





Materials

10(12, 14) balls Artesano DK Superfine Alpaca – Shade - Anemone - C986 1 pair Brittany 4.00mm needles Stitch holders 2 buttons (if required) 1 Brittany 3.00mm crochet hook

Measurements

To fit:

S - 32'' - 34'' (81 - 86)cms **M** – 36" – 38" (92 – 96)cms **L** -40'' - 42'' (102 -107)cms **Overall length**: 26(29, 32)" 66(74, 81)cms **Sleeve length**(including cuff): 13" (33cms)

Tension

24sts and 28rows to 4" (10cms) over pattern on 4.00mm needles

NB: It is advisable to circle instructions for size to be worked before commencing.

Abbreviations

K – knit

P – purl

St(s) - stitch(es)

RS – right side

WS – wrong side

Beg - beginning

Coe – cast on edge

Cont – continue

Kb – knit into back of st

Pb – purl into back of st

M1 – make 1 by picking up horizontal loop from row below, knit into back

Alt – alternate

Dec – decrease

C – cable 4 by slipping next 2 sts onto cable needle at back

of work, k2 sts then k 2sts from cable needle 3-needle cast off – place stitches of two pieces to be joined on 2 needles, right sides together. Knit 1 st from front needle and 1 st from back needle tog. Repeat casting off in normal way.

Top Back

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 135(156, 177)sts.

1st row: *p4, kb1, (p4, k4)twice. Repeat from * to last 9 sts, p4, kb1, p4.

2nd row: *k4, pb1, (k4, p4)twice. Repeat from * to last 9 sts, k4, pb1, k4.

3rd row: *p4, kb1, (p4, C4)twice. Repeat from * to last 9sts, p4, kb1, p4.

4th row: as 2nd row. Repeat last 4 rows once(twice, 3 times).

Shape Armholes

Cast off 12sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 9(14, 17) rows. 93(104, 119)sts.

Cont straight until work measures 8(8 ½, 9)" 20(22, 23)cms from coe, ending on WS row. Cast off.

Right Sleeve (knitted sideways)

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 72sts.

1st row: *(p4, k4)twice, p4, kb1. Repeat from * to last 9sts. p4, k5.

2nd row: k1, p4, *k4, pb1, (k4, p4)twice. Repeat from * to last 4sts, k4.

Shape Back Sleeve

1st row: * (p4, C4)twice, p4, kb1. Repeat from * to last 9sts, p4, C4, m1, k1. (73sts) **2nd row:** k1, ml, k1, p4, *k4, pb1, (k4, p4)twice. Repeat from * to last 4sts, k4. (74sts). *Cont as set, inc 1 st at armhole edge on next 7(12, 15)rows, taking extra sts into pattern until there are 81(86, 89)sts. Cont straight until sleeve measures 8(8 1/2, 9)" 20(22, 23)cms from coe, ending on WS row. Place marker.

Shape Front Sleeve

Dec 1 st at end of next and every following alt row to 60 sts. Work 3 rows without shaping. Cast off loosely.*

Left Sleeve (knitted sideways)

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 72 sts.

1st row: k5, p4, *(kb1, p4, (k4, p4)twice. Repeat from * to end of row.

2nd row: *(k4, p4)twice, k4, pb1. Repeat from * to last 9sts, k4, p4, k1.

Shape Back Sleeve

1st row: k1, ml, k4, p4, *kb1, p4, (C4, p4)twice. Repeat from * to end of row. (73sts) **2nd row**: *(k4, p4)twice, k4, pb1. Repeat from * to last 10sts, k4, p4, k1, m1, k1. (74sts).

Complete as for Right Sleeve, from * to * working shapings at opposite end (armhole edge).

Cuffs

Using 4.00mm needles, pick up 69(77, 85)sts evenly along straight edge of sleeve. 1st row: (WS) k5(1, 5)sts, p0(4, 4)sts, k0(4, 4)sts, *(p4, k4, pb1, k4, p4, k4). Repeat from * to last 1(5, 9)sts, k1(0,0)sts, p0(4, 4)sts, k0(1, 5)sts.

