

CRAFTWORKS



Sweater Dress & Pants

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intermediate

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MEASUREMENTS:

Months 3 (6-9-12)

Sweater Dress

Fits underarm

40 (45-47-50) cms/16 (18-19-20) ins

To measure (approx at underarm)

48 (53-56-58) cms/19 (21-22½-23) ins

Length (approx)

30 (34-36-39) cms/12 (13½-14-15½) ins

Sleeve Length

13 (16-18-19) cms/5 (6½-7-7½) ins

Pants

Length of side edge (approx)

19 (21-22-24) cms/7½ (8½-9-9½) ins

CRAFTWORKS YARN BABY SHINY

Sweater Dress 2 (2-3-3) x 50g balls

Pants 2 (2-2-2) x 50g balls

NEEDLES

A pair each 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) and 3.25mm (US 3), (UK 10) Knitting Needles or sizes that give correct tension/gauge.

MATERIALS

A Cable Needle; A Yarn Needle; 4 Stitch Holders for **Sweater Dress**; Length of Hat Elastic for **Pants**.

TENSION/GAUGE

21 sts and 29 rows to 10 cms/4 ins over stocking st, using 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Knitting Needles.

Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.

ABBREVIATIONS

St/s - stitch/es, **K** - Knit, **P** - Purl, **RS** - right side, **WS** - wrong side, **garter st** - every row knit, **stocking st** - 1 row K, 1 row P, **inc** - increase, **beg** - begin/ning, **patt** - pattern, **rep** - repeat, **cont** - continue, **dec** - decrease, **rem** - remain/ing.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

C6R-slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at back of work, P1, K1, P1, then K3 from cable needle.

C6L-slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at front of work, K3, then P1, K1, P1 from cable needle.

CK6R-slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at back of work, K1, P1, K1, then K3 from cable needle.

CK6L-slip next 3 sts onto cable needle and leave at front of work, K3, then K1, P1, K1 from cable needle.

CREATE

Sweater Dress

Back and Front (both alike)

Using 3.25mm (US 3), (UK 10) Needles, cast on 52 (56-60-64) sts.

Knit 7 rows garter st (1st row is wrong side) inc 4 sts in centre of last row = 56 (60-64-68) sts.

Change to 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles and **beg patt**.

1st row (RS) - K20 (22-24-26), P2, K3, (P1, K1) twice, P1, K4, P2, K20 (22-24-26).

2nd row - P20 (22-24-26), K2, P3, (K1, P1) twice, K1, P4, K2, P20 (22-24-26).

Rep 1st and 2nd rows once.

5th row - K20 (22-24-26), P2, **C6R, CK6L, P2, K20 (22-24-26)**.

6th row - P20 (22-24-26), K3, P1, K1, P7, K1, P1, K2, P20 (22-24-26).

7th row - K20 (22-24-26), P3, K1, P1, K7, P1, K1, P2, K20 (22-24-26).

Rep 6th and 7th rows 3 times, then 6th row once.

15th row - K20 (22-24-26), P2, **C6L, CK6R, P2, K20 (22-24-26)**.

16th row - As 2nd row.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 4 times.

Last 24 rows form patt.

Cont in patt until work measures 18 (21-22-24) cms/7 (8½-9-9½) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Shape raglan armholes - Keeping patt correct, cast/bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 52 (56-60-64) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 44 (48-52-56) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 38 (38-42-42) sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Shape neck - **Next row** - K2tog, K10 (10-12-12), **turn**.

** Cont on these 11 (11-13-13) sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in every foll alt row 5 (5-6-6) times, **at the same time** dec one st at neck edge in every foll alt row 4 (4-5-5) times = 2 sts.

Next row - P2, **turn**, K2tog. Fasten off.

Slip next 14 sts onto a stitch holder and leave. With RS facing, join yarn to rem sts, knit to last 2 sts, K2tog.

Rep from ** to **.

Sleeve (make 2)

Using 3.25mm (US 3), (UK 10) Needles, cast on 28 (32-32-34) sts.

Knit 7 rows garter st (1st row is WS).

Change to 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles. Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of 3rd row, then in every foll 4th (**8th-8th-8th**) row until there are 40 (**42-44-46**) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures 13 (**16-18-19**) cms/5 (**6½-7-7½**) ins from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape raglan - Cast/bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 36 (**38-40-42**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 30 (**30-32-32**) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 8 sts rem. Work 1 row. Leave rem sts on a stitch holder.

Neckband

Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join raglan seams, noting that tops of sleeves form part of neckline and leaving left back raglan open. With RS facing and using 3.25mm Needles, knit across sts from left sleeve stitch holder, knit up 8 (**8-10-10**) sts evenly along left front neck, knit across sts from front stitch holder - dec 4 sts across cable panel, knit up 8 (**8-10-10**) sts evenly along right front neck, knit across sts from right sleeve stitch holder, knit up 8 (**8-10-10**) sts evenly along right back neck, knit across sts from back stitch holder - dec 4 sts across cable panel, then knit up 8 (**8-10-10**) sts evenly along left back neck = 68 (**68-76-76**) sts.

Knit 7 rows garter st. Cast/bind off loosely knitways.

Pants

Left Leg

Using 3.25mm (US 3), (UK 10) Needles, cast on 31 (**33-35-35**) sts.

Knit 6 rows garter st (1st row is WS).

7th row - K1, inc knitways once in each of next 28 (**32-34-34**) sts, K2 (**0-0-0**) = 59 (**65-69-69**) sts.

Change to 4.00mm (US 6), (UK 8) Needles. Work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until work measures 4 (**5-6-7**) cms/1½ (**2-2½-3**) ins from **needle change**, ending with a purl row.

Shape crotch - Cast on 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 63 (**69-73-73**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of 3rd row, then in every foll 8th (**6th-8th-8th**) row until 53 (**57-63-63**) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **crotch** measures 15 (**16-16-17**) cms/6 (**6½-6½-7**) ins from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape back - **Note** - When turning, bring yarn to front of work, slip next st onto right hand needle, yarn back, slip st back onto left hand needle, then turn and proceed as instructed, this avoids holes in work.

1st row - K31 (**35-39-39**), **turn**.

2nd row - Purl to end.

3rd row - K25 (**29-33-33**), **turn**.

4th row - Purl to end.

5th row - K19 (**23-27-27**), **turn**.

6th row - Purl to end.

7th row - Knit across all to end.

Change to 3.25mm (US 3), (UK 10) Needles.

Beg rib - **1st row** (WS) - K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

2nd row - K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows twice more, then 1st row once = 7 rows rib in total. Cast/bind off in rib.

Right Leg

Work to correspond with Left Leg, working 1 row more before beg of turnings and noting that turnings will be on opposite side to Left Leg.

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends.

Dress - Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join left back raglan and neckband seam. Join side and sleeve seams.

Pants - Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join inside leg and crotch seams. Thread elastic through alt rows of rib at waist. Draw up to desired measurement and fasten off securely.