

Week #28-Ball of yarn and knitting needles



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 ball of yarn and one yard of black to outline ball of yarn and embroider knitting needles.

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.

k= knit

p= purl

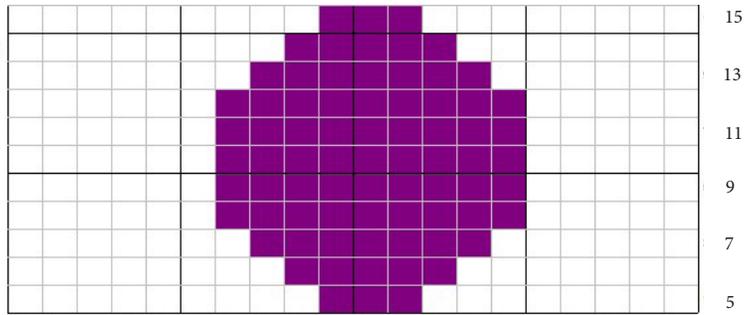
st st = stockinette stitch.

With main color, cast on 40 stitches and divide onto 2 needles, 20sts on first needle (front of sweater), 20 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: p1, k1 across

Front of Sweater



Start Here

Round 3-4: knit

Rounds 5-15 Work chart over first 20 sts only , k last 20 sts with main color

Divide for sleeves, work on first 20 sts only knitting and purling back and forth.

Rows: 16, 18, 20, 22, Knit across 20 sts.

Rows 17, 19, 21, 23, Purl 20 sts.

Break yarn. Join new yarn and work 8 rows in St St on back 20 sts with main color .

Join Front to back again.

Rounds 24- 25: Knit

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

Round 27 : Knit

Round 28: K2, K2 tog. around

Rounds 29 and 30: K1, P1 around

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 two rounds: K1, P1 around

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

Finishing:

With black Embroider diagonal lines through ball of yarn. Using Contrast color embroider yarn trailing from ball of yarn. With black, embroider knitting needles. Refer to picture for placement of stitches.

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