



Millet

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SIZE

S	M	L	XL	
8/10	12/14	16/18	20/22	
To fit bust				
82-87	92-97	102-107	112-117	cm
32-34	36-38	40-42	44-46	in

YARN

Colourspun 278 Kidson

8 9 9 10 x 50gm

NEEDLES

1 Pair each 4mm (no 8) (US 6) and 3¼ mm (no 10) (US 3) needles

Stitch holders

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm on 4mm (UK8/USA6) needles over stocking stitch.

BACK

Using 3¼mm needles cast on 106 [118, 130, 146] sts.

Row 1 – (RS) * K2, P2, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2.

Row 2 – P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form 2x2 rib.

Work 52 rows more in rib, dec 3 [3, 3, 5] sts evenly across last row.

103 [115, 127, 141] sts.

Change to 4mm needles. **

Beg with a K row, cont in stocking stitch until back meas 47 [49, 51, 53]cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulders and back neck

Next row – Cast off 8 [9, 10, 10] sts, K until there are 20 [25, 29, 36] sts on right hand needle, turn and work this side first.

Next row – P2tog, P to end. 19 [24, 28, 35] sts.

Next row – Cast off 8 [9, 10, 11] sts, K to last 2 sts, K2tog. 10 [14, 17, 23] sts.

Next row – P2tog, P to end.

Cast off rem 9 [13, 16, 22] sts.

Slip centre 47 [47, 49, 49] sts onto a stitch holder With RS facing rejoin yarn to rem sts, K to end.

Complete to match first side reversing shapings.

FRONT

Work as given for back to **.

Beg with a K row, cont in stocking stitch until front meas 37 [39, 40, 42]cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape neck

Next row – K38 [44, 48, 55], turn and work this side first.

Next row – Purl.

Work 4 rows dec 1 st at neck edge in every row.

34 [40, 44, 51] sts.

Work 12 rows dec 1 st at neck edge in next and every foll alt row.

28 [34, 38, 45] sts.

Work 9 [9, 5, 5] rows dec 1 st at neck edge in next and 2 [2, 1, 1] foll 4th rows.

25 [31, 36, 43] sts.

Cont straight until front matches back to shoulder shaping, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 8 [9, 10, 10] sts at beg of next and 8 [9, 10, 11] sts at beg of foll alt row.

Work 1 row more.

Cast off rem 9 [13, 16, 22] sts.

Slip centre 27 [27, 31, 31] sts onto a stitch holder, with RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts, K to end.

Complete to match first side reversing shapings and working 1 row more before shoulder shaping.

SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using 3¼mm needles cast on 58 [62, 62, 62] sts.

Work 41 rows in 2x2 rib as set for back, ending with WS facing for next row.

Next row – P1 [4, 3, 1] * inc in next st purlways, rep from * to last 1 [4, 3, 1] sts, P1 [4, 3, 1]. 114 [116, 118, 122]sts.

Change to 4mm needles.

Beg with a K row, cont in stocking stitch shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of every foll 8th row to 132 [134, 136, 138] sts.

Cont straight until sleeve meas 46 [47, 48, 48]cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off.

MAKING UP

Join right shoulder seam.

Neckband

With RS facing using 3¼mm needles pick up and knit 23 [23, 24, 24] sts down left side of neck, knit across 27 [27, 31, 31] sts left on a stitch holder at front of neck, pick up and knit 23 [23, 24, 24] sts up right side of neck, 3 sts down right side of back neck, knit across 47 [47, 49, 49] sts left on a stitch holder at back of neck and pick up and knit 3 sts up left side of neck. 126 [126, 134, 134] sts.

Beg with row 2 of 2x2 rib, work 5 rows in rib. Cast off in rib.

Join left shoulder and neckband seam.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Insert sleeves.

