



No 5

BASIC SWEATER

Sweater w/round yoke worked from neck down

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Sizes:

(2) 4 (6) 8 (10) 12 yrs

Measurements:

Chest width: (64) 68 (71) 75 (79) 85 cm

Length: (36) 40 (44) 48 (50) 52 cm, or

suitable length

Sleeve length: (24) 28 (31) 34 (37) 40

cm, or suitable length

All measurements are for the finished garment = personal body measurements + movement allowance. The measurements are all according to given tension.

Yarn:

KOS (62 % baby alpaca, 9 % wool, 29 % nylon, 50 g = 150 m)

Yarn required:

Dusty pastel green #8521/Dusty lilac #4631: (2) 3 (3) 4 (4) 5 balls

Suggested knitting needles:

Circular and double pointed 5 mm and 5.5 mm

Needle sizes are only suggestions. If your knitting shows tighter tension, use thicker needles, for looser tension use thinner needle

Tension:

16 sts St-st with 5.5 mm ndls = 10 cm

Inc 1 st:

Pick up yarn between 2 sts and k tbl this new st

GSR = German Short Rows:

After each turning always sl first st p-wise, lead yarn over right ndl, pull yarn firmly at the back until 2 loops on ndl.

The 2 loops count as 1 stitch. When working rows/rnds with loops, work loops tog to 1 stitch.

Yoke:

With 5 mm circular ndl cast on (56) 58 (60) 62 (64) 66 sts. Join and work 6 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds, **while** inc evenly spaced (4) 6 (8) 10 (12) 14 sts on last rnd = (60) 64 (68) 72 (76) 80 sts.

Change to 5.5 mm circular ndl

Count (12) 14 (14) 16 (16) 17 sts, insert marker around the following (18) 18 (20) 20 (22) 23 sts (= front).

INFO: The marker specifies the front, and it helps to clearly see turning points when working short rows with **GSR.**

Work extra height at back to create a deeper neckline at front with **GSR** as follows:

Work 2 sts in on front, turn and work 2 sts in on front at the other side, turn and work (2,1,1) 2,1,1 (2,2,1) 2,2,1,1 (2,2,1,1) 2,2,1,1 sts more for every turning until a total of (4) 4 (4) 5 (5) 5 times at each side.

Work 1 rnd over all sts.

Inc as follows on next rnd: *k2, inc 1*, rep from *-* in the rnd = (90) 96 (102) 108 (114) 120 sts.

Work (3) 3 (3) 3 (4) 4 cm St-st without inc.

Inc as follows on next rnd: *k3, inc 1*, rep from *-* in the rnd = (120) 128 (136) 144 (152) 160 sts.

Work (3) 3 (4) 4 (4) 4 cm St-st without inc.

Inc as follows on next rnd: *k4, inc 1*, rep from *-* in the rnd = (150) 160 (170) 180 (190) 200 sts.

Cont until work meas approx (13) 14 (15) 16 (17) 18 cm, meas from after ribbing at back.

Divide work for sleeves, back and front as follows:

Transfer (30) 32 (35) 37 (40) 41 sts to spare ndl for sleeve, cast on (6) 6 (7) 7 (8) 9 new underarm sts, work (45) 48 (50) 53 (55) 59 sts (= front), transfer (30) 32 (35) 37 (40) 41 sts to spare ndl for sleeve, cast on (6) 6 (7) 7 (8) 9 new underarm sts, work (45) 48 (50) 53 (55) 59 sts (= back).

Back and front:

= (102) 108 (114) 120 (126) 136 sts. Cont St-st until garment meas approx (32) 36 (40) 44 (46) 48 cm, meas straight from highest point of shoulder and down, or 4 cm before suitable length.

Change to 5 mm circular ndl and work 4 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds. Cast off loosely rib-wise.

Sleeves:

Transfer sts from spare ndl to 5.5 mm double pointed ndls and knit up 1 st in each of the new underarm sts = (36) 38 (42) 44 (48) 50 sts.

TIPS: At each side of the new sts pick up yarn between sleeve sts and the

new sts, and on first rnd k this new st tog with next st to avoid hole in garment.

Insert marker at middle underarm.

Cont until sleeve meas 2 cm.

Dec 1 st at each side of marker as follows: k2tog before marker, sl 1 k-wise, k1, psso after marker.

Rep dec approx every (3) 3½ (3½) 3½ (3½) 3½ cm until (24) 26 (28) 28 (30) 30 sts rem.

Cont until sleeve meas (20) 24 (27) 30 (33) 36 cm, or 4 cm before suitable length.

Change to 5 mm double pointed ndls and work 4 ribbing k1, p1 in rnds. Cast off loosely rib-wise.

Finishing:

Fold neckband to WS and sew loosely with hidden sts.





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