



Panda Sweater

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Materials

2 (3) 3 (3) 4 balls Highland Wool stone (col. 7)
1 (1) 1 (1) 1 balls Highland Wool off-white (col. 2)
1 (1) 1 (1) 1 balls Highland Wool black (col. 10)

Circular needle and double pointed needle size 3 mm and 4 mm
Stitch markers

Yarn

100% wool
50 g = 176 meter

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<http://shop.hobbii.com/panda-sweater>

Size

Size: 6 months (1 year) 2 years (4 years) 6 years
Chest width: 54 (59) 64 (68) 73 cm
Length: 31 (34) 37 (41) 45 cm

Gauge

22 st x 34 rounds in stockinette stitch with needle 4 mm = 10 x 10 cm

Pattern information

The sweater is worked bottom up.

Col. 1: stone

Col. 2: off-white

Col. 3: black



Have fun making this pattern!

Body

CO 120 (130) 140 (150) 160 st on circular needle 3 mm and col. 3. Work rib: k1, p1. Work 2 rounds with col. 3 and change to col. 1. Continue until rib measures 3 (4) 4 (5) 5 cm. Change to circular needle size 4 mm. Insert a marker at the beginning of the round and in the middle of the round (= sides). Continue in stockinette stitch and work until piece measures 18 (20) 23 (25) 28 cm. On next round bind off for armholes 3 (3) 4 (4) 4 st on each side both markers. Put piece aside.

Sleeve

CO 40 (40) 42 (44) 46 st on double pointed needle 3 mm and col. 3. Work rib: k1, p1. Work 2 rounds with col. 3 and change to col. 1. Continue until rib measures 3 (4) 4 (5) 5 cm. Change to double pointed needle/small circular needle size 4 mm and continue in stockinette stitch. Increase 1 stitch in 4th round at the beginning and end of round as follows: k1, M1L; pick up thread in between sts, bringing needle from front to back and knit into the back of st (= inc), continue until you have 1 st left on round, M1R; pick up thread in between sts, bringing the needle from back to front and knit into front of st (= inc) and k1. Repeat inc on every 4th (4th) 5th (5th) 6th round until you have 52 (54) 56 (58) 60 st. Continue working in the round until piece measures 16 (18) 22 (25) 28 cm. On next round bind off the first and last 3 (3) 4 (4) 4 st on round for the armhole. Put piece aside and work the other sleeve in the same way.

Yoke

Slip all pieces on to the same circular needle as follows: Work with col. 1 first sleeve, front piece, second sleeve and back piece = 200 (214) 220 (234) 248 st.
Work one more round with col. 1, and decrease at the same time 10 (4) 0 (4) 8 st evenly, so you have 190 (210) 220 (230) 240 st.
Work 4 (6) 8 (11) 14 rounds.
Decrease in next round as follows: *k8, k2tog*, repeat from * to * on entire round = 171 (189) 198 (207) 216 st.
Work 4 (5) 6 (7) 8 rounds.
Decrease in next round as follows: *k7, k2tog*, repeat from * to * on entire round = 152 (169) 177 (185) 192 st.
Change to col. 3 (black). Work 2 rounds, and decrease 17 (19) 12 (5) 12 st evenly on 2nd round, so you have 135 (150) 165 (180) 180 st.
Work according to the diagram. Finish 1 st before round is completed.
Decrease in next round as follows: *k13, k2tog*, repeat from * to * on entire round = 126 (140) 154 (168) 168 st.
Work 1 round.
Work 2 rounds with col. 3 (black).
Continue in col. 1.
Work 1 round + 1st st on 2nd round. The new round begins here!
Decrease on 2nd round as follows: *k5, k2tog*, repeat from * to * on entire round = 108 (120) 132 (144) 144 st.
Work 1 (2) 2 (3) 3 round(s).
Decrease on next round as follows: *k4, k2tog, repeat from * to * on entire round = 90 (100) 110 (120) 120 st.
Work 1 (2) 2 (3) 3 round(s).

Decrease evenly on next round, so you have a total of 84 (94) 104 (114) 114 st.
 Work 1 (1) 1 (1) 2 round(s).

Neck edge

Change to double pointed needle/small circular needle size 3 mm.

Work rib: k1, p1. Work 4 (4) 5 (5) 6 rounds with col. 1. Change to col. 3 and work 2 more rounds. Bind off in rib.

Assembly

Weave in all ends. Sew the openings under the sleeves together.

Wash gently on a wool program and lay it flat to dry.

NB! Before washing, it's recommended to soak the sweater in lukewarm water, with a little bit of vinegar added to it, in order to bind the color in the yarn.

