaining sts, work 2tog, pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, p1 – 10 sts.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern to end.

Next row: Work 2tog, pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, p1.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more – 4 sts.

Next row: K1, p1, pattern 2.

Next row: K3tog, p1 – 2 sts.

Next row: K1, p1.

Work 2tog and fasten off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 4mm needles, cast on 34 (36) (40) (42) (46) sts.

1st rib row: K2 (nil) (1) (2) (nil), p2 (1) (2) (2) (2), k2, [p2, k2] to last 4 (1) (3) (4) (2) sts, p2 (1) (2) (2) (2), k2 (nil) (1) (2) (nil).

2nd rib row: P2 (nil) (1) (2) (nil), k2 (1) (2) (2) (2), p2, [k2, p2] to last 4 (1) (3) (4) (2) sts, k2 (1) (2) (2) (2), p2 (nil) (1) (2) (nil).

Rib another 8 rows.

Change to 5mm needles.

1st row: K2 (nil) (1) (2) (nil), p2 (1) (2) (2) (2), k2, [p2, k2] to last 4 (1) (3) (4) (2) sts, p2 (1) (2) (2) (2), k2 (nil) (1) (2) (nil).

2nd row: K.

These 2 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 4 rows.

Working extra sts into pattern as they occur, inc 1 st at each end of next row and 8 following 6th (6th) (7th) (8th) (8th) rows – 52 (54) (58) (60) (64) sts.

Pattern another 7 (13) (9) (7) (13) rows.

Shape raglan top: 1st dec row: P2, skpo, pattern to last 4 sts, k2tog, p2.

Next row: K2, p1, pattern to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

Next row: P2, k1, pattern to last 3 sts, k1, p2.

Next row: K2, p1, pattern to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

Repeat last 4 rows, nil (1) (nil) (1) (1) time more.

2nd dec row: P2, skpo, pattern to last 4 sts, k2tog, p2.

Next row: K2, p1, pattern to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

Repeat last 2 rows, 17 (17) (20) (20) (22)

times more – 14 sts. Leave these sts on a st holder.

Collar

Taking half of st into seam, join both front and right back raglan seams.

With right side facing and using 4mm needles, [p2, k2] 3 times, p2tog across left sleeve sts, pick up and k10 sts down left front neck, k1, [p2, k2] 2 (2) (3) (3) (3) times, p2, k1 across sts at centre front edge, pick up and k10 sts up right front neck, p2tog, [k2, p2] twice, k2, p1 across sts of right sleeve, p2tog last st of sleeve and first st of back neck, [k2, p2] 5 (5) (6) (6) (6) times, k2, p1 across back neck sts – 81 (81) (89) (89) (89) sts.

1st row: P to end.

2nd row: P2, [k2, p2] to last 3 sts, k2, p1.

These 2 rows form pattern. Pattern another 4 rows.

Change to 5mm needles.

Pattern another 16 rows. Cast off.

To make up

Taking half of st into seam, join remaining left back raglan seam and collar, reversing seam half way up on collar for turn back. Join side and sleeve seams.

2nd December,
1961



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INTERMEDIATE MAKE



Retro Classic

You can never have too many cardigans
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1945



Measurements

To fit sizes 81 (86) (91) (97) (102) (107) cm/32 (34) (36) (38) (40) (42) in.

Actual measurements 86 (90) (96) (100) (106) (110) cm/34 (35½) (37¾) (39½) (41¾) (43¼) in.

Side seam 30 (30.5) (32) (32.5) (34) (34.5) cm/11¾ (12) (12½) (12¾) (13¼) (13½) in.

Length to shoulder 46.5 (48.5) (50.5) (51.5) (53.5) (54) cm/18¼ (19) (19¾) (20¼) (21) (21¼) in.

Sleeve seam All sizes 14cm/5½in.

Materials

6 (6) (7) (7) (7) (7) 50g (170m) balls of Sublime Baby Cashmere Merino Silk 4 ply (75% wool, 20% silk, 5% cashmere). Pair of 2¾mm (No. 12) and 3¼mm (No. 10) knitting needles; 6 buttons. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **kfb**, k into front and back of next st; **kfbf**, k into front, back and front of next st; **pfb**, p into front and back of next st; **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size.

Note

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Back

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 99 (103) (111) (115) (123) (127) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rib another 32 (32) (34) (34) (36) (36) rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Next row: [Kfb] 3 times, * kfbf, [kfb] 3 times, repeat from * to end – 222 (231) (249) (258) (276) (285) sts. Beginning with a p row, ss 8 rows.

Change to 2¾mm needles.

Next row: [P2tog] 3 times, * p3tog, [p2tog] 3 times, repeat from * to end – 99 (103) (111) (115) (123) (127) sts.

Next row: K7 (5) (9) (7) (11) (9), [kfb, k3] to last 8 (6) (10) (8) (12) (10) sts, inc in next st, k to end – 121 (127) (135) (141) (149) (155) sts.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a p row, ss 67 (69) (71) (73) (75) (77) rows.

Shape armholes: Cast off 5 (6) (6) (7) (8) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next 9 (9) (11) (11) (13) (13) rows and 4 following alternate rows – 85 (89) (93) (97) (101) (105) sts. Ss another 41 (45) (45) (47) (47) (49) rows.

Shape shoulders: Cast off 6 (6) (7) (7) (8) sts at

beginning of next 6 rows and 6 (7) (6) (7) (9) (7) sts at beginning of following 2 rows – 37 (39) (39) (41) (41) (43) sts. Cast off.

Left front

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 58 (60) (64) (66) (70) (72) sts.

1st rib row: [K1, p1] to last 8 sts, k8 for front border.

2nd rib row: K9, p1, [k1, p1] to end.

Work another 31 (31) (33) (33) (35) (35) rows as set.

Next row: K9, rib 3 (5) (5) (7) (7) (9) and leave these 12 (14) (14) (16) (16) (18) sts on a st holder, cast off next 8 sts, rib to end – 38 (38) (42) (42) (46) (46) sts. Change to 3¼mm needles.

Next row: * [Kfb] 3 times, kfbf, repeat from * to last 2 sts, [kfb] twice – 85 (85) (94) (94) (103) (103) sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 8 rows.

Change to 2¾mm needles.

Next row: [P2tog] twice, * p3tog, [p2tog] 3 times, repeat from * to end – 38 (38) (42) (42) (46) (46) sts.

**** Next row:** K4 (3) (2) (4) (2) (2), [kfb, k6 (4) (5) (3) (4) (3)] to last 6 (5) (4) (6) (4) (4) sts, kfb, k to end – 43 (45) (49) (51) (55) (57) sts.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a p row, ss 67 (69) (71) (73) (75) (77) rows – ss 68 (70) (72) (74) (76) (78) rows here on right front.

Shape armhole: Cast off 5 (6) (6) (7) (8) sts at beginning of next row.

P 1 row – omit this row on right front.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 9 (9) (11) (11) (13) (13) rows and 4 following alternate rows – 25 (26) (28) (29) (31) (32) sts.

Ss another 41 (45) (45) (47) (47) (49) rows – ss 42 (46) (46) (48) (48) (50) rows here on right front.

Shape shoulders: Cast off 6 (6) (7) (7) (8) sts at beginning of next row and 2 following alternate rows – 7 (8) (7) (8) (10) (8) sts.

Work 1 row. Cast off.

Ruched panel: With right side facing and using 3¼mm needles, pick up and k146 (152) (156) (160) (164) (168) sts along front edge of front. **

Next row: [Pfb] to last 18 sts, p18 – 274 (286) (294) (302) (310) (318) sts.

Shape neck: Continue in ss. Cast off 8 sts at beginning of next row. Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 6 rows – 260 (272) (280) (288) (296) (304) sts. Change to 2¾mm needles.

Working 2 sts together, cast off all sts.

Front panel and front border: With 3¼mm needles, rejoin yarn at inside edge to sts on holder, kfb, k1 (2) (2) (3) (3) (4), kfb, k nil (1) (1) (2) (2) (3), p1, k8 – 14 (16) (16) (18) (18) (20) sts.

Next row: K9, p to end.

Next row: K to last 9 sts, p1, k8.

Work another 108 (112) (116) (120) (124) (128) rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 9 (9) (9) (11) (11) (11) sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 (5) (5) (5) (5) (7) rows. P2tog and fasten off.

Right front

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 58 (60) (64) (66) (70) (72) sts.

1st rib row: K8 for front border, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to last 9 sts, k9.

Work 10 (4) (10) (4) (8) (4) rows.

Buttonhole row: K4, cast off 3, work to end.

Next row: Work to last 4 sts, cast on 3, k to end.

Work another 20 (26) (22) (28) (24) (30) rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Next row: K8, p1, k nil (1) (1) (2) (2) (3), kfb, k1 (2) (2) (3) (4), kfb and leave these 14 (16) (16) (18) (18) (20) sts on a st holder, cast off next 8 sts – 1 st on needle, kfbf, * kfbf, [kfb] 3 times, repeat from * to end – 85 (85) (94) (94) (103) (103) sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 8 rows.

Change to 2¾mm needles.

Next row: * [P2tog] 3 times, p3tog, repeat from * to last 4 sts, [p2tog] twice – 38 (38) (42) (42) (46) (46) sts.

Work as left front from ** to **, noting variations.

Next row: P18, [pfb] to end – 274 (286) (294) (302) (310) (318) sts. K 1 row.

Shape neck: Continue in ss. Cast off 9 sts at beginning of next row. Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows – 260 (272) (280) (288) (296) (304) sts. Change to 2¾mm needles.

Working 2 sts together, cast off all sts.

Front panel and front border: With 3¼mm needles, rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 14 (16) (16) (18) (18) (20) sts. Making 5 more buttonholes as before on 25th–26th (27th–28th) (27th–28th) (29th–30th) (29th–30th) (31st–32nd) rows from previous buttonhole, continue thus:

Next row: P to last 9 sts, k9.

Next row: K8, p1, k to end.

Work another 109 (113) (117) (121) (125) (129) rows.

Shape neck: Cast off 9 (9) (9) (11) (11) (11) sts at beginning of next row. Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 (5) (5) (5) (5) (7) rows. K2tog and fasten off.

