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SIZE

Small/Med (to fit 81.5-96.5cm bust), Med/Large (to fit 96.5-112cm bust)

MATERIALS

- Manos del Uruguay SERENA (60% baby alpaca, 40% pima cotton; approx. 155m/ 50g): 8 skeins. Shown in #S2457 Tide.
- Needles: 6mm OR SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN TENSION
- Stitch markers

TENSION

- 14 sts and 16 rows = 10cm over rev st st with 3 strands of yarn held together
- Single Cable (worked over 12 sts)
- Row 1: p2, sl 4 to cn and hold at back of work, k4, k4 from cn, p2.
- Row 2 and all WS rows: k2, p8, k2.
- Rows 3, 5, and 7: p2, k8, p2.
- Rep Rows 1-8 for Single Cable.

ABBREVIATION

Smock 5: wyib, sl next 5 sts to cn, wrap working yarn around sts anti-clockwise twice, work sts from cn.

Smocking Stitch (multiple of 8 sts) Rnd 1: P1, k1, (p3, k1) to last 2 sts, p2.

Rnds 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, and 12: Work sts as they appear.

Rnd 3: P1, smock 5, (p3, smock 5) to last 2 sts, p2.

Rnd 9: P1, k1, p3, (smock 5, p3) to last 3 sts, k1, p2. Rep rnds 1 through 12 for Smocking Stitch.

NOTE

If you prefer to graft the beginning of the piece to the end, use a provisional cast-on, and leave the sts "live" when you finish knitting.

INSTRUCTIONS

Holding 3 strands of yarn together, cast on 47 sts. Set-up row (WS): sl1; pm; p2, k8, p2; pm; p3, k4, p7, k4, p3; pm; p2, k8, p2; k1. Row 1: sl1; work Row 1 of Single Cable to marker; work Row 1 of Cable Chart between markers; work Row 1 of Single Cable; k1. Cont to work in patterns as established, slipping first st of every row and knitting last st, until piece measures 140 (150)cm, ending with row 24 or 64 of Cable Chart. Cast off.

FINISHING

Block piece lightly. Refer to schematic to assist in the following assembly instructions. Place markers at 12.5 (14)cm (marker 1), 57 (61)cm (marker 2), 83 (89)cm (marker 3), and 127.5 (136)cm (marker 4) along one long side. Sew cast-on edge (A) to bound-off edge (B). Flatten the resulting tube so that the A-B seam aligns with midpoint C. Markers 1 & 2 should match up along edge. Markers 3 & 4 should also match up along the edge. Sew seam from marker set 1 & 2 to marker set 3 & 4 for centre back seam. Weave in ends.

