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Recommended Yarn

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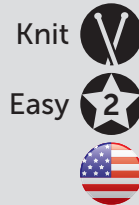


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V.1/RM/MD

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SIZE	XS	S	M	L	XL
	32/34	36/38	40/42	44/46	48/50
Back and front					
Width at the bottom	47	51	54	58	63
Width at chest height	45	49	52	56	61
Height slit	15	15	15	15	15
Length to beginning of armhole	52	52	52	52	52
Height armhole	19	20	21	22	23
Width of armhole	4	5.5	5.5	6.5	7
Shoulder width	10.5	11	11.5	12	13
Neck width	16	16	18	19	21
Neck height, front	18	19	21	22	23
Total length	71	72	73	74	75

Measurements are in cm

Instructions are for smallest size, with changes for larger sizes noted in different colors. When only one figure is given, it applies for all sizes.

MATERIALS

Schachenmayr cotton4future, 50 g ball

approx. 50 g = 100 m

Col. 00090 (mineral) balls 4 4 4 5 5

Col. 00001 (white) balls 3 3 4 4 4

Yarn amounts are approximate. Make sure to purchase enough of the same dye lot in order to complete your project. The colour names refer to the German names on the sleeves. The amount of yarn needed can vary from person to person.

1 circular needle 4.5 mm, 80 cm long

1 crochet hook, 4.0 mm

1 cable needle

1 stitch marker

1 tapestry needle for weaving in ends

BASIC PATTERN

Ribbed pattern in rows: multiple of 4.

RS: (k2, p2) to end of row.

WS: work all sts as they appear.

Ribbed pattern in rounds: multiple of 4.

Alternate k2, p2;

Stockinette stitch: RS knit, WS purl.

Stripe sequence: alternate 2 rows in Mineral and 2 rows in White.

GAUGE:

Stockinette stitch: 17 st and 24 rows = 10 x 10 cm

Adjust your needle size if necessary to obtain the correct gauge.

ABBREVIATIONS:

k = knit
p = purl
RS = right side
st(s) = stitch(es)
WS = wrong side

INSTRUCTIONS

Back

Cast on 80/88/92/100/108 st in Mineral. For the bottom border, work in the border pattern for 3 cm = 8 R.

Then continue working as follows: Work in stockinette st following the stripe sequence until 4 st before the end of the row, then work 4 st in Mineral in the border pattern, beginning with p2 (= slit border). Use a second ball of Mineral for the slit border. Be sure to cross the threads at the back of your work when changing colors so that no holes are formed. Work using this division of stitches for a total of 12 cm = 28 R. Then continue working the stripe sequence in stockinette st over all st.

When the piece measures 23 cm = 56 R from the border, begin waist shaping: bind off 1 st at each edge. Continue working for 19 more rows then repeat these decreases once = 76/84/88/96/104 st.

When the piece measures 49 cm = 118 R from the border, shape armholes bind off 3/3/4/4/5st at each edge; then bind off 3 st at each edge every other row 0x/1x/1x/1x/1x, then 2 st every other row 1x/1x/0x/1x/1x, then 1 st every other row 1x/1x/2x/2x/2x = 64/66/70/74/80 st.

When the armholes measure 17/18/19/20/21 cm = 42/44/46/48/50 R, bind off the center 24/24/26/28/32st for the neck opening and finish working the two sides separately. For the neck shaping, bind off 2 st at each neck

edge every other row once. When the armhole measures 19/20/21/22/23 cm = 46/48/50/52/54 R, bind off the remaining 18/19/20/21/22 shoulder st. Finish the second side in mirror image to the first.

Total length = 71/72/73/74/75 cm.

Front

Cast on 80/88/92/100/108 st in Mineral. For the bottom border, work in the border pattern for 3 cm = 8 R.

Then continue working as follows: Using Mineral, work 4 st in the border pattern (= slit border), then work in stockinette st following the stripe sequence to the end of the row.

Work using this division of stitches for a total of 12 cm = 28 R. Then continue working the stripe sequence in stockinette st over all st.

Finish working the front the same as the back, but with a V-neck opening. When the piece measures 49/49/48/48/48 cm = 118/118/116/116/116 R from the border, divide the work in the middle for the V-neck.

Place a marker at the center of the row and finish working the left front side first.

Place the stitches for the right front side on a holder.

In the next RS row, work a dec row as follows - knit until 6 st before the center, k2tog, then work 4 st in the border pattern, beginning with p2.

Be sure to continue working the armhole shaping at the right edge of the work as given. Repeat this dec row every other row 6x/4x/5x/6x/8x more, then every 4th row 7x/9x/9x/9x/9x. When the armhole measures 19/20/21/22/23 cm = 46/48/50/52/54 R, bind off the remaining 18/19/20/21/22 shoulder st. Move the st on the holder back onto your needle. Work the right front section in mirror image to the left, working the dec rows as follows: work 4 st in border pattern, skp, work in stockinette st to the end of the row.

Here, too, be sure to continue working the armhole shaping as given.

FINISHING

Dampen and block the pieces; allow to dry. Sew shoulder seams. Sew the side seams, leaving the bottom 15 cm open on the right side as a slit. Crochet one R of crab stitches (reverse single crochet) from right to left around the back neck edge.

Using Mineral, pick up 60/64/68/72/76 st from each armhole edge and join to work in the round. Work in the border pattern for 6 Rds, then bind off all st. Weave in all ends with a tapestry needle.

Schematic (measurements are in cm)

