

## ISABELLE

### MATERIALS

3 x 25gm ball 100% wool.  
1 pair 2.75mm and 3mm needles.  
4 buttons.  
Safety pins.

NOTE: Cardigan is worked in one piece to underarm.  
It is important not to alter the pattern as size will be incorrect.

Using 2.75mm needles cast on 133 sts and work 2 rows single rib.

Next row: Button hole.

Boy: rib to last 4 sts, yfwd, K2 tog, rib 2 sts.

Girl: rib 2 sts, K2 tog, yfwd, rib to end.

Work a further 7 rows in single rib.

Change to 3mm needles and slip 5 sts from each end on to safety pins for front bands.

Work pattern as follows:

1st row: K3, \*sl 1 st knitwise, K3, rep from \* to end.

2nd row: P3, \*sl 1 st purlwise, P3, rep from \* to end.

3rd row: as 1st.

4th row: P3, \*P into back of slst, P3, rep from \* to end.

5th row: K4, \*sl 1 st knitwise, K3, rep from \* ending with K2.

6th row: P2, \*sl 1 st purlwise, P3 rep from \* ending with P4.

7th row: as 5th.

8th row: P2, P into back of slst P3, rep from \* ending with P4.

9th row: K1, \*sl 1 st knitwise, K3, rep from \* ending with K1.

10th row: P1, \*sl 1 st purlwise, P3, rep from \* ending with P1.

11th row: as 9th.

12th row: P1, \*P into back of slst, P3, rep from \* ending with P1.

13th row: K2, \*sl 1 st knitwise, K3, rep from \* ending with K4.

14th row: P4, \*sl 1 st purlwise, P3, rep from \* ending with P2.

15th row: as 13th.

16th row: P4, into back of slst, P3, rep from \* ending with P2.

These 16 rows form the pattern. Repeat until 44 rows of pattern have been worked.

### Shape armholes:

Keeping pattern correct, divide for back and fronts. Pattern 28 sts, cast off 6 sts, patt 55, cast off 6 sts, patt to end.

Continue on last group of sts for left front. Pattern 1 row.

Keeping pattern correct dec at armhole and neck edge of next and every alternate row until 1 sts remain.

Cast off.

Join yarn to next group of sts for back. Pattern 1 row.

Dec at each end of next and every alternate row to 21 sts. Cast off.

Join yarn to right front and work to correspond with left front.

### Sleeves:

Using 2.75mm needles cast on 35 sts. Work 10 rows of single rib, increasing 12 sts evenly over the last row (47 sts).

Change to 3mm needles and work 44 rows of pattern.

### Shape armholes:

Cast off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Keeping pattern correct dec at end of next and every alternate row until 7 sts remain. Cast off.

### Bands:

Pick up 5 sts from safety pins and work single rib until bands fit fronts, (may need to stretch slightly), working 4 button holes evenly along band.

### To make up:

Use a flat seam to stitch seams in place, lightly press if required with warm iron.

