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Zandra Rhodes Jacket



SIZE					
S	M	L	XL	XXL	
To fit bust					
81-86	91-97	102-107	112-117	122-127	cm
32-34	36-38	40-42	44-46	48-50	in
YARN					
Kid Classic					
Striped version					
A Nightl	ly 846				
6	7	8	8	9	x 50gm
B Feather 828					
6	6	7	7	8	x 50gm
Plain version					
10	11	12	12	14	x 50gm
(Photographed in Victoria 852)					

NEEDLES

1 pair 5mm (no 6) (US 8) needles 1 pair 5½mm (no 5) (US 9) needles 5mm (no 6) (US 8) circular needle, at least 120 cm long 5½mm (no 5) (US 9) circular needle, at least 120 cm long

TENSION

18 sts and 23 rows to 10 cm measured over striped st st using 5 % mm (US 9) needles.

Striped version

UPPER STRIPE SEQUENCE

Rows 1 to 4: Using yarn A.

Row 5: Using yarn B. Row 6: Using yarn A.

These 6 rows form upper stripe sequence and are repeated throughout. **Note:** To avoid breaking and re-joining yarns whilst working the upper stripe sequence, join in a second ball of each colour as needed and carry yarn not in use up each edge.

BACK (knitted sideways, beg at right side seam)

**Using 5½mm (US 9) needles and yarn A [A:A:B:A], cast on 22 sts. Beg with a K row and upper stripe sequence row 1 [1:1:5:3] (see above), working in striped st st throughout, cont as folls:

Work 4 [6: 6: 8: 10] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape armhole

Inc 1 st at beg of next and foll 4 alt rows, then at same edge of foll 5 [7: 9: 11: 13] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. 32 [34: 36: 38: 40] sts.

Cast on 5 sts at beg of next row, then 25 sts at beg of foll alt row. 62 [64: 66: 68: 70] sts.

Work 1 [1: 1: 5] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder

Inc 1 st at beg of next and foll 4 [3:2:0:0] alt rows, then on 1 [2:3:5:5] foll 4th rows. 68 [70:72:74:76] sts.

Work 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.★★

Shape back neck

Dec 1 st at beg of next and foll 2 alt rows. 65 [67: 69: 71: 73] sts. Work 32 [32: 36: 36: 36] rows, ending with **WS** facing for next row. Inc 1 st at end of next and foll 2 alt rows. 68 [70: 72: 74: 76] sts. Work 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

***Shape shoulder

Dec 1 st at beg of next and 1 [2: 3: 5: 5] foll 4th rows, then on foll 4 [3: 2: 0: 0] alt rows. 62 [64: 66: 68: 70] sts.

Work 1 [1: 1: 5] rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape armhole

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 25 sts at beg of next row, then 5 sts at beg of foll alt row. 32 [34: 36: 38: 40] sts.

Dec 1 st at end of next row and at same edge of foll 5 [7: 9: 11: 13] rows, then on foll 4 alt rows. 22 sts.

Work 2 [4: 4: 6: 8] rows, ending after stripe row 3 [3: 3: 5: 1] and with **WS** facing for next row.

Cast off purlwise (on **WS**). ***

LEFT FRONT (knitted sideways, beg at side seam) Work from ** to ** as given for back.

Shape front slope

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 11 [11: 10: 10: 10] sts at beg of next and 1 [3: 1: 3: 5] foll alt rows, then 10 [10: 9: 9: 0] sts at beg of foll 3 [1: 4: 2: 0] alt rows.

Work 1 row, ending after stripe row 6 and with RS facing for next row.

Cast off rem 16 sts.

RIGHT FRONT (knitted sideways beg at front opening edge) Using 5½mm (US 9) needles and yarn A, cast on 16 sts.

Beg with a P row and upper stripe sequence row 4 (see above), working in striped st st throughout, cont as folls:

Work 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape front slope

Keeping stripes correct, cast on and K across 10 [10: 9: 9: 10] sts at beg of next and 2 [0: 3: 1: 5] foll alt rows, then 11 [11: 10: 10: -] sts at beg of foll 2 [4: 2: 4: -] alt rows. 68 [70: 72: 74: 76] sts.

Work 3 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Complete as given for back from *** to ***.

LOWER STRIPE SEQUENCE

Rows 1 to 6: Using yarn B.

Rows 7 to 10: Using yarn A.

These 10 rows form lower stripe sequence and are repeated throughout.

LOWER SECTION

Join side seams.

With RS facing, using 5 1/2mm (US 9) circular needle and yarn A cast on 2 sts, using yarn B [B: A: A: B] cast on 50 [52: 54: 56: 58] sts, pick up and knit 38 [43: 47: 53: 59] sts evenly along lower edge of left front from opening edge to side seam, 92 [102: 113: 122: 135] sts from back, 38 [43: 47: 53: 59] sts evenly along right front lower edge from side seam to front opening edge, turn, cast on 50 [52: 54: 56: 58] sts, then using a separate ball of yarn A cast on 2 sts. 272 [296: 319: 344: 373] sts.

Place markers at both ends of last row.

Twisting yarns on **WS** when changing yarns (to avoid a hole), cont as folls:

Row 1 (WS): Using yarn A K2, using yarn B [B: A: A: B] P to last 2 sts, using yarn A K2.

Row 2: Using yarn A K2, using yarn B [B: B: A: A] K to last 2 sts, using yarn A K2.

Row 3: Using yarn A K2, using yarn B [B: B: A: A] P to last 2 sts, using yarn A K2.

