



KNIT I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Beg = Begin(ning)

Dec = Decrease(ing)

K = Knit

M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop

P = Purl

PM = Place marker on needle

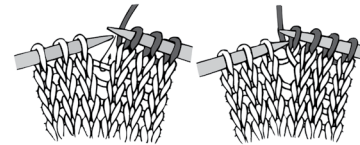
Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Slm = Slip marker

St(s) = Stitch(es)



SIZES

To fit chest measurement

6 mos 17" [43 cm]

12 mos 18" [45.5 cm]

18 mos 19" [48.5 cm]

24 mos 21" [53.5 cm]

Finished chest

6 mos 20½" [52 cm]

12 mos 21" [53.5 cm]

18 mos 22" [56 cm]

24 mos 23" [58.5 cm]

GAUGE

18 sts and 24 rows = 4" [10 cm] with larger needles in stocking stitch.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (.). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. For ease in working, circle all numbers pertaining to your size.

YOKE

Note: Pullover is worked in one piece from top down. Yoke is worked in rows then joined in the round after neck shaping. Body and sleeves are knit in rnds.

MATERIALS

Caron® Baby Cakes™ (8.5 oz/240 g; 560 yds/512 m)

Sizes 6 12 18 24 mos

Petals (55038) 2 2 2 3 balls

Sizes U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) and U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® circular knitting needles 16" [40 cm] long. Set of 4 sizes U.S. 7 (4.5 mm) and U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge**. 2 stitch holders. Susan Bates® yarn needle. Susan Bates® split-lock stitch count markers.

With A and larger circular needle, cast **30 (36-36-42)** sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth in rows across needle to shape neck edge, proceed as follows:

1st row: (RS). K2. M1. PM. K1. PM. M1. K4 (6-6-8). M1. PM. K1. PM. M1. K14 (16-16-18). M1. PM. K1. PM. M1. K4 (6-6-8). M1. PM. K1. PM. M1. K2. **38 (44-44-50)** sts.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: *Knit to next marker. M1. Slm. K1. Slm. M1. Rep from * 3 times more. Knit to end of row.

4th row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. **62 (68-68-74)** sts.

Beg working in rnds.

1st rnd: Cast on **10 (12-12-14)** sts. K5 (6-6-7). PM for beg of rnd. *Knit to next marker. M1. Slm. K1. Slm. M1. Rep from * 3 times more. Knit to end of rnd. **80 (88-88-96)** sts.

2nd rnd: Knit.

3rd rnd: *Knit to next marker. M1. Slm. K1. Slm. M1. Rep from * 3 times more. Knit to end of rnd. Rep 2nd and 3rd rnds **8 (8-9-9)** times more. **152 (160-168-176)** sts.

Work **1 (3-4-7)** rnd(s) even.

Divide for Body and Sleeves:

1st rnd: K**22 (23-24-25)**. Slip next **32 (34-36-38)** sts onto st holder for Left Sleeve. Cast on 2 sts. K**44 (46-48-50)** for Back. Slip next **32 (34-36-38)** sts onto st holder for Right Sleeve. Cast on 2 sts. K**22 (23-24-25)**. **92 (96-100-104)** sts for Body.

Knit in rnds until work from dividing rnd measures **6½ (7½-8-8½)" [16.5 (19-20.5-21.5) cm]**.

Change to smaller circular needle.

Next rnd: *K1. P1. Rep from * around.

Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing 5 times more. Cast off in ribbing.

Sleeves

With set of larger double-pointed needles, K**32 (34-36-38)** from st holder. Pick up and knit 2 underarm sts. Join in rnd. PM between picked up sts for beg of rnd. **34 (36-38-40)** sts for Sleeve. Knit in rnds, dec 1 st at beg and end of every following **9th (10th-11th-12th)** rnd 4 times. **26 (28-30-32)** sts.

Knit even in rnds until Sleeve from dividing rnd measures **7 (7½-8-9)" [18 (19-20.5-23) cm]**.

Change to smaller double-pointed needles.

Work 4 rnds in (K1. P1) ribbing as given for Body. Cast off in ribbing.

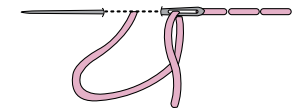
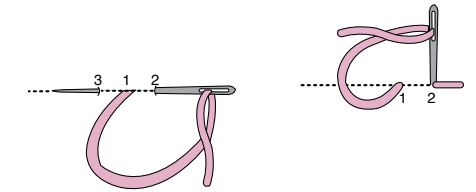
Neck Ribbing: With smaller double-pointed needles and beg at back left shoulder seam, pick up and knit **52 (54-54-60)** sts evenly around neck opening. Join in rnd. PM on first st.

Next rnd: *K1. P1. Rep from * around.

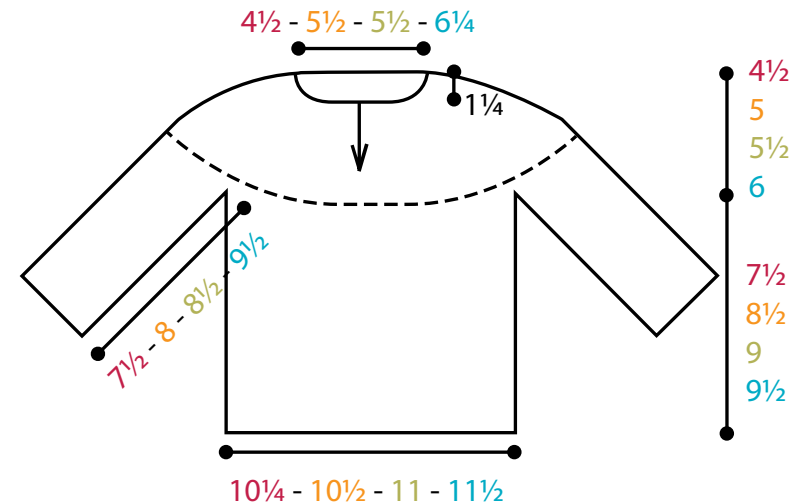
Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing 5 times more. Cast off in ribbing.

FINISHING

Use desired combination of letters on page 3. Print out, enlarging to desired size. Using tracing paper, copy onto front of sweater. Using back stitch, embroider with lightest colored section of yarn.



BACK STICH



A B C D E F G H I J
K L M N O P Q R
S T U V W X Y Z



FRONT

a b c d e f g h i j k l m n
o p q r s t u v w x y z



BACK