Sleeves (both alike)

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 79 (83) (87) (91) (95) (99) sts.

Rib 20 rows as on back.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a k row, ss 6 rows. Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 4 following 6th rows – 89 (93) (97) (101) (105) (109) sts. Ss 3 rows.

Shape top: Cast off 5 (6) (6) (7) (7) (8) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 5 (6) (6) (6) (6) (6) following 4th rows, then on 7 (6) (6) (7) (8) (9) following alternate rows – 53 (55) (59) (59) (61) (61) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 (5) (7) (7) (7) (7) rows – 43 (45) (45) (45) (47) (47) sts. Cast off 5 sts at beginning of next 4 rows – 23 (25) (25) (25) (27) (27) sts. Cast off.

Collar

With 2¾mm needles, cast on 155 (159) (165) (165) (171) (171) sts.

Rib 26 (26) (28) (28) (30) (30) rows as on back.

Cast off loosely in rib.

To make up

Pin cast-off edge of ruched panels to row-ends of front borders and sew in position. Join shoulder, side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves, gathering fullness at top to fit. Sew on buttons. Beginning and ending 4 sts in from front edge, sew cast-on edge of collar to neck edge. Pin garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.



INTERMEDIATE MAKE



27th July,
1957

INTERMEDIATE MAKE



17th August,
1946

Table Setting

Let them eat cake with the daintiest of doilies
and pride-of-place tablecloths



CROCHET DOILIES

Measurements

Small doily: Measures approximately 28cm/11in in diameter.

Large doily: Measures approximately 46cm/18in in diameter.

Materials

For the set: 2 x 50g (260m) balls of Rico Essential Crochet Cotton (100% cotton) in Beige (002). Size 1.50 crochet hook. You can buy this yarn from Hulu Crafts, call 01548 831 911 or visit hulucrafts.co.uk.

Tension

First 6 rounds measures 9.5cm in diameter over pattern, using 1.50 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **st**, stitch; **tr**, treble; **dtr**, double treble; **chsp**, chain space; **slst**, slip stitch.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Small doily

1st round: With 1.50 hook, wind yarn round index finger of left hand to form ring, insert hook into ring, yarn over hook and pull through, 3ch (counts as 1tr), 2tr in ring, [3ch, 3tr in ring] 6 times, 3ch, slst in top of 3ch, pull end of yarn tightly to close ring – 7 repeats.

2nd round: 3ch, 1tr in each of next 2tr, [4ch, miss 3ch, 1tr in each of next 3tr] 6 times, 4ch, slst in top of 3ch.

3rd round: Slst along and in first chsp, 3ch, work 1tr, 3ch and 2tr in same chsp as last slst, [3ch, work 2tr, 3ch, 2tr in next chsp] to end, 3ch, slst in top of 3ch.

4th round: Slst along and in first chsp, 3ch work 1tr, 4ch and 2tr in same chsp as last slst, [5ch, miss next chsp, work 2tr, 4ch and 2tr in next chsp] to last chsp, 5ch, miss last chsp, slst in top of 3ch.

5th round: Slst along and in first chsp, 1dc in same chsp as last slst, [7ch, inserting hook in next chsp but 2 rounds down, work 1dtr enclosing ch loops of last 2 rounds, 7ch, 1dc in next chsp of last round] to last chsp, 7ch, inserting hook in next chsp but 2 rounds down, work 1dtr enclosing ch loops of last 2 rounds, 7ch, slst in first dc.

6th round: Slst in first chsp, 3ch, 7tr in same chsp as slst, [8tr in next chsp] to end, slst in top of 3ch – 14 repeats.

7th round: Slst in each of first 3 sts, 3ch, 1tr

in each of next 2tr, [8ch, miss next 5tr, 1tr in each of next 3tr] to last 2tr, 8ch, miss last 2tr, slst in top of 3ch.

8th round: Slst along and in first chsp, 3ch, work 1tr, 3ch and 2tr in same chsp as last slst, [7ch, work 2tr, 3ch, 2tr in next chsp] to end, 7ch, slst in top of 3ch.

9th round: Slst along and in first chsp, 3ch, work 1tr, 4ch and 2tr in same chsp as last slst, [7ch, miss next chsp, work 2tr, 4ch and 2tr in next chsp] to last chsp, 7ch, miss last chsp, slst in top of 3ch.

10th round: As 5th round, but working 8ch instead of 7ch.

11th round: As 6th round – 28 repeats.

12th to 14th rounds: Work 7th to 9th rounds.

15th round: As 5th round, but working 5ch instead of 7ch.

16th and 17th rounds: Slst to centre of first chsp, 1dc in same chsp as slst, [7ch, 1dc in next chsp] to end, 7ch, slst in first dc – 56 chsp.

18th round: Slst in first chsp, [3ch, 1dc in 3rd ch from hook – picot made, 1dc in same chsp as slst] twice, [slst in next chsp, work 1 picot, 1dc, 1 picot and 1dc all in same chsp as slst] to end, slst in first chsp. Fasten off.

Large doily

Work 1st to 7th rounds of small doily.

8th round: Slst along and in first chsp, 3ch, 2tr in same chsp as last slst, [9ch, 3tr in next chsp] to end, 9ch, slst in top of 3ch.

9th and 10th rounds: Work 8th and 9th rounds of small doily.

11th round: As 5th round of small doily, but working 8ch instead of 7ch.

12th round: As 6th round of small doily – 28 repeats.

13th round: As 7th round of small doily.

14th and 15th rounds: Slst along and in first chsp, 3ch, 2tr in same chsp as last slst, [9ch, 3tr in next chsp] to end, 9ch, slst in top of 3ch.

16th and 17th rounds: Work 8th and 9th rounds of small doily.

18th round: As 5th round of small doily, but working 8ch instead of 7ch.

19th and 20th rounds: As 16th round of small doily.

21st round: Slst to centre of first chsp, 1dc in same chsp as slst, [8ch, 1dc in next chsp] to end, 8ch, slst in first dc.

22nd round: As 6th round of small doily – 56 repeats.

23rd to 25th rounds: Work 7th to 9th rounds of small doily.

26th round: As 5th round of small doily, but working 8ch instead of 7ch.

27th round: Slst to centre of first chsp, 1dc in same chsp as slst, [7ch, 1dc in next chsp] to end, 7ch, slst in first dc.

28th round: Slst in first chsp, [3ch, 1dc in 3rd ch from hook – picot made, 1dc in same chsp as slst] twice, [slst in next chsp, work 1 picot, 1dc, 1 picot and 1dc all in same chsp as slst] to end, slst in first chsp.

Fasten off.

CROCHET TABLECLOTH

Measurements

Measures approximately 114 x 114cm/45 x 45in.

Materials

4 x 100g (280m) balls of DMC Petra 3 (100% cotton) in Ecru (993). Size 3.50 crochet hook. **You can buy this yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call DMC Creative World on 0116 275 4000 or visit dmccreative.co.uk.

Tension

First motif measures 14cm x 14cm, using 3.50 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **tr**, treble; **chsp**, chain space; **slst**, slip stitch; **yrh**, yarn round hook; **trtr**, triple treble (yrh 3 times, insert hook in next st, yrh and pull through, [yrh and pull through first 2 loops on hook] 3 times, yrh and pull through last 2 loops on hook); **trtr3cl**, 3trtr cluster: * yrh 3 times, insert hook in next st, yrh and pull through, [yrh and pull through first 2 loops on hook] 3 times, repeat from * twice more, yrh and pull through all 4 loops on hook; **trtr4cl**, 4trtr cluster: * yrh 3 times, insert hook in next st, yrh and pull through, [yrh and pull through first 2 loops on hook] 3 times, repeat from * 3 times more, yrh and pull through all 5 loops on hook.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

First strip

First motif: With 3.50 hook, make 8ch, slst in first ch to form ring.

1st round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 15tr in ring, slst in top of 3ch.

2nd round: 8ch (counts as 1trtr and 3ch), [1trtr in next st, 3ch] to end, slst in 5th of 8ch.

3rd round: 1ch (does not count as a st), [4dc in next chsp] to end, slst in top of first dc.

4th round: 5ch (counts as 1trtr), trtr3cl, 8ch, [trtr4cl, 8ch] to end, slst in top of trtr3cl. Fasten off.

Second motif: Work 1st to 3rd rounds of first motif.

Joining round: 5ch (counts as 1trtr), trtr3cl, [8ch, trtr4cl] 8 times, 4ch, slst in second chsp of first motif, 4ch, trtr4cl in next 4dc on second motif, 4ch, slst in first chsp of first motif, 4ch, complete second motif thus: [trtr4cl in next 4dc, 8ch] 6 times, slst in top of trtr3cl. Fasten off.

Make and join 5 more motifs for first strip.



Second strip

Eighth motif: Work 1st to 3rd rounds of first motif.

Joining round: 5ch (counts as 1trtr), trtr3cl, [8ch, trtr4cl] 4 times, 4ch, slst in 14th chsp on first motif of 1st strip, 4ch, trtr4cl in next 4dc on 8th motif, 4ch, slst in 13th chsp on first motif of first strip, 4ch, complete 8th motif thus: [trtr4cl, 8ch] 10 times, slst in top of trtr3cl. Fasten off.

Ninth motif: Work 1st to 3rd rounds of 1st motif.

Joining round: 5ch (counts as 1trtr), trtr3cl, [8ch, trtr4cl] 4 times, 4ch, slst in 14th chsp on 2nd motif of 1st strip, 4ch, trtr4cl in next 4dc on 9th motif, 4ch, slst in 13th chsp on 2nd motif of 1st strip, 4ch, [trtr4cl in next 4dc on 9th motif, 8ch] twice, trtr4cl in next 4dc on 9th motif, 4ch, slst in 2nd chsp of 8th motif, 4ch, trtr4cl in next 4dc on 9th motif, 4ch, slst in 1st chsp of 8th motif, 4ch, complete 9th motif thus: [trtr4cl, 8ch] 6 times, slst in top of trtr3cl. Fasten off.

Make and join 5 more motifs for 2nd strip.

To complete

Continue making and joining motifs in this way until 7 strips of 7 motifs each have been made and joined.

