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Grow Into Me

(Dress and Cardi)

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SKILL LEVEL:

SIZE and MATERIALS:

Featured Yarn: HiKoo® CoBaSi DK, 55% Cotton, 16% Bamboo, 8% Silk, 21% Elastic Nylon; 140 yds/50g. Shown in 12-month size in Color A (#083-Hot Pink) & Color B (#055-Burnt Orange).

Size	Newborn	6 Months	12 Month
To Fit Neck Circumference	7.25"	8"	8.75"
To Fit Chest Circumference	14.5"	16"	17.5"
Back Neck to Hem	9.5"	11.25"	13"
Color A	3 hanks	4 hanks	4 hanks
Color B	1 hank	1 hank	1 hank

addi® Needles & Notions:

4 mm (approx US 6) 24" circular needle (or size needed to get gauge)
3.5 mm (US E) crochet hook
Four (4) ½" buttons, tapestry needle

All yarn and needles distributed by skacel collection, Inc.

STITCH PATTERNS:

Garner Stitch: Knit all rows.

Picot Edge: *Ch 3, 1 sl st in 1st ch, skip 1 st, 1 sl st in next st; rep from * to end.

Slip & Pull Stitch (SP):

(German Short Rows)

You should have turned your work in the middle of a row and your yarn should be positioned to the front of the work. Slip the next stitch on the left hand needle to the right hand needle. Pull the yarn over the right needle to the back of the work, pulling up the stitch below until both legs are clearly seen on the needle. The working yarn is now in the back, and you are ready to knit the next stitch. When working back across the SP stitch, it presents itself as 2 sts. Knit these 2 sts together as one.

GAUGE: 22 sts and 40 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4")

To save time, check your gauge and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.

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INSTRUCTIONS:

Notes: This jacket is worked sideways in one piece beginning with the Right Front. Numbers are given for Newborn (6 month, 12 month). If only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

Right Front:

Using a Long Tail Cast On and Color B, CO 55 (65, 75) sts and knit 1 row.

Switch to Color A and work in Garter St until piece meas ½” from cast on.

Buttonholes:

On the next RS row, bind off the 5th and 6th sts for the top buttonhole, then cont working and bind off the 14th and 15th (16th and 17th, 18th and 19th) sts for the lower buttonhole. On the following row, cast on 2 sts over the bound off sts.

After 1½” from cast on, beg short rows as follows:

Short Row 1 (RS): Work over all sts.

Short Row 2 (WS): Work 35 (41, 47) sts, turn.

Short Row 3: SP, work 35 (41, 47) sts.

Short Row 4: Work 47 (55, 63) sts, turn.

Short Row 5: SP, work 47 (55, 63) sts.

Short Row 6: Work over all sts.

Work Short Rows 1 - 6 a total of 9 (10, 11) times, **while at the same time**, when work meas 2½” from beg, work 2 more buttonholes as before.

Cont in pat as est, until Right Front meas 7” (7½”, 8”) along hem at left edge of work, ending after working a WS row.

Right Sleeve:

Switch to Color B.

Using only the first 21 (25, 29) sts, work Right Sleeve using short rows as follows:

Short Row 1 (RS): Work over all sts.

Short Row 2 (WS): Work 6 (7, 8) sts, turn.

Short Row 3: SP, work 6 (7, 8) sts.

Short Row 4: Work 13 (15, 17) sts, turn.

Short Row 5: SP, work 13 (15, 17) sts.

Short Row 6: Work over all sts.

Work Short Rows 1 - 6 a total of 9 (11, 13) times = 54 (66, 78) rows = 5” (6¼”, 7½”) along cuff (left) side of Sleeve.

Back:

Switch to Color A.

Cont over all sts as est, working Short Rows 1 - 6 as for Right Front a total of 18 (20, 22) times and ending after working a RS row.

Back should now meas 10½” (12”, 13”) along hem at left edge of work.

Left Sleeve:

Switch to Color B.

On next RS row and using only the first 21 (25, 29) sts, work Left Sleeve using Short Rows 1 - 6 as for the Right Sleeve.

Left Front:

Switch to Color A.

Working now on a RS row, cont working Short Rows 1 - 6 over all sts a total of 9 (10, 11) times as for Right Front, ending after working a WS row.

Switch to Color B and knit 2 rows. Left Front should now meas 5¼” (6”, 6½”) along hem at left edge of work.

Bind off all sts.

FINISHING:

Block to measurements. Sew on buttons. Crochet a border around all openings as follows:

Crochet Border:

Using opposite color for border, draw up one stitch and work Picot Edge along all edges as follows:

Jacket and Sleeve Hems - Work Picot sts in 1 out of every 3 row ends on hems of Sleeves, Jacket, and Neck. To reinforce the underarms, finish the Sleeve edging with 4 slip stitches along the body at the underarm.

Left and Right Front Edges - Work Picot sts in 1 out of every 2 stitches along the edge of both Fronts.

Neck Edge - Work Picot sts in 1 out of every 3 row ends, pulling in neck edge to meas approx 12½” (14”, 15¾”).

ABBREVIATIONS:

approx	approximate(ly)
ch	chain
CO	Cast On
cont	continue(s) / continuing
meas	measures
rep	repeat(s)
RS	Right Side
SP	Slip & Pull
sl st	slip stitch
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	Wrong Side

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