

This row sets the position of the cable panels with twists between and rope cable and twist at each side.

Cont in patt for 15 more rows.

Inc row (right side) Patt to last st, m1, k1.

Taking next 3 incs into rope cable and foll 2 incs into reverse st st, inc in this way at end of 5 foll 4th rows. 70(74:78) sts.

Patt until front measures

33(38:36)cm/13(15:14½)in from cast on edge, ending with a right side row.

Shape armhole

Cast off 6 sts at beg of next row.

Dec one st at armhole edge on next 11 rows. 53(57:61) sts.

Patt until 10th row of next cable panel has been completed.

Shape neck

Next row (right side) K2, leaving a long end, break yarn, slip these 2 sts and next 16 sts onto a holder for collar, rejoin yarn to rem sts, patt to end. 35(39:43) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge on next 7 rows. 28(32:36) sts.

Patt until front is 2 rows longer than Back. Cast off.

LEFT SLEEVE

With 4mm(US 6) needles, cast on 46(46:56) sts.

1st row (right side) P2, T2L, p2, [k4, p2, T2L, p2] to end.

2nd row K and p the sts as they appear.

3rd row P2, T2L, p2, [C4B, p2, T2L, p2, C4F, p2, T2L, p2] twice, [C4B, p2, T2L, p2] 0(0:1) time.

4th row As 2nd row.

These 4 rows form the rope cable and twist patt.

Work 6 more rows.

Change to 5mm(US 8) needles.

Inc and take into rope cable and twist patt, one st at each end of next row, then on 9(1:3) foll 6th rows, then every foll 4th row until there are 86(94:102) sts.

Work straight in patt until sleeve measures 46cm/18in from cast on edge, ending with a wrong side row.

Shape top

Cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec one st at each end of next 11 right side rows. 52(60:68) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next 11 rows. 30(38:46) sts.

Cast off.

RIGHT SLEEVE

Work as given for Left Sleeve but working T2R for T2L.

COLLAR

Matching cable sts, join shoulders. With right side facing and 4mm(US 6) needles, slip 2, patt 16 from right front holder, pick up and k13 sts up right front neck, 46 sts across back neck and 13 sts down left front neck, patt 18 sts from holder. 108 sts.

Set up row (wrong side) K2, p2, k2tog, k1, * [p4, k2] 4 times, p2, [k2, p4] twice, [k2, p2] 4 times, k2, [p4, k2] twice, p2, [k2, p4] 4 times *, k1, skpo, p2, k2. 106 sts.

1st row K2, T2L, p2, [C4F, p2] 4 times, T2L, [p2, C4F] twice, [p2, T2R] twice, p2, [T2L, p2] twice, [C4B, p2] twice, T2R, [p2, C4B] 4 times, p2, T2R, k2.

2nd row K2, p2, k2, work as set up row from * to *, k2, p2, k2.

3rd row K2, T2L, [k4, p2] 4 times, T2L, [p2, k4] twice, [p2, T2R] twice, p2, [T2L, p2] twice, [k4, p2] twice, T2R, [p2, k4] 4 times, p2, T2R, k2.

4th row As 2nd row.

These 4 rows form the collar patt.

Work until collar measures 14cm/5½in, ending with a wrong side row.

Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Mark centre of front edges of collar. Pin and tack zip in place ending at markers. Trim zip at top edges if necessary and secure ends. Using matching sewing thread, sew in zip. Fold collar in half to wrong side. Sew row ends of collar to wrong side of zip and slip stitch cast off edge to pick up row. Sew sleeves into armholes. Join side and sleeve seams.