



THE COLOR EVOLUTION



MODEL SHRUG

MATERIAL

1 ball col. 606 of Poema Glitter by Laines du Nord.
Size 3 mm and US4/3.5 mm knitting needles.
Length of yarn in different colour to cast-on the tubular stitch.
Darning needle.
Pins.
Scissors.
Tape measure.

ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work
WS = wrong side of work
r. = row(s)
st./sts. = stitch(es)
incr. = increase
col. = colour
decr. = decrease
k = knit
rep = repeat
p = purl
k-tbl = knit through back loop
rep. = repeat
beg. = begin (ing)

SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE

38/40

TENSION

24 sts. and 32 r. = 4"/10 cm in stocking st. using size US4/3.5 mm knitting needles.

STITCHES USED

Tubular Stitch: the tubular stitch consists of 2 layers.
Using different colour yarn, cast-on half of stitches you need + 1 (in this case you need 120 sts., so cast-on 60 sts. + 1). At last, unravel the cast-on stitches.

1st r. or forth r. (RS): using Poema Glitter yarn work k1, yo (move the yarn in front of work passing over the right knitting needle), (k1, yo) rep. until the end of r., k1 in last st. After that, the stitches have doubled, and there are the stitches you need for your garment.

2nd r. or back r. (WS): with yarn in front, pass p-wise the purl; with yarn in back knit the yo.
Rep. 1st and 2nd r., then cont. rib 1/1.
At last, unravel the cast-on sts.

Rib 1/1

1st r.: 1 selvage, rep. (k1, p1) across the entire r, 1 k-tbl (= selvage).

2nd r. and next r.: 1 selvage, work the sts. as they appear, 1 selvage.

Stocking stitch

1st r. (RS): 1 selvage, knit all sts., 1 selvage.

2nd r. (WS): 1 selvage, purl all sts., 1 selvage.

Rep. 1st and 2nd r. until you have reached your desired length.

Graft stitches: for binding off using the darning needle.

Selvage: slip 1st st. k-tbl-wise, work last st. k-tbl.

NOTES

Work the shrug sweater in a single piece, beginning from one cuff and ending at the end of opposite one.

INSTRUCTIONS

Work 1st cuff.

Using size 3 mm knitting needles and different colour yarn, cast-on 60 sts. + 1, then with Poema Glitter yarn, work 4 r. in tubular st. and across 1st r. double the sts. [121 sts.]. Cont. working 6¾"/17 cm in rib 1/1 and, at beg. and end of every r., work 1 selvage; the cuff measures 7"/18 cm.

Using size US4/3.5 mm knitting needles, work the main piece as foll.:

1st r. (RS): for first band shaping work 10 sts. rib 1/1 (instead of first k1 work 1 selvage), for main part shaping work k101, then for second cuff shaping work 10 sts. rib 1/1 beginning with p1 (instead of last st. work 1 selvage).

2nd r.: 10 sts. rib 1/1, p101 and 10 sts. rib 1/1 (instead of first and last st. work 1 selvage).

Rep. 1st and 2nd r. until the piece measures 25½"/65 cm from the end of 1st cuff.

Using size 3 mm knitting needles, work 2nd cuff, working 6¾"/17 cm in rib 1/1 and 4 r. in tubular st.; the cuff measures 7"/18 cm. At last, using darning needle, bind off all sts in graft st.

FINISHING

Fold panel in half (RS against RS), matching the rib 1/1 edges of 2 long side then, using darning needle and Poema Glitter yarn, sew 8"/20 cm of 2 sides of shrug sweater (in the picture it's shown by red lines), closing part of sleeve and cuff of both sides; do not close the central part of shrug sweater.

