

LANA GATTO



EVEREST

ZIPPED JACKET

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Size: one (oversize)

Skill Level: intermediate

How much yarn: g 800 of Everest yarn, in grey shade no. 6012

A little amount of scrap yarn in contrasting colour

Needles: Pair of 3.75 mm (no. 9) knitting needles

Pair of 4.50 mm (no. 7) knitting needles.

A 4.50 mm (no. 7) spare needle

Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point

Other items: Two black frogged fastenings

Two small metal rings. Fabric glue

An open-end two-way zip fastener

STITCHES

Using needles: : K1, P1 rib.

FISHERMAN'S RIB: work on a even number of sts.

Row 1: K. Row 2 and following rows: * K1, K1-b (= knit 1st in the row below: insert needle through centre of st 1 row below next st and knit, slipping st above off needle at same time); rep from * to last 2 sts, end with K2. Rep last row throughout.

TENSION

18 sts and 40 rows measure 10 cm square over fisherman's rib with 4.50 mm (no. 7) needles.

INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with 3.75 mm (no. 9) needles and scrap yarn cast on 80 sts. Cut scrap yarn and continue to work with main yarn. Work border in K1, P1 rib for 6 cm. Change to 4.50 mm (no. 7) needles. Unravel scrap yarn and place these sts on spare needle. Keeping spare needle parallel on backside to correspond working needle with sts, work 1 row in fisherman's rib, working together every time 1 st on front needle and 1 st on back needle, in correspondence. There is a double border. Cont to work in fisherman's rib, until work measures 46 cm from double border. Cast off all sts.

Right front: with 3.75 mm (no. 9) needles and scrap yarn cast on 80 sts. Cut scrap yarn and continue to work with main yarn. Work border in K1, P1 rib for 6 cm. Change to 4.50 mm (no. 7) needles and create double border as given for Back. Cont to work in fisherman's rib, until work measures 38 cm from double border, ending with a WS row. Shape neck: cast off first 6 sts on RH (right hand) side and dec 1 st on neck edge on next and every foll 4th row 6 times. When neck shaping measures 8 cm, cast off rem 28 sts for shoulder.

Left front: work as Right Front reversing shapings.

Sleeves: with 3.75 mm (no. 9) needles cast on 40 sts. For cuff, work 7 cm in K1, P1 rib. Change to 4.50 mm (no. 7) needles and cont to work in fisherman's rib, inc 1 st at each end every 10th row 16 times. There are 72 sts. When work measures 48 cm from beg, cast off all sts.

Collar: with 3.75 mm (no. 9) needles cast on 80 sts. Work 22 cm in K1, P1 rib. Don't cast off. Leave sts on needle. Cut yarn leaving a long end to join collar sts around collar.

FINISHING

With yarn needle, sew shoulder seams. Sew cast-on sts of collar all around neckedge, then fold collar in half and sew sts of last row in backstitch at base of collar, which becomes double. Make a cord to insert in double border at base of jacket: with 4.50 mm (no. 7) needles cast on some amount of sts (approx 110cm in width) and cast off these sts on next row. With fabric glue, fix a metal ring inside 5 sts from edge and approx up 0.5 cm from border base. Insert cord commencing from first ring and ending at second ring. In correspondence of each end, sew a frogged fastening. Set in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams. Sew zip fastener all along centre opening, including collar.

