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Size One size

Materials: 300 g of Lana Grossa **Ecopuno** (72% cotton, 17% Merino wool, 11% baby alpaca; 215 m/50 g) in Mandarin **(col 72)**. Size 3 mm needles; cable needle [cn]; size 3 mm crochet hook; six 15 mm buttons in orange.

Selvage stitches: On every row: SI first st kwise, k last st.

Rev St st: P on RS, k on WS.

Chart patt: Numbers at right edge of chart indicate RS rows; on WS rows, work sts as they appear, purl all yos. Work to patt rep, work 16 sts between arrows for patt rep [19 sts after row 3], work to end of chart. Work rows 1-8 once, then rep rows 5-8.

Gauge: 27 sts and 32 rows = 10×10 cm in chart patt on size 3 mm needles.

Back: With size 3 mm needles cast on 119 sts. Working first and last st as selvage sts, work in rev St st for 4 rows. Work chart patt until piece meas 32 cm from cast-on, working patt rep 7 times across row = 143 sts after row 3. Place marker in first and last st on last WS row to indicate beg of armholes. Cont in patt until piece meas 19 cm from armhole markers. Bind off all sts.

Left front: With size 3 mm needles cast on 61 sts. Working first and last st as selvage sts, work in rev St st for 4 rows. Next row (RS): Work row 1 of chart = work to patt rep, work patt rep 3 times, work first 10 sts of patt rep once more, work last chart st. Cont to foll chart = 73 sts after row 3, until piece meas 32 cm from cast-on. Place marker in last st on last WS row to indicate beg of armhole. Cont in patt until piece meas 10 cm from

Chart key:

 $\square = k1$

 $\Box = p1$

 \triangle = k4tog tbl

 \square = k4tog

 $\square = M1R$

= sl 3 sts to cn and hold in front of

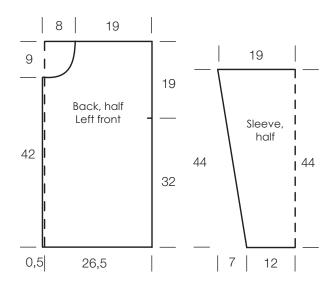
work, k3, then k3 from cn

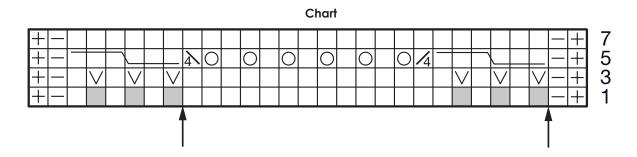
= represents "no stitch" (included to keep st count correct) armhole marker, ending with a RS row. Shape neck: At beg of WS rows, bind off 8 sts 1 time, 3 sts 1 time, 2 sts 2 times, 1 st 6 times and when piece meas 19 cm from armhole marker, bind off rem 52 shoulder sts.

Right front: Work same as left front, reversing all shaping and patt placement.

Sleeves: With size 3 mm needles cast on 53 sts. Working first and last st as selvage sts, work in rev St st for 2 rows. Next row (RS): Work row 1 of chart = work first chart st, work patt rep 3 times, work first 3 sts of patt rep once more, work last chart st. Cont to foll chart = 65 sts after row 3 and shape sleeve as foll: Inc 1 st at each end of 9th row from cast-on, then every 8th row 3 times, then every 6th row 15 times = 103 sts. Work increased sts into patt. Cont in patt until piece meas 44 cm from cast-on. Bind off all sts.

Finishing: Pin pieces to measurements and block. Sew shoulder seams. Using crochet hook, work 5 rows sc along neck edge and along left and right front edge, working 6 buttonholes at right front edge on 3rd row as foll: For each buttonhole, ch 2, sk 2 sc. Work bottom buttonhole 7 cm up from cast-on edge, rem 5 buttonholes spaced 6 cm apart. Sew on sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams. Sew on buttons.





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GAUGE SWATCH

Before you begin knitting...

...make a gauge swatch. Use the recommended needles, yarns and pattern stitch for your gauge swatch. It should measure approx. 12 cm x 12 cm. Cast on and bind off rows, as well as selvage stitches should not be included in the measurement. Pin your swatch and block it as you would the finished pieces of the garment. Count stitches and rows over 10 cm. If your gauge swatch is too small, switch to larger needles. If your gauge swatch is too big, switch to smaller needles.

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ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning) · ch = chain · cont = continue · dec = decreas(e)(ing) · inc = increas(e)(ing) · k = knit · kwise = as if to knit meas = measures · M1L = lift strand between sts from front to back and knit this strand through the back loop · M1R = lift · strand between sts from the back and knit this strand through the front loop · patt = pattern · pm = place marker · p = purl · pwise = as if to purl · rem = remain(ing) · rep = repeat(s) · rev St st = reverse stockinette stitch · rnd(s) = round(s) · RS = · right side · sc = single crochet · skp = slip 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 1 stitch, pass slipped stitch over knitted stitch · sk2p = slip · 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over knitted stitch · s2kp = slip 2 stitches as if to knit, k 1 stitch, pass · slipped stitches over knitted stitch · sl = slip · st(s) = stitch(es) · St st = stockinette stitch · tbl = through the back loop · tog = together · wyib = with yarn in back of work · wyif = with yarn in front of work · WS = wrong side · yo(s) = yarn over(s)