



"ALLEGRO" WAISTCOAT and SLEEVES

MONELLO yarn

YARN
ADRIAFIL YARNS

MATERIALS REQUIRED

- A total of 500 grm. **Monello** yarn consisting of 150 gr. in colour no. 61, 150 gr. in colour no. 62 and 200 gr. in colour no. 63
- knitting needles no. 10
- tapestry needle

SIZE: 44

PATTERN STITCHES

K2/p2 rib st.
Purl stitch

GAUGE

10x10 cm. worked with knitting needles no. 10 in knit st. = 9 sts. and 12 f.

WORKING INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with colour no. 63 cast on 50 (46-54) sts. and, for the border, work in k2/p2 rib st. for 4 cm. Cont. in purl st. decreasing 5 (4-6) sts. spaced evenly over row 1. and alternating 12 cm. with colour no. 63, 16 (14-15) cm with colour no. 62, ending the work with colour no. 61. When work measures 26 (24-28) cm. from the border, to shape the armholes cross off at the ends 3 sts., then decr. 1 st. every 2 rows twice. When work measures 19 (18-20) cm. from beg. of armholes, to shape the neckline cross off the 13 (12-14) centre sts. and end the two parts separately; cross off again centrewise 1 st. after 2 rows. When work measures 2 cm. from beg. of neckline cross off the 10 (9-11) rem. sts. for each shoulder.

Front: work in same way as back until work measures 30 (27-33) cm. from the border. To shape the neckline cross off 1 (2-2) centre sts. (i) and end the two parts separately; decr. centrewise 1 st. every 2 rows 7 (6-7) times. When work measures 17 cm. from beg. of neckline cross off the 10 (9-11) rem. sts. for each shoulder.

Sleeves: with colour no. 63 cast on 22 (20-24) sts. and, for the initial border, work in k2/p2 rib st. for 2 cm. Cont. in purl st. alternating 15 cm. with colour no. 63, 15 cm. with colour no. 62, ending work with colour no. 61. At the same time incr. at ends 1 st. every 10 rows 3 times. When work measures 42 (40-44) cm. from the initial border, and for the final border cont. in k2/p2 rib st. increasing 4 sts. spaced evenly over row 1. After 4 cm. cross off the sts.

MAKE UP AND FINISH

Sew up one shoulder. With colour no. 63 pick up 72 (68-76) sts. around the back and front necklines; work in k2/p2 rib st. establishing the sts. so as to have 2 sts. in knit stitch at the centre of the front neckline and to shape the toe decr., at the ends of these 2 stitches, 1 st. every 2 rows twice. When work measures 3 cm. cross off the sts. Sew up the other shoulder and the sides of the neckline border. With colour no. 63 pick up 56 (54-58) sts. along each armhole and work k2/p2 rib st. for 5 cm.; cross off the sts. Sew up the sides and edges of the borders of the armholes. Sew up the side edges of the sleeves for the first 4 cm. Pick up 16 sts. along the next 4 cm. (= 8 sts. on each edge) and work k2/p2 rib st. for 2 cm.; cross off the sts. Complete the seam of the sleeve edge and bind the sides of the border for the thumb.

