



SEVENTIES SWEATER

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Available Sizes 4/5 years

GAUGE: 20 sts x 21 rows= 4 inches in stockinette stitch on 5mm (US 8) needle or size needed to obtain gauge.

Materials

aran /10 ply (9 wpi)

100 gr, 264 yards (241 meters)

needles 5 mm (US 8) or needle size to obtain gauge.

1 skein for colour one , 1 skein for colour 2 , 1 skein for colour 3

Stitches used



Rib

Row1: * K2, P2* repeat from *to*

Row2: *P2, K2* repeat from *to*
repeat these rows.

Stockinette stitch

Row1 : knit

Row2 : purl
repeat these rows.

For the stripes, alternate 6 rows colour 1, 6 rows colour 2 and 6 rows colour 3.

DIRECTION

Front

With US 8 needle , cast on 66 stitches.

Make 5 cm in 2x2 rib (10 rows).

Continue striped stockinette until 26 cm total height.

Share then the work in half and keep one side at a time like this:

** Shape the neckline by bind off 1 stitch every 2 rows side separation, or 17x 1 decreases.

** At the same time, decrease side armhole every 2 rows : 1 x 3sts and 1 x 1 st.

** At 39 cm total height (13 cm armholes), for the shoulder , bind off, side armhole every 2 rows : 1 x3 sts ; 1 x 4 sts.

Then bind off the remaining stitches.

** Finish the other side.

Back

With US 8 needle, cast on 66 stitches.

Make 5 cm in 2x2 rib (10 rows).

Continue striped stockinette until 26 cm total height.

** At 26 cm total height, for the armholes, bind off each side every 2 rows : 1 x 3 sts ; 1 x 1 sts.

** At 39 cm total height (13 cm armholes), for the shoulder, bind off each side, every 2 rows :
1 x 3 sts ; 1 x 4 sts.

** At the same time, shape the neckline. Bind off 12 central stitches.
Bind off each side of the neckline 1 x 11 stitches.

FINISHING

Sew shoulders and pick up stitches around the armholes.

Knit 2 cm in 2x2 rib.

Bind off.

Sew sides

Pick up stitches around the neckline

Knit in 2x2 rib for 2 cm (At the tip of the neckline, make each side a double decreases= slip 2 stitches, K1 , pass 2 slip stitches over)

Bind off.

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