

Man's Pullover
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MATERIALS: 4 ozs of 3 ply wool in the main shade and 3 ozs of 3 ply wool in a contrasting shade. A pair each of Nos 10 and 12 "AIR-LITE" knitting needles.

MEASUREMENTS: Length from shoulder to lower edge 22 ins, chest 38 ins.

TENSION: 8½ sts to 1 inch

ABBREVIATIONS: K knit, p purl, sts stitches, tog together, rep repeat, inc increase, dec decrease, patt pattern, beg beginning, rem remains(ing), cont continue, sl slip, ins inches, M main shade, C contrasting shade.

THE BACK: Using No 12 needles and M wool, cast on 130 sts and work in k 1, p 1 rib for 4 ins.

Next row: K 2, * k 3, k twice into next st; rep from * to last 4 sts, k 4. (161 sts).

Next row: P.

Change to No 10 needles and work in patt as follows:—

1st row: With C wool, k 2, * sl 1, k 3; rep from * ending the row with k 2 instead of k 3.

2nd row: P back, purling the C sts and slipping the M sts.

3rd row: With M wool, k 3, * sl 1, k 3, sl 1, k 1, sl 1, k 3, sl 1, k 5; rep from * ending the row with k 3 instead of k 5.

4th row: P back, purling the M sts and slipping the C sts.

5th row: With C wool, * sl 1, k 3; rep from * to last st, sl 1.

6th row: P back, purling the C sts and slipping the M sts.

7th row: With M wool, k 1, * sl 1, k 3, sl 1, k 5, sl 1, k 3, sl 1, k 1; rep from * to end.

8th row: P back, purling the M sts and slipping the C sts.

These 8 rows comprise the patt. Cont to rep them until the work measures 13 ins.

SHAPE ARMHOLES: Cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at both ends of every alternate row until

129 sts rem. Cont straight until work measures 22 ins, ending with a 4th or an 8th patt row.

SHAPE NECK AND SHOULDERS:

Next row: Patt 43, turn.

Next row: Patt to end. Now work on these 43 sts as follows:—

1st row: Cast off 10, patt to last 2 sts, work 2 tog.

2nd row: Work 2 tog, patt to end.

Rep these 2 rows twice more. Cast off.

Rejoin wool to rem sts at neck edge, cast off 43 sts and patt to end.

Cont on rem 43 sts to match opposite side.

THE FRONT: Work as for back until armhole shaping is completed and 129 sts rem.

Cont straight on these sts until work measures 18½ ins, ending with a 4th or an 8th patt row.

SHAPE NECK: Patt 56, turn.

Next row: Work 2 tog, patt to end. Cont on these 55 sts only, dec 1 st at the neck edge on every alternate row until 37 sts rem. Cont straight until work measures 22 ins, ending at armhole edge.

SHAPE SHOULDER: Cast off 10 sts from armhole edge at beg of next 3 alternate rows. Work 1 row, then cast off rem sts.

Return to rem sts at neck edge, cast off 16 sts, patt to end. Work on these sts to match opposite side.

NECK BAND: Join left shoulder seam. With right side of work facing and using No 12 needles and M wool, pick up and k 6 sts down neck shaping at back, 42 sts along back neck, 6 sts up other side of neck shaping, 38 sts down front, 16 sts from cast off sts at front, 38 sts up other side of front neck. (146 sts). Work in k 1, p 1 rib for 1 inch. Cast off loosely in rib.

ARMHOLE BANDS: Join right shoulder seam. With right side facing and using No 12 needles and M wool, pick up and k 150 sts evenly around armhole edge. Work 1 inch in k 1, p 1 rib.

Cast off loosely in rib. Work other armhole to match.

TO MAKE UP: Press work lightly with a warm iron over a damp cloth, omitting ribbing. Join side seams. Press seams.