

YARNSMITHS



Knitting
Intermediate

46 - 61cm

18 - 24ins

Approx. 3 Months - 5 Years

play
BABY DK

Murphy
Design N°.

7100

Murphy Bolero

Materials and Measurements

Bolero				
To fit chest sizes				
46	51	56	61	cm
18	20	22	24	ins
Actual Measurements at under arm				
50	55	61	66	cm
19.5	21.75	24	26	ins
Length to shoulder				
25	29	33	38	cm
9.75	11.5	13	15	ins
Sleeve Seam				
2	2	2	2	cm
0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	ins
Yarnsmiths Play Baby DK				
Bolero				
1	1	1	2	Balls
1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - US6) and 3.25mm (UK10 - US3) Knitting Needles. 3.25mm (UK10 - US3) Circular Needle. 3 Buttons				
Photographed using Shade: IB010				

Instructions given for smallest size, larger sizes given in brackets. Where only one figure is given this applies to all sizes. Please note that the limitations of the printing process mean the actual colour will not always precisely match the colours in the photograph.

IMPORTANT

Use only the Yarnsmiths yarn specified. We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used. It is essential to work to the tension stated. The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

TENSION

It is important to check your tension before commencing the garment.

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm (4ins) over st st on 4mm needles. If there are too many stitches to 10cm, then your tension is tight and you will need to change your needle to a larger size. If there are too few stitches to 10cm, then your tension is loose and you will need to change your needle to a smaller size.

ABBREVIATIONS

alt - alternate; **beg** - beginning; **cm** - centimetres; **dec** - decrease; **g st** - garter stitch (K every row); **inc** - increase; **ins** - inches; **K** - Knit; **P** - Purl; **patt** - pattern; **rept** - repeat; **st(s)** - stitch(es); **st st** - stocking stitch (K 1 row, P 1 row); **tog** - together; **yfwd** - yarn forward; **yrn** - yarn round needle (to make a stitch); **psso** - pass slipped stitch over; **ws** - wrong side; **rs** - right side; **rem** - remain(ing); **fol** - follow(ing);

cont - continue.

BACK

Using 4mm needles, cast on 67 (75, 85, 95) sts. Starting with a K row, work in st st throughout as follows:-

Dec 1 st at each end of 7th (9th, 5th, 5th) and every foll 6th row until 55 (61, 67, 73) sts rem.

Work 3 rows, ending with a ws row. (Back should measure 14 (17, 20, 24)cm, 5.5 (6.5, 7.75, 9.5)ins).

Shape armholes

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 51 (57, 63, 69) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then on foll 1 (2, 3, 4) alt rows. 43 (47, 51, 55) sts.

Cont straight until armhole measures 10 (11, 12, 13)cm, 4 (4.25, 4.75, 5)ins, ending with a ws row.

Shape shoulders

Cast off 5 (5, 6, 6) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 5 (6, 6, 7) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast off rem 23 (25, 27, 29) sts.

LEFT FRONT

Using 4mm needles, cast on 17 (18, 20, 22) sts. Starting with a K row, work in st st throughout as follows:-

Work 1 row, ending with a rs row.

Inc 1 st at beg of next row and at same edge on foll 7 rows, then on foll 4 (6, 8, 9) alt rows, then on 2 (3, 4, 5) foll 4th rows, then on 2(2, 2, 3) foll 6th rows and at same time dec 1 st at beg of 6th (8th, 4th, 4th) and 5 (6, 8, 10) foll 6th rows. 27 (30, 33, 36) sts.

Work 3 rows, ending with a ws row.

Shape armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row. 25 (28, 31, 34) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge of next 3 rows, then on foll 1 (2, 3, 4) alt rows. 21 (23, 25, 27) sts.

Cont straight until 11 (11, 13, 13) rows less have been worked than

on back to start of shoulder shaping, ending with a rs row.

