

SNAPPY BALL yarn

"CAROLINA" SWEATER

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Size: 36/38 – 40/42 – 44/46

Materials: AdriaFil Snappy Ball 2-3-3 balls natural (51), size 3 ½ and 4 ½ knitting needles.

Gauge: using size 3 ½ needles, in Stockinette st: 25 sts and 32 rows = 10x10 cm. Take time to check gauge and switch needles if necessary.

Stitches:

2x2 Ribbing: alternately K2 and P2.

Stockinette st: on right side, knit; on wrong side, purl.

Flower: Cast on 12 sts and purl 1 row. Work * K2, increase 1 st picking up the horizontal strand between the last worked st and the next st, repeat from * = 5 increases. Purl 1 row. Next row: increase 5 more sts. Work increases before the sts increased on row below. Continue increasing every 2 rows until you have 47 sts. Knit the last row on

wrong side of work, then bind off sts. Sew side seams. Thread on yarn needle and pull through the 12 cast-on sts, gather tightly and fasten off with a stitch. Weave a thread of yarn through the eyelets of the increases towards side edge, then back to center again, pull on a bit to shape a petal and fasten off with a stitch. Work other increase columns in the same way.

Instructions:

Back: Using size 3 ½ needles, cast on 114-126-134 sts and work 5 cm in 2x2 Ribbing, on the last wrong side row increasing or decreasing sts to obtain 116-126-136 sts. Continue working in Stockinette st. For waistline decrease 8x1 st at both side edges, every 4 rows. When work measures 18 cm and from now on, increase 6x1 st at both edges, every 10 rows. When work measures 39 cm for armholes bind off 1x3 sts, then 1x2 and 3x1 st, every following 2 rows. When work measures 56 cm for neckline shaping bind off the center 22 sts and work each half separately. At neck edge bind off 2x6 sts, every 2 rows. When work measures 58 cm, bind off shoulder sts.

Front: Work same as back until work measures 35,5 cm. Work alternately P2 and K2 over the center 14 sts. After working 2 rows divide work for neck opening and finish each half separately. Continue working 7 sts at either edge of opening in 2x2 Ribbing. Work armholes same as back. When work measures 51 cm, transfer these 7 Rib sts to a holder and at neck edge bind off 1x6, 1x3, 1x2 and 5x1 st, every 2 rows. Bind off shoulder sts at the same length as back.

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Sleeves: Using size 3 ½ needles, cast on 62-66-70 sts and work 5 cm in 2x2 Ribbing. Continue in Stockinette st, for sleeve width increasing 10x1 st at both edges, alternately every 4 and 6 rows. When work measures 24 cm, for sleeve cap bind off at both edges 1x3, 1x2, 10x1, 1x2 and 1x3 st, every 2 rows. Bind off the rem sts.

Finishing: Sew shoulder seams. Work 7 sts from right front holder, then pick up 104 sts along neck edge and work 7 sts from left front holder. Work 5 cm in 2x2 Ribbing over all sts, then bind off in 2x2 Ribbing. Sew in sleeves, matching center of sleeve cap to shoulder seam. Sew side and sleeve seams. Using two strands of yarn with size 4 ½ needles, work 3 flowers; using one strand of yarn with size 3 ½ needles, work 3 more flowers. Sew the smaller flowers onto the larger flowers and attach them to upper edge of left front.