Filler motifs

With 3.50 hook, make 8ch, slst in 1st ch to

form ring.

1st round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 15tr in ring, slst in top of 3ch.

Joining round: 4ch, slst in 16th chsp on 1st motif of 1st strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 15th chsp on 1st motif of 1st strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 4th chsp on 8th motif of 2nd strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 3rd chsp on 8th motif of 2nd strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 8th chsp on 9th motif of 2nd strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 7th chsp on 9th motif of 2nd strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 12th chsp on 2nd motif of 1st strip, 4ch, slst in each of next 2tr on filler motif, 4ch, slst in 11th chsp on 2nd motif of 1st strip, 4ch, slst in last tr on filler motif. Fasten off.

Work filler motif in each gap between 4 motifs, joining filler motif to the free chsp on each of the 4 motifs.

Edging

With right side facing, join yarn to any chsp at outside edge of cloth, 1ch, working 5dc in chsp at each side of every join and 9dc in every other chsp, work 1 round of dc around outer edge, slst in first dc. Fasten off.

Past Forward

This set of nostalgic delicate knitted and crochet patterns have been reworked with current yarns, so they all have a vintage look



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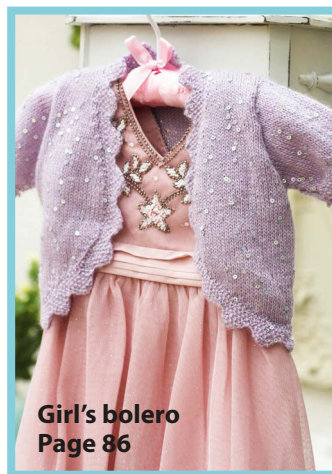
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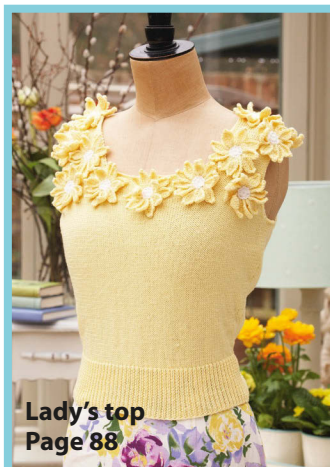
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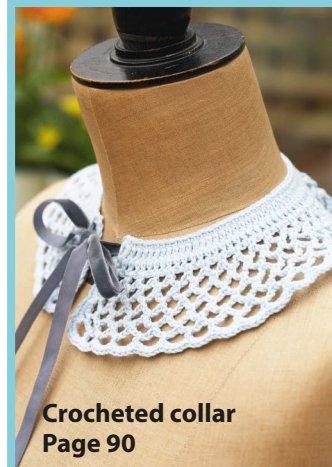
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Planning these designs was great fun, here's a glimpse behind the scenes in putting it all together.

Teddy's Jumper

This mini colour-patterned jumper is knitted in stocking stitch in one piece with single-rib edgings



16th December,
1950



Front and back

(knitted in one piece)

Front: With 3¼mm needles and de, cast on 45 sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rib another 3 rows.

Change to 4mm needles. P 1 row. Stranding yarn not in use loosely across wrong side, work colour pattern thus:

1st row: K2de, [1mg, 3de] to last 3 sts, 1mg, 2de.

2nd row: P1de, [3mg, 1de] to end.

3rd row: K1de, [3mg, 1de] to end.

4th row: P2de, [1mg, 3de] to last 3 sts, 1mg, 2de.

5th row: With de, k to end.

6th row: With de, p to end.

7th row: K1de, [1bp, 1de] to end.

8th row: P1bp, [1de, 1bp] to end.

9th row: With de, k to end.

10th row: With de, p to end.

These 10 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 8 rows.

Mark each end of last row.

Pattern another 8 rows.

Shape neck: Dividing row: Pattern 13, work 2tog, turn and work on these 14 sts for left side.

Left side: Front neck: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 4 rows – 10 sts.

Pattern another 6 rows.

Back neck: Inc 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows – 12 sts.

Left back: Cast on 9 sts at beginning of next row – 21 sts.

Pattern another 9 rows.

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Measurements

To fit teddy 36cm/14in tall.

Actual chest measurements 37cm/14½in.

Side seam 9cm/3½in.

Length to shoulder 16cm/6¼in.

Sleeve seam 7cm/2¾in.

Materials

1 x 50g (150m) ball of Sirdar Click DK (70% acrylic, 30% wool) in each of Duck Egg (191), Meadow Green (189) and Budding Pink (190). Pair of 3¼mm (No. 10) and 4mm (No. 8) knitting needles; 1 button.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call Sirdar Spinning Ltd on 01924 371 501, or visit sirdar.co.uk.

Tension

24 stitches and 26 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over colour pattern, using 4mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st); **de**, Duck Egg; **mg**, Meadow Green; **bp**, Budding Pink.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Break off yarns and leave these sts.

Right side: Front neck: With right side facing, return to end of dividing row, slip next 15 sts on to st holder, rejoin yarns to remaining sts, work 2tog, pattern to end – 14 sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 4 rows – 10 sts. Pattern another 6 rows.

Back neck: Inc 1 st at neck edge on next row – 11 sts.

Right back: Cast on 10 sts at beginning of next row – 21 sts.

Pattern another 10 rows.

Joining row: Pattern 21 sts of right back, cast on 3 sts for base of back opening, then pattern across 21 sts of left back – 45 sts. Pattern another 6 rows.

Mark each end of last row.

Pattern another 18 rows.

Continue in de only, k 1 row.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with 2nd row, work 5 rows in rib as on front. Cast off in rib.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With right side facing, using 4mm needles and de, pick up and k37 sts along side edge between markers on back and front. P 1 row.

Work 15 rows in pattern as given on front. Change to 3¼mm needles.

With de only and beginning with 2nd row, work 5 rows in rib as on front.

Cast off in rib.

Neckband

With right side facing, using 3¼mm needles and de, pick up and k8 sts from left back neck, 15 sts down left front neck, k15 sts from centre front neck, pick up and k15 sts up right front neck, then 8 sts from right back – 61 sts.

Work 5 rows in rib as on front.

Cast off in rib.

Buttonhole band

With right side facing, using 3¼mm needles and de, pick up and k15 sts from right side of back opening, including neckband.

Work 1st row of rib as given on front.

Buttonhole row: Rib 2, yf, k2tog, [p1, k1] to last st, p1.

Rib another 3 rows. Cast off in rib.

Button band

With right side facing, using 3¼mm needles and de, pick up and k15 sts from left side of back opening, including neckband. Beginning with 1st row, work 5 rows in rib as given on front.

Cast off in rib.

To make up

Overlap buttonhole band over button band and catch down row-ends of both layers to cast-on sts at base of opening. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew on button.

Baby's Cardi

The V-neck jacket has shallow set-in sleeves and is knitted in a striped eyelet pattern with single-rib edgings

Measurements

To fit ages 3–6 (6–12) (12–18) months.

Actual chest measurements 50 (55) (60) cm/19¾ (21½) (23½) in.

Side seam 16.5 (19) (21.5) cm/ 6½ (7½) (8½) in.

Length to back neck 27 (32) (37) cm/ 10½ (12½) (14½) in.

Sleeve seam 16.5 (19) (21.5) cm/6½ (7½) (8½) in.

Materials

2 (3) (3) 50g (125m) balls of Rico Baby Cotton Soft DK (50% cotton, 50% acrylic) in Pistachio (005) and 1 ball in Winter White (001). Pair of 3¼mm (No. 10) and 4mm (No. 8) knitting needles; 5 buttons.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. The yarn can also be purchased from Wool Warehouse, call 01926 882 818 or visit woolwarehouse.co.uk.

Tension

22 stitches and 32 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 4mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **yf**, yarn forward to make a st; **yrn**, yarn round needle to make a st.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back

With 3¼mm needles and Pistachio, cast on 55 (61) (67) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more.

Change to 4mm needles.

1st row: With Pistachio, k to end.

2nd row: With Pistachio, p to end.

3rd row: With Winter White, k1, [yf, k2tog] to end.

4th row: With Winter White, k to end.

5th to 8th rows: Repeat 1st and 2nd rows, twice.

These 8 rows form pattern.

Pattern another 40 (48) (56) rows.

Shape armholes: Keeping pattern correct, dec 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following alternate rows – 47 (53) (59) sts. Pattern another 27 (35) (43) rows. Cast off.

Left front

With 3¼mm needles and Pistachio, cast on 30 (32) (36) sts.

1st rib row: [K1, p1] to last 2 sts, k2.

2nd rib row: [K1, p1] to end.

Work 1st rib row.

Next row: Rib 6 and slip these 6 sts on to a safety pin, inc in next st, rib to end – 25 (27) (31) sts.

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 48 (56) (64) rows in pattern as given for back.

Shape armhole and neck: Keeping pattern correct, dec 1 st at armhole edge on next row and 3 following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on first of these rows and following 4th row – 19 (21) (25) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and 3 (4) (7) following 6th (6th) (4th) rows – 15 (16) (17) sts.

Pattern another 7 (9) (13) rows.

Cast off.

Right front

With 3¼mm needles and Pistachio, cast on 30 (32) (36) sts.

1st rib row: K2, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: [P1, k1] to end.

Buttonhole row: Rib 3, yrn, p2tog, rib to end.

Next row: Rib to last 7 sts, inc in next st, turn and slip remaining 6 sts on to a safety pin – 25 (27) (31) sts.

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 48 (56) (64) rows in pattern as given for back.

Shape armhole and neck: Keeping pattern correct, dec 1 st at armhole edge on next row and 3 following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on first of these rows and following 4th row – 19 (21)



6th March,
1943

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(25) sts. Pattern 1 row.
Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and 3 (4) (7) following 6th (6th) (4th) rows – 15 (16) (17) sts.
Pattern another 7 (9) (13) rows.
Cast off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 3¼mm needles and Pistachio, cast on 31 (35) (39) sts.

Work 4 rows in rib as given on back.

Change to 4mm needles.

Work 4 rows in pattern as given on back.

Working extra sts into pattern as they occur, inc 1 st at each end of next row and 6 (7) (8) following 6th rows – 45 (51) (57) sts.

Pattern another 7 (9) (11) rows.

