



*Ella rae*

*Lace Merino Worsted*



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## PONCHO

### YARN

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Col. No.	Quantity x 100g Hanks
118	10

### One Size

Width approx 90 cm

Length 70 cm

### NEEDLES

1 pair 4.00mm needles (US 6)

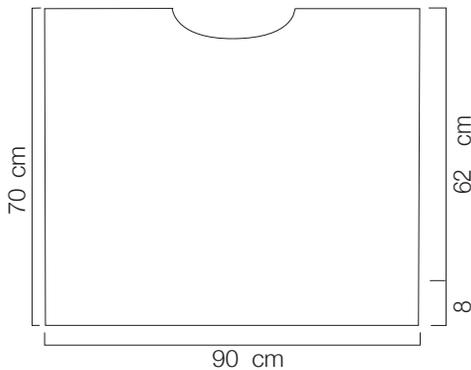
1 pair 4.50mm needles (US 7)

### TENSION/GAUGE

20 sts and 25 rows measured over 10 cm of

Pattern using 4.50mm needles.

**Note** This yarn is hand dyed to give it unique character, it is therefore advised to work from 2 hanks at a time as this will help blend the colours and avoid any inconsistencies.



### Special Abbreviations

**ssk** (slip, slip, knit) slip 1st and 2nd sts knitwise, one at a time. Insert tip of left-hand needle into fronts of these 2 sts from left and knit tog.

**yo** (yarn over) take the yarn over the top of the needle once before making the next st.

**Kb1 (or Pb1)** Knit (or purl) into back of neck st.

### Flame Chevron Pattern (multi 7 + 4)

Row 1 (WS and all foll WS rows) Purl.

Row 2 K3 \* ssk, k5, yo; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 4 K3 \* ssk, k4, yo, k1; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 6 K3 \* ssk, k3, yo, k2; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 8 K3 \* ssk, k2, yo, k3; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 10 K3 \* ssk, k1, yo, k4; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 12 K3 \* ssk, yo, k5; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 14 K1 \* yo, k5, k2tog; rep from \* to last 3 sts, k3.

Row 16 K2 \* yo, k4, k2tog, k1; rep from \* to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 18 K3 \* yo, k3, k2tog, k2; rep from \* to last st, k1.

Row 20 K4 \* yo, k2, k2tog, k3; rep from \* to end.

Row 22 K5 \* yo, k1, k2tog, k4; rep from \* to last repeat, yo, k1, k2tog, k3.

Row 24 K6 \* yo, k2tog, k5; rep from \* to last repeat, yo, k2tog, k3.

These 24 rows form pattern repeat.

### BACK

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 151 sts.

Row 1 (RS) \* Kb1, pb1; rep from \* to last st, kb1.

Row 2 (WS) \* Pb1, kb1; rep from \* to last st, pb1.

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont working in rib, until length measures 8 cm, ending on a WS row.

Change to 4.50mm needles.

Now cont working in patt rep until length (incl rib) measures 65 cm, ending on a WS row.

**Shape neck** (RS) Patt 87 sts, turn, leave rem sts on a holder. Work each side of neck separately.

(WS) Cast off 5 sts, p to end.

(RS) Patt 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. [72 sts]

Cont working straight until length (incl rib) measures 70 cm, ending on a WS row.

Cast off rem sts.

With RS facing, rejoin to rem sts, cast off 26 centre sts, patt to end.

(WS) P 1 row.

(RS) Cast off 5 sts, patt to end.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. [72 sts]

Cont working straight until length (incl rib) measures 70 cm, ending on a WS row.

Cast off rem sts.

### FRONT

Work as for back.

### MAKING UP

Press pieces gently on WS, using a warm iron over a damp cloth.

Join right shoulder seam.

### Collar

With RS facing, using 4.00mm needles, pickup and knit 52 sts along front neck edge and

52 sts along back neck edge. (104 sts)

Work in twisted rib as for back and front bands until length measures 20 cm, ending on a WS row.

Cast off in rib.

Sew left shoulder and collar seams.

### Side bands

With right side facing, using 4.00mm needles, pickup and knit 301 sts along side edge of Poncho.

Row 1 (WS) Pb1 \* kb1, pb1; rep from \* to end.

Row 2 (RS) Kb1 \* pb1, kb1; rep from \* to end.

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont working in rib until length measures 8 cm, ending on a WS row.

Cast off in rib.

Repeat along remaining edge of Poncho.