

PATTERN COLLECTION

Children



Rose Garden

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DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

1-3 yrs (4-6 yrs, 7-10 yrs) Shown in 1-3 yrs size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 21 (25¼, 29¼)" Length: 14 (15, 16½)"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Offbeat (90% acrylic, 10% alpaca; 150g/586 yds)

• 102 Tubular - 1 ball (all sizes) See Pattern Notes

Needle: US Size 4 (3.5 mm) 16" circular and straight *or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 3 (3.25 mm) 16" circular, set of DPNs, and straight

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, stitch holders or waste yarn, cable needle (cn)

GAUGE

21 sts x 26 rows = 4" in Cables patt with larger ndl

21 sts x 26 rows = 4" in Double Moss Stitch with larger ndl

Section with larger har

Save time, check your gauge.

Knit, Relax, Smile, Repeat!

PATTERN NOTES

A classic aran sweater is given a twist in the Rose Garden sweater, knit in our sinfully soft Offbeat yarn. This self-striping yarn features crisp color changes that decorate this piece, adding extra interest to the gorgeous cables and Double Moss stitch. This easy-care blend of acrylic and alpaca is super for little ones, plus it's sized for little ones to grow!

This sweater is knit in the round from the bottom up. The sleeves are knit flat and sewn to the body. The neckband is picked up and worked in the round after seaming.

Please note that the largest size as written requires exactly 1 full skein of yarn. You may wish to purchase an additional skein as insurance if making this size.

Offbeat is a self-striping yarn. To ensure your project looks as close to the sample as possible, when breaking and rejoining yarn, be sure to visually match the point at which you're rejoining. This may require you to wind off some yarn. We promise the results are worth the effort!

STITCH GUIDE 2x2 Left Cross (LC)

Slip 2 sts to cn and hold in front, k2 from LH ndl, k2 from cn.

2x2 Right Cross (RC)

Slip 2 sts to cn and hold in back, k2 from LH ndl, k2 from cn.

K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib

(even number of sts, worked in the rnd)
Rnd 1: * K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to end.
Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib

(even number of sts, worked flat)
Row 1 (RS): * K1 tbl, p1; rep from * to end.
Row 2 (WS): * K1, p1 tbl; rep from * to end.
Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

Double Moss Stitch

(even number of sts, worked flat)
Row 1 (RS): * K1, p1; rep from * to end.
Row 2 (WS): Rep Row 1.
Row 3: * P1, K1; rep from * to end.
Row 4: Rep Row 3.
Rep Rows 1-4 for patt.

Cables

(multiple of 11 sts, knit in the rnd)

Rnd 1: * P1, k4, k1 tbl, 2x2 RC, p1; rep from * to end. Rnd 2: * P1, k4, k1 tbl, k4, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 3: * P1, 2x2 LC, k1 tbl, k4, p1; rep from * to end

Rnd 4: Rep Rnd 2. Rep Rnds 1-4 for patt.

Cables

(multiple of 11 sts, knit flat)

Row 1 (RS): * P2, k4, k1 tbl, 2x2 RC; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2.

Row 2 (WS): K2, * p4, p1 tbl, p4, k2; rep from * to end.

Row 3: * P2, 2x2 LC, k1 tbl, k4; rep from * to last 2 sts, p2..

Row 4: Rep Row 2. Rep Rows 1-4 for patt.

PATTERN BEGINS

BODY

With smaller circ ndl, cast on 110 (132, 154) sts. PM and join to knit in the rnd, being careful not to twist.

Hem

Rnd 1: Work Rnd 1 of K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib to end.

Cont as est'd in K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib until piece meas approx 1½" from cast-on edge. Change to larger circ ndl.

Main Body

Note 1: We recommend placing markers between pattern repeats to help you stay on track. Note 2: The Cables pattern is also charted for your convenience.

Rnd 1: Work Rnd 1 of Cables patt to end. Patt will be repeated 10 (12, 14) times across each rnd. Rnd 2: Work Rnd 2 of Cables patt to end. Cont as est'd through Rnd 4 of Cables patt, then continuously rep Rnds 1-4 until piece meas approx 9¼ (9½, 10)" from cast-on edge, ending with Rnd 2 or 4 of patt.

Separate Front and Back

Note: You will now begin working flat. Maintain Cables patt as est'd throughout remainder of section.

Next Row (RS): Cont as est'd in next row of Cables patt over 55 (66, 77) Front sts, turn. Place rem 55 (66, 77) Back sts on holder or waste yarn.

FRONT

Next Row (WS): Work next Row of Cables patt to end

Next Row (RS): Work next Row of Cables patt to end.

Con't as est'd in Cables patt until piece meas approx 1% (2%, 3%) from Front/Back Separation, ending with a WS row.

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Next Row (RS): Work Row 1 of Double Moss Stitch to end.

Next Row (WS): Work Row 2 of Double Moss Stitch to end.

Cont as est'd through Row 4 of Double Moss Stitch, then continuously rep Rows 1-4 until piece meas approx 2½ (3½, 4½)" from Front/Back Separation.

Shape Front Neck

Note: Maintain Double Moss Stitch as much as possible throughout the Front Neck Shaping.