Shape top: Keeping pattern correct, dec 1 st at each end of next row and 3 following alternate rows – 37 (43) (49) sts.
Pattern 1 row. Cast off.

Button band

Join shoulder seams. Rejoin Pistachio yarn at inside edge to 6 sts on left front safety pin and using 3¼mm needles, inc in first st, rib to end – 7 sts.

Continue in rib until band, when slightly stretched, fits along front edge of left front and across to centre of back neck, ending with wrong-side row.

Cast off in rib.

Sew band in position.

Mark band to indicate position of 5 buttons: first one to match buttonhole already made

on right front, last one level with beginning of neck shaping and remaining 3 evenly spaced between.

Buttonhole band

Work to match button band, making buttonholes as given before to correspond with markers.

To make up

Sew on buttonhole band, then join bands at centre back neck. Sew in sleeves, then join side and sleeve seams. Sew on buttons. Pin out garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.

Tasselled Gloves

These gloves are worked in chain and double crochet and are finished off with embroidered diamonds and a crocheted cord



Measurements

To fit average lady's hand.

Materials

2 x 50g (155m) balls of DMC Natura Just Cotton (100% cotton) in Blue Jeans (N26). Size 2.50 crochet hook; blunt-ended wool needle. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call DMC Creative World Ltd on 0116 275 4000, or visit dmccreative.co.uk.

Tension

36 stitches and 24 rounds, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 2.50 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **st**, stitch; **slst**, slip stitch; **sp**, space; **yrh**, yarn round hook.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Right glove

With 2.50 hook make 55ch, slst in first ch to form a ring.

Foundation round (right side): 3ch (counts as 1dc, 2ch and makes first sp on this round and every following round that begins with 3ch), miss next 2ch, [1dc in next ch, 2ch, miss next ch, 1dc in next ch, 2ch, miss next 2ch] 10 times, 1dc in next ch, 2ch, miss last ch, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 22sp.

Pattern round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] to end, join with a slst in first sp, turn.

Pattern another 4 rounds.

Shape thumb: 1st round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 11 times – read 8 times here on left glove. Now work [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 9 times – read 12 times here on left glove, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 23sp.

2nd, 4th, 6th and 8th rounds: As pattern round.

3rd round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 11 times – read 8 times here on left glove. Now work [1dc, 2ch] twice in each of next 2sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 9 times – read 12 times here on left glove, join with a slst in

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first sp, turn – 25sp.

5th round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 11 times – read 8 times here on left glove. Now work [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] twice, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 9 times – read 12 times here on left glove, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 27sp.

7th round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 11 times – read 8 times here on left glove. Now work [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 4 times, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 9 times – read 12 times here on left glove, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 29sp.

9th round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 11 times – read 8 times here on left glove. Now work [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 6 times, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 9 times – read 12 times on left glove, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 31sp. Pattern 3 rounds.

Thumb opening: 1st round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 12 times – read 9 times here on left glove. Now work 1dc in next sp, 4ch, miss next 6 sps, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 11 times – read 14 times here on left glove, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 25sp.

2nd round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 10 times – read 13 times here on left glove. Now work [1dc, 2ch] twice in 4-chsp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 13 times – read 10 times here on left glove, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 26sp. Pattern 6 rounds.

Little finger: 1st round: Slst in first sp, 3ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, miss next 19sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 7sp. Pattern 6 rounds.

Decrease round: Slst in first sp, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 1ch] to end, join with a slst in first sp, turn.

Last round: Slst in first sp, 1ch, [1dc in next sp, miss next sp] to end, join with a slst in 1ch. Fasten off leaving a 20cm end. Thread end through remaining sts, draw up and secure.

Ring finger: 1st round: With right side facing, return to last complete round before little finger, rejoin yarn in same chsp as first dc after missing 19sp on 1st round of little finger, 3ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc before missing 19sp on 1st round of little finger, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, miss next 13sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, slst in first sp, turn – 8sp. Pattern 10 rounds.

**** Decrease round:** Slst in first sp, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 1ch] to end, join with a slst in first sp, turn.

Last round: Slst in first sp, 1ch, miss next sp, [1dc in next sp, miss next sp] to end, join with a slst in first ch. Fasten off leaving a 20cm end. Thread end through remaining sts, draw up and secure.

Middle finger: 1st round: With right side facing, return to last complete round before little finger, rejoin yarn in same chsp as first dc after missing 13sp on 1st round of ring finger, 3ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc before missing 13sp on 1st round of ring finger,

[2ch, 1dc in next sp] 4 times, 2ch miss next 5sp, 1dc in next sp – mark this dc with contrast thread, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, slst in first sp, turn – 10sp. Pattern 12 rounds.

Complete as ring finger from **.

Index finger: 1st round: With right side facing, rejoin yarn to base of marked dc on middle finger, 3ch, 1dc in same place as last dc before missing 5sp on 1st round of middle finger, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 5 times, 1dc in same sp as first dc after missing 5sp on 1st round of middle finger, 2ch, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 8sp. Pattern 10 rounds. Complete as ring finger from **.

Thumb: 1st round: With right side facing, return to centre of the 4-chsp on 1st round of thumb opening, rejoin yarn between the 2dc, 3ch, insert hook in 4-chsp after dc, yrh and draw through, insert hook in same sp as last dc before missing 6sp on 1st round of thumb opening, yrh and draw through, yrh and draw through all 3 loops on hook, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 6 times, insert hook in same sp as first dc after missing 6sp on 1st round of thumb opening, yrh and draw through, insert hook in 4-chsp before dc, yrh and draw through, yrh and draw through all 3 loops on hook, 2ch, join with a slst in first sp, turn – 9sp. Pattern 8 rounds.

Decrease round: Slst in first sp, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 1ch] to end, join with a slst in first sp, turn.

Last round: Slst in first sp, 1ch, [1dc in next sp, miss next sp] to end, join with a slst in 1ch. Fasten off leaving a 20cm end. Thread end through remaining sts, draw up and secure.

Gauntlet: 1st row: With right side facing, rejoin yarn in first sp after join on foundation round, 1ch, 2dc in same sp as join, [2ch, 1dc in next sp] to last sp, 2ch, 2dc in last sp, turn – 21sp.

2nd row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] twice, * [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, repeat from * 3 more times, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] twice, 1dc in last dc, turn – 27sp.

3rd row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, 1dc in first sp, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] twice, * [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 4 times, repeat from * 3 times more, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] twice, 1dc in last sp, 1dc in last dc, turn – 31sp.

4th row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] to end, 1dc in last dc, turn – 32sp.

5th row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, 1dc in first sp, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] to last sp, 1dc in last

sp, 1dc in last dc, turn – 31sp.

6th row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, * [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 5 times, repeat from * 3 times more, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, 1dc in last dc, turn – 37sp.

7th row: 1ch, 1dc in first dc, 1dc in first sp, 2ch, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, * [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 6 times, repeat from * 3 times more, [1dc, 2ch] twice in next sp, [1dc in next sp, 2ch] 3 times, 1dc in last sp, 1dc in last dc, turn – 41sp.

8th row: As 4th row – 42sp. Fasten off.

Edging: With 2.50 hook and right side facing, rejoin yarn to beginning of 1st row of gauntlet, 1ch, 1dc in end of each row, 2dc in each of next 5sp, 1ch, [2dc in each of next 8sp, 1ch] 4 times, 2dc in each of last 5sp, 1dc in end of each row. Fasten off.

To complete: Darn in all ends, closing any gaps between fingers. Press over a damp cloth and leave to dry.

Embroidery: Thread two 120cm lengths of yarn into wool needle and join to 4th round of glove in sp at centre of back of hand. Work chain stitch embroidery downwards towards fingers, 1ch over 2ch of joining sp, *** [1ch over 2ch of next sp to left on next round] 3 times, [1ch over 2ch of next sp to right on next round] 6 times, [1ch over 2ch of next sp to left on next round] 6 times, [1ch over 2ch of next sp to right on next round] 3 times ***, turn and work back towards gauntlet, repeat from *** to ***. Fasten off.

Tie cord: With size 2.50 hook make 70ch. Fasten off.

Knot centre of tie through chsp at start of embroidery. Using 6 strands of yarn, make two small tassels and attach one to each end of tie.

Left glove

Work as right glove, noting variations.



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INTERMEDIATE MAKE



Measurements

To fit sizes 91 (97) (102) (107–112) (117) cm/36 (38) (40) (42–44) (46) in.

Actual measurements 94 (100) (107) (114) (120) cm/37 (39½) (42) (45) (47¼) in.

Side seam, excluding armband 37 (39) (40) (42) (43) cm/14½ (15¼) (15¾) (16½) (17) in.

Length to shoulder 62.5 (66) (68) (71) (73.5) cm/24½ (26) (26¾) (28) (29) in.

Materials

3 (4) (4) (4) (4) 50g (226m) balls of Sirdar Country Style 4-ply (40% nylon, 30% wool, 30% acrylic) in Silver Cloud (434); 1 ball in each of Cream (411), Soapstone (388), Parchment (404) and Rustic Pink (393). Pair of 2¾mm (No. 12) and 3¼mm (No. 10) knitting needles.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call Sirdar Spinning Ltd on 01924 371 501, or visit sirdar.co.uk.

Tension

30 stitches and 29 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over colour pattern, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **nil**, meaning nothing is worked here for this size; **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side).

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Man's Slipover

This classic Fair-Isle V-neck slipover is knitted in stocking stitch with single-rib edgings

Back

With 2¾mm needles and Silver Cloud, cast on 125 (135) (143) (153) (161) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Rib another 27 rows.

Inc row: Rib 2 (7) (3) (8) (4), [inc in next st, rib 7] to last 3 (8) (4) (9) (5) sts, inc in next st, rib to end – 141 (151) (161) (171) (181) sts.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a k row, ss 2 rows.

Stranding yarn not in use loosely across wrong side and reading chart from right to left on right-side (k) rows, and from left to right on wrong-side (p) rows, work colour pattern from chart thus:

1st row: K across 10-st pattern repeat of 1st row of chart to last st, k last st.

2nd row: P first st of 2nd row of chart, p across 10-st pattern repeat of 2nd row to end.