Cont in pattern as set, working cable on next and every following 4th row to 3" (8cms) or desired length ending on WS row. Cast off.

At this stage it is advisable to partly construct pieces already worked.

Press or block Top Back and Sleeves.

Match marker at shoulder line on sleeves to top edges of Back. Using fine back stitch sew back sleeve shaping to armhole on Top Back, sewing 12 cast off stitches at armhole to cast on stitches on sleeve.

Right Shawl Front

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 10(15, 20)sts, starting at bottom centre back.

1st row: (RS) kb3, p4, k3(4, 4)sts, p0(4, 4)sts, k0(0, 5)sts. **2nd row:** p0(0, 5)sts, k0(4, 4)sts, p3(4, 4)sts, k4, pb3. **3rd row:** as 1st row.

4th row: cast on 5sts, k0(0, 1)st, pb0(0, 1)st, k0(1, 4)sts, p0(4, 4)sts, k4, p4, k4, pb3. 15(20, 25)sts.

5th row: kb3, p4, C4, p4, C0(4, 4)sts, p0(1, 4)sts, kb0(0, 1)st, k0(0, 1).

6th row: Cast on 5sts, p0(0, 2)sts, k0(1, 4)sts, pb0(1, 1)st, k1(4, 4)sts, (p4, k4)twice,

pb3. 20(25, 30)sts.

7th row: kb3, p4, k4, p4, k4, p1(4, 4)sts, kb0(1, 1)st, k0(1, 4)sts, p0(0, 2)sts.

8th row: Cast on 5sts, k0(0, 3)sts, p0(2, 4)sts, k1(4, 4)sts, pb1, (k4, p4)twice, k4, pb3. 25(30, 35)sts.

Cont as set, casting on 5sts at beg of every alt row, taking extra sts into pattern until there are 65(75, 85)sts on needle. Cont straight until work measures 13(14 ½, 16)" 33(37, 41)cms On shortest side ending on WS

Shape Front Neck

row.

Keeping front border in twisted st st, p2tog inside border sts on next and every following 4th row until there are 57(59, 61)sts. Cont straight until short edge of front fits from bottom centre Back to side edge of Back to armhole shaping, up Front Sleeve shaping to marker and across cast off sts of Top Back to centre back. Leave sts on st holder.

Left Shawl Front

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on10(15, 20)sts starting at centre back.

1st row: (RS) k0(0, 5)sts, p0(4, 4)sts, k3(4, 4)sts, p4,

2nd row: pb3, k4, p3(4, 4)sts, k0(4, 4)sts, p0(0,5)sts.

3rd row: Cast on 5sts, p0(0, 1)st, kb0(0, 1)st, p0(1, 4)sts, C0(4, 4)sts, p4, c4, p4, kb3. 15(20, 25)sts.

4th row: pb3, k4, p4, k4, p0(4, 4)sts, k0(1, 4)sts, pb0(0, 1)st, k0(0, 1)st.

Cont as set, casting on 5sts at beg of next and every alt row, taking extra sts into pattern until there are 65(75, 85)sts on needle. Complete to match Right Shawl Front reversing shapings, to centre back neck. Leave sts on st holder.

Finishing

Press or block shawl fronts. Join back neck edges by using 3-needle cast off. Join shaped bottom back edges using fine backstitch.

With right sides facing, match back neck seam of fronts to centre of cast off sts at top of Top Back. Match shaped seam of fronts to centre of cast on sts for Top Back. Pin in place to bottom of back, sides of back and front sleeve shapings and back neck. Sew in place. Join sleeve and cuff seams. Starting at bottom centre back and using 3.00mm crochet hook, work 1 round in single crochet, working two button loops 11/4", and 31/2", (3 and 9 cms) below commencement of top front shaping on right hand side. Sew on buttons to correspond.