# PIUMA FANCY DRESS

**DIFFICULTY** =

**YARN =** **PIUMA FANCY** by Laines du Nord col n. 5, 8 balls.
**NEEDLES =** size 8 mm circular needles with 80 cm cable, circular needles with short tips size 5 mm, 5.5 mm and 7.5 mm with 40 cm cable.
**OTHERS =** Stitch marker, row counter, darning needle.



The garment is worked top-down in one piece seamless. The pattern includes 3 sizes: as a guide, each size increases by 2 cm in width at the sides and 2 cm in finished length.

## SAMPLE

10 stitches and 16 rows in stockinette stitch using size 8 mm needles = 10 cm afterblocking.

## POINTS USED

**Stockinette stitch in the round**

**Round 1: knit.**

**Repeat round 1: knit.**

**Rib 1x1 in the round**

**Round 1 (RS): *k1, p1*.**

**Repeat round 1.**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**RS =** right side of the work.
**WS =** WRONG side of the work.
**k =** knit.
**p =** purl.
**K2tog =** knit 2 stitches together.
**skp =** slip 1 stitch, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over.
**yo =** yarn over
**k2tog-tbl =** knit 2 stitches together through back loop
**right incr =** 1 increase to the right (insert the left needle from back to front under the strand between 2 stitches you have worked and knit 1)
**left incr =** 1 increase to the left (insert the left needle from front to back under the strand between 2 stitches you have worked and knit 1 through the back loop)
**SM (BOR) =** stitch marker of the beginning of the round
**P-SM (BOR) =** place the stitch marker of the beginning of the round
**M-SM (BOR) =** move the stitch marker of the beginning of the round.
**SM =** Stitch marker.
**P-SM =** Place the stitch marker.
**M-SM =** move the stitch marker.
**R-SM (BOR) =** remove the stitch marker of the beginning of the round

## MEASURES

**SIZE =** S, M, L

**FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

**Size shown in the picture:** M
**Max Circumference:** 130 cm
**Body length from undersleeve:** 98 cm
**Total length:** 120 cm
**Sleeve length from undersleeve:** 40 cm

## PROCEDURE

**FRONT AND BACK UNTIL THE ARMHOLES**

Using size 5.5 mm tips and 40 cm cable, cast-on 56 stitches and close in round, placing the SM (BOR).

Work 6 rows in rib 1x1, then continue as follows:

**YOKE**

Switch to size 8 mm tips.

**Raglan set-up round:** k9, P-SM, k2, P-SM, k6, P-SM, k2, P-SM, k18, P-SM, k2, P-SM, k6, P-SM, k2, P-SM, k9.

**Row 1:** knit until the 2 sts before the first SM, turn.

**Row 2:** purl until the SM (BOR), M-SM (BOR), purl until the 2 sts before the first MP, turn.

**Row 3:** knit until the SM (BOR), M-SM (BOR), knit until the next SM, M-SM, k2, M-SM, knit until the next SM, M-SM, k2, M-SM, k1, turn.

**Row 4:** purl until the SM (BOR)., M-SM (BOR), purl until next SM, M-SM, p1, M-SM, purl until next SM, M-SM, p1, M-SM, p1, turn.

**Row 5:** knit until the SM, *right incr, M-SM, k2, M-SM, left incr *, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the SM (BOR)., M-SM (BOR), knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the double stitch, k1, turn.

**Row 6:** purl until the next double stitch (moving all the stitch markers), p1, turn.

**Row 7:** like row 5 but ending with k2.

**Row 8:** like row 6 but ending with p2.

**Row 9:** like row 5 but ending with k3.

**Row 10:** like row 6 but ending with p3.

**You have completed the short rows section. Restart working in the round.**

**Round 1:** knit until the SM, *right incr, M-SM, k2, M-SM, left incr*, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the SM (BOR), R-SM (BOR), knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the front center, P-SM (BOR).

**Round 2:** knit until the SM (BOR).

**Round 3:** knit until the next SM, *right incr, M-SM, k2, M-SM, left incr*, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the next SM, repeat from* to*, knit until the SM (BOR).

**Round 4:** knit until the SM (BOR).

**Repeat Round 3 and Round 4 until Round 24 (28, 32); 296 (320, 344) stitches.**

**Round 25:** knit, removing all the stitch markers.

**DIVIDE SLEEVES FROM BODY:**

k25 (27, 29), leave next 38 (42, 46) stitches (sleeve), P-SM (BOR), k50 (54, 58) (back), leave next 38 (42, 46) stitches (sleeve), knit until the SM (BOR).

**Set-up round:** knit placing one SM after 50 (54, 58) stitches to mark the side.

Knit, increasing 1 stitch on both sides of the SM (BOR) and of SM every 14 rounds, 10 times (until the round 140) (14, 28, 42, 56, 70, 84, 98, 112, 126, 140).

**Round 141 (or until you have reached your desired length):**knit until the SM (BOR).

**From Round 142 to Round 144** (switch to size 5 mm tips): knit until the SM (BOR).

**Round 145:** Icord: cast-on 3 sts on left hand needle, k2 and k2tog-tbl, *slip 3 sts on left hand needle, k2, k2tog-tbl * repeat from *to* until the last stitch. Slip 3 sts on left hand needle, k2, pass the first stitch over the second stitch on the right-hand needle, place 1 new SM (BOR) on the left-hand needle, k2tog-tbl, pass the yarn through the st. Hide the ends and block.

**SLEEVE**

Using size 8 mm tips and 40 cm cable, pick up 38 (42, 46)sts you have left, place one SM (BOR) and continue as follows:

**Round 1:** knit until the SM (BOR).

Knit, decreasing 1 stitch on both sides of SM (BOR) every 12 (9, 7) rounds 4 (6, 8) times (until the Round 48, 54, 56) (12, 24, 36, 48).

**From Round 49 to Round 72 (from 75 to 78, from 77 to 80) (or until you have reached your desired length):**knit until the SM (BOR).

**From Round 1 to Round 3:** Icord: cast-on 3 sts on left hand needle, k2 and k2tog-tbl,

*slip 3 sts on left hand needle, k2, k2tog-tbl * repeat from *to* until the last stitch. Slip 3 sts on left hand needle, k2, pass the first st over the second st on the right-hand needle, place 1 new SM (BOR) on the left-hand needle, k2tog-tbl, pass the yarn through the sts. hide the ends and block.

**Round 4:**bind off all stitches loosely.

Work the second sleeve.

**FINISHING**

Hide the ends. Wet and block.

**SPECIAL TECHNIQUES**

**German short Rows:** https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AThNaGPUgLs

**Row 1:** slip first st k-wise with yo k-wise (double st), until indicated.

**Row 2:** slip first st p-wise with yo p-wise (double st), until indicated.

**Across next rows, work the double st as a single stitch.**

PHOTOGALLERY