Continue working colour pattern from chart as set until 84 (90) (94) (98) (102) rows of pattern have been worked. **

Shape armholes: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 8 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 11 following alternate rows – 101 (111) (121) (131) (141) sts.

Pattern another 49 (53) (55) (61) (63) rows.

Shape shoulders: Next row: Cast off 28 (31) (34) (37) (40) sts, pattern to last 28 (31) (34) (37) (40) sts, cast off last 28 (31) (34) (37) (40) sts.

Leave remaining 45 (49) (53) (57) (61) sts on a st holder.

Front

Work as back to **.

Shape armholes and neck: Next row: Cast off 8 sts, pattern 61 (66) (71) (76) (81) sts more, turn and work on these 62 (67) (72) (77) (82) sts for left side.

Left side: Pattern 1 row. Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 11 following alternate rows – 38 (43) (48) (53) (58) sts. Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row, and nil (2) (5) (6) (9) following alternate rows, then on 9 (9) (8) (9) (8) following 4th rows – 28 (31) (34) (37) (40) sts.

Pattern another 11 rows. Cast off.

Right side: With right side facing, slip centre st on to a safety pin, rejoin yarn to remaining sts, and pattern to end – 70 (75) (80) (85) (90) sts.

Cast off 8 sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 11 following alternate rows – 38 (43) (48) (53)

(58) sts.

Pattern 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row, and nil (2) (5) (6) (9) following alternate rows, then on 9 (9) (8) (9) (8) following 4th rows – 28 (31) (34) (37) (40) sts.

Pattern another 11 rows.

Cast off.

Neckband

Join right shoulder seam. With right side facing, using 2¾mm needles and Silver Cloud, pick up and k62 (66) (68) (74) (76) sts down left front neck, k centre st and mark this st, pick up and k62 (66) (68) (74) (76) sts up right front neck, then k45 (49) (53) (57) (61) sts across back neck decreasing 1 st at centre – 169 (181) (189) (205) (213) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to within 1 st of marked st, bring yarn to front, insert right needle pwise through back of 2nd st, then 1st st, slipping both sts off left needle, p1, pass 2 slipped sts over p st just worked, k1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd row: [P1, k1] to within 1 st of marked st, insert right needle kwise through front of 2nd st, then 1st st, slipping both sts off left needle, k1, pass 2 slipped sts over k st just worked, [k1, p1] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, twice more, then work 1st row again. Cast off in rib, decreasing at centre front as before.

Armbands

(both alike)

Join left shoulder and neckband seam. With right side facing, using 2¾mm needles and Silver Cloud, pick up and k147 (152) (157) (169) (173) sts evenly around armhole edge.

1st rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

2nd rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Rib another 5 rows. Cast off in rib.

To make up

Join side and armband seams.

Pin out the garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.

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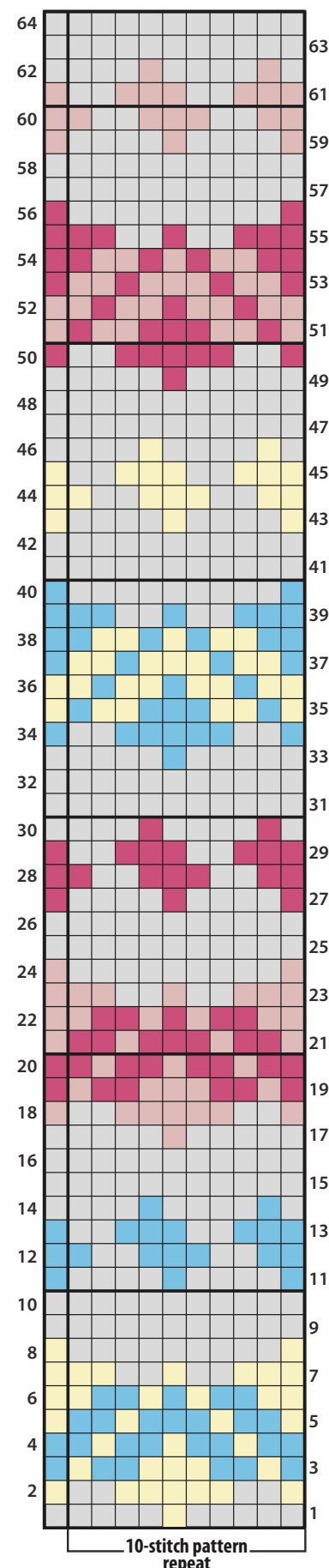
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INTERMEDIATE MAKE

Floral Placemat

This crochet placemat is made up of motifs that are worked in trebles and chain

Measurements

48cm/19in by 32cm/12½in.

Materials

1 x 100g (280m) ball of DMC Petra 3 (100% cotton) in Primrose (5745). Size 2.50 crochet hook. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call DMC Creative World Ltd on 0116 275 4000, or visit dmccreative.co.uk.

Tension

Each motif measures 16cm in diameter, using 2.50 hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **st**, stitch; **tr**, treble; **trtr**, triple treble; **slst**, slip stitch; **chsp**, chain space.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

TOP ROW

Left motif

With size 2.50 hook make 9ch, slst in first ch to form a ring.

1st round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 23tr in ring, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 24 sts.

2nd round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), miss st at base of 3ch, 1tr in next tr, 3ch, miss next tr, [1tr in each of next 2tr, 3ch, miss next tr] 7 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch.

3rd round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), miss st at base of 3ch, 2tr in next tr, 4ch, [1tr in next tr, 2tr in next tr, 4ch] 7 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch. **4th round:** 3ch (counts as 1tr), miss st at base of 3ch, 2tr in next tr, 1tr in next tr, 5ch, [1tr in next tr, 2tr in next tr, 1tr in next tr, 5ch] 7 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch. **5th round:** 3ch (counts as 1tr), miss st at base of 3ch, 2tr in each of next 3tr, 3ch, [1tr in next tr, 2tr in each of next 3tr, 3ch] 7 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch. **6th round:** 3ch (counts as 1tr), miss st at base of 3ch, 1tr in each of next 2tr, work 1tr, 2ch and 1tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 3tr, 2ch, [1tr in each of next 3tr, work 1tr, 2ch and 1tr in next tr, 1tr in each of next 3tr, 2ch] 7 times, slst in 3rd of 3ch. **7th round:** Slst in each st to first chsp, slst in chsp, 6ch (counts as 1trtr and 1ch), [1trtr, 1ch] 9 times in same chsp as last slst, 1dc in next chsp, 1ch, * [1trtr, 1ch] 10 times in next chsp, 1dc in next chsp, 1ch, repeat from * 6 times more, slst in 5th of 6ch. **8th round:** Slst in first chsp, 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in same chsp, [work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 7 chsp, 1dc in each of next 4 chsp] 7 times, work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 7 chsp, 1dc in each of last 3 chsp, slst in first dc – 8 scallops. Fasten off.

Centre motif

Work as left motif to end of 7th round.

8th round: Slst in first chsp, 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in same chsp, [work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 7 chsp, 1dc in each of next 4 chsp] 6 times, work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 3 chsp, 1dc in next chsp, 1ch, miss first 3 chsp on any scallop of left motif, slst in next chsp on left motif, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc, [1dc in next chsp, 1ch, slst in next chsp of left motif, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc, [1dc in next chsp, 1ch, slst in next chsp of left motif, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc] twice, work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 3 chsp, 1dc in each of last 3 chsp, slst in first dc. Fasten off.

Right motif

Work as centre motif but on 8th round join to

middle 2 of the 6 scallops of centre motif.

BOTTOM ROW

Left motif

Work as centre motif on top row, but on 8th round join to lower 2 scallops of left motif on top row.

Centre motif

Work as left motif on top row to end of 7th round.

8th round: Slst in first chsp, 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in same chsp, [work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 7 chsp, 1dc in each of next 4 chsp] 4 times, ** work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 3 chsp, 1dc in next chsp, 1ch, miss first 3 chsp on first of lower 2 scallops of centre motif on top row, slst in next chsp of centre motif on top row, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc, [1dc in next chsp, 1ch, slst in next chsp of centre motif on top row, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc] twice, work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in next chsp, 1dc in each of next 4 chsp, work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in next chsp, 1dc in next chsp, 1ch, miss first chsp on next scallop of centre motif on top row, slst in next chsp of centre motif on top row, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc, [1dc in next chsp, 1ch, slst in next chsp of centre motif on top row, 1ch, 1dc in same chsp as last dc] twice, work 1dc, 3ch and 1dc in each of next 3 chsp **, 1dc in each of next 4 chsp, repeat from ** to ** but join to next 2 scallops of left motif on bottom row, 1dc in each of last 3 chsp, slst in first dc. Fasten off.

Right

Work as centre motif of bottom row but join to lower 2 scallops of right motif on top row, then to next 2 scallops of centre motif on bottom row.

Filler motif

(make 2)

With 2.50 hook make 9ch, slst in first ch to form a ring.

1st round: 3ch (counts as 1tr), 23tr in ring, slst in 3rd of 3ch – 24 sts.

2nd round: 1ch (does not count as a st), 1dc in same place as slst, 6ch, slst in centre chsp of the 3 chsp on any scallop in gap where 4 motifs meet, 6ch, [1dc in each of next 3 sts of 1st round, 6ch, slst in centre chsp of the 3 chsp on next scallop in gap where 4 motifs meet, 6ch] 7 times, 1dc in each of last 2 sts, slst in first dc. Fasten off.

To make up

Pin out to correct measurements and press as given on ball band.



Girl's Bolero

This child's bolero is knitted in stocking stitch with moss-stitch scalloped edgings. The sequinned yarn creates the sparkly effect

Measurements

To fit ages 2-3 (3-4) (4-5) years.

Actual chest measurements 56 (62) (67)

cm/22 (24½) (26½) in.

Side seam (including border) 17 (18.5) (20)

cm/6¾ (7¼) (8) in.

Length to shoulder (including border) 30

(32) (34.5) cm/11¾ (12½) (13½) in.

Sleeve seam (including border) All sizes

8cm/3in.

Materials

2 x 50g (175m) balls of King Cole Galaxy DK (65% acrylic, 31% wool, 4% soft payette) in Lilac (689). Pair of 3¼mm (No. 10) and 4mm (No. 8) knitting needles. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call King Cole on 01535 650 230, or visit kingcole.co.uk.

