

Lil Sailor

— Sweater —

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General Information

It is essential to work to the stated tension to ensure success and you should always start by knitting a tension square before knitting the full garment.

If you have too many stitches to stated tension, your tension is too tight and you should change to a larger needle. If there are too few stitches, your tension is too loose and you should change to a smaller needle. Please check individual patterns for tension before starting the garment.

Instructions given are for the 1st size, with larger sizes in brackets. Where only one figure or instruction is given, this applies to all sizes. Work all directions inside brackets to the number of times stated.



Abbreviations

alt	alternate	Р	purl
beg	beginning	patt	pattern
cm	centimetres	pm	place marker
cont	continue	psso	pass slipped stitch over
dec	decrease(ing)	rep	repeat
foll	following	rem	remain(ing)
g st	garter stitch	RH	right hand
g	grammes	RS	right side
in	inch(es)	st(s)	stitch(es)
inc	increase(ing)	st st	stocking stitch
K	knit	sm	slip marker
kfb	knit into front and back	sl1	slip one stitch knitways
LH	left hand	tog	together
meas	measures	tbl	through back of loops
m1(p)	pick up loop between last	WS	wrong side
	and next st and work into the	wyif	with yarn in front
	back of this loop	yfrn	yarn forward and round needle
		yo	yarn forward and over needle

Sizing * The sizing chart is given as a guide only.

To Fit Chest (approximately)								
cm	32	42	48	51	52	55	56	
Age	4lbs (Premature)			2.6	C 0	9-12mo	12-18mo	

^{*}West Yorkshire Spinners cannot be held liable for any garments not fitting correctly. mo = months



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MEASUREMENTS

To Fit							
size	7lbs	0-3mo	3-6mo	6-9mo	9-12mo	12-18mo	
Actual Width (laid flat)							
cm	22	25	26	27	28	29	
Full Length							
cm	22	24	26	28	30	32	
Sleeve Length							
cm	10	12	15	17	19	21	

YARN

West Yorkshire Spinners - Bo Peep 4 Ply

Sailboat (144) 1 [1:1:2:2:2] x 50g В Splash Time (834) 1 [1:1:1:1:2] x 50g

MATERIALS

1 Pair 2.75mm (US 2/UK 12) knitting needles 1 Pair 3.25mm (US 3/UK 10) knitting needles Stitch holders

4 Buttons

TENSION

28 sts and 36 rows to 10cm measured over st st on larger needles or size needed to achieve stated tension.

VERY IMPORTANT - IT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORK TO THE STATED TENSION TO ENSURE SUCCESS.



DESCRIPTION

AN ADORABLE STRIPED SWEATER SIZES NEWBORN (7LBS) TO 12-18 MONTHS

SKILL LEVEL







SWEATER



BACK

Using 2.75mm needles cast on 66 [74:74:78:82:82] sts.

Row 1 (RS): K2, * p2, k2, rep from * to end.

Row 2: * P2, k2, rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

These 2 rows set rib.

Work 5 [5:5:5:7:7] rows more in rib, ending with **WS** facing for next row.

Next row: Rib to end and **AT SAME TIME** dec 2 [2:0:2:2:0] sts across row. 64 [72:74:76:80:82] sts.

Change to 3.25mm needles and B.

Working in stripe pattern of 4 rows B, 2 rows A, beg with a K row and working in st st throughout, cont until work meas 11 [12:14:15:17:18]cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape armholes

Next row: K2, sl1, k1, psso, knit to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: P2, p2tog, purl to last 4 sts, p2togtbl, p2. 60 [68:70:72:76:78] sts.

These 2 rows set armhole shaping.

Dec 1 st as set at each end of next 3 rows, then on 1 [2:2:2:2:2] foll RS rows. 52 [58:60:62:66:68] sts.

Cont without shaping until you have completed 6 row repeat, ending with RS facing for next row. **

Using B only, cont without shaping until armhole meas 10 [11:11:12:12:13]cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulders

Cast off 6 [7:7:8:8:9] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Cast off 7 [8:8:8:9:9] sts at beg of next 2 rows. 26 [28:30:30:32:32] sts.

Cast off rem 26 [28:30:30:32:32] sts.

FRONT

Work as given for Back to **.

Using B only, cont until armhole meas 6 [7:7:7:7] cm for all sizes, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape front neck

Next row: K17 [19:19:20:22:23], turn and leave rem 35 [39:41:42:44:45] sts on a holder.

Work each side of neck separately.

Dec 1 st at neck edge of next 4 [4:4:4:5:5] rows. 13 [15:15:16:17:18] sts.

