LANA GATTO

SILK MOHAIR

CHECK JUMPER

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Size: 10/12 (14/16) UK
Size: 6/8 (10/12) USA
Size: 36/38 (40/42) EU
NOTE: Figures in brackets ( ) refer to larger size
Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes
Skill Level: intermediate

How much yarn: Silk Mohair yarn, g 100 (125) for each of following colours: pearl grey shade no. 6033, light blue shade no. 7264 and cornflower blue shade no. 8390
Needles: Pair of 5.00mm (no. 6) knitting needles. Pair of 6.00mm (no. 4) knitting needles.
Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point
Other items: Stitch-holders

STITCHES
Using needles: K1, P1 rib.

TENSIONS
15.5 sts and 21 rows measure 10cm square over K1, P1 rib with 6.00 mm (no. 4) needles and two strands of yarn held tog.

INSTRUCTIONS
Back: with 5.00 mm (no. 6) needles and light blue yarn cast on 66 (72) sts. For border work 6 (8) rows K1, P1 rib, i.e. 3 (3,5) cm. Change to 6.00 mm (no. 4) needles and cont to work in K1, P1 rib. Work 34 (36) rows as follows: 22 (24) sts in cornflower blue, 22 (24) sts in light blue and 22 (24) sts in pearl grey. Use a ball of yarn for each colour and twist yarns together when changing colours to prevent holes. Then work 34 (36) rows as follows: 22 (24) sts in light blue, 22 (24) sts in pearl grey and 22 (24) sts in light blue. Then work 34 (36) rows as follows: 22 (24) sts in pearl grey, 22 (24) sts in light blue and 22 (24) sts in cornflower blue. Then work 34 (36) rows as follows: 22 (24) sts in light blue, 22 (24)sts in cornflower blue and 22 (24) sts in pearl grey. At the same time, when 92 (98) rows are worked from border, shape armholes: cast off 2 (3) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at each end of alternate row once and every following 4th row 3 times. When 28 (30) rows are worked from last colour changing, shape shoulders: cast off 5 sts at beg of next 6 rows. For neckedge, cast off rem 24 (28) sts.

Front: work as Back, reversing layout of coloured checks. When 18 (20) rows are worked from last colour changing, shape neck. Cast off centre 10 (14) sts end continue to work separately on either side, dec at neckedge every alternate row: 2 sts twice and 1 st three times. Shape shoulders as Back and at same height.

Sleeves: with 5.00 mm (no. 6) needles and light blue yarn cast on 34 (38) sts. For border work 6 (8) rows K1, P1 rib. Change to 6.00 mm (no. 4) needles and cont to work in K1, P1 rib, inc 1 st at each end every 32 (26) th row 3 (4) times. At the same time work 34 (36) rows as follows: first side sts – at beg 6 (7) sts and after 7 (8) sts - in light blue, centre 22 (24) sts in cornflower blue and other side sts – at beg 6 (7) sts and after 7 (8) sts - in light blue. Then work 34 (36) rows as follows: first side sts in light blue, centre 22 (24) sts in pearl grey and other side sts in light blue. Then work 18 (20) rows as follows: first side sts in pearl grey, centre 22 (24) sts in cornflower blue and other side sts in pearl grey. Shape top. Work other 16 rows as before - first side sts in pearl grey, centre 22 (24) sts in cornflower blue and other side sts in pearl grey – and at the same time cast off 2 (3) sts at beg of next 2 rows, dec 1 st at each end of next and every alternate row 5 (6) times. Work 4 (2) rows straight. Then cut off cornflower blue and light blue yarns and cont only with pearl grey yarn. Dec 1 st at each end of next (alternate row) and following 4th row twice, then every alternate row 6 times. Cast off rem 10 (12) sts.

FINISHING
Sew a shoulder seam. **Polo neck:** with RS facing, 5.00 mm (no. 6) needles and light blue yarn pick up and K 72 (78) sts around neckedge and work 16 cm in K1, P1 rib. Cast off sts in rib. Sew other shoulder and neck seam. Set in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.

BACK

9,5 | 15 (18) | 9,5
18 (19)
47 (50)
42 (46)

FRONT

9,5 | 15 (18) | 9,5
5
60 (64)
42 (46)

SLEEVE

9,5 (11) | 6 (7) | 9,5 (11)
15 (16)
44 (48)
22 (24)