Tension

22 stitches and 28 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over pattern, using 4mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side).

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back

With 4mm needles, cast on 62 (68) (74) sts. Beginning with a k row, ss 40 (44) (48) rows.

Shape armholes: Cast off 3 (4) (5) sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows and 3 following alternate rows – 44 (48) (52) sts. Pattern another 22 (24) (26) rows.

Shape neck: Next row: P15 (16) (17), cast off next 14 (16) (18) sts, p to end.

Work on last set of 15 (16) (17) sts for right side.

Right side: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows – 13 (14) (15) sts.

Cast off.

Left side: With right side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 15 (16) (17) sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows – 13 (14) (15) sts. Cast off.

Left front

With 4mm needles, cast on 11 (12) (13) sts.

K 1 row.

1st inc row: Inc pwise in first st, p to end.

2nd inc row: K to last st, inc kwise in last st.

Repeat last 2 rows, 6 times more – 25 (26) (27) sts.

P 1 row. Work 2nd inc row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 3 (5) (7) times more – 29 (32)

(35) sts.

Ss another 17 rows.

Shape armhole: Cast off 3 (4) (5) sts at beginning of next row. P 1 row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 2 rows – 24 (26) (28) sts.

Shape neck: Dec 1 st at armhole edge of next row and 3 following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and following 4th row – 18 (20) (22) sts.

P 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and 4 (5)

(6) following 4th rows – 13 (14) (15) sts.

Ss another 7 (5) (3) rows. Cast off.

Right front

With 4mm needles, cast on 11 (12) (13) sts.

K 1 row.

1st inc row: P to last st, inc pwise in last st.

2nd inc row: Inc kwise in first st, k to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 6 times more – 25 (26) (27) sts.

P 1 row. Work 2nd inc row.

Repeat last 2 rows, 3 (5) (7) times more – 29 (32)

(35) sts.

Ss another 18 rows.

Shape armhole: Cast off 3 (4) (5) sts at beginning of next row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge on next 2 rows – 24 (26) (28) sts.

Shape neck: Dec 1 st at armhole edge of next row and 3 following alternate rows, at the same time, dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and following 4th row – 18 (20) (22) sts. P 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next row and 4 (5) (6) following 4th rows – 13 (14) (15) sts.

Ss another 7 (5) (3) rows. Cast off.

Sleeves

(both alike)

With 4mm needles, cast on 48 (52) (56) sts.

Beginning with a k row, work 4 rows in ss.

Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 2 following 4th rows – 54 (58) (62) sts.

P 1 row.

Shape top: Cast off 3 (4) (5) sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 1 (2) (3) following alternate row(s) – 44 sts. P 1 row.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 10 rows – 24 sts.

Cast off.

Sleeve edgings

(both alike)

With 3¼mm needles, cast on 4 sts.

1st row: [K1, p1] twice.

2nd row: [P1, k1] twice.

3rd row: Work p1 and k1 in first st, p1, k1, p1 – 5 sts.

4th row: [P1, k1] twice, work p1 and k1 in last st – 6 sts.

5th row: Work p1 and k1 in first st, p1, [k1, p1] twice – 7 sts.

6th row: [P1, k1] 3 times, work p1 and k1 in last st – 8 sts.

7th row: [K1, p1] to end.

8th row: [P1, k1] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, once more.

11th row: P2tog, [k1, p1] 3 times – 7 sts.

12th row: [P1, k1] twice, p1, k2tog – 6 sts.

13th row: P2tog, [k1, p1] twice – 5 sts.

14th row: P1, k1, p1, k2tog – 4 sts.

These 14 rows form pattern.

Continue in pattern until straight edge of edging, when slightly stretched, fits along lower edge of sleeve, ending with 2nd row. Cast off.

Hem and front edging

Work as sleeve edging, until straight edge of edging, when slightly stretched, fits around right front, back neck, down left front and along lower edge of back, ending with 2nd row.

Cast off.

To make up

Sew sleeve edgings to lower edge of sleeves. Join shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves, then join side and sleeve seams. Sew hem and front edging in position and join cast-on and cast-off edges together. Pin out garment to the measurements given. Cover with damp cloth and leave until dry.

INTERMEDIATE MAKE



*13th August,
1955*

Lady's Daisy-edged Top

This charming top is knitted in stocking stitch with single-rib welts and tiny garter-stitch edgings. The flowers are made of individual petals worked in double crochet and trebles

Measurements

To fit sizes 81 (86) (91) (97) (102) cm/32 (34) (36) (38) (40) in.

Actual measurements 82 (88) (92) (98) (103.5) cm/32¼ (34½) (36¼) (38½) (40¾) in.

Side seam 30 (31) (31) (32) (32) cm/11¾ (12¼) (12¼) (12½) (12½) in.

Length to shoulder 48 (49) (50) (52) (53) cm/19 (19¼) (19¾) (20½) (21) in.

Materials

5 (5) (5) (6) (6) 50g (170m) balls of Sublime Baby Cashmere Merino Silk 4-ply (75% wool, 20% silk, 5% cashmere) in main colour. Small amount in contrast colour. Pair of 2¾mm (No. 12) and 3¼mm (No. 10) knitting needles; size 2.50 crochet hook.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call Sublime on 01924 369 666.

Tension

28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10cm, over stocking stitch, using 3¼mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **tog**, together; **dec**, decrease (by working 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **skpo**, slip 1, k1, pass slip st over; **ch**, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **tr**, treble; **slst**, slip stitch.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Instructions are given for small size. Where they vary, work figures in round brackets for larger sizes. Instructions in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

Back

With 2¾mm needles and main colour, cast on 93 (101) (107) (115) (123) sts.

1st rib row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

2nd rib row: P1, [k1, p1] to end. Rib another 34 rows.

Change to 3¼mm needles.

Beginning with a k row, work 6 rows in ss. Inc 1 st at each end of next row and 10 following 6th rows – 115 (123) (129) (137) (145) sts.

Ss another 13 (15) (15) (19) (19) rows.

Shape armholes: Next row: Cast off 6 (6) (7) (7) (7) sts pwise, k to end.

Next row: Cast off 6 (6) (7) (7) (7) sts kwise, p to end.

Dec row: K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Repeat last 2 rows, 5 (6) (6) (7) (7) times more — 91 (97) (101) (107) (115) sts.

Next row: K to end.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2. **

Repeat last 2 rows, 13 (13) (15) (16) (18) times more.

Shape neck: Next row: K26 (28) (29) (31) (34), cast off next 39 (41) (43) (45) (47) sts pwise, k to end.

Work on last set of 26 (28) (29) (31) (34) sts only for left side.

Left side: Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Next row: K to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 8 times more, then work 1st of these rows again. Cast off.

Right side: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 26 (28) (29) (31) (34) sts.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Next row: K to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 9 times more. Cast off.

Front

Work as back to **. Repeat last 2 rows, 4 (4) (6) (7) (9) times more.

Shape neck: Next row: K26 (28) (29) (31) (34), cast off next 39 (41) (43) (45) (47) sts pwise, k to end.

Work on last set of 26 (28) (29) (31) (34) sts only for right side.

Right side: Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Next row: K to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 18 times more, then work 1st of these rows again. Cast off.

Left side: With wrong side facing, rejoin yarn

to remaining 26 (28) (29) (31) (34) sts.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Next row: K to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 19 times more. Cast off.

Flower

Petals (make 12): With 2.50 hook and main colour, make 10ch, 1dc in 2nd ch from hook, 1dc in each of next 2ch, 1tr in each of next 4ch, 1dc in next ch, 2dc in last ch, work along other side of chain thus: 1dc in each of next 2ch, 1tr in each of next 4ch, 1dc in each of last 2ch. Fasten off.

Centre: With 2.50 hook and contrast colour, make 4ch, slst in first ch to form ring.

Next round: 1ch, 12dc in ring, slst in first dc.

Next round: Work 14dc in ring and over dc of previous round, slst in first dc. Fasten off.

To complete: Place lower edge of petal halfway over next petal and secure in place. Continue joining petals in this way until all are joined to form round head. Place centre in the middle of flower and secure in position.

Make 12 more flowers.

To make up

Join shoulder and side seams. Pin out flowers and garment to measurements given. Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry. Sew on flowers around front neck, catching petals to lay flat.

10th November,
1951





INTERMEDIATE MAKE

Crocheted Collar

This pretty accessory is worked in chain with treble crochet

Measurements

Neck edge 36cm/14in, depth 7cm/2¾in.

Materials

1 x 50g (155m) ball of DMC Natura Just Cotton (100% cotton) in Blue Layette (N05). Size 3.00 crochet hook. 1m of narrow velvet ribbon. **You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk.** For other yarn stockists, call DMC Creative World Ltd on 0116 275 4000, or visit dmccreative.co.uk.

Tension

7 chain loops measure 10cm, using 3.00 crochet hook.

Abbreviations

Ch, chain; **dc**, double crochet; **st**, stitch; **tr**, treble; **slst**, slip stitch; **sp**, space.

Note

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To make

With 3.00 hook, make 95ch.

Foundation row: 1tr in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2tr), 1tr in each ch to end, turn – 93 sts.

1st row: 2ch (counts as 1tr), miss first tr, [1tr in sp before next tr] to end, turn.

2nd row: 5ch, miss first sp between tr, 1dc in next sp between tr, [5ch, miss next sp between tr, 1dc in next sp between tr] to end, turn – 46 ch loops.

3rd row: 5ch, 1dc in first ch loop, [5ch, 1dc in next ch loop] to end, turn.

4th to 7th rows: As 3rd row.

Edging round: 1ch (does not count as a st), 5dc in each ch loop of last row, [4dc in next ch loop on side edge] 3 times, 1dc in end of first tr row, 2dc in end of next tr row, 1dc in ch at base of each tr of foundation row, 2dc in end of first tr row, 1dc in end of next tr row, [4dc in next ch loop on side edge] 3 times, slst in first dc. Fasten off.

To make up

Pin out to correct measurements and press as given on ball band. Cut ribbon in half and sew to ends of foundation row.



