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SAILOR SWEATER IN RIBBING

Oversize sweater w/side slits
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Sizes:
(XS-S) M-L (XL-XXL)

Measurements:

Bust: (115) 120 (125) cm
Length at back: approx (78) 80 (83) cm

Length front: Ca (75) 77 (80) cm
Sleeve length: 44 cm with folded cuff, or suitable length

All measurements are for the finished garment = personal body measurements + movement allowance. The measurements are all according to given tension

Yarn:

TYNN SILK MOHAIR (57 % mohair, 28 % silk, 15 % wool, 25 g = 212 m)

Yarn required:

Orange #2727: (6) 7 (8) balls
Pink #4323: (6) 7 (8) balls

Suggested knitting needles:

Circular 2.5 mm and 3 mm
Small circular 2.5 mm and 3 mm for sleeves and neck
Needle sizes are only suggestions. If your knitting shows tighter tension, use thicker needles, for looser tension use thinner needle.

Tension:

24 sts and 33 rnds ribbing with double yarn and 3 mm ndls = 10x10 cm (slightly stretched)

Edge st: k every row

Work garment with double yarn = 1 strand orange + 1 strand pink

Work back and front separately in rows for side slits. Join parts after slits and cont in rounds.

Back:

With double yarn and 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (139) 145 (151) sts, and work ribbing back and forth as follows:

Row 1: (= WS) 1 edge st, p1, k3, *p3, k3*, rep from *-*, end with p1, 1 edge st.

Row 2: (= RS) 1 edge st, k1, p3, *k3, p3*, rep from *-*, end with k1, 1 edge st.

Rep row 1 – 2 until work meas 4 cm.
Change to 3 mm circular and cont ribbing until work meas 11 cm.
Put back aside and work front.

Front:

Cast on and work in the same manner as back until work meas 8 cm.

Back and front:

Transfer sts for both parts to the same 3 mm circular ndl, **at the same time** k edge sts tog at each side, and insert marker on each of these 2 sts = (276) 288 (300) sts on rnd = (137) 143 (149) sts between markers.

Cont ribbing as before until work meas (52) 53 (54) cm at the back.

Divide for armholes. Cast off marked st at each side and cont each part separately.

Back:

= (137) 143 (149) sts.

Cont ribbing with 1 edge st at each side of work until armhole meas (18) 19 (21) cm.

Shape and cast off for shoulder at beg of every row at each side 3 sts (8)6(8) times, 4 sts (5)7(6) times = (44) 46 (48) sts cast off at each side.

Work meas approx (78) 80 (83) cm.
Transfer rem (49) 51 (53) sts to spare ndl for neck.

Front:

= (137) 143 (149) sts.

Cont ribbing with 1 edge st at each side until front meas (65) 67 (70) cm.

Transfer the (21) 21 (21) center front sts to spare ndl for neck and work each side separately.

On alt rows transfer 3 sts at neck edge to the spare ndl. Then cast off on alt rows at neck 2 sts 1 time all sizes, and 1 st (3)4(5) times, **at the same time** when armhole meas (18) 19 (21) cm cast off for shoulder from armhole side as the back.

Work other side the same but in a mirror image.

Sleeves:

With double yarn and small 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (54) 60 (60) sts. Join and work 4 cm ribbing in rnds as

follows: k2, p3, *k3, p3*, rep from *-*, end with k1.

Insert marker on first st of rnd = 1 k st in center of 2 k sts.

Change to small 3 mm circular.

Cont ribbing until sleeve meas 6 cm. Inc 1 st at each side of marker (inc = pick up yarn between 2 sts and k tbl this new st).

Rep inc every (2,5) 2,5 (3) cm until (80) 88 (96) sts on rnd. Work new sts in ribbing as they arise.

Cont until sleeve meas 44 cm, or suitable length

Cast off loosely (using a thicker ndl if necessary).

Work other sleeve the same.

Finishing:

Sew shoulder seams with hidden sts to a nice and even seam.

Sew sleeves on.

Neckband:

With double yarn and small 2.5 mm circular ndl knit 1 st in every st at neck edge and spare ndls to approx (112) 116 (120) sts on rnd.

Work the 45 center front sts on spare ndl as they appear (k3, p3), and work rem sts in ribbing k1, p1. Cont in this order until neckband meas 7 cm.

Cast off rib-wise.