



## Johanna Christmas Sweater

No. 1003-184-9447

### Materials:

Crochet Hook H (5.0mm)  
13 (14) 15 skeins of Soft Alpaca, Deep Red 10  
1 Skein of Super Kid Silk, Green 24  
1 partial skein of Mayflower Kid Silk, yellow 04  
1 partial skein of Mayflower Kid Silk, brown 09

### Buy the yarn here

<http://shop.hobbii.com/johanna-christmas-sweater>

### Sizes:

S (M) L

Width: 16 ½ (17 ¾) 19 ¼ in.

Length: 24 ½ in.

Arm length: 18 ¾ in.

### Gauge:

5½ squares x 5½ squares = 4" x 4"

### Abbreviations:

**ch**: chain stitch  
**sl st**: slip stitch  
**sc**: single crochet  
**hdc**: half double crochet  
**dc**: double crochet  
**bl**: back loop

### Information:

The sweater is worked in C2C (Corner to corner) in 6 parts. The ribbed edge is worked at the end on the neck, arms and bottom edge of the sweater. See the chart on the last page for an overview of the C2C pieces.

The ch2 of each square counts as a dc.

The sweater is worked with 2 strands of Soft Alpaca (red) – The tree is with 3 strands of Super Kid Silk (green, yellow or brown).

## C2C – Guide

When working C2C, you create squares that are worked on the diagonal (corner to corner). Here is a short guide to how to work these squares. The technique is the same for all sizes.

Work 3+2 ch sts, work 1 dc in the 3rd ch from the hook, (work 1 dc in the next ch st) x2—this is the first square. Turn your work.

Work 3+2 ch sts, work 1 dc in the 3rd ch from the hook, (work 1 dc in the next ch st) x2, work 1 sl st in the corner of the first square, ch 2, 3 dc.

This is the basic method for working C2C. To increase or decrease use the following method:

### *Increasing*

Work 3+2 ch sts, work 1 dc in the 3rd ch from the hook, (work 1 dc in the next ch st) x2, \*work 1 sl st in the corner of the square on the previous row, ch 2, 3 dc\* Repeat \*-\* until the last corner of the work.

Continue in this method until you reach the desired size. Then begin to decrease.

### *Decreasing*

Stop before the first square from the previous row. Work 1 sl st in the corner of the next square. Turn your work. Sl st along the top of the square you have just made, ch 2, 3 dc, \*sl st in the square from the previous row, ch 2, 3 dc\* Repeat \*-\* until the opposite corner of the work.

If the piece should be square, decrease on both sides of the work at the same time. If it should be a rectangle, only decrease at the beginning of the row until the piece is both as wide and as long as needed, then decrease on both sides at the same time.

### *Changing colors*

When you need to change colors, work the sl st in the new square with the old color before changing. Work with the new color until you need to change again. Do not cut the yarn, so that you can pick it back up and continue working with it on the next row. This means there will be many strands of colors working at the same time, but there will be less ends to weave in at the end.

## Front Piece

Follow the chart on the last page to work the tree. Start at the top left corner. Work in C2C method as described before to make 25x28 (27x28) 29x28 squares.

The trunk of the tree can be worked as a part of the pattern or a separate piece that can be sewn on at the end like the star.

## Back

Work in C2C method as described before to make 25x30 (27x30) 29x30 squares.

The back is made slightly longer than the front, so that it fits better over the shoulders.

## Shoulders (Make 2)

Work in C2C method to make 6x8 squares.

## Arms (Make 2)

Work in C2C method to make 22x22 squares. When the piece is finished, sew 2 edges together to make a tube.

## Assembly of the sweater

Lay the front and back pieces on top of each other and sew 21 squares together with mattress stitch from the bottom on each side. The back piece should now have 2 rows that are above the front piece.



Attach the shoulder pieces to the front and back pieces. There are now 22 squares that make up the arm holes on each side of the sweater. Attach the arm pieces to each side.

## Rib

Work the rib edge around the neck, arms and bottom of the sweater:

Neck:

Attach the yarn to the square in the middle of the back piece.

1. Ch 6 +1
2. Work hdc in the 2<sup>nd</sup> ch st from the hook. Work 1 hdc in each ch st. (1 sc in the edge st) x 4, turn work.
3. Skip all sc, work 1 hdc in the last hdc from the previous row, work 1 hdc in BL in each st across, ch 1 and turn the work (6hdc)
4. Work 1 hdc in the last hdc from the previous row. Work 1 hdc in BL in each st across (1 sc in the edge st) x 4, turn work. (6 hdc)

Repeat rows 3 & 4 all the way around the neck. End with sl st to join the starting ch and ending row. Or you can sew the pieces together.

Arms:

Attach the yarn to a square and ch 1.

1. 2 sc together around = 26 sc.
2. Ch 15+1.
3. Work hdc in the 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from the hook, hdc in all ch-sts, (1 sc in the edge st) x 4, turn work.
4. Skip all sc, work 1 hdc in the last hdc from the previous row, work 1 hdc in BL in each st across, ch 1 and turn the work (15 hdc)
5. Work 1 hdc in the last hdc from the previous row. Work 1 hdc in BL in each st across (1 sc in the edge st) x 4, turn work. (15 hdc)

Repeat rows 4 & 5 all the way around the arm. End with sl st to join the starting ch and ending row. Or you can sew the pieces together.

If you would like the sleeve rib to be looser, \*work 2sc tog, 3 sc\* on the beginning round.

Bottom of sweater:

Attach the yarn to a square.

1. Ch 12+1
2. Work hdc in the 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from the hook, hdc in all ch-sts, (1 sc in the edge st) x 3, turn work.
3. Skip all sc, work 1 hdc in the last hdc from the previous row, work 1 hdc in BL in each st across, ch 1 and turn the work (12 hdc)
4. Work 1 hdc in the last hdc from the previous row. Work 1 hdc in BL in each st across (1 sc in the edge st) x 4, turn work. (12 hdc)

Repeat rows 3 & 4 all the way around the neck. End with sl st to join the starting ch and ending row. Or you can sew the pieces together.

## Decorations

You can add decorations as you wish to the tree. For example, you can make pompoms to attach as ornaments or embroider garland and lights.

### Star

1. Work 5 sc in a magic ring.
2. Work 2 sc in each st. (10 sc)
3. Work 3 sc, turn, 3 sc, turn, skip 1 st, 1 sc, turn, 2 sc, turn skip 1 st, 1 sc cut the yarn.

Repeat step 3 by working the 1st sc in the last sc from the previous point. You should end with 5 points for your star.

Cut the yarn and sew onto the sweater at the top of the tree! 😊

Enjoy!

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**Front Piece**

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**Arm (x2)**

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**Shoulder (x2)**

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**Back**

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