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Story Time

Revive your favourite fairytale memories
with this gorgeous knitted dolly



INTERMEDIATE MAKE



*8th June,
1963*

Measurements

Approximately 20cm/8in high.

Materials

1 x 50g (155m) ball of Sirdar Country Style DK (40% nylon, 30% wool, 30% acrylic) in each of Pastel Pink (391), Mink (477), Rustic Red (396), Soft Teal (602), White (412), Tana (390), Smokey Green (470) and Smokey Stone (389); length of DK in Blue. Pair of 3mm (No.11) knitting needles; washable toy stuffing; 1 button for cape, 3 buttons for jacket and 2 press stud fasteners for skirt and 3 for sweater; 23cm long narrow ribbon for light green dress; wire brush – optional.

You can buy the yarn online from womansweeklyshop.co.uk. For other yarn stockists, call Sirdar Spinning Ltd on 01924 371 501 or visit sirdar.co.uk.

Tension

26 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10 cm,

over stocking stitch, using 3mm needles.

Abbreviations

K, knit; **p**, purl; **st**, stitch; **sl**, slip; **tog**, together; **p2togb**, p2tog through back of sts; **dec**, decrease (by taking 2 sts tog); **inc**, increase (by working twice into same st); **ss**, stocking st (k on right side and p on wrong side); **gst**, garter st (every row k); **wrap1**, sl next st on to right hand needle, take yarn between needle to opposite side of work, place slst back on to left needle, bring yarn back; **skpo**, sl1, k1, pass sl st over; **up1**, pick up loop lying between needles and work into the back of it.

Note

Yarn amounts are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate. Figures in square brackets are worked as stated after 2nd bracket.

DOLL

Body

With 3mm needles and Pastel Pink, cast on 16 sts. P 1 row.

1st increase row: K4, up1, k1, up1, k6, up1, k1, up1, k4 – 20 sts. P 1 row.

2nd increase row: K5, up1, k1, up1, k8, up1, k1, up1, k5 – 24 sts. P 1 row.

3rd increase row: K6, up1, k1, up1, k10, up1, k1, up1, k6 – 28 sts. P 1 row.

4th increase row: K7, up1, k1, up1, k12, up1, k1, up1, k7 – 32 sts. P 1 row.

5th increase row: K8, up1, k1, up1, k14, up1, k1, up1, k8 – 36 sts. Ss 13 rows.

Shape shoulders: 1st dec row: K7, skpo, k1, k2tog, k12, skpo, k1, k2tog, k7 – 32 sts.

2nd dec row: P6, p2tog, p1, p2togb, p10, p2tog, p1, p2togb, p6 – 28 sts.

3rd dec row: K5, skpo, k1, k2tog, k8, skpo, k1, k2tog, k5 – 24 sts.

4th dec row: P4, p2tog, p1, p2togb, p6, p2tog, p1, p2togb, p4 – 20 sts. Cast off.

Join row-ends on body for back seam, then join cast-on edge. Stuff body firmly.

Head

With 3mm needles and Pastel Pink, cast on 20 sts. P 1 row.

1st increase row: [K2, up1] 4 times, k4, [up1, k2] 4 times – 28 sts. Ss 3 rows.

2nd increase row: K2, [up1, k3] 3 times, up1, k6, up1, [k3, up1] 3 times, k2 – 36 sts. Ss 5 rows.

Shape top: 1st dec row: K6, skpo, k2, k2tog, k12, skpo, k2, k2tog, k6 – 32 sts. Ss 3 rows.

2nd dec row: K5, skpo, k2, k2tog, k10, skpo, k2, k2tog, k5 – 28 sts. P 1 row.

3rd dec row: K4, skpo, k2, k2tog, k8, skpo, k2, k2tog, k4 – 24 sts. Cast off.

Join row-ends on head for back seam, then join cast-off edge. Stuff head firmly and sew to top of body.

Legs

(make 2)

Foot: With 3mm needles and Pastel Pink, cast on 16 sts. P 1 row.

1st increase row: K1, up1, k6, up1, k2, up1, k6, up1, k1 – 20 sts. P 1 row.

2nd increase row: K1, up1, k8, up1, k2, up1, k8, up1, k1 – 24 sts. Ss 3 rows.

Shape instep: Dec row: K9, skpo, k2, k2tog, k9 – 22 sts.

Next row: P7, cast off next 8 sts, p to end – 14 sts.

Leg: Ss 4 rows.

3rd increase row: K1, [up1, k4] 3 times, up1, k1 – 18 sts. Ss 3 rows.

4th increase row: K2, [up1, k5] 3 times, up1, k1 – 22 sts. Ss 3 rows.

5th increase row: K1, [up1, k6] 3 times, up1, k3 – 26 sts. Ss 7 rows.

Shape top: 1st dec row: K1, skpo, k7, k2tog, k2, skpo, k7, k2tog, k1 – 22 sts.

2nd dec row: P1, p2tog, p5, p2togb, p2, p2tog, p5, p2togb, p1 – 18 sts.

3rd dec row: K1, skpo, k3, k2tog, k2, skpo, k3, k2tog, k1 – 14 sts.

4th dec row: P1, p2tog, p1, p2togb, p2, p2tog, p1, p2togb, p1 – 10 sts. Cast off.

Fold foot in half lengthwise and join cast-off sts on top of instep together. Join foot, leg and top of leg seam, leaving an opening. Stuff firmly and close opening.

Using 2 strands of Pastel Pink together, attach yarn to side of one leg 2 rows below top, take this yarn through body at hip position and attach in same place on other leg. Take the yarn through body again in same place as before and pull up tightly to draw tops of legs in, then attach to first leg and secure.

Arms

(make 2)

Hand: With 3mm needles and Pastel Pink, cast on 16 sts. P 1 row.

1st increase row: K1, up1, k6, up1, k2, up1, k6, up1, k1 – 20 sts. P 1 row.

Thumb row: K10, pick up loop lying between needles and work [k in back and p in front] twice into the loop, then pass 2nd, 3rd and 4th st over first st, k1, then pass thumb st over k st just worked, k9. P 1 row.

Dec row: K1, skpo, k4, k2tog, k2, skpo, k4, k2tog, k1 – 16 sts.

Arm: Ss 3 rows.

2nd increase row: K1, [up1, k4] 3 times, up1, k3 – 20 sts. Ss 3 rows.

3rd increase row: K2, [up1, k5] 3 times, up1, k3 – 24 sts. Ss 5 rows.

Shape top: 1st dec row: K1, skpo, k6, k2tog, k2, skpo, k6, k2tog, k1 – 20 sts.

2nd dec row: P1, p2tog, p4, p2togb, p2, p2tog, p4, p2togb, p1 – 16 sts.

3rd dec row: K1, skpo, k2, k2tog, k2, skpo, k2, k2tog, k1 – 12 sts. Cast off.

Fold arm in half lengthwise and join hand, arm and top of arm seam, leaving an opening. Stuff firmly and close opening. Wind length of Pastel Pink round 8th row of arm, pull up tightly to indent wrist and secure. Attach arms to body at shoulder position in same way as legs.

Hair

With 3mm needles and Mink, cast on 12 sts. K 1 row.

Continue in gst and inc 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, following alternate row and following 4th row – 22 sts. Gst another 15 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row, following 4th row and following alternate row, then on next 2 rows – 12 sts. Cast off.

Place hair around head with cast-off edge on top and slightly over face. Sew hair in position slightly stuffing it. If desired, brush hair with wire brush.

Facial features

Mark eye positions on front of head. Out of length of Blue yarn, pull two strands and use these 2 strands to embroider circle of 4 chain stitches on each eye position.

With Red, embroider mouth.

CLOAK

With 3mm needles and Rustic Red, cast on 79 sts. K 2 rows.

Next row: K7, [inc in next st, k7] 9 times – 88 sts.

Next row: K3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

Next row: K.

Repeat last 2 rows, 12 times more, then work 1st row again.

1st dec row: K4, [k2tog, k1] to last 6 sts, k2tog, k4 – 61 sts. Work 1 row.

2nd dec row: K3, [k2tog] to last 4 sts, k4 – 34 sts. Work 1 row.

3rd dec row: K4, [k2tog, k1] to last 3 sts, k3 – 25 sts. Cast off pwise.

With right side facing, using 3mm needles, Rustic Red and beginning and ending 2 sts in from edge, pick up and k21 sts along cast off edge. P 1 row.

Hood: Next row: [K1, inc in each of next 2 sts] 6 times, k1, inc in next st, k1 – 34 sts.

Ss another 21 rows.

Shape top: 1st dec row: K14, skpo, k2, k2tog, k14 – 32 sts. P 1 row.

2nd dec row: K13, skpo, k2, k2tog, k13 – 30 sts. P 1 row.

3rd dec row: K12, skpo, k2, k2tog, k12 – 28 sts.

4th dec row: P11, p2tog, p2, p2togb, p11 – 26 sts.

Divide sts evenly on to two needles with point of needles at outside edge. Fold hood in half with right side inside, using spare needle and taking 1 st from each needle and working them tog, cast off hood sts.

Edging: With right side facing, using 3mm needles and Rustic Red, pick up and k34 sts evenly around row-ends of hood. K 2 rows. Cast off kwise.

Sew row ends of hood edging to cast-off sts on top of cloak. Make a buttonhole loop on right side of neck and sew button to other side.

TURQUOISE DRESS

Back and front (both alike): With 3mm needles and Soft Teal, cast on 41 sts. K 2 rows.

Next row: K5, [inc in next st, k9] 3 times, inc in next st, k5 – 45 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 15 rows.

Dec row: K1, [k2tog] to end – 23 sts.

Cast off pwise, do not break off the yarn, but pick up and k23 sts along cast-off edge. Ss 3 rows.

Shape armholes: Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row and 2 following alternate rows – 11 sts. K 1 row.

Cast off.

Join back and front together to beginning of armhole shapings. With Rustic Red, work a running st along first row at base of dress. Thread length of Rustic Red through sts at waist, bringing ends at centre front to tie.

Attach short lengths of Rustic Red to each corner on top of dress for shoulder straps.

PANTS

With 3mm needles and White, cast on 37 sts for waist. K 1 row.

