



Size: UK 10 (14) - US 6 (10) - EU 36 (40)

Note: figures in brackets () refer to larger size.

Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes.

Skill Level: advanced

How much yarn: 2 balls (each ball 100g and 950m) of Opera yarn (70% Superkid Mohair, 30% Hand Dyed Silk), shade no. 30929

Needles: Pair of 4.50mm knitting needles

Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point

STITCHES

Using needles: EYELET ZIG-ZAG PATTERN:

(worked on a multiple of 13 sts plus 5 sts)

Row 1: 1 selvedge st, * K1 t.b.l. (= through back loop), P1, K1 t.b.l., P1, yon (= yarn on needle), SKIP (= slip 1 st, knit 1 st, pass slipped st over K1), K6, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l., 1 selvedge st. **Row 2:** work the sts as they appear. **Row 3:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, yrn (= yarn round needle), P1, SKIP, K5, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 5:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, yrn, P2, K1P, K4, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 7:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, yrn, P3, SKIP, K3, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 9:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, yrn, P4, SKIP, K2, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 11:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, yrn, P5, SKIP, K1, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 13:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, yrn, P5, SKIP, K1, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 15:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K6, K2tog, yfrn (= yarn forward and round needle), P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 17:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K5, K2tog, P1, yrn, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 19:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K4, K2tog, P2, yrn, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 21:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K3, K2tog, P3, yrn, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 23:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K2, K2tog, P4, yrn, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 25:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K1, K2tog, P5, yrn, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 27:** 1 selvedge st, *(K1 t.b.l., P1) twice, K2tog, P6, yrn, P1; rep from * ending with K1 t.b.l., P1, K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. **Row 28:** work the sts as they appear. Rep Rows 1-28 throughout.

TENSION

20 sts and 23 rows measure 10cm square over eyelet zig-zag pattern with 4.50 mm needles. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tensions to achieve success.

INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with 4.50 mm needles cast on 83 (92) sts and work 1 row K. Cont to work Eyelet zig-zag pattern: for larger size begin from 3rd st of pattern, rep motif 6 times, end with K1 t.b.l. and 1 selvedge st. When work measures 31(33)cm from beg, shape armholes: cast off 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Then dec 1 st at each end, inside 2 sts, on next and every alternate row 4 times. When armhole measures 18 (20)cm, cast off rem 65(74) sts.

Front: with 4.50 mm needles cast on 102 sts and work as Back but set up Eyelet zig-zag pattern as follows: 1 selvedge st, K1, begin from 5th st of pattern, rep motif 6 times ending after the 11th st of pattern, K1 and 1 selvedge st. When work measures 31(33)cm from beg, shape armholes: cast off 7 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Then dec 1 st at each end, inside 2 sts, on next and every alternate row 5 times. When work measures 40(43)cm from beg, shape neck: cast off centre 26 sts, join another ball of yarn and cont to work separately on either side, casting off on neck side every alternate row: 4 sts once, 3 sts once, 2 sts once and 1 st twice. When neck shaping measures 9 (10)cm, cast off rem 15sts on each shoulder.

Sleeves: with 4.50 mm needles cast on 70 (74) sts and work 1 row K. Cont to work in Eyelet zig-zag pattern: for larger size, work 2 sts in rev st st inside first and last selvedge st. Decrease 1 st at each end on next and every following 14th (20th) row 7(5) times. There are 56 (64) sts. When work measures 49 (51)cm from beg, shape top: cast off 6 (8) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Then dec 1 st at each end, inside 2 sts, on next and every alternate row 6 times, then on following 4th row twice and, at last, every alternate row 7 (9) times. When top shaping measures 16(18)cm, cast off rem 14 sts.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Note: wash garment carefully at low temperatures, with a very little fabric softener. Lay the garment to dry on a flat surface, without ever hanging it.