Pullover Soul







Intermediate

Sizes: S-M-L-XL

The smallest size is given first and largest sizes follow separated by a dash. Where only one figure is given, this applies to all sizes.

Bust circumference: 90-94-98-102 cm (35 $^{7}/_{16}$ -37 $^{1}/_{64}$ -38 $^{3}/_{16}$ -40 $^{3}/_{16}$ ").

Front/Back length: 67-69-71-73 cm ($26\%-27^3/_{16}-27^{15}/_{16}-28\%$ "). Inner sleeve length: 45-46-47-48 cm ($17^{11}/_{16}-18\%-18\%-18\%$ ").

Materials: Adriafil Dama kaki (52): 12-13-14-15 balls; size 4 mm (8UK-G/6US) crochet hook; stitch-markers (= SM); 2 cord stoppers.

Patterns and stitches:

Chain, double crochet, half treble, treble.

Back loop double crochet: double crochet inserting hook in back loop only.

Fantasy stitch: always alternate 1 row of htr (ch2 counts as 1st htr) and 1 row of tr (ch3 counts as 1st tr).

 $\label{loops} \textbf{Romanian cord:} \ chain 3, place a stitch marker (= SM) in 3rd ch, insert hook in 1st st BUT only in lower loop, turn cord upward (you have 2 loops on hook), pull up a loop and draw through 1 loop, pull up a loop and draw through remaining 2 loops, insert hook in marked st BUT only in lower loop, turn cord upward, pull up a loop and draw through 1 loop, pull up a loop and draw through 2 loops, then *insert hook in 2 loops 62-64-66-68-at left, turn cord upward (you have 3 loops on hook), pull up a loop and draw through 2 loops, pull up a loop and draw through remaining 2 loops, repeat from * until you reach desired length.$

Tension: 17 sts and 12 rows in fantasy stitch using size 4 mm crochet hook = 10x10 cm (4x4").

Take time to check tension and change hook if necessary.

Directions:

Note: both Front and Back hems are worked sideways, then Front and Back are worked from the bottom up picking up sts along a rowend edge of hem. Each Sleeve cuff is worked sideways, then Sleeve is worked from the bottom up picking up sts along a row-end edge of cuff.

Back: for hem, using size 4 mm crochet hook chain 14 sts and work dcs in back loop only.

When work measures 45-47-49-51 cm $(17^{11}/_{16} - 18\frac{1}{2} - 19\frac{5}/_{16} - 20\frac{1}/_{16}$ "), fasten off.

Along right row-end edge pick up 76-80-84-88 sts evenly across and work in fantasy stitch beginning with 1 WS row of htr.

When work measures 48-50-52-54 cm $(18\%-19^{11}/_{16}-20\frac{1}{2}-21\frac{1}{4})$, for armholes, on foll RS row decrease at each end 4 sts, then on foll RS row 1 st (= 66-70-74-78 sts).

When work measures 62-64-66-68 cm $(24^{7}/_{16}-25^{3}/_{16}-25^{63}/_{64}-26^{3}/_{4})$, for neckline, on foll RS row place a SM before and after centre 24 sts and work in pattern to 1st SM, turn (= Left Back Shoulder). Leave remaining sts on hold (= 21-23-25-27 sts for each shoulder.)

Decrease at neck edge every row 5 times 1 st (= 16-18-20-22 sts). When work measures 67-69-71-73 cm ($26\%-27\sqrt[3]{16-27\sqrt[16]{16-28}}$, end with 1 row of ss, then fasten off.

Skip centre 24 sts, then rejoin yarn and work Right Back Shoulder as given for Left Back Shoulder.

Front: work same as for Back.

When work measures 60-62-64-66 cm $(23\frac{5}{8}-24\frac{7}{16}-25\frac{3}{16}-25\frac{63}{64}$ "), for neckline, on foll RS row place a SM before and after centre 20 sts and work in pattern to 1st SM, turn (= Left Front Shoulder). Leave remaining sts on hold (= 23-25-27-29 sts for each shoulder.)

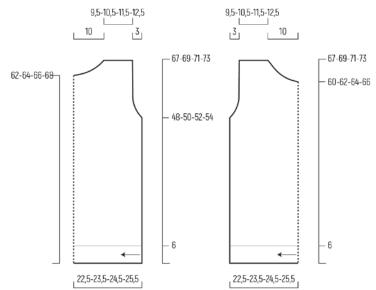
Decrease at neck edge every 2 rows 7 times 1 st (= 16-18-20-22 sts).

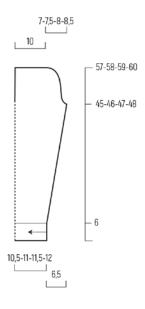
Work straight.

When work measures 67-69-71-73 cm $(26\% - 27^3/_{16} - 27^{15}/_{16} - 28\%)$, end with 1 row of ss, then fasten off.

Skip centre 20 sts, then rejoin yarn and work Right Front Shoulder as given for Left Front Shoulder.

Sleeves: using size 4 mm crochet hook chain 14 and work dcs in back loop only.





D&R n°75

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