



"ELENA" MAXI-PULL

CHEOPE yarn

YARN
ADRIAFIL YARNS

MATERIALS

- 350 g. **Cheope** yarn in green no. 60
- knitting needles nos. 31/2 and 4
- 1 knitting needle no. 6
- tapestry needle

SIZE: 46 (42-44)

PATTERN STITCHES

Elastic rib (start)

Knit stitch

K1/p1 rib stitch

k2/p2 rib stitch

Fancy row stitch (work over any number of stitches):

Row 1: with knitting needles 4, purl.

Row 2: with knitting needles 6, knit.

Row 3: rep. from row 1.

Back stitch

GAUGE

10 x 10 cm. working in fancy row stitch with knitting needles nos. 4 and 6 = 21 st. and 36 rows

WORKING INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with knitting needles 31/2 cast on 109 (93-101) sts. and, for the border, work 4 rows in elastic rib and 40 rows in k1/p1 rib st., equal to a total of 12 cms. Cont. with knitting needles 4 and 6 (alternating them as per the pattern instructions) in fancy row stitch. When work measures a total of 29 (25-27) cm. from border, to shape the armholes cross off at ends, every 2 rows, 4 sts., 1 st. 7 (5-6) times. When work measures a total of 17 (15-16) cm. from beg. of armholes, to shape the shoulders cross off at ends, every 2 rows, 6 sts., 5 sts. twice (for size 42 cast off 4 sts. every 2 rows 3 times - for size 44 cast off, every 2 rows, 5 sts. twice, 4 sts.). When work measures a total of 2 cm. from beg. of the shoulder slant cast off the 55 (51-53) rem. stitches.

Front: work in same way as back until work measures a total of 41 (35-38) cm. from border. To shape the neckline cast off the 31 (27-29) centre sts. and end the two parts separately; cast off again centrewise, every 2 rows, 3 sts. twice, 2 sts. twice, 1 st. twice. When work measures a total of 17 (15-16) cm. from beg. of armholes slant off the shoulders in the same way as the back.

Sleeves: with knitting needles 31/2 cast on 99 (86-94) sts. and, for the border, work 4 rows in elastic rib and 16 rows in k2/p2 rib st., equal to a total of 4.5 cm. Cont. with knitting needles 4 and 6 (alternating them as per the pattern instructions) in fancy row stitch decreasing 23 (20-23) sts. spaced evenly in row 1. at the ends, incr. 1 st. every 10 rows twice. When work measures a total of 8 (6-7) cm. from border, to shape the armholes cross off at ends, every 2 rows, 5 sts., 1 st. 26 (22-24) times. When work measures a total of 15 (13-14) cm. from beg. of armholes cast off the 18 (16-17) rem. stitches.

Neckline border: with knitting needles 31/2 cast on 157 (147-152) sts. and work 12 rows in knit st. and 8 rows in elastic rib. Slip the sts. off the needle and pass over them with a steam iron until they loosen.

MAKE UP AND FINISH

Sew up a shoulder. Sew up the border on the elastic rib side, around the neckline. stitch by stitch in reverse st., first on the wrong side and then on the right side of work. Sew up the other shoulder and the sides of the border. Sew up the sides. Join and sew on the sleeves. Turn the border of the sleeves on the right of work and sew in with 2 or 3 invisible stitches.