

NEEDLES: A pair 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles or size that give correct tension/gauge. **MATERIALS:** A Yarn Needle; 2 Buttons for Jumper; Hat elastic for Pants.

MEASUREMENTS:					ABB
Months (approx)		3	6-9	12-18	alt
Jumper					cont
Fits Underarm	cm	40	45/47	50/53	inc
To Measure (approx)	cm	46	56	58	Ρ
Length (approx)	cm	27	31	35	rep
Sleeve Length (approx)	cm	35	42	45	st/s
Pants					
Length to Ankle (approx)		35	42	45	

ABBREVIATIONS:

alt	alternate	beg	begin/ning
cont	continue	foll	following
inc	increasing	к	knit
Р	purl	rem	remaining
rep	repeat	RS	right side
st/s	stitch/es	WS	wrong side

TENSION: 21 sts and 29 rows to 10 cms/4 ins over stocking st, using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles AND 21 sts and 43 rows to 10 cms/4 ins over garter st, using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles. Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.

JUMPER BACK

Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles, cast on **51** (61-**63**) sts. Knit in garter st (1st row is WS) until work measures 16 (19-22) cms/6 (7-9) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Shape armholes - Cast off 5 sts sts at beg of next 2 rows
= 41 (51-53) sts. **

Cont without shaping until armhole measures **11** (12-**13**)cms /4 (5-5) ins, working last row on WS.

Shape Shoulders - Cast off **10** (14-**14**) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Cast off rem **21** (23-**25**) sts loosely.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Divide for front opening - Next row - K25 (30-31), turn. Cont on these 25 (30-31) sts until armhole measures 7 (7.5-8.5) cms/3 (3-3½) ins, working last row on WS. Knit 1 row.

Shape Neck - **Next row** (WS) - Cast off **10** (10-**11**) sts, knit to end = **15** (20-**20**) sts.

Next row - Knit to last 4 sts, K2tog, K2.

Cont dec one st (as before) at neck edge in every foll alt row until **10** (14-**14**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until armhole measures **11** (12-**13**)cms /**4** (5-**5**) ins, working last row on WS.

Cast off rem 10 (14-14) sts for shoulder.

With RS facing, join yarn to rem **16** (21-**22**) sts and cast on 9 sts for underflap.

Cont on these **25** (30-**31**) sts until armhole measures

7 (7.5-8.5) cms/3 (3-31/2) ins, working last row on WS.

Shape Neck - **Next row** (RS) - Cast off **10** (10-**11**) sts, knit to end = **15** (20-**20**) sts.

Knit 1 row.

Next row - K2, K2tog, knit to end.

Cont dec one st (as before) at neck edge in every foll alt row until **10** (14-**14**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until armhole measures **11** (12-**13**)cms /**4** (5-**5**) ins, working last row on WS.

Cast off rem 10 (14-14) sts for shoulder.

SLEEVES

Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles, cast on **29** (31-**33**) sts. Knit 7 rows garter st (1st row is WS).

Cont in garter st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 8th row until there are **41** (47-**51**) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures **14** (17-**20**)cms /**51**/₂ (7-**8**) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark end of sleeve seam.

Work a futher 10 rows garter st. Cast off loosely.

PANTS

LEFT LEG

Using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles, cast on **38** (38-**46**) sts.

Beg 2 x 2 rib - 1st row (RS) - K2, * P2, K2, rep from * to end. **2nd row** - P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 3 (5-6) times more.

Cont in 2 x 2 rib and working extra sts in rib, inc one st at each end of next row, then in foll 4th row = 42 (42-50) sts. Work 1 row.

Beg 2 x 6 rib - Next row - P2, * K6, P2, rep from * to end. **Next row** - K2, * P6, K2, rep from * to end.

Last 2 rows form rib for remainder throughout.

Cont in rib and working extra sts into rib, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until there are **54** (60-**66**) sts.

Cont without shaping until leg measures **15** (21-**27**) cms **/6** (8-**11**) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Shape crotch - Cast on 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = **58** (64-**70**) sts.

Work 2 rows.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 8th row until **50** (54-**58**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until crotch measures **14** (16-**17**) cms /6 ($6\frac{1}{2}$ -**7**) ins, working last row on WS.

Shape back

Note - When turning, bring yarn to front of work, slip next st onto right hand needle, yarn back, slip st back onto left hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed, this avoids holes in work.

1st row - Rib 29 (33-37), turn.

2nd row - Rib to end.

3rd row - K23 (27-31), turn.

4th row - Rib to end.

5th row - K17 (21-25), turn.

6th row - Rib to end.

7th row - Rib across all sts to end.

8th row (WS) - P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

9th row - K2, * P2, K2, rep from * to end.

Rep 8th and 9th rows twice more, then 8th row once. Cast off loosely in rib.

RIGHT LEG

Work to correspond with Left Leg, working 1 row more before beg of turnings and noting that turnings will be on opposite side to Left Leg.

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends. Jumper - Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join shoulder, side and sleeve seams to coloured threads. Sew in sleeves, placing rows above coloured threads to sts cast off at armholes and easing remainder of sleeve to fit. Slip st underflap in position. Sew on buttons to underflap as pictured. To fasten push buttons through fabric. Pants - Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join inside leg and crotch seams. Thread elastic through alt rows of rib at waist. Draw up to desired measurement and fasten off securely.

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