Next Row (RS): Cont in patt as est'd over 22 (26, 31) Left Front sts, bind off center 11 (14, 15) sts, cont in patt as est'd over 22 (26, 31) Right Front sts to end. Place Left Front sts on holder or waste yarn.

Shape Right Front Neck

WS Rows 1-7: Cont in patt as est'd to end. Row 2 (RS): Bind off 4, cont in patt as est'd in to end – 18 (22, 27) sts rem.

Row 4: Bind off 3, cont in patt as est'd to end - 15 (19, 24) sts rem.

RS Rows 6-8: Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end - 11 (15, 20) sts rem.

Cont even in patt as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas approx. 4½ (5½, 6½)" from Front/Back Separation, ending with a WS Row. Place rem live sts on holder or waste yarn. Return Left Front sts to ndl, ready to work a WS Row.

Shape Left Front Neck

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 4, cont in patt as est'd to end - 18 (22, 27) sts rem.

RS Rows 2-6: Cont in patt as est'd to end.

Row 3: Bind off 3, cont in patt as est'd to end - 15 (19, 24) sts rem.

WS Rows 5-7: Bind off 2, cont in patt as est'd to end - 11 (15, 20) sts rem.

Cont even in patt as est'd, if necessary, until piece meas approx. 4½ (5½, 6½)" from Front/Back Separation, ending with a WS Row. Place rem live sts on holder or waste yarn. Return Back sts to ndl, ready to work a RS row.

BACK

Complete as for Front.

SLEEVES

(make two)

Cuff

With smaller straight ndl, cast on 34 (34, 36) sts. Row 1 (RS): Work Row 1 of K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib to end.

Row 2 (WS): Work Row 2 of K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib to end.

Cont as est'd in Half Twisted Rib until piece meas approx 1½" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS row. Change to larger straight ndl.

Main Sleeve

Note: Maintain Double Moss Stitch patt as est'd throughout Sleeve Shaping.

Row 1 (RS): Work Row 1 of Double Moss Stitch to end.

Row 2 (WS): Work Row 2 of Double Moss Stitch to end

Cont as est'd through Row 4 of Double Moss Stitch, then continuously rep Rows 1-4 of Double Moss Stitch throughout remainder of Sleeve.

At the same time, when piece meas approx 2" from cast-on edge, and following rows as outlined below, work an Inc Row every 8 (4, 4) rows, 6 (3, 12) times, then every 10 (6, 6) rows, 1 (9, 4) time(s) – 14 (24, 32) sts inc'd, 48 (58, 68) sts.

Inc Row (RS): K1, m1L, work next row of Double Moss Stitch to last st, m1R, k1 - 2 sts inc'd. Even Row (WS): Work next row of Double Moss Stitch to end.

Even Row (RS): Work next row of Double Moss Stitch to end.

After all increases are complete, cont working even in patt as est'd until piece meas 12 (13, 14)" from cast-on edge, ending with a WS Row. Bind off all sts in patt.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends. Join the Left Front and Left Back shoulders using the three-needle bind-off. Rep for Right Front and Right Back shoulders. Sew Sleeves to body. Sew Sleeve and Side Seams.

Neck Edging

With smaller circ ndl, and beg at Right Shoulder, pick up and knit 90 (92, 98) sts evenly around Neck edge.

Work in K1, P1 Half Twisted Rib for 1". Bind off all sts in patt.

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Abbreviations

m

approx approximately beg begin(ning) circular circ cn cable needle cont continue est'd established inc('d) increase(d) k knit LC left cross

m1L insert left needle from front to

marker

back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)

m1R insert left needle from back to

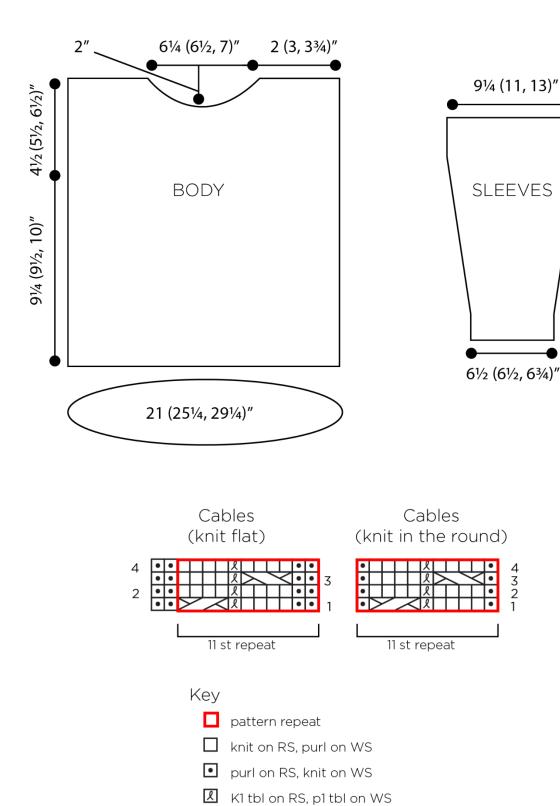
front under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the front loop (1 st inc'd)

measures meas ndl needle purl р patt pattern place marker pm RC right cross rem remain(ing) repeat rep round rnd RS right side st(s) stitch(es)

tbl through the back loop(s)

WS wrong side





12 (13, 14)"

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2x2 RC

2x2 LC