## Pull Jujube

Yarn Snappy Ball







## 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: 100-104-108-112 cm (39 \%-40 \15/16- 42 \\\\/2\cdot -44 \\\/2\cdot \).

Front/Back length: 69-72-75-77 cm  $(27^3/_{16}-28\%-29\frac{1}{2}-30\frac{5}{16}")$ . Inner sleeve length: 51-52-53-54 cm  $(20^1/_{16}-20\frac{1}{2}-20\frac{7}{8}-21\frac{1}{4}")$ .

**Materials:** Adriafil Snappy Ball clay (87): 4-5-5-6 balls; size 3.5 mm (9UK-AND/4US) and size 4.50 mm (7US-7UK) crochet hooks; stitch markers (= SM).

To substitute suggested yarn, you can use the following Adriafil yarns: Cheope, Tintarella.

Patterns and stitches: chain, slip stitch, half treble.

**Half treble between stitches:** half treble into the space between 2 sts of previous row.

**Front post half treble:** half treble inserting hook underneath the post of next st, from front to back.

**Tension:** 18 htrs and 19 rows using size 3.50 mm crochet hook = 10x10 cm (4x4").

Take time to check tension and change hook if necessary.

## **Directions:**

**Back:** using size 4.50 mm crochet hook chain 90-94-98-102 sts. Change to size 3.50 mm crochet hook and work 1 row as follows: ch2 (counts as 1st htr), htr1 in each st to end of row (= 90-94-98-102 htrs).

On next row work as follows: ch2 (counts as 1st htr), htr1 between stitches in each st to last st, front post htr1.

When work measures 49-51-53-54 cm (19  $^{5}/_{16}$ -20  $^{1}/_{16}$ -20  $^{7}/_{16}$ ), for armholes, decrease at each end 4 sts and then every other row 5 times 1 st (= 72-76-80-84 sts).

When work measures 66-69-72-74 cm ( $25^{63}/_{64}-27^{3}/_{16}-28^{3}/_{6}-29^{1}/_{8}$ "), place a SM before and after centre 16 sts. On next RS row decrease first 6-7-7-6 sts. then work in pattern to 1st SM, turn (= Left Front

Shoulder). Leave remaining sts on hold. Finish each shoulder separately.

Decrease at armhole edge every row 3 times 5-5-6-7 sts; **at the same time**, for neckline, decrease at neckline edge every row once 4 sts and once 3 sts.

When work measures 69-72-75-77 cm (27  $^{3}/_{16}$ -28  $^{3}/_{2}$ -30  $^{5}/_{16}$ "), there are no sts left. Fasten off.

Skip centre 16 sts, then rejoin yarn and work to last 6-7-7-6 sts, turn (= Right Front Shoulder).

Work Right Front Shoulder as given for Left Front Shoulder.

Front: work same as for Back.

When work measures 62-65-68-70 cm (24  $^{7}/_{16}$ -25  $^{9}/_{16}$ -26  $^{3}/_{4}$ -27  $^{9}/_{16}$ "), place a SM before and after centre 18 sts. On next RS row, work in pattern to 1st SM, turn (= Left Front Shoulder). Leave remaining sts on hold. Finish each shoulder separately.

Decrease at neckline edge every row 2 times 2 sts and 2 times 1 st. **At the same time**, when work measures 66-69-72-74 cm  $(25^{63}/_{64}-27^{3}/_{16}-28^{3}/_{6}-29^{1}/_{6})$ , decrease at each end as given for Back.

When work measures 69-72-75-77 cm (27  $^{3}/_{16}$ -28  $^{3}/_{8}$ -29  $^{1}/_{2}$ -30  $^{5}/_{16}$ "), there are no sts left. Fasten off.

Skip centre 18 sts, then rejoin yarn and work Front Right Shoulder as given for Front Left Shoulder.

**Sleeves:** using size 4.50 mm crochet hook chain 42-44-46-48 sts. Change to size 3.50 mm crochet hook and work 1 row as follows: ch2 (counts as 1st htr), htr1 in each st to end of row (= 42-44-46-48 htrs).

On next row work as follows: ch2 (counts as 1st htr), htr1 between stitches in each st to last st, front post htr1.

**At the same time**, on 2nd row increase at each end 1 st, then every 6th row 15-16-17-18 times 1 st (= 74-78-82-86 sts).

When work measures 51-52-53-54 cm ( $20\frac{1}{16}-20\frac{1}{2}-20\frac{1}{6}-21\frac{1}{4}$ "), decrease at each end every row once 4 sts, once 3 sts and 11 times 2 sts (= 16-20-24-28 sts).

When work measures 63-64-65-66 cm (24  $^{13}/_{16}$  -25  $^{9}/_{16}$  -25  $^{63}/_{64}$  "), fasten off.

**Pocket:** using size 3.5 mm crochet hook chain 10 sts and work 1 row as follows: ch2 (counts as 1st htr), htr1 in each st to end of row.

On next row work as follows: ch2 (counts as 1st htr), htr1 between stitches in each st to last st, front post htr1

Increase at each end every row 5 times 1 st (= 20 sts), then work straight.

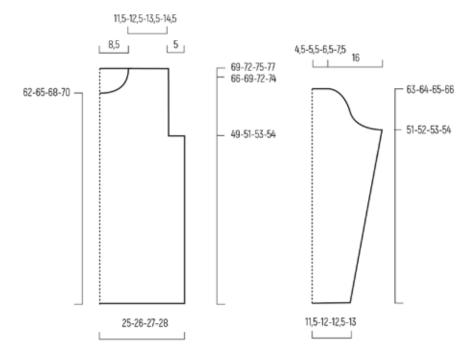
When work measures 9 cm (3 %/16"), fasten off.

## Finishing:

Sew shoulder seams. Set in sleeves. Sew side and underarm seams.

For neckband, using size 3.5 mm crochet hook join yarn with ss1 in right (or left) shoulder seam and work 94-96-98-100 dcs around neckline, join with ss1 in 1st ss.

Work 3 rounds of front post half treble. Fasten off. Pin pocket on Front 41-42-43-43 cm (16  $\frac{1}{6}$ -16  $\frac{9}{16}$ -16  $\frac{15}{16}$ -16  $\frac{15}{16}$ ) above lower edge and 9-10-11-11 cm (3  $\frac{9}{16}$ -3  $\frac{15}{16}$ -4  $\frac{5}{16}$ ) in from left side (see picture), then stitch.



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