Beginning with a k row, ss 5 rows.

Increase row: P1, [up1, p2] to end – 55 sts.

Ss another 8 rows.

Shape crotch: Next 2 rows: K6, wrap1, turn, p6.

Next 2 rows: K4, wrap1, turn, p4.

Next 2 rows: K33, wrap1, turn, p11, wrap1, turn.

Next 2 rows: K9, wrap1, turn, p7, wrap1, turn.

Next row: K31.

Next 2 rows: P6, wrap1, turn, k6.

Next 2 rows: P4, wrap1, turn, k4.

K 3 rows across all sts. Cast off.

Join row-ends together for back seam. Join cast-off edge at centre for about 7 stitches for crotch seam.

SHOES

(make 2)

With 3mm needles and Rustic Red, cast on 20 sts for centre of sole. K 2 rows.

1st increase row: K1, up1, k8, up1, k2, up1, k8, up1, k1 – 24 sts. K 4 rows.

Shape instep: Dec 1 st at each end of next row.

Cast off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows – 14 sts. K 1 row.

Eyelet row: K1, [yf, k2tog] to last st, k1.

K 1 row.

2nd increase row: K2, [up1, k2] 6 times – 20 sts.

K 1 row. Cast off kwise.

Fold shoe in half lengthwise and join sole and instep seam to eyelet row.

Make chain cord approximately 12cm long and thread this cord through eyelet holes.

LIGHT GREEN DRESS

With 3mm needles and Tana, cast on 70 sts.

K 2 rows.

Next row: K3, [inc in next st, k6] 9 times, inc in next st, k3 – 80 sts.

Beginning with a p row, ss 13 rows.

Dec row: K1, [k2tog] to last st, k1 – 41 sts.

K 3 rows.

Next row: K8, cast off next 4 sts, k to last 13 sts, cast off 4, k to end. Break off yarn.

Back: Place last 9 sts and first 8 sts of last row on to one needle and with wrong side facing, rejoin Tana, k7, k2tog, k8 – 16 sts. K 6 rows.

Eyelet row: K1, [yf, k2tog] to last st, yf, k1 – 17 sts. K 2 rows. Cast off.

Front: With wrong side facing, rejoin Tana to remaining 16 sts and k 7 rows.

Eyelet row: K1, [yf, k2tog] to last st, yf, k1 – 17 sts. K 2 rows. Cast off.

Join row-ends together on skirt.

Thread length of ribbon through eyelet holes, beginning at centre front, across back and along front to centre.

JACKET

Back: With 3mm needles and Smokey Green, cast on 26 sts. K 12 rows.

Shape for sleeves: Inc 1 st at each end of next 2 rows. Cast on 9 sts at beginning of next 2 rows – 48 sts. K 19 rows.

Shape neck: Next row: K20, cast off next 8 sts, k to end. Work on last set of 20 sts only for right side.

Right side: Dec 1 st at end of next row.

K 1 row.

Right front: K 1 row. Inc 1 st at beginning of next row. K 1 row.

Cast on 5 sts at beginning of next row – 25 sts. K 18 rows.

Shape sleeve: Cast off 9 sts at beginning of next row. K 1 row. Dec 1 st at beginning of next row and at end of following row – 14 sts.

K 11 rows. Cast off.

Left side: Rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 20 sts. Dec 1 st at beginning of next row. K 1 row.

Left front: K 1 row. Inc 1 st at end of next row. Cast on 5 sts at beginning of next row – 25 sts. K 20 rows.

Shape sleeve: Cast off 9 sts at beginning of next row. Dec 1 st at end of next row and at beginning of following row – 14 sts.

K 11 rows. Cast off.

Fold jacket in half widthwise and join side and underarm seams, reversing seam on last 8 sts for cuffs. Turn back cuffs.

Make 3 button loops along right front edge.

Sew on buttons.

SKIRT

With 3mm needles and Smokey Green, cast on 65 sts.

1st row: P2, [k1, p2] to end.

2nd row: K2, [p1, k2] to end.

Repeat last 2 rows, 7 times more, then work 1st row again.

Next row: K2tog, [p1, k2tog] to end – 43 sts.

Next row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Next row: K1, [p1, k1] to end.

Next row: P1, [k1, p1] to end.

Cast off in rib.

Straps (make 2): With 3mm needles and Smokey Green, cast on 24 sts. Cast off.

Join row-ends of skirt. Sew ends of strap to top of skirt front about 2.5cm apart. Take straps to back of skirt and fasten with press studs.

JUMPER

Front: With 3mm needles and Smokey Stone, cast on 22 sts. K 12 rows.

Shape for sleeves: Cast on 6 sts at beginning of next 2 rows – 34 sts. K 16 rows.

Shape neck: Next row: K13, cast off next 8 sts, k to end. Work on last set of 13 sts only for right side.

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

Right back: Inc 1 st at end of next row.

Cast on 5 sts at beginning of next row – 18 sts. K 16 rows.

Shape sleeve: Cast off 6 sts at beginning of next row – 12 sts. K 12 rows. Cast off.

Left side: Rejoin yarn at inside edge to remaining 13 sts. Dec 1 st at beginning of next row. K 1 row.

Left back: Inc 1 st at beginning of next row. K 1 row.

Cast on 5 sts at beginning of next row – 18 sts. K 14 rows.

Shape sleeve: Cast off 6 sts at beginning of next row – 12 sts. K 13 rows. Cast off.

Fold jumper in half widthwise and join side and underarm seams.

Sew on 3 press studs fasteners to back opening.



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ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

TENSION

Practically every knitting instruction will state a tension, with few exceptions, like toys or small accessories. Tension is the number of stitches and rows that an average knitter will achieve to stated measurements, using specific yarn, pattern and needles. It is used to translate measurements into number of stitches and rows to be worked. Before commencing specific project, check your tension by knitting a swatch about 13cm square in pattern, yarn and needles as stated. Stretch swatch in each directions and allow to rest. Mark 10cm square in middle of test piece and count stitches and rows between markers. If the number of stitches and rows is less than quoted, knit another swatch, using smaller needles. If the number of stitches and rows is greater, use larger needles. You may need to knit samples a few times until stated tension is achieved. It is more important to obtain the right number of stitches than rows.

SUBSTITUTING YARNS

If you are intending on using other yarns than specified, look for type of yarn that has the same texture and fibre content: wool for wool, cotton for cotton, with same or similar standard tension and same thickness as original yarn. The best indicator of the thickness of the yarn are the tension and size of needles used. Below, we list standard tension of classic yarns, although these may vary from manufacture to manufacture: 4 ply yarn is 28 stitches and 36 rows, to 10 x 10 cm, over stocking stitch, using 31/4mm needles. Double knitting yarn is 22 stitches and 28 rows, to 10 x 10 cm, over stocking stitch, using 4mm needles. Aran yarn is 18 stitches and 24 rows, to 10 x 10 cm, over stocking stitch, using 5mm needles. Chunky yarn is 14 stitches and 19 rows, to 10 x 10 cm, over stocking stitch, using 61/2mm needles.

For example: If the pattern states 30 stitches and 38 rows over stocking stitch, you may be able to use 4 ply yarn for this, but using 3mm needles instead of 31/4mm. The yarn amounts may differ when using substituted yarn, so check ball band for weight and length informations. If the meterage is different, work out your amounts by multiplying the length of original yarn by amount of balls quoted, divide this figure by the number of metres stated on the substituted yarn and that will give you the number of balls needed in the yarn you intend to use.

MAKING TOYS

If the toy is intended for a child under 3 years old, make sure that all the parts are sewn on securely and any embellishments used for features (beads, button or plastic noses) are substituted with embroidery. It's essential that the knitted fabric is quite dense so that the stuffing isn't showing through. Use washable toy stuffing, which conforms to safety standards. Make sure that the toys are not overstuffing or understuffed as this could distort the shape. Understuffing can make the toy too floppy and overstuffing will stretch the fabric.

Knitting needles conversion

Metric	USA	Canada
2	0	14
2.25	1	13
2.75	2	12
3	-	11
3.25	3	10
3.5	4	-
3.75	5	9
4	6	8
4.5	7	7
5	8	6
5.5	9	5
6	10	4
6.5	10.5	3
7	10.5/11	2
7.5	10.5/11	1
8	11	0
9	13	00
10	15	000
12	17	-
15	19	-
20	35/36	-
25	50	-

Crochet hook conversion

Metric	USA	Canada
2	4	14
2.25	B-1	13
-	1/0	12
3	C-2	11
-	D-3	10
3.5	E-4	9
-	F-5	8
4	G-6	-
4.5	7	7
5	H-8	6
5.5	J-9	5
6	J-10	4
6.5	K-10.5	3
7	-	2
8	L-11	0
9	M/N-13	00
10	N/P16	000
12	17	-
15	19	-
20	35/36	-
25	50	-

Abbreviations

UK

dc double crochet
htr half treble
tr treble
dtr double treble
ttr triple treble
miss

USA

sc single crochet
hdc half double crochet
dc double crochet
trc triple crochet
dtr double triple crochet
skip

Yarn weights

UK

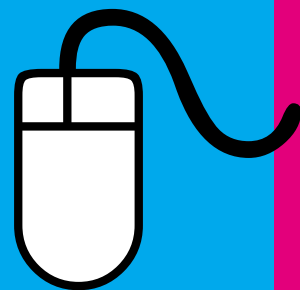
2-ply
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4-ply
Double Knitting (DK)
Aran
Chunky
Super chunky

USA

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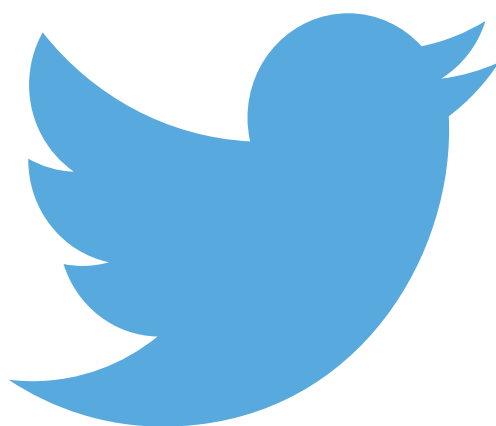
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