Row 4: Using yarn A K2, using yarn A [B: B: A] K to last 2 sts, using yarn A K2.

Last 4 rows set the sts - striped st st with borders worked in g st using yarn A.

Cont as set, working borders in g st and yarn A only and rem sts in striped st st beg with lower stripe sequence row 8 [6: 4: 2: 10] (see above) until lower section meas approx 32 [33: 34: 35: 36] cm, ending with stripe row 6 and RS facing for next row.

Break off yarn B and extra ball of yarn A.

Change to 5mm (US 8) circular needle.

Using yarn A, work in g st for 3 rows, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

Cast off knitwise (on WS).

SLEEVES

Using 5mm (US 8) needles and yarn A, cast on 50 [52: 54: 54: 56] sts. Work in g st for 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row. Change to 5½mm (US 9) needles.

Beg with a K row and lower stripe sequence row 1, working in striped st st throughout, cont as folls:

Shape sides by inc 1 st at each end of 3rd and every foll 4th row to 54 [60: 60: 72: 80] sts, then on every foll 6th row to 80 [84: 86: 90: 94] sts.

Cont straight until sleeve meas 43 [44: 45: 45: 45] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape top

Keeping stripes correct, cast off 4 [5:5:6:7] sts at beg of next 2 rows. 72 [74:76:78:80] sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 rows, then on every foll alt row until 36 sts rem, then on foll 5 rows, ending with RS facing for next row. 26 sts.

Cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Cast off rem 18 sts.

MAKING UP

Press as described on the information page.

Join both shoulder seams using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

Collar

With RS facing, using 5½mm (US 9) circular needle and yarn A, beg and ending at markers on lower section, pick up and knit 2 sts from cast-on edge of border, 50 [52: 54: 56: 58] sts along cast-on edge of right lower section, 16 sts up right front opening edge to beg of front slope shaping, 53 [55: 57: 59: 61] sts up right front slope, 4 sts down right side of back neck, 25 [25: 27: 27: 27] sts from back, 4 sts up left side of back neck, 53 [55: 57: 59: 61] sts down left front slope, to beg of front slope shaping, 16 sts down left front opening edge, and 50 [52: 54: 56: 58] sts along cast-on edge of left lower section, then 2 sts from cast-on edge of border.

275 [283: 293: 301: 309] sts.

Row 1 (WS): K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Row 2: K to end.

Row 3: K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Row 4: Using yarn A K2, using yarn B K to last 2 sts, using a separate ball of yarn A K2.

Last 4 rows set the sts - striped st st with borders worked in g st using yarn A.

Twisting yarns on **WS** when changing yarns (to avoid a hole), cont as folls:

Cont as set, working borders in g st and yarn A only and rem sts in striped st st beg with lower stripe sequence row 2 (see above) until collar meas approx 18 cm, ending with stripe row 9 and **WS** facing for next row.

Break off yarn B and extra ball of yarn A.

Cast off purlwise (on WS).

Fold collar in half to **WS** and slip st into position.

See information page for finishing instructions, setting in sleeves using the set-in method.

Plain version

BACK

Work as given for back of striped version but using same colour throughout.

LEFT FRONT (knitted sideways, beg at side seam)

Work from ** to ** as given for back of striped version but using same colour throughout.

Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT (knitted sideways beg at front opening edge)

Using 5½mm (US 9) needles cast on 68 [70: 72: 74: 76] sts.

Beg with a P row, work in st st for 5 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Complete as given for back of striped version from *** to *** but

using same colour throughout.

LOWER SECTION

Join side seams.

With RS facing, using 5½mm (US 9) circular needle cast on 52 [54: 56: 58: 60] sts, pick up and knit 30 [35: 39: 44: 50] sts evenly along lower edge of left front from opening edge to side seam, 92 [102: 113: 122: 135] sts from back, 30 [35: 39: 44: 50] sts evenly along right front lower edge from side seam to front opening edge, turn and cast on 52 [54: 56: 58: 60] sts. 256 [280: 303: 326: 355] sts.

Place markers at both ends of last row.

Row 1 (WS): K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Row 2: K to end.

Rep last 2 rows until lower section meas 32 [33: 34: 35: 36] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 5mm (US 8) circular needle.

Work in g st for 3 rows, ending with **WS** facing for next row. Cast off knitwise (on **WS**).

SLEEVES

Work as given for sleeves of striped version but using same colour throughout.

MAKING UP

Press as described on the information page.

Join both shoulder seams using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

Collar

With RS facing, using 5½mm (US 9) circular needle beg and ending at markers on lower section, pick up and knit 2 sts from cast-on edge of border, 50 [52: 54: 56: 58] sts along cast-on edge of right lower section, 68 [70: 72: 74: 76] sts up right front opening edge, 4 sts down right side of back neck, 25 [25: 27: 27: 27] sts from back, 4 sts up left side of back neck, 68 [70: 72: 74: 76] sts down left front opening edge, and 50 [52: 54: 56: 58] sts along cast-on edge of left lower section, then 2 sts from cast-on edge of border.

273 [281: 291: 299: 307] sts.

Row 1 (WS): K2, P to last 2 sts, K2.

Row 2: K to end.

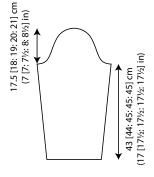
Rep last 2 rows until collar meas 17 [17: 18: 18: 18] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

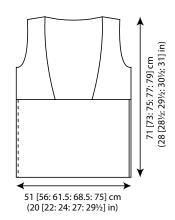
Change to 5mm (US 8) circular needle.

Work in g st for 3 rows, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

Cast off knitwise (on WS).

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