

# Child's Cabled Sweater

**Chest:** 22 (24, 26, 28, 30)

**Finished size:** 25 (27, 29, 32, 33)

**Finished length:** 14.5(16, 17.5, 19, 20.5)

## Materials

200gm (300gm, 300gm, 400gm, 400gm)

worsted/aran yarn

4.5mm straight needles

5.5mm straight needles

**Gauge:** 16st x 22 rows = 4ins

## Abbreviations

**M1:** Make a stitch by picking up the loop between stitches with the left needle & knitting into the back of loop,

**c2b (Cable 2 Back):** Slip 2 stitches purl-wise onto a cable needle, let cable needle hang in back of work as you knit the next 2 stitches; then knit stitches off the cable needle.

**c2f (Cable 2 Forward):** Slip 2 stitches purl-wise onto a cable needle, let cable needle hang in front of work as you knit the next 2 stitches; then knit stitches off the cable needle.

**k2tog:** knit 2 stitches together

**k2togtbl:** knit 2 stitches together through the back loops

**p2tog:** purl 2 stitches together

**p2togtbl:** purl 2 stitches together, through the back loops

## 1 x 1 Rib

Row 1: (Right side): K1,(P1,K1)\* rpt from\* to end.

Row 2: (Wrong side): P1,(K1,P1)\* rpt from \* to end.

## Back

Using smaller needles, cast on 47(51,55,59,63) stitches and work in 1x1 rib for 1.5 (2,2,2.5,2.5) inches.

**Increase row:** Rib 2(4,6,8,10), M1, \*rib 11, M1, repeat from \* to last 1 3,5,7,9) stitches, rib to end 52(56,60,64,68) stitches.

Change to larger needles & begin pattern.

## Pattern

**Row 1:** k9 (10,11,12,13), p2,c2f,p2, k18(20,22,24,26), p2,c2b,p2, k to end.

**Row 2:** p9 (10,11,12,13), k2,p4,k2, p18(20,22,24,26), k2,p4,k2, p to end.

**Row 3:** k9 (10,11,12,13), p2,k4,p2, k18(20,22,24,26), p2,k2,p2, k to end.

**Row 4:** As 2

**Row 5:** As Row 3

**Row 6:** As 2

Repeat rows 1-6 until work measures 9(10,11,12,13) inches ending with a wrong side row. Continuing the pattern, bind off 2sts at the beginning of the next 2 rows.\*\*

Decrease 1 stitch at each end of the next row & every right side row until 20(22,22,24,24) stitches remain - ending with a right side row.



Decrease 1 stitch the end of the next 2 rows 18(20,20,22,22) stitches.  
Leave remaining stitches on a stitch holder or some waste yarn.

## **Front**

Work as for Back to \*\*.

## **Neck**

Next row: k2tog, work 20(22,24,26,28) stitches in pattern, k2tog, turn & leave the remaining stitches on spare needle.

Continuing the pattern, decrease 1 stitch at the armhole edge on every following alternate row AT THE SAME TIME decrease 1 stitch at the neck edge on every following 3rd row until 5(4,6,6,8) stitches remain - ending with a wrong side row.

Decrease 1 stitch at armhole edge on next & every following alternate row until 2 stitches remain.

Next row: p2tog and faster off.

With the right side facing, rejoin yarn to remaining stitches and complete the other side of the neck - reversing the shaping.

## **Sleeves**

Using smaller needles, cast on 28(28,30,30,32) stitches and work in 1x1 rib for 1.5(2,2,2.5,2.5) inches.

Increase row: Rib 1(1,2,2,3), M1, \*rib 5, M1, repeat from \* to last 2(2,3,3,4) stitches, rib to end 34(34,36,36,38) stitches.

Change to larger needles.

## **Pattern**

**Row 1:** k13 (13,15,15,17), p2,c2f,p2, k to end.

**Row 2:** p13 (13,15,15,17), k2,p4,k2, p to end.

**Row 3:** k13 (13,15,15,17), p2,k4,p2, k to end.

**Row 4:** As 2

**Row 5:** As Row 3

**Row 6:** As 2

AT THE SAME TIME, increase 1 stitch at each end of the 3rd and every following 8th row until you have 41(43,47,49,53) stitches.

Work straight until the sleeve measures 9.5(11,12.5,14,15.5) inches - ending with a wrong side row.

## **Raglan**

Bind off 2 stitches at the the beginning of the next 2 rows.

Decrease 1 stitch at each end of the next and every following alternate row until 9 stitches remain - ending with a wrong side row.

Leave remaining stitches on a stitch holder.

## **Neckband**

With right side facing & smaller needles, K9 stitches from one sleeve top; pick & knit 25(27,29,31,33) stitches from left side of front neck; knit into back of 1 stitch at the neck centre; pick & knit 25(27,29,31,33) stitches from right side of front neck; k9 stitches from other sleeve top; k18(20,20,22,22) stitches from the back of the neck: 87(93,97,103,107) stitches.

Row 1: p1, (k1,p1) to end

Row 2: (k1,p1) 16(17,18,19,20) times, k2togtbl, k1, k2tog, (p1,k1) 25(27,28,30,31) times.  
Row 3: (p1,k1) 24(26,27,29,30) times, p1, p2togtbl, p1, k2tog, (k1,p1) 15(16,17,18,19) times.  
Row 4: (k1,p1) 15(16,17,18,19) times, k2togtbl, k1, k2tog, (p1,k1) 24(26,27,29,30) times.  
Row 5: (p1,k1) 23(25,26,28,29) times, p1, p2togtbl, p1, k2tog, (k1,p1) 14(15,16,17,18) times  
79(85,89,95,99) stitches.  
Bind off in rib decreasing 1 stitch at end side of the centre "V" stitch as before.

### **Finishing**

Join raglan seams and neckband seam.

Join side and sleeve seams.

