

K465 Hooded Sweater

MATERIALS AND MEASUREMENTS					
To Fit	newborn	3	6-9	12-18	months
To Fit Chest Sizes	36 14	41 16	46 18	51 20	cm ins
Finished Chest Measurement	41 16	46 18	51 20	56 22	cm ins
Length to shoulder	23 9	25 9 ¾	27 10 ¾	29 11 ½	cm ins
Sleeve Length to underarm	13.5 5 ¼	15 6	17 6 ¾	19 7 ½	cm ins
Loyal DK/8ply (50g)	3	4	5	5	Balls
Needle sizes	3.75mm & 4mm (US 5 & 6) straight needles 1 button Stitch holder				
Incomparable Buttons	L574				

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ABBREVIATIONS

Beg - beginning

cm - centimetres

cont - continue

ins - inches

k - knit

M1 – make 1 stitch, lift strand of yarn between last st worked and next st onto lefthand needle and k into back of it

meas - measures

NR - next row

rep - repeat

RS(F) - right side (facing)

sl - slip

skp - slip 1 st, knit 1 st, pass slipped st over

st(s) - stitch(es)

Stst - stocking stitch

tog - together

WS - wrong side

yo - yarn over needle (to

make 1 stitch)

IMPORTANT

Use ONLY the Naturally yarn specified. (We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used.) Follow our instructions exactly. We advise every knitter to check their tension carefully before commencing the garment.

CHECK YOUR TENSION CAREFULLY

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows over Stst on 4mm (US 6) needles - 10cm (4ins).

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BACK

**With 3.75mm (US 5) needles, cast on 47 (51, 57, 63) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 6 rows.

Garter Stitch (= k every row) 6 rows.

K1, p1 rib for 4 rows and dec 1 (0, 0, 1) st at centre of last row to 46 (51, 57, 62) sts.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Beg Main Body Pattern

Stst 6 rows.

Garter Stitch (= k every row) 6 rows.

Rep these last 12 rows for Main patt throughout, patt until work meas 15 (16, 17, 18)cm/6 (6 $\frac{1}{4}$, 6 $\frac{3}{4}$, 7)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape underarms

Keeping patt correct, cast off 2 (3, 4, 4) sts beg next 2 rows, then dec 1 st each end next 2 RS rows – 38 (41, 45, 50) sts.**

Patt straight until work measures 23 (25, 27, 29)cm/9 (9 $\frac{3}{4}$, 10 $\frac{3}{4}$, 11 $\frac{1}{2}$)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off 9 (10, 11, 13) sts beg next 2 rows and inc 0 (1, 1, 0) st at centre of last row.

Leave rem 20 (22, 24, 24) sts on holder at back neck for hood.

FRONT

Work as for Back from ** to **. Split Front

NR (RS) - K17 (18, 20, 22) sts, turn, cast on 4 (5, 5, 6) sts - 21 (23, 25, 28) sts. On these sts only, leave rem sts on hold for right front.

NR (WS) - K4 (5, 5, 6), patt to end.

NR (RS) - K.

Keeping Main patt correct and the 4 (5, 5, 6) split front edge sts in Garter Stitch throughout, work until left front meas 12 (12, 14, 14) rows less than back to shoulder, end with a WS row.

Shape Neck

NR (RS) - K to last 6 sts, slip these 6 sts to holder, turn, dec 1 st at neck edge next 6 (7, 8, 9) rows - 9 (10, 11, 13) sts rem. Patt straight until front meas

same as back to shoulder, end with a WS row.

Cast off loosely.

Place button marker at left front neck edge, 6 rows down from st holder.

With RSF, return to sts on hold, rejoin yarn, k 1 row.

NR (WS) - Patt to last 4 (5, 5, 6) sts, k to end.

NR (RS) - K.

Keeping Main patt correct and the 4 (5, 5, 6) split front edge sts in Garter Stitch throughout, work until right front meas same as left front to sts on holder, AND AT SAME TIME, work buttonhole opposite marker at beg of RS row as following: K1 (2, 2, 2), k2tog, yo twice, k to end (on next row work only into 1 yo, drop 2nd yo off needle).

Shape Neck

NR (RS) - K6, slip these 6 sts to holder, k to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 6 (7, 8, 9) rows - 9 (10, 11, 13) sts rem.

Patt straight until front meas same as back to shoulder, end with a RS row.

Cast off loosely.

COMPLETE

Join shoulder seams.

HOOD

first half

With RSF and 4mm (US 6) needles, slip the right front holder 6 sts onto needle as if they have already been worked,

rejoin yarn and pick up and k11 (12, 13, 13) sts up front neck to shoulder, k first centre back 9 (10, 11, 11) sts, k into back of strand between last st worked and next st (= M1), k1, turn, on these sts only (leave rem back neck sts on hold for 2nd half of hood) – 28 (30, 32, 32) sts.

NR (WS) - P to last 4 (5, 5, 6) sts, k to end.

NR (RS) – K to last 2 sts, M1, k2.

NR (WS) - P to last 4 (5, 5, 6) sts, k to end.

Keeping front Garter stitch edge correct and work Main patt over rem sts (beg with 6 Garter Stitch rows), cont to inc 1 st every RS row 2 sts before end of row as M1 until 31 (34, 36, 37) sts on needle.

Cont to inc every other RS row to 35 (37, 40, 42) sts.

Cont without further inc's until hood meas 12 (13, 14, 15)cm/ 4 ¾ (5 ½, 5 ½, 6)ins at back neck, end with a WS row.

Dec 1 st at back neck edge next 6 rows.

Cast off 4 sts beg next 3 WS rows.

Cast off **loosely** rem 17 (19, 22, 24) sts.

second half

With RSF and 4mm (US 6) needles, k 1 from back holder, M1, k rem back 9 (10, 11, 11) sts, pick up and k11 (12, 13, 13) sts down front neck to holder, k the 6 holder sts - 28 (30, 32, 32) sts.

NR (WS) - K4 (5, 5, 6), p to end.

NR (RS) – K2 sts, M1, work to end.

NR (WS) - K4 (5, 5, 6), p to end.

Keeping front Garter stitch edge correct and Main patt to match first half, cont to inc 1 st every RS row 2 sts in from centre back edge until 31 (34, 36, 37) sts on needle.

Cont to inc every other RS row to 35 (37, 40, 42) sts.

Cont without further inc's until hood meas 12 (13, 14, 15)cm/ $4 \frac{3}{4}$ (5 $\frac{1}{8}$, 5 $\frac{1}{2}$, 6)ins at back neck, ending with a WS row.

Dec 1 st at back neck edge next 6 rows.

Cast off 4 sts beg next 3 RS rows.

Cast off loosely rem 17 (19, 22, 24) sts.

Join hood halves.

SLEEVES

With 3.75mm (US 5) needles, cast on 35 (37, 39, 41) sts. K1, p1 rib for 6 rows.

Garter Stitch (= k every row) 6 rows.

K1, p1 rib for 4 rows.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles. Work Main patt as for back and inc 1 st each end next row then every 5th (5th, 4th, 4th) row to 45 (49, 55, 59) sts.

Patt straight until piece meas 13.5 (15, 17, 19)cm/5 $\frac{1}{4} (6, 6, 7, 7)$ ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off 2 (3, 4, 4) sts beg next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st each end next 4 rows. Cast off **loosely** rem 33 (35, 39, 43) sts.

Set in sleeves, join side and sleeve seams.

Join left front garter stitch cast-on sts in behind right front. Sew on button to correspond with buttonhole.

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