

## Week #19 Purrrty



This week's sweater features a whimsical kitty. The sweater is knit all in one piece with no seaming. It is made using only 3 double pointed needles. . You knit in the round as you would with 4 or 5 needles but it is so much less awkward on such a tiny garment. Sweater is approx. 3" tall

### Materials:

Size 2 Double pointed needles (set of 3)

Sport Weight, dk, lace or DMC #5 pearl cotton weight yarn. 25 yards of main color. 5 yards of contrast color for Kitty. 1 yard of black to embroider eyes, nose, mouth and whiskers

miniature doll coat hanger or Large paper clip to make your own coat hanger.

large darning needle

### Abbreviations:

st= stitch

pm= place marker

sm = slip marker

inc.= increase. Increases are made by knitting in front and back of stitch.

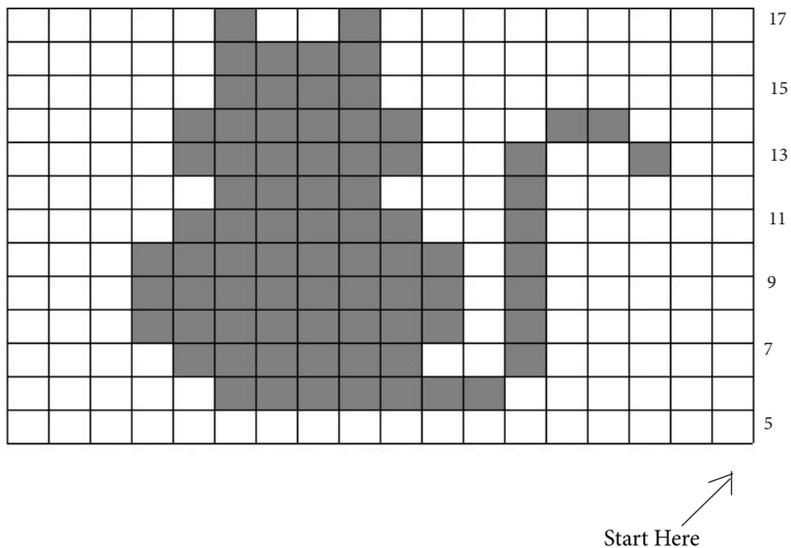
With main color cast on 36 stitches and divide onto 2 needles, 18sts on first needle (front of sweater) , 18 sts on second needle (back of sweater)

Join, knitting in the round on 2 needles, using a 3rd needle to knit the stitches.

Rounds 1-2: with main color, p1, k1 across

Rounds 3-4: knit

### Front of Sweater



Rounds 5-16 Work chart over first 18 sts only , k last 18 sts with main color.

Divide for sleeves, work on first 18 sts only knitting and purling back and forth.

Rows: 17, 19, 21, 23, Knit across first 18 sts. (Follow chart for Row 17)

Rows: 18, 20, 22, 24 , Purl 18 sts.

Break yarn. Join new yarn and work 8 rows in St St on back 18 sts .

Join Front to back again.

Round 25: Knit

Round 26: K2, K2 tog. across, ending K2 tog.

Round 27 : Knit

Round 28: K2, K2 tog. across

Rounds 29 and 30: K1, P1 across

Bind off all sts in ribbing.

Sleeves

Pick up 16 sts around arm hole and divide onto 2 needles

With main color, K 10 rounds

Next 2 rows: K1, P1 around

Bind off all stitches in ribbing and repeat for second sleeve.

### **Finishing:**

Embroider eyes, nose, mouth and whiskers on kitty referring to picture for placement.

Weave in all ends and stitch up any holes under the armhole. Add miniature coat hanger and hang on tree.