


## Materials

1 (Sm-34"; Md-38") to 2 (Lg-42") balls of Noro Taiyo Lace yarn shade \#2
Needles size US 6

## Gauge

$5 \mathrm{sts}=1 \mathrm{ln}$.
8 rows $=$ lin. in Garter st

## Notes

Top is done in modular blocks ( 11 blocks).

## Instructions

## BACK

Block \#l: cast on $113(121,131)$ sts * Knit one row. Make double decrease at center (K3tog) every RS row until 3 sts left. P3tog, fasten off last st.
Block \#2: cast on $37(41,45)$ sts, pick up $38(42,46)$ sts on side of Block \#l up to $8(9,10)$ " from bottom. Total 75 (83, 91) sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#3: pick up $38(42,46)$ sts on side of Block \#1 starting $8(9,10)$ " from side, cast on 37 $(41,45)$ sts. Total $75(83,91)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#4: pick up $19(21,23)$ sts on side of Block \#2 starting from middle, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#1. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#5: pick up $19(21,23)$ sts on side of Block \#l, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#3 to middle. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l frpm *.
Block \#6: pick up $19(21,23)$ sts on side of Block \#5, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#3. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#7: pick up $19(21,23)$ sts on side of Block \#2, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#4. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#8: pick up $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#4, 1 st on corner of Block \#1, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#5. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#9: pick up $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#8, 1 st on corner of Block \#5, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#6. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. WVork as for Block \#l from *.
Block \#10: pick up $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#7, 1 st on corner of Block \#4, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#8. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *
Block \#11: pick up $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#10, 1 st on corner of Block \#8, $18(20,22)$ sts on side of Block \#9. Total $37(41,45)$ sts. Work as for Block \#l from *.
Pick up $91(101,111)$ sts on upper edge **. Knit 14 rows. Shape neck: b.o. 35 sts at center. Working two sides separately decrease 1 st at neck edge 5 times. AT THE SAME TIME shape shoulders: b.o. 5 sts at armhole side $4(5,6)$ times, 3 sts once.

## FRONT

Work as for Back to **. Knit one row. Shape neck: b.o. 25 sts at center. Working two sides separately b.o. 3 sts at neck side once, 2 sts once, dec 1 st 5 times. Wpm same as for Back shape shoulders as for Back.

## SLEEVES

Cast on $66(72,78)$ sts. Knit one row. Decrease 1 st at the beg and end of every row $22(25,28)$ times. B.o. 22 sts.

## FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves, make side seams.
Pick up 120 sts around neck, (purl one row, knit one row) repeat twice. B.o. in purl.
Block Top to measurements.

BACK


FRONT


SLEEVE


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