





BIG-STITCH PULLOVER (Child)

SIZES

Chest measurement

4	24	ins	[61	cm]
6	26	ins	[66	cm]
8	28	ins	[71	cm]
10	30	ins	[76	cm]

Finished chest

4	29	ins	[73.5	cm]
6	32	ins	[81.5	cm]
8	33½	ins	[85	cm]
10	39	ins	[99	cm]

MATERIALS

Patons Classic Wool (100 g/3.5 oz) or **Patons Décor** (100 g/3.5 oz) **Size 4 6 8 10**

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Size 8 mm (U.S. 11) knitting needles or size needed to obtain tension. 2 st holders.

TENSION

11 sts and 16 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] with 2 strands of yarn in stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus ().

BACK

With 2 stands of yarn, cast on 38 (41**-44-**47**) sts.

1st row: (RS). K2. *P1. K2. Rep from * to end of row.

2nd row: P2. *K1. P2. Rep from * to end of row.

Rep these 2 rows (K2. P1) ribbing for 2 ins [5 cm] ending on a 2nd row and inc 2 (**3**-2-**3**) sts evenly across last row. 40 (**44**-46-**50**) sts.

Proceed in stocking st until work from beg measures 10 (11½-13-13½) ins [25.5 (29-33-34.5) cm] ending with RS facing for next row.

Armhole shaping: Cast off 2 sts beg next 2 rows. 36 (40-42-46) sts.**
Cont in stocking st until work from beg measures 17 (19-21-22) ins [43 (48-53.5-56) cm] ending with RS facing for next row.

Shoulder shaping: Cast off 4 (5-5-6) sts beg next 2 rows then 5 (6-6-7) sts beg following 2 rows. Leave rem 18 (18-20-20) sts on a st holder.

FRONT

Work from ** to ** as given for Back.

Cont in stocking st until work from beg measures 14 (**16**-18-**19**) ins [35.5 (**40.5**-45.5-**48**) cm] ending with RS facing for next row.

Neck shaping: Next row: K15 (17-18-20) (neck edge). Turn. Leave rem sts on spare needle. Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 6 (6-7-7) rows. 9 (11-11-13) sts. Cont even in stocking st until work from beg measures 18 (20-22-24) ins [45.5 (51-56-61) cm] ending with RS facing for next row.

Shoulder shaping: Cast off 4 (**5**-**6**) sts beg next row. Work 1 row even. Cast off rem 5 (**6**-6-**7**) sts.

With RS of work facing, slip next 6 sts from spare needle onto a st holder. Join yarn to rem sts and knit to end of row.



Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 6 (6-7-7) rows. 9 (11-11-13) sts.

Cont even in stocking st until work from beg measures 17 (19-21-22) ins [43 (48-53.5-56) cm] ending with **WS** facing for next row.

Shoulder shaping: Cast off 4 (5-5-6) sts beg next row. Work 1 row even. Cast off rem 5 (6-6-7) sts.

SLEEVES

With 2 strands of yarn, cast on 23 sts.

Work in (K2. P1) ribbing as given for Back for 2 ins [5 cm] ending on a 2nd row.

Cont in stocking st, inc 1 st each end of needle on 3rd and every 4th row to 39 (41-45-47) sts. Cont even in stocking st until work from beg measures 11½ (13-15-15½) ins [29 (33-38-39.5) cm] ending with RS facing for next row. Cast off.

FINISHING

Pin garment pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving to dry.

Neckband: Sew right shoulder seam. With RS of work facing and 2 strands of yarn, pick up and knit 9 (9-12-12) sts down left front neck edge. Knit across 6 sts from

front st holder. Pick up and knit 9 (9-12-12) sts up right front neck edge. Knit across 18 (18-20-20) sts from back st holder. 42 (42-50-50) sts.

Next row: Beg with purl row, work in stocking st for 2 ins [5 cm] ending with RS facing for next row. Cast off.

Sew left shoulder and neckband seam reversing seam for turnback. Sew in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.

