SWEATER DRESS

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MEASUREMENTS		XS	S	M	L	XL
To Fit Bust	cm	70	80	90	100	110
Actual Size	cm	90	100	110	120	130
Length	cm	86	87	88	89	90
Sleeve Length	cm	54	54	54	54	54

PATONS INCA 50g balls

Quantity (colour 7043) 14 16 17 19 20

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.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 9.00mm (UK 00) and 6.00mm (UK 4) knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- wool needle for sewing seams.

TENSION

11 sts and 16 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 9.00mm needles.

To work a tension square, using 9.00mm needles, cast on 17 sts. Work 24 rows stocking st. Cast off loosely. Check your tension carefully.

If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

NOTE – This design has been worked on larger needles and at a looser tension than normally recommended.

With correct yarn and tension, your Sweater Dress will look like our photograph.

For abbreviations and more on knitting techniques, please see www.patonsyarns.com.au

BACK AND FRONT ALIKE (make 2)

Using 9.00mm needles, cast on **54** (58-**62**-70-**74**) sts.

Beg Lower Band -

1st row - K2, * P2, K2, rep from * to end.

2nd row - P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

Rep last 2 rows once, dec **2** (0-**0**-2-**0**) sts evenly across last row ... **52** (58-**62**-68-**74**) sts, 4 rows rib in all.

Work in stocking st until work measures 65cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

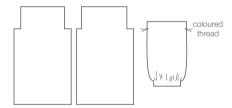
Shape Armholes -

Cast off **8** (10-**11**-13-**14**) sts loosely at beg of next 2 rows ... **36** (38-**40**-42-**46**) sts.

Cont in stocking st until **armholes** measure **21** (22-**23**-24-**25**) cm from cast off, ending with a purl row.

Cast off loosely.





SLEEVES

Using 6.00mm needles, cast on 26 (26-26-26-30) sts. **Beg Cuff** –

Work 13 rows rib as for lower band of Back and Front. **14th row** – Inc **purlways** in each of first 2 sts, * K2, inc **purlways** in each of next 2 sts, rep from * to end ... **40** (40-40-40-46) sts.

Change to 9.00mm needles.

Work 4 rows stocking st.

5th row – K2, **M1**, knit to last 2 sts, **M1**, K2 ... **42** (42-**42**-42-48) sts.

Cont in stocking st, inc one st (as before) at each end of every foll **22nd** (14th-**10th**-8th-**14th**) row until there are **46** (48-**50**-52-**54**) sts.

Cont without shaping until Sleeve measures 54cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark end of sleeve seam.

Work a further **12** (14-**16**-18-**20**) rows.

Cast off loosely.

TO MAKE UP

NOTE - We recommend using mattress stitch to sew up your handknit.

DO NOT PRESS. Join shoulder seams, leaving **24** (25-**25**-26-**26**) cm at centre of back and front unsewn for neck opening. Join side and sleeve seams to coloured threads. Sew in sleeves, placing centre of sleeve to shoulder seam and rows above coloured threads to sts cast off at armholes on back and front.



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