Vest Baby « Claie »Round collar. Size 18 Months



Material:

3 balls of <u>4 saisons</u>, Fonty, color Prune.

Needles 4mm, (+ 1 to bind off with 3 needles, 4.5mm if you don't have a third one in 4mm)

Wool needle, stitch holders.

1 Button.

Gauge (10cmx10cm), needles 4mm, Claie stitch: 19 stitches /28Rows.

Points:

Garter Stitch: Knit all the stitches of all the rows.

Claie Stitch:

Row1 (right side): *knit 1, purl 1 *, Repeat from *to*, and finish with knit 1.

Row 2 (wrong side): knit stitches as they appear.

Rows 3 and 4: knit.

Repeat these 4 rows

<u>SK2P:</u> slip 1, knit 2 together, and pass stitch over K2tog.

Bind off with 3 needles: look here!

Work:

Back:

Cast on 61 stitches and make 2 rows of garter stitch then knit in Claie stitch.

At 17cm high, bind off 2 stitches on each side.

Then every 4 rows decrease 2x2 stitches by making an SK2P in 2 stitches of the edge at the beginning of the row, and by knitting 3 stitches together in when there are 5 stitches at the end of row, finish by knitting normally 2 remaining stitches.

At 31 cms high, on the right side row, knit 8 stitches, put them in on hold on a stitch holder. Knit the following 7 stitches then bind off 19 central stitches, and finish the row (there are 11 stitches on this side having casted down the neckline).

In the following row, knit 8 stitches, put them in on hold on a stitch holder, knit 7 following ones.

Knit the next right side row, then knit the wrong side row and put the stitches on a stitch holder.

Cut the thread at 30cm, and finish the other shoulder by the same process:

Knit 7 remaining stitches on the wrong side row, then the right side row and put these stitches on hold on the stitch holder and cut the thread from 30 cms.

Right front side:

Cast on 31 stitches, make 2 rows of garter stitch.

Then knit with Claie Stitch.

At 17 cms, bind off 2 stitches of the left-hand side, then decrease, always to the left 2x 2 stitches both rows by knitting 3 stitches together, 2 stitches before the end of the row.

A 27 cms in height, bind off, for the collar 1x4, 1x3,1x2,1x1 stitches.

At 31 cms in height, form shoulders: knit 8 stitches, put them in on hold on a stitch holder make the row, knit 7 remaining stitches and put them on the stitch holder.

Cut the thread at 30 cms.

Make the left front facing each other.

Note: for the decreases in 17 cms in height, after having binding off 2 stitches, make SK2P (instead of knitting 3 stitches together).

Assembly:

Bind off shoulders in 3 needles.sew sides.

Buttonhole: on the left front in 25.5 cms in height, raise 1 stitch, knit it as often as necessity (according to the size of the button which you chose) as follows: knit the stitch, slip it on the left needle (without turning the work) and knit it again. Bind off this stitch and fix the buttonhole inside the left front.

Sew the button in front of the buttonhole on the right front.

Bring in the threads, cut them to short.