

Little Penguin Jumper

Knitting Instructions

Use 100% pure wool only.

METHOD:

8 ply Pattern [Directions given Australia (U.K., USA)]

You will need: 8 ply (D.K. Sport / Worsted) woollen yarn, 1 pair 3.75mm (no.9, US no.5) needles.



Back:

Cast on 36 sts.

K1, P1 to the end of the row. Repeat for 7 more rows (35 sts).

Change to K2, P2 and inc. 8 sts evenly across this row (44 sts).

Continue K2, P2 rib until garment measures 12cm (44 sts).

Dec. 1 st. each end of every row till 28 sts.

Dec. 1 st. in the middle of the next row (27 sts).

Change to K1, P1 rib for 10 rows (27 sts).

Cast off firmly on Row 11.

Front:

Knit same as for Back.

Finish as described below.

4 Ply Pattern [Directions given Australia (U.K., USA)]

You will need: 4 ply (Fingering / Sport) woollen yarn, 1 pair 3.25mm (no.10, US no.3) needles.

Back:

Cast on 50 sts.

K1, P1 to the end of the row. Repeat for 10 more rows (50 sts).

Change to K2, P2 and inc. 12 sts evenly across this row (62 sts).

Continue K2, P2 rib until garment measures 12cm (62 sts).

Dec. 1 st. each end of every row till 36 sts.

Dec. 1 st. each end and also 1 st. in the middle of the row (33 sts).

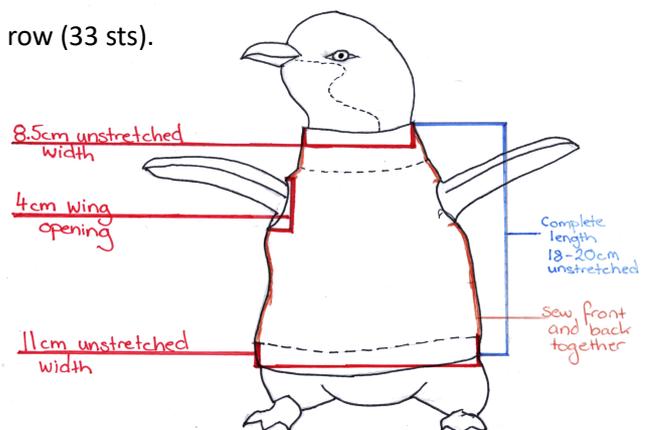
Change to K1, P1 rib for 11 rows (33 sts).

Cast off firmly on Row 12.

Front:

Knit same as for Back.

Finish as described below.



FINISHING:

Using a flat seam join the neck edges together (about 4cm), leaving the upper decreasing open for the flippers (this opening should be at least 4cm in length), then join the sides. Side seam is approximately 12cm long.

IF YOU ARE A LOOSE KNITTER USE SMALLER NEEDLES.