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Snowflake Jacket & Hat

designed by
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Technique used: Knit



YARN

Naturally Caron.com Spa

(75% Microdenier Acrylic, 25% Bamboo):

Shown in:

#0005 Ocean Spray (A) 3 (3, 3, 5, 5) oz

#003 Soft Sunshine (B) 3 (3, 3, 5, 5) oz

One pair size US 8 (5 mm), or size to obtain gauge

Stitch markers

Stitch holder

Yarn needle

Three buttons – 3/4" diameter

2 1/2" piece of cardboard, for tassels



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Printer Friendly instructions

SIZES Baby's 6 (9, 12, 18, 24) months

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest 20 (21, 22, 23, 24)"/51 (53.5, 56, 58.5, 61) cm, buttoned

Length 10 1/2 (10 3/4, 11, 12 1/2, 13)"/26.5 (27, 28, 32, 33) cm

Hat 12 (14, 15, 16, 16 1/2)"/30.5 (35.5, 38, 40.5, 42) cm circumference

GAUGE

In Seed stitch, 16 sts and 28 rows = 4"/10 cm, using 2 strands of yarn held together

ABBREVIATIONS

k1-f/b (increase): Knit next st, then knit it through the back loop.

STITCHES USED

Seed st: (odd number sts)

Row 1: K1,* p1, k1; repeat from * across.

Row 2: Knit the purl sts and purl the knit sts as they face you.
Repeat Row 2 for Seed st.

NOTES

Jacket and Hat are worked in one piece, beginning at lower edge of Back, using 1 strand of each color together throughout.

For neater edges while shaping sleeves, **cast on** to increase and **bind off** to decrease.

For neck shaping, work increases as k1-f/b.

HELPFUL

Seed stitch looks the same on both sides; place a marker (pm) at one edge to indicate the beginning of RS rows.

BACK

Using one strand of each color held together, cast on 41 (43, 45, 47, 49) sts.

(RS) Begin Seed st; work even until piece measures 2 (2 1/4, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2)" from beginning, end with a WS row.

Shape Sleeves

(RS) Beginning this row, inc 1 st (see Notes) at beginning of next 42 (42, 42, 48, 56) rows, end with a WS row—83 (85, 87, 95, 105) sts.

(RS) Cast on 5 (6, 7, 9, 12) sts at beginning of next 2 rows—93 (97, 101, 113, 129) sts.

Work even until Back measures 10 1/2 (10 3/4, 11, 12 1/2, 13)" from beginning, end with a WS row—Sleeve edge measures 2 1/2 (2 1/2, 2 1/2, 3, 3)" from last cast on row; pm each side of center 15 (15, 15, 17, 17) sts for neck and at beginning of RS row for shoulder.

Dividing Row

(RS) Work across to first marker, place sts on holder for right Front; bind off center sts for neck; work to end for left Front—39 (41, 43, 48, 56) sts remain each side for Fronts.

LEFT FRONT

(WS) Working on left Front sts only, work 3 rows even, end with a WS row at neck edge.

Shape Neck

(RS) At neck edge, inc 1 st every 4 rows 2 (2, 2, 3, 3) times, then every other row 10 (10, 10, 10, 11) times—12 (12, 12, 13, 14) sts increased for neck; and AT THE SAME TIME, when sleeve edge measures 2 1/2 (2 1/2, 2 1/2, