Months		9	12	18
To Fit Chest	cm	50	53	55
Actual Size	cm	57	60	64
Length (approx)	cm	26	29	31
Sleeve Length	cm	19	21	23
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Materials

Panda Sweet Baby 8 ply 100g balls

Quantity 2 2 2

Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results. Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

- 1 pair 4.00mm (UK 8) knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- 2 stitch-holders.
- wool needle for sewing seams.

Tension

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm needles. Check your tension carefully. If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts using bigger needles.

For abbreviations and more on knitting techniques, please see our website.

Back

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on **63** (69-**73**) sts. Work in stocking st (beg with a knit row) until Back measures **25** (28-**30**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape Shoulders -

Cast off 8 sts at beg of next 4 rows, then **7** (9-**9**) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Slip rem 17 (19-23) sts onto stitch-holder and leave.

Front

Work as for Back until there are **12** (12-**14**) rows less than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

Shape Neck -

Next row - K27 (30-31), turn.

Cont on these 27 (30-31) sts for left side of neck.

Dec one st at neck edge in every alt row until **23** (25-**25**) sts rem. Work **3** (1-**1**) rows.

Shape Shoulder -

Cast off 8 sts at beg of next row and foll alt row.

Work 1 row. Cast off rem 7 (9-9) sts loosely.

Slip next **9** (9-**11**) sts onto stitch holder and leave for neckband. With right side facing, join yarn to rem sts and knit to end.

Cont on these 27 (30-31) sts for left side of neck.

Dec one st at neck edge in every alt row until **23** (25-**25**) sts rem. Work **4** (2-**2**) rows.

Shape Shoulder -

Cast off 8 sts at beg of next row and foll alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem **7** (9-**9**) sts **loosely**.



Sleeves

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on 39 (41-45) sts.

Work in stocking st, inc one st at each end of 5th row once, then in every foll **10th** (6th-**4th**) row until there are **45** (49-**53**) sts, then in every foll **12th** (8th-**6th**) row until there are **49** (57-**67**) sts.

Cont without further inc until Sleeve measures **19** (21-**23**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off loosely.

Neckband

Join right shoulder seam. With right side facing and using 4.00mm needles, knit up **14** (15-**17**) sts evenly along left side of front neck, knit across sts from front stitch-holder, knit up **14** (15-**17**) sts evenly along right side of front neck, then knit across sts from back stitch-holder ... **54** (58-**68**) sts.

Work in stocking st, beg with a purl row until neckband measures 5cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Cast off loosely.

To Make Up

DO NOT PRESS. Join left shoulder and neckband seam, reversing seam for last 2cm on neckband for roll back. Tie coloured threads **10** (11-**14**) cm down from shoulders on side edges of Back and Front. Placing centre of sleeve to shoulder seam, sew in sleeves evenly between coloured threads. Join side and sleeve seams, reversing seam for first 2cm at cast-on edge.



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