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SIZE

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

MATERIALS

- 8 50g balls of Lana Gatto **SUPERSOFT** shade #10173 Steel Blue.
- One pair size US 8 (5 mm) needles or size to obtain gauge.
- Size US 7 (4.5 mm) crochet hook.
- Stitch markers.

STITCHES

USING KNITTING NEEDLES:

Garter stitch

Stockinette stitch

Reverse Stockinette stitch

Ripple stitch (worked on multiple of 10 sts plus 4)

Row 1: * k5, yo, (k1, 2 yo – wind yarn on needle twice) 4 times, k1, yo; rep from * to last 4 sts, k4.

Row 2: p, dropping all yo (the sts become elongated).

Rows 3 and 4: k.

Row 5: * (k1, 2 yo) 4 times, k1, yo, k5, yo; rep from * to last 4 sts, k4.

Row 6: rep Row 2.

Rows 7 and 8: k.

Rep rows 1-8 for Ripple st.

USING CROCHET HOOK:

Chain stitch

Slip stitch

Single crochet

Reverse single crochet (rev sc)

Insert hook in next st, working from left to right, yo, pull up a loop (lp), yo, pull through 2 lps on hook.

GAUGE

18 sts and 24 rows to 4in/10cm over Stockinette st using size US 8 (5mm) needles.

18 sts and 24 rows to 4in/10cm over Ripple st using size US 8 (5mm) needles.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg	begin[ning]	rem	remain[ing]
ch	chain	rep	repeat
cm	centimeters	RS	right side[s]
dec	decrease[ing]	sc	Single crochet
g	grams	sl	slipped
in	inch[es]	st[s]	stitch[es]
k	knit	tog	together
mm	milimeters	wyib	with yarn in back
p	purl	wyif	with yarn in front
patt	pattern	WS	wrong side[s]

BACK

Using size US 8 (5mm) needles cast on 76 sts. Work 8 rows in Garter st for border (approx 1in/2.5cm). Continue in Ripple st, starting and ending each row with 1 st in Garter st for selvedge, until Back measures 16¼in/41cm from border.

SHAPE NECK

Work first 21 sts, bind off center 34 sts, work last 21 sts. Leave first 21 sts on a spare needle and work last 21 sts for other 4 rows (left neck side), then bind off these sts for left shoulder. Rejoin yarn to first 21 sts and work for other 4 rows (right neck side), then bind off these sts for right shoulder.

FRONT

Work as Back until Front measures 15¼in/39cm from border.

SHAPE NECK

Work first 30 sts, bind off center 16 sts, work last 30 sts. Leave first 30 sts on a spare needle and continue on last 30 sts (right neck side). Work 1 row on WS, binding off 9 sts at neck edge on next RS row, then work other 7 rows. Bind off rem 21 sts for right shoulder. Rejoin yarn to first 30 sts, bind off 9 sts at neck edge on next WS row, then work other 8 rows. Bind rem 21 sts for left shoulder.



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RIGHT SLEEVE

Sew right shoulder seam. Place stitch markers on front and back $6\frac{1}{4}$ in/16cm down from right shoulder seam. With RS facing, pick up and k 58 sts between markers. Work in Stockinette st. dec 1 st each side every 8th row 9 times. When sleeve measures approx 13in/33cm, p next row on WS dec 6 sts evenly distributed. Work 8 rows in Garter st for border. Bind off rem 34 sts.

COLLAR

With RS facing, using crochet hook work a sc row all around Front and Back neck edge (approx 96 sts). Do not cut off yarn. With WS facing, using needles, pick up and k only back loop of each sc st on previous row. Work 40 rows in Reverse Stockinette st. Bind off loosely all sts.

LEFT SLEEVE

Sew left shoulder seam. Place markers and work Left sleeve as Right Sleeve.

FINISHING

Sew collar seam on RS (the collar will be turned). Sew side and sleeve seams.

LOWER EDGING

Using crochet hook, with RS facing join yarn at side seam with 1 slip st, 1 ch and work 1 round in sc all around lower edge, join with a sl st into 1st ch, then work a round in Reverse sc. Join with a sl st into 1st st, cut off yarn and weave ends.

SLEEVE EDGING

Work as Lower Edging around wrist of each sleeve 

