



**KNITTING PATTERN**

# Gaja

## Children's Slip-over


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## MATERIALS

2 (2) 2 (3) skeins of Honey Bunny Shine, col. tomato (40)

Circular needles 5 mm, 80 cm  
Circular needles 7 mm, 80 cm  
Stitch markers  
Clover Wonder Clips  
Wool needle

## YARN QUALITY

 **Honey Bunny Shine**, Hobbii  
100% Polyester  
100 g (3.5 oz) = 120 m (131 yds)

## GAUGE

10 x 10 cm (4" x 4") = 9 sts x 17 rows

## ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit  
P = purl  
St(s) = stitch(es)  
sel = selvage  
R = row(s)  
RS = right Side  
WS = wrong side

## SIZE

3-4 (5-6) 7-8 (9-10) year

## MEASUREMENTS

Length: 40 (44) 47 (49) cm/15.7 (17.3) 18.5 (19.3) inches  
Width: 37 (39) 41 (43) cm/14.6 (15.4) 16.4 (16.9) inches

## PATTERN INFORMATION

This gorgeous Gaja Slipover is perfect for the mild autumn days. The pattern is beginner friendly, and the slipover is worked in two parts which are joined at the shoulders. The sides are open, just tied with two ties in each side. It works up quickly due to the large needles.

Only knit and purl stitches are used, and the pattern comes with a picture guide.

This pattern can also be found in a version for adults.

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## BUY THE YARN HERE

<https://shop.hobbii.com/gaja-children-s-slip-over>



## QUESTIONS

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Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

# Pattern



## TIPS AND INFO

In this pattern only knit and purl stitches are used, making it a very beginner-friendly project.

You can cast on as you prefer, but I find the cable-on-cast-on easier to use for this yarn. See pictures below. I recommend using needles one or two sizes bigger than the ones for knitting to keep the cast-on edge from being too tight.

The slipover is designed to be open at the sides, but the width can easily be adjusted to make a closed version. Just use your own measurements to find the correct width. If for instance, you want it to be 5 cm/2" wider, you will calculate it like this: 10 cm (4") = 9 sts, 1 cm (0.4") = 0.9 sts, 5 cm = 5 x 0.9 = 4.5. meaning you will add 5 sts to the width. I recommend closing the sides by slip stitching them together, but you can use your preferred method.

When working with chenille yarn, it is recommended to tie a knot in all ends and to only sew short lengths to keep the yarn from fraying.

**Cable cast-on:** wrap the yarn around the needle to create a loop, repeat to get two loops. Insert the right-hand needle between the two loops, yarn over and pull through. Move this new loop onto the left-hand needle (see pictures 1-3 below). Repeat until you have the desired stitch number.

**Selvage (sel):** knit the first stitch on row, slip the last stitch purlwise (with yarn in front).

## BACK PANEL

Cast on 41 (43) 46 (48) sts using the cable cast-on or your preferred method. Work flat. Work 5 rows of garter stitch (knit all rows), 1. Row will be a WS-row. Then:

**Row 1 (RS):** sel, knit until last stitch, sel

**Row 2 (WS):** sel, knit 2, place stitch marker, purl until 3 sts remain, place stitch marker, k 2, sel.

Repeat these 2 rows until you reach the desired length minus 3 cm/1.2 inches

## Neck opening

Place stitch marker after 9 (10) 11 (12) sts (shoulder stitches), count another 23 (23) 24 (24) sts (neck opening) and place a stitch marker, you will then have 9 (10) 11 (12) sts for the other shoulder. NOTE: if you have your slip-over wider, you will keep the same number of sts for the neck opening as instructed, unless you prefer a wider or narrower neck opening.

**Row 1 (WS):** sel, k 2, p 6 (7) 8 (9), k 23 (23) 24 (24), p 6 (7) 8 (9), k 2, sel

**Row 2 (RS)** sel, knit all sts, sel

Repeat these 2 rows until you have worked a total of 5 rows.

Bind off loosely from the RS. (See picture 4)

## FRONT PANEL

Is worked the same as back panel.

## TIE-STRINGS (MAKE 8)

Cast on 3 (3) 4 (4) sts and work flat: \*sel, k 1 (1) 2 (2), sel\* until 20 cm/8 inches or desired length. NOTE: the tie-string will expand, so be sure to stretch it a little when measuring.

Bind off keeping a long tail for attaching the tie-string to the slip-over.

## FINISHING

Place both parts with RS facing and sew the shoulder seams from the armholes to the marked stitches. Turn work with RS out. Place a Clover Clip 17 (18) 19 (20) cm measured from the shoulder seam on each side (for the sleeve) of both front and back panel (see picture 6) and again 10 (12) 13 (15) cm further down (or at desired length, you will want the ties at or just below your waist). Try on the slip-over to make sure the ties are places as you like.

Place a tie on the RS of the slip-over at the marked places (see picture 7) and use the clips to keep them in place. Repeat for all 8 ties. Attach them by sewing them on from the RS.

Weave in all loose ends!

Done!

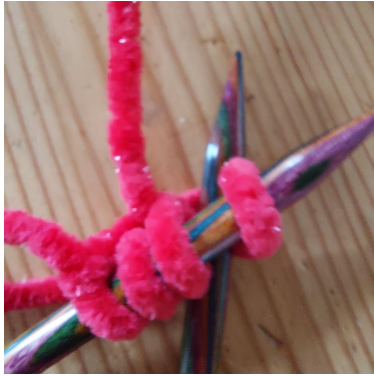
**Enjoy!**

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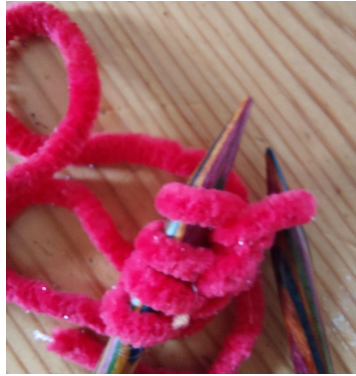


## PHOTO GUIDE

### Cable cast-on



Picture 1



Picture 2



Picture 3

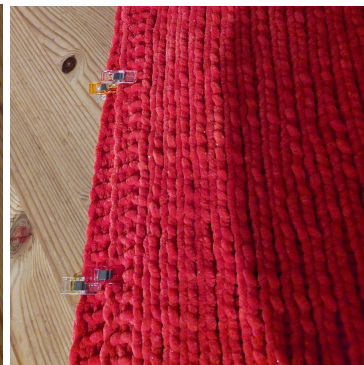
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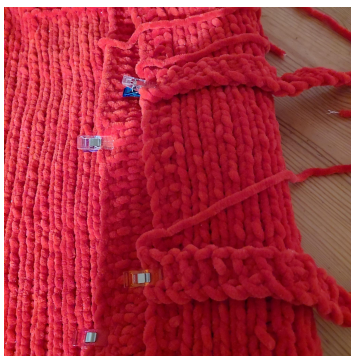
Picture 4



Picture 5



Picture 6



Picture 7