Shape front neck

Cast off 5 (6, 6, 7) sts at beg of next row. 16 (17, 19, 20) sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge of next 3 rows, then on foll 3 (3, 4, 4) alt rows. 10 (11, 12, 13) sts.

Work 1 row, ending with a ws row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 5(5, 6, 6) sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 5 (6, 6, 7) sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Using 4mm needles, cast on 17 (18, 20, 22) sts. Starting with a K row, work in st st throughout as follows: Work 1 row, ending with a rs row. Inc 1 st at end of next row and at same edge on foll 7 rows, then on foll 4 (6, 8, 9) alt rows, then on 2(3, 4, 5) foll 4th rows, then on 2 (2, 2, 3) foll 6th rows and at same time dec 1 st at end of 6th (8th, 4th, 4th) and 5 (6, 8, 10) foll 6th rows. 27(30, 33, 36) sts.

Work 4 rows, ending with a rs row.

Shape armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row. 25 (28, 31, 34) sts.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge of next 3 rows, then on foll 1 (2, 3, 4) alt rows. 21 (23, 25, 27) sts.

Cont straight until 10 (10, 12, 12) rows less have been worked than on back to start of shoulder shaping, ending with a ws row.

Shape front neck

Cast off 5(6, 6, 7) sts at beg of next row. 16 (17, 19, 20) sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge of next 3 rows, then on foll 3 (3, 4, 4) alt rows. 10 (11, 12, 13) sts.

Work 1 row, ending with a rs row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 5(5, 6, 6) sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 5 (6, 6, 7) sts.

SLEEVES (both alike)

Using 4mm needles, cast on 43 (47, 51, 55) sts. Starting with a K row, work in st st throughout as follows:-

Work 2 rows, ending with a ws row.

Shape top

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 39 (43, 47, 51) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 rows, then on foll 2 alt rows, then on foll 7 (9, 11, 13) rows, ending with a ws row.

Cast off rem 11 sts.

NECKBAND

Join both shoulder seams.

With rs facing and using 3.25mm needles, starting and ending at front opening edges, pick up and knit 15(16, 18, 19) sts up right side of neck, 22 (26, 28, 29) sts from back, and 15 (16, 18, 19) sts down left side of neck. 52 (58, 64, 67) sts. **Work in g st for 2 rows, ending with a rs row. Now work picot cast-off as follows: cast off 2 sts, *slip st on right needle back onto left needle, cast on 2 sts, cast off 5 sts, rept from * to end, ending last rept by casting off rem 4 sts.

SLEEVE EDGINGS (both alike)

With rs facing and using 3.25mm needles, pick up and knit 43(46, 52, 55) sts evenly along cast-on edge of sleeve. Complete as given for neckband from**.

FRONT AND HEM EDGING

Join side seams.

With rs facing and using 3.25mm circular needle, starting and

ending at top of neckband, pick up and knit 18 (20, 21, 23) sts down left front opening edge to last inc, 36 (44, 52, 64) sts down shaped row-end edge to cast-on edge, 17 (18, 20, 22) sts from left front cast-on edge, 66 (74, 85, 95) sts from back cast-on edge, 17(18, 20, 22) sts from right front cast-on edge, 36 (44, 52, 64) sts up right front shaped row-end edge to last inc, then 18 (20, 21, 23) sts up right front opening edge. 208 (238, 271, 313) sts.

1st row (ws) - Knit.

2nd row - K to last 17 (19, 21, 23) sts, *yfwd, K2tog (to make a buttonhole), K5 (6, 7, 8), rept from * once more, yfwd, K2tog, K1.

Now work picot cast-off as follows: cast off 2 sts, *slip st on right needle back onto left needle, cast on 2 sts, cast off 5 sts, rept from * to end, ending last rept by casting off rem 4 sts.

TO MAKE UP

Join sleeve seams. Insert sleeves into armholes. Sew on buttons.

FINISHING

Block or press if desired.

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