





SOFT KNITTED SWEATER

YARN

Anna and Clara's wool bamboo yarn, 4 balls, 50 g/125 m. Anna and Clara's mohair yarn, 3 balls, 25 g/215 m.

KNITTING NEEDLES

Circular knitting needle size 8.0 mm. Double-pointed knitting needles size 8.0 mm.

SIZE

One size.

GAUGE

In stocking stitch: $10 \times 10 \text{ cm} = 10 \text{ sts } \times 18 \text{ rows}$.

PATTERN

Using two strands of yarn (1 strand of mohair yarn and 1 strand of wool bamboo yarn), work 8 rounds (rds). Then switch to using only 1 strand of mohair yarn and work 2 rds.

HOW TO KNIT A SOFT KNITTED SWEATER

Note that the sweater is knitted from the top down.

Using circular knitting needle size 8.0 mm and two strands of yarn, cast on 68 stitches (sts).

Work 1 rd in stocking stitch (knit (k) to end of rd).

Now shape the raglan sleeves. Raglan shaping creates a line of sloping stitches from the shoulder to the underarm on the back and front of your sweater. Raglan shaping: In alternate rds, increase (inc) 2 at 4 places in the rd = inc 8 sts in each rd.

k15, inc 1 (pick up and k the loop between the st you just worked and the next st), k2 (= post), inc 1 (as before). Continue working the rd and repeat incs 4 times in all. Next rd: k to end of rd.

This raglan method makes a hole on each side of the post.

Continue working the pattern and continue working increases on each side of the post. When there are 220 sts in the rd, subdivide your work into four parts: sleeve, front, sleeve and back.

Start from the centre of the first post: k 55 (= front). Set the next 55 sts on a stitch holder (= sleeve 1).

Now work the next 55 sts (= back) in the rd in continuation of the front. Set the next 55 sts on a stitch holder (= sleeve 2). Now you have two sleeves and the body (back and front). Continue working on the body. Work 50 rds in the pattern. Cast off.

SLEEVES

Slide the 55 sts on the stitch holder onto double-pointed knitting needles size 8.0 mm. Work stocking stitch in the pattern. Start the rd at the underarm. Sleeve shaping: At the same time, decrease 1 at the beginning and end of each 6th rd: k 2 sts together on either side of the first and last stitches in the rd, 10 times in all = 35 sts remaining in the rd. Work another 10 rds. Cast off.

Work the other sleeve in the same way.

FINISHING

Weave in ends. Sew the hole at the underarm.

