NOT FOR RESALL





Kiddies Kaleidoscope DK
Little Diamond Sweater
CY1354

Measurements

To fit chest 18 20 22 24 in

46 51 56 61 cm

Materials

Kiddies Kaleidoscope DK 1 1 2 2 100g balls

Shade 267 Rainbow Drops

4 mm (UK 8) needles. One button. Stitch holders.

Tension

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm on 4 mm needles. IT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORK TO THE STATED TENSION TO ENSURE THE CORRECT SIZING. If your tension square has less stitches use a thinner needle, if more use a thicker needle.

Abbreviations

K – Knit Kfb – K into front and back of stitch rep - repeat beg - beginning P – Purl tog – together foll – following dec - decrease rem – remaining st(s) – stitch(es) inc – increase cont - continue RS – Right Side WS - Wrong Side patt – pattern alt – alternate Yfwd – yarn forward cm - centimetres stst - stocking stitch (1 row K, 1 row P)

SWEATER

BACK

Using 4 mm needles cast on 53(59,65,71)sts and K4 rows.

Commence Pattern

Row 1 (RS) K2[5,0,3] *P1, K7, rep from * to last 3[6,1,4]sts, P1, K2[5,0,3].

Row 2 [P1,K1] 0[0,1,0]times, P1[4,5,2] * K1, P1, K1, P5, rep

from * to last 4[7,2,5] sts, K1, P1, K1[1,0,1], P1[4,0,2].

Row 3 K0[3,2,1], P1, * K3, P1, rep from * to last 0[3,2,1] sts, K0[3,2,1].

Row 4 P0[0,3,0], [K1, P1] 0[1,1,0] times, K0[1,1,1], * P5, K1, P1, K1, rep from * to last 5[0,3,6] sts, P5[0,3,5], K0[0,0,1].

Row 5 K6[1,4,7], * P1, K7, rep from * to last 7[2,5,8] sts, P1, K6[1,4,7].

Row 6 As Row 4.

Row 7 As Row 3.

Row 8 As Row 2.

These 8 rows form the pattern.

Cont in patt until Back measures approx 12[14,17,20]cm, ending with a 1st or a 5th patt row. (RS)

Next row P to end.

Shape armholes (worked in stst throughout)

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 47[53,59,65]sts.

Dec one st at each end of next 3 rows and then on foll 1[2,3,4] alt rows. 39[43,47,51] sts **

Cont straight until armholes measure 4[5,6,7]cm, ending with a P row.

Divide for back opening

Next row K19[21,23,25] sts, turn and work on these sts only.

Cont straight until armhole measures 10[11,12,13]cm, ending with a P row.

Shape left shoulder

Cast off 3[3,4,4] sts at beg of next and foll alt row then 3[4,3,4] sts at beg of foll alt row. Work one row. Break off yarn and leave rem 10[11,12,13] sts on a holder.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem 20[22,24,26] sts, K2tog, K to end. 19[21,23,25] sts.

Cont straight until armhole measures 10[11,12,13]cm, ending with a K row.

Shape right shoulder

Cast off 3[3,4,4]sts at beg of next and foll alt row then 3[4,3,4]sts at beg of foll alt row.

Break off yarn and leave rem 10[11,12,13] sts on a holder.

FRONT

Work as for Back to ** on armhole.

Cont straight until work measures 14[14,14,16] rows less thanon Back ending with a P row.

Shape neck

Next row (RS) K16[17,19,20] sts, turn and work on these sts only. Dec one st at neck edge in next 4 rows then on foll 3[3,4,4] alt rows. Work 3 rows on these 9[10,11,12]sts.

Shape left shoulder

Cast off 3[3,4,4] sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 3[4,3,4]sts.

With RS facing, slip centre 7[9,9,11] sts onto a holder, rejoin yarn to rem sts and K to end.
Work neck shaping as for first

Work neck shaping as for first side. Work straight to shoulder ending with a K row.

Shape right shoulder

Cast off 3[3,4,4] sts at beg of next and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 3[4,3,4]sts.

SLEEVES

Using 4 mm needles cast on 29[31,33,35] sts and K4 rows.

Commence Pattern

Row 1 Kfb 1[0,0,0] times, K5[7,0,1] * P1, K7, rep from * to last 7[8,1,2] sts, P1, K5[7,0,1], Kfb, 1[0,0,0] times. 31[31,33,35] sts.

Row 2 P0[0,1,0], [K1, P5] 1[1,1,0] times, * K1, P1, K1, P5, rep from * to last 1[1,2,3] sts, K1, P0[0,1,1], K0[0,0,1].

Row 3 Kfb, K0[0,1,2], P1, * K3, P1, rep from * to last 1[1,2,3] sts, K0[0,1,2], Kfb. 33[33,35,37] sts.

Row 4 P3[3,4,5], K1, P1, K1, * P5, K1, P1, K1, rep from * to last 3[3,4,5] sts, P3[3,4,5].

Row 5 Kfb 1[0,0,0] times, K3[4,5,6], * P1, K7, rep from * to last 5[5,6,7] sts, P1, K3[4,5,6] Kfb 1[0,0,0] times. 35[33,35,37]sts.

Row 6 P4[3,4,5], K1, P1, K1, * P5, K1, P1, K1, rep from * to last 4[3,4,5] sts, P4[3,4,5].

Row 7 Kfb 0[1,1,1] times, K3[1,2,3], P1, * K3, P1, rep from * to last 3[2,3,4] sts, K3[1,2,3], Kfb 0[1,1,1] times. 35[35,37,39] sts.

Row 8 P0[0,1,2], * K1, P1, K1, P5, rep from * to last 3[3,4,5] sts, K1, P1, K1, P0[0,1,2].

These 8 rows form the pattern border and start of sleeve shaping.

Work 9 more rows in patt at same time inc one st at each end of 1st[3rd,3rd,3rd] and every foll 4th row, taking inc sts into patt. 39[39,41,43] sts.

Now cont in stst inc one st at each of every foll 4th row to 45[49,47,43] sts, working inc sts into patt.

For 3rd and 4th sizes only Inc one st at each end of every foll 6th row to [53,57] sts.

For all sizes Cont straight until Sleeve measures 12[15,19,23] cm, ending with a P row.

Shape Top

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 39[43,47,51] sts.

Now dec one st at each end of next 3 rows. 33[37,41,45] sts. Now dec at each end of foll 10 alt rows. 13[17,21,25]sts. Now dec on next 1[3,5,7] rows.

Cast off rem 11 sts.

NECKBAND

Join shoulder seams. With RS facing and using 4 mm needles, K10[11,12,13] across sts from left back holder, pick up and K14[15,15,16] sts down left side of front neck,

K7[9,9,11] sts from front neck holder, pick up and K14[15,15,16] sts up right side of front neck then K10[11,12,13] across sts from right back holder. 55[61,63,69] sts.

K3 rows. Cast off loosely.

BACK OPENING EDGING

With RS facing and using 4 mm needles, beg and ending at top of neck border, pick up and K16 sts, down right side of back opening then pick up and K16 sts up left side of back opening. 32 sts.

Row 1 K14 [K2tog] twice, K14. 30 sts.

Row 2 (Buttonhole) K1, K2tog, yfwd, K10 [K2tog] twice, K13. Cast off rem 28 sts loosely.

MAKING UP

Insert sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew on button.





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