# SWEATER BABY SOFT

**DIFFICULTY** =

**YARN:** 2 balls of BABY SOFT cotton by Laines Du Nord each colours: n.502-604-602-603
**KNITTING NEEDLES:** size 3, 3.5, 4
**OTHER:** darning needle, pins, scissors.



**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate

## SAMPLE

21 stitches x 22 rows = 10x10 cm in stocking stitch using size 4 mm knitting needles

## POINTS USED

**Tubular Stitch:** cast-on and bind-off
**Rib 1/1:** *k1, p1 *. rep from * to * across the entire r. **Next row:** work the stitches as they appear.
**Stocking Stitch**
**Graft Stitch:** for casting off the sts. using the darning needle

## ABBREVIATIONS

**st.** = stitch

**r.** = row
**RS** = right side of work
**WS** = wrong side of work
**k** = knit
**p** = purl
**col.** = colour
**rep.** = repeat

## MEASURES

**SIZE S - 40**

## PROCEDURE

**FRONT**

Using no. 3.5 knitting needles and contrasting colour yarn, cast-on 120 sts. and work 1 r. in knit st., then with col. 502 (light sand) shape the band working 1 r. in purl st., 4 r. in tubular st. and 8 r. rib 1/1.

Using no. 4 knitting needles, work in stocking st.

**1st r. (RS):** work as follow: 24 sts. using sandcol., 36 sts. with light green col., 28 sts. with yellow col., 16 sts. with dark green col.

**2nd r. (WS):** work the sts. as they appear.

**From 3rd to 14th r.:** work the sts. as set before.

**15th r.:** work the sts. as set before and work last 2 sts. using white col.

**16th-17th r.:** work the sts. as set before.

**18th r.:** purl as set, moving the sand col. 1 st. leftwards.

**19th-20th-21st-22nd r.:** cont. in stocking st., always moving the sand col. 1 st. leftwards.

**23rd r.:** work the sts. as set before.

**24th-25th-26th r.:** work the sts. as set before, moving the sand col. 2 sts. leftwards, every r.

**27th r.:** work the sts. as set before.

**28th r.:** work the sts. as they appear, using the sand col. on all dark green sts.

**From 29th to 39th r.:** work in stocking st. as set before.

**40th r.:** work the sts. as they appear, using the sand col. on all yellow sts.

**Dal 41st al 52nd r.:** work in stocking st. as set before.

**53rd r.:** work 44 sts. using light green col. and the rem. sts using sand col.

**From 54th to 69th r.:** cont. keeping this setting.

**70th r.:** work the sts. as they appear, using dark green col. for first 16 sts.

**71st-72nd r.:** work the sts. as set before.

**73rd r.:** work as set before, using the sand col. on all light green sts.

**74th r.:** work the sts. as they appear.

**75th r.:** work 80 sts. with sand col, 28 sts. with yellow col. and 16 sts. with dark green col.

**From 76th to 80th r.**: cont. keeping this setting.

**81st r.:** work 44 sts. with sand col., 36 sts. with light green col., 28 sts. with yellow col. and 16 sts. with dark green col.

**From 82nd to 94th r.**: cont. keeping this setting.

**95th r.:** cont. keeping the same colours setting until the end. At the same time, for neckline shaping, bind off 18 central sts and cont. working 2 pieces separately.

**96th r. and even r.:** work the sts. as they appear.

**97th r.:** knit and bind off 6 sts. at neckline edge.

**99th r.:** knit and bind off 4 sts. at neckline edge.

**101st r.:** knit and bind off 3 sts. at neckline edge.

**103rd r.:** bind off the rem. sts. for first shoulder.

Work second neckline and shoulder as given for first one, reversing all shaping.

**BACK**

Work as given for front, without the neckline.

**SLEEVE (x 2)**

Using no. 3.5 knitting needles and contrasting colour yarn, cast-on 64 sts. and knit 1 r., join col. 502 (light sand) yarn and, for band shaping, purl 1 r., 4 r. in tubular st. and 8 r. rib 1/1.

Work in stocking st., using no. 4 knitting needles.

**1st r. (RS):** work as follow: 24 sts. with light green col., 36 sts. with yellow col., 14 sts. with sand col., 8 sts. with dark green col.

**2nd r. and even r.:** work the sts. as they appear.

**3rd r.:** work as set before, incr. 1 st. on both edges (one st. from each edge.), then move 1 st. of each of 2 side col.

**5th r.:** work as set before.

**7th r.:** work like 3rd r.

**9th e 11th r.:** work as set before.

**13rd r.:** work like 3rd r.

**15th-17th r.:** work as set before.

**19th r.:** work like 3rd r.

**21st r.:** work as set before, using the sand col. instead of light green col.

**23rd r.:** work as set before.

**25th r.:** work like 3rd r.

**27th r.:** work as set before.

**29th r.:** stop using yellow col. and use sand col. for all sts.

**31st r.:** using sand col., incr. 1 st. on both edges (1 st. from each edge)

**33rd**-**35th-37th r.:** work all sts. with sand col.

**39th r.:** work first 30 sts. with dark green col. and the rem. sts. with sand col.

**41st r.:** work like 3rd r.

**43rd r.:** work as set before.

**45th r.:** work fist 31 sts. with dark green col., 14 sts. with light green col., rem. sts. with sand col.

**47th r.:** work as set before.

**49th r.:** work like 3rd r.

**51st r.:** work as set before.

**53rd r.:** keep the green col. and work 24 following sts. with yellow col., work the rem. sts. with sand col.

**55th r.:** work as set before.

**57th r.:** work as set before, using the sand col. instead of dark green col.

**59th-61st-63rd-65th r.:** work as set before.

**From 67th to 82nd r.:** cont. in stocking st. using sand col.

**83rd r.:** bind off all sts. in knit st.

**COLLAR**

Sew one shoulder and, using no. 3.5 knitting needles, pick-up 96 sts. around neckline edge (front and back), join the sand col. and purl 1 r., then work 3 r. rib 1/1, 3 r. in tubular st. and at last bind off all sts. in graft st. using the darning needle.

Sew three collar edges, second shoulder, side and undersleeves seams; at last, sew the sleeves into the armholes.

## PHOTOGALLERY

















