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knitting

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Hugs & Kisses™: 1 (1, 2, 2) balls 9562 Aqua

Susan Bates* Knitting Needles: Size 4.5 mm [US 7] and 5 mm [US 8]

Small stitch holder

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 18 sts = 4" (10 cm); 26 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Stockinette st using larger needles. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.

BUY YARN



RED HEART® Hugs & Kisses™, Art E896, 100% Acrylic

yarn available in 3½ oz (100 g) 254 yd (232 m) balls



Cute Alert Baby Jumper

This sweet knit jumper features yarn with a modern twist on automatic fair isle—no color changing! The yarn color fades into white and a delicate contrasting pattern stripe.

Directions are for size 6 months; changes for sizes 12, 18 and 24 months are in parentheses.

Dress measures 16 (18, 20, 21½)" (40.5 (45.5, 51, 54.5) cm) around chest and 14 (15, 16, 17)" (35.5 (38, 40.5, 43) cm) in length.

NOTE

For best results, use same color in the color sequence when casting on for Front and Back.

STITCH PATTERN

Garter Eyelet Pattern

(Worked over an odd number of sts)

Row 1 (right side): Purl.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: * K2tog, yo; repeat from * to last st. k1.

Row 4: Purl.

Repeat Rows 1-4 for Garter Eyelet pattern.

FRONT

With larger needles, cast on 57 (63, 69, 75) sts, and work 10 rows in Garter Eyelet Pattern.

Work evenly in Stockinette St (k on right side, p on wrong side) until piece measures 9 (9½, 10, 10½)" (23 (24, 25.5, 26.5) cm), beginning with a right side (knit) row and ending after a wrong side (purl) row.

Shape Bodice

Next row (dec row, right side): * K2tog, k1; repeat from * to end - 38 (42, 46, 50) sts.

Knit 5 rows, then work evenly in Stockinette St until piece measures 10½ (11, 11½, 12)" (26.5 (28, 29, 30.5) cm), ending after a wrong side row.

Shape Armhole

Row 1 (right side): Bind off 3 (4, 5, 6) sts, k to end – 35 (38, 41, 44) sts.

Row 2: Bind off 3 (4, 5, 6), p to end - 32 (34, 36, 38) sts.

Row 3: Bind off 1 st, k to end - 31 (33, 35, 37) sts.

Row 4: Bind off 1 st, p to end - 30 (32, 34, 36) sts.

Work evenly in Stockinette st until piece measures $11\frac{1}{2}$ (12, $12\frac{1}{2}$, $13\frac{1}{2}$)" (29 (30.5, 32, 34.5) cm), ending after a wrong side row

Separate for Neck

Next row (right side): K10 (10, 11, 11) and place these sts on a holder for Left Shoulder, bind off center 10 (12, 12, 14) sts for neck, k to end.

Right Shoulder

Work across 10 (10, 11, 11) Right Shoulder sts only as follows:

Row 1 (wrong side): Purl.

Row 2 (dec row, right side): K1, k2tog, k to end - 9 (9, 10, 10) sts.

Row 3 (dec row, wrong side): P to last 3 sts, p2tog, p1 - 8 (8, 9, 9) sts.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 only once more - 6 (6, 7, 7) sts.

Work evenly in Stockinette St until Right Shoulder measures 14 (15, 16, 17)" (35.5 (38, 40.5, 43) cm) from cast on edge. Bind off Right Shoulder sts.

Left Shoulder

Place 10 (10, 11, 11) Left Shoulder sts back onto needle and join new yarn with wrong side facing.

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Row 1 (wrong side): Purl.

Row 2 (dec row, right side): K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 - 9 (9, 10, 10).

Row 3 (dec row, wrong side): P1, p2tog, p to end - 8 (8, 9, 9) sts.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 only once more - 6 (6, 7, 7) sts.

Work evenly in Stockinette St until Left Shoulder measures 14 (15, 16, 17)" (35.5 (38, 40.5, 43) cm) from cast on edge. Bind off Left Shoulder sts.

BACK

Work same as Front.

FINISHING

Sew Back to Front at right shoulder only.

Neck Edging

Using smaller needles and with right facing, pick up and k 18 (18, 20, 20) sts down left Front neck edge, 10 (12, 12, 14) sts along bound off edge at Front neck, 18 (18, 20, 20) sts up right Front neck edge, 18 (18, 20, 20) sts down right Back neck edge, 10 (12, 12, 14) sts along bound off edge at Back neck, and 18 (18, 20, 20) sts up left Back neck edge – 92 (96, 104, 108) sts.

Knit 4 rows, then bind off all sts loosely.

Sew left shoulder seam.

Armhole Edging

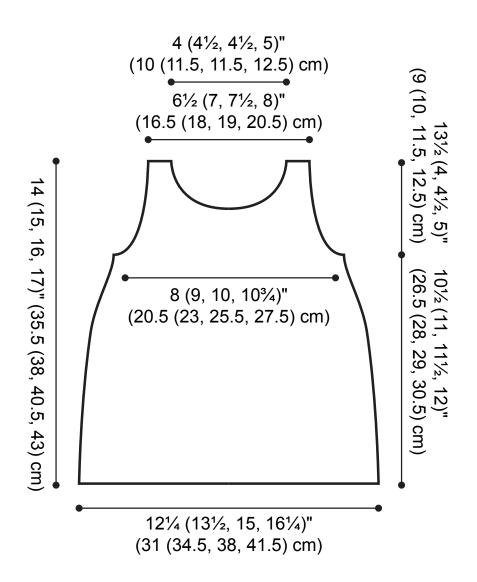
Using smaller needles and with right side facing, pick up and k 42 (48, 54, 60) sts evenly around armhole edge. Knit 4 rows, then bind off all sts loosely. Work other armhole the same.

Sew side seams. Weave in all loose ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

dec = decrease; k = knit; k2tog = knit
next 2 sts together; p = purl; p2tog
= purl next 2 sts together; st(s) =
stitch(es); yo = yarn over; * or ** =
repeat whatever follows the * or ** as
indicated.

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