

MISKI SWEATER

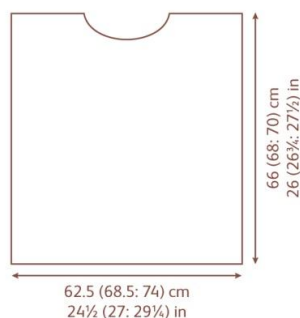
Design 9

MATERIALS

11(12:12) 50g hanks of Miski.
(photographed in shade Wild Seaweed 138)
Pair of 4.5mm (US 7) knitting needles.
Pair of 5mm (US 8) knitting needles.

TENSION

18 stitches and 24 rows to 10cm/4ins square over stocking stitch using 5mm (US 8) needles.



ABBREVIATIONS

k	knit.
p	purl.
psso	pass slip stitch over.
s1	slip one stitch.
stocking stitch	knit one row (right side), purl one row (wrong side).
tog	together.
[square brackets]	Work all directions inside [square brackets] the number of times stated.
(round brackets)	In the pattern the instructions are given for the smallest size, with larger sizes in (round brackets).

BACK AND FRONT ALIKE

With 5mm (US 8) needles, cast on 113(123:133) stitches.
1st rib row (right side): k3, [p2, k3]to end.
2nd rib row: p3, [k2, p3]to end.
These 2 rows form the rib pattern.
Repeat the last 2 rows until rib measures 10cm/4ins from cast on edge, ending with a wrong side row.
Starting with a knit row, continue in stocking stitch until work measures 60(62:64)cm/23½(24½:25½)ins from cast on edge, ending with a wrong side row.

TO FIT CHEST (suggested)	81.5-91.5 32-36	96.5-106.5 38-42	112-122 44-48	cm ins
actual measurement	125 49¼	136.5 53¾	147.5 58	cm ins
length	66 26	68 26¾	70 27½	cm ins

shape one neck

Knit until there are 43(47:51) stitches on your needle, slip the remaining 70(76:82) stitches on a holder, turn, purl to end.

Next row (right side): knit to last 6 stitches, k2tog, k4. 42(46:50) stitches

Work one row.

Decrease one stitch at neck edge as set above on next and every following alternate row until there are 35(39:43) stitches.

Work one row.

Cast off.

shape other neck

With right side facing, leave centre 27(29:31) stitches on a holder, rejoin yarn to remaining 43(47:51) stitches, knit to end.

Work to match shape one neck, reversing shapings and working decreases as follows:

Decrease row (right side): k4, s1, k1, psso, knit to end.

NECK EDGING

Join right shoulder seam. With right side facing and 4.5mm (US 7) needles, pick up and knit 16(16:17) stitches down left front neck, knit 27(29:31) stitches from holder at centre front, pick up and knit 16 stitches up right front neck, pick up and knit 15(16:16) stitches down right back neck, knit 27(29:31) stitches from holder at centre back, pick up and knit 16 stitches up left back neck. 117(122:127) stitches

1st rib row (wrong side): k2, [p3, k2]to end.

2nd rib row: p2, [k3, p2]to end.

These 2 rows form the rib.

Repeat the last 2 rows until rib measures 5cm/2ins, ending with a wrong side row.

Cast off in rib.

ARMHOLE EDGING

Join left shoulder and neck edging seam. Place markers 22(24:24)cm/8¾(9½:9½)ins down from each shoulder seam. With right side facing and 4.5mm (US 7) needles, pick up and knit 36(39:39) stitches up one armhole edge from one marker, pick up and knit 36(38:38) stitches down the other side of armhole edge to marker. 72(77:77) stitches.

Starting with a 1st rib row as given for neck edging, continue in rib pattern until armhole edging measures 2cm¾ins, ending with a wrong side row.

Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Join side and armhole edging seams.

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