



**SUPERSOFT**  
FLAPPER DRESS



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## SIZE

Italian size 44 = US size 10 (approx. Medium).

## NOTE!

The original pattern requires the use of LISBONA yarn for the ruffled skirt (it is a fancy tape-yarn with pompons along an edge and loops on opposite edge). Unfortunately, that is not a yarn we carry. Below we listed some replacements that could work. If you have a favorite ruffled-type yarn you would like to use, please feel free to do so. If you know of a yarn that it might be a better fit for this project, we encourage you to let us know so we can list it.

## MATERIALS

- 7 50g balls of Lana Gatto **SUPERSOFT** shade #13278 Medium Green.
- 1 100g ball of Euro Yarns **WAVY** shade #4 Green/Moss, OR
- 1 100g ball of Knitting Fever **RIPPLE** shade #110 Greens, OR
- 1 100g ball of Knitting Fever **TEAR DROP** shade #4 Green.
- One pair size US 9 (5.5mm) needles or size to obtain gauge.
- Cable needle.
- Size G-6 (4mm) crochet hook.
- Tapestry needle with rounded point.

## STITCHES

### USING KNITTING NEEDLES:

**Stockinette stitch**

**Reverse Stockinette stitch**

**Cable Stitch (multiple of 15 sts plus 6)** See Chart.

Rep Rows 1-8 throughout. Work 4 st Left Cable as follows: sl 2 sts to cable needle and hold to front of work, k2 sts, k2 sts from cable needle.

**Fancy Rib**

Work as Cable Stitch but on Row 7 work k4 instead of 4 st Left Cable.

**Peacock Pattern With Ruffle (multiple of 13 sts)** See Chart.

Work Rows 1-18, then rep from Row 3. Make ruffle as follows: spread ruffled-type yarn to obtain a ribbon. Using crochet hook and **SuperSoft** yarn work a sl st row across edge with loops of ribbon (opposite to edge with pompons) as follows: join yarn into first loop with a sl st, 1 ch, \* 1 sl st

in next loop; rep from \* until there are as many sts as knitted sts to insert ruffle (see Chart). Fast off. Place sl st row in front of RS of knitted piece and, using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles and **SuperSoft** yarn, work Row 11 (see Chart) inserting right needle every time at once before into sl st of ruffle and after into st on left needle. In this manner the ruffle is joined to knitted piece.

### USING CROCHET HOOK:

**Chain stitch [ch]**

**Slip stitch [sl st]**

**Single stitch**

**Double stitch**

**Shell stitch (multiple of 3 sts)**

**First round:** 4 ch (1 sc plus 3 ch), 2 dc into first st below, \* miss 2 sts, (1 sc, 3 ch, 2 dc) into next st; rep from \* to end, join with a sl st into first ch.

## GAUGE

15 sts and 24 rows to 4in/10cm over Peacock Pattern with Ruffle, using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles.

19 sts and 24 rows to 4in/10cm over Cable st and Fancy Rib, using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles.

## ABBREVIATIONS

beg	begin[ning]	patt	pattern
cm	centimeters	rem	remain[ing]
cont	continue[ing]	rep	repeat
dec	decrease[ing]	RS	right side[s]
g	grams	st[s]	stitch[es]
in	inch[es]	tog	together
inc	increase[ing]	WS	wrong side[s]
k	knit	wyib	with yarn in back
mm	millimeters	wyif	with yarn in front
p	purl	yo	yarn over

## BACK

Commence to work skirt bottom-up. Using size US 9 (5.5mm) needles and **SuperSoft** yarn, cast on 80 sts and work 5 rows in Reverse Stockinette st, starting first row k on WS and ending 5th row k on WS. Then work 66 rows in Peacock patt with ruffle,



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working 1 selvedge st at beg and at end of each row. Work once more only Rows 3-10 of Peacock patt with ruffle. Cont to work in Stockinette st, dec 14 sts evenly across first row. 66 sts rem. Insert another ruffle across 3rd row as made for Row 11 of Peacock patt.

Work 5th row (RS) dec 18 sts as follows: k1, k2 tog, \* k4, sssk (= sl 3 sts separately to right needle as if to knit, sl left needle into these 3 sts from left to right and knit them tog: 3 stitches become 1), rep from \* to last 7 sts, k4, ssk (= sl 2 sts separately to right needle as if to knit, sl left needle into these 2 sts from left to right and knit them tog: 2 stitches become 1), k1. 48 sts rem. Work 7th row (RS – eyelet row) as follows: k1, k2 tog, \* k1, 2yo (yarn over needle twice), k1, sssk; rep from \* to last 5 sts, k1, 2yo, k1, ssk, k1.

Work 8th row (WS) as follows: p the purls sts and (p1, k1, p1) into each 2yo. There are 57 sts.

Work bodice as follows: 3 sts in Stockinette st, 51 sts in Fancy Rib, 3 sts in Stockinette st. Cont to work evenly until bodice measures 10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in/27cm. Cast on 15 sts at beg of next 2 rows for sleeves. Work first and last 3 sts in Stockinette st and center 81 sts in Fancy Rib. When piece measures 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in/20cm from sleeve beg, bind off all sts.

## FRONT

Work as Back until bodice measures 10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in/27cm. Cast on 15 sts at beg of next 2 rows for sleeves. Work first and last 3 sts in Stockinette st and center 81 sts in Cable st. Work even until bodice measures 15<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in/40cm. Shape neck.

**Next row (RS):** work 37 sts, join another ball of yarn and bind off center 13 sts, work to end. Working both sides at once, bind off from each neck edge 3 sts once, 2 sts once, dec 1 st every other row 3 times. Bind off rem 29 sts each side until piece measures same length as Back.

## FINISHING

Sew shoulder, side and sleeve seams. With crochet hook and RS join **SuperSoft** yarn at shoulder seam with a sl st, 1 ch and work 84 sc all around neckedge, join with a sl st to first sc, then work 1 round in Shell st. With crochet hook and RS join **SuperSoft** yarn at sleeve seam with a sl st, 1 ch and work 74 sc all around sleeve edge, join with a sl st to first sc, then work 1 round in Shell st. Work same edging around other sleeve. Cut a long stripe from ruffled-type yarn end insert it into eyelet row, starting and ending at half back. Tie the ends into a bow at back 