Work 1 [1:1:3:2:4] rows, ending with RS facing for next row. (Work should now meas 8 [9 [9:10:10:11]cm, the last 2cm needed to match the back are formed by the shoulder buttonband)

Shape shoulder

Next row: Cast off 6 [7:7:8:8:9] sts, knit to end.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 7 [8:8:8:9:9] sts.

With RS facing, cast off 18 [20:22:22:22] sts for front neck, rejoin yarn to rem sts and knit to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge of next 4 [4:4:4:5:5] rows. 13 [15:15:16:17:18] sts.

Work 2 [2:2:4:3:5] rows, ending with WS facing for next row.

(Work should now meas 8 [9:9:10:10:11]cm)

Shape shoulder

Next row: Cast off 6 [7:7:8:8:9] sts, purl to end.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 7 [8:8:8:9:9] sts.

SLEEVES

Using 2.75mm needles and A cast on 34 [38:38:42:42:42] sts.

Row 1 (RS): K2, * p2, k2, rep from * to end.

Row 2: * P2, k2, rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

These 2 rows set rib.

Work 4 [4:4:6:6:6] rows more in rib, ending with RS facing for next row.

Next row: Rib to end, dec 0 [0:0:1:0:0] st at each end of row. 34 [38:38:40:42:42] sts.

Change to 3.25mm needles.

Beg with a K row and working in st st throughout, inc 1 st at each end of 3rd and O [4:8:0:4:4] foll - [RS:4th:-:4th:4th] rows then on every foll RS [4th:6th:4th:6th:6th] row to 56 [58:58:64:64:66] sts.

Cont without shaping until sleeve meas 10 [12:15:17:19:21]cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape sleeve top

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 rows, then on 1 [2:2:2:2:2] foll RS rows. 44 [44:44:50:50:52] sts.

Cast off 6 [6:6:7:7:7] sts at beg of next 6 rows. 8 [8:8:8:8:10] sts. Cast off rem 8 [8:8:8:8:10] sts.

MAKING UP

Front neckband

With RS facing, using 2.75mm needles, pick up and knit 7 [7:8:8:8:11] sts down left side of neck, 18 [18:20:20:20:22] sts from front neck and pick up and knit 7 [7:8:8:8:11] sts up right side of neck. 32 [32:36:36:36:44] sts.

Row 1 (WS): K1, * p2, k2, rep from * to last 3 sts, p2, k1.

Row 2: K3, * p2, k2, rep from * to last st, k1.

These 2 rows set rib.

Work 5 rows as set.

Cast off in rib.

Back neckband

With RS facing, using 2.75mm needles, pick up and knit 24 [28:28:28:32:32] sts.

Work 7 rows in rib as set on front neckband.

Back shoulder buttonbands (Both alike)

With RS facing, using 2.75mm needles, pick up and knit 20 [20:20:24:24:24] sts from shoulder and back neckband.

Row 1 (WS): K1, * p2, k2, rep from * to last 3 sts, p2, k1.

Row 2: K3, * p2, k2, rep from * to last st, k1.

These 2 rows set rib.

Work 5 rows more as set.

Cast off in rib.

Left shoulder buttonhole band

With RS facing, using 2.75mm needles, pick up and knit 20 [20:20:24:24:24] sts from

shoulder and front neckband.

Work 2 rows in rib as set for shoulder buttonband.

Next row: Rib 3, cast off 2 sts (1 st left on needle), rib 5 [5:5:7:7:7], cast off 2 sts (1 st left on needle), rib to end.

Next row: Rib 7 [7:7:9:9:9], cast on 2 sts, (rib 6 [6:6:8:8:8],

cast on 2 sts), rib 3.

Work 3 rows more in rib.

Cast off in rib.

Right shoulder buttonhole band

With RS facing, using 2.75mm needles, pick up and knit 20 [20:20:24:24:24] sts from shoulder and front neckband.

Work 2 rows in rib as set for buttonbands.

Next row: Rib 7 [7:7:9:9:9], cast off 2 sts (1 st left on needle), rib 5 [5:5:7:7:7], cast off 2 sts (1 st left on needle), rib 2.

Next row: Rib 3, cast on 2 sts, rib 6 [6:6:8:8:8], cast on 2 sts, rib to end.

Work 3 rows more in rib.

Cast off in rib.

Placing buttonhole band on top of buttonband sew in place at armhole edge.

loin side and sleeve seams.

Matching cast offs and decreases then easing rem fabric in to place, sew in sleeves.

Sew on buttons.

See ball band for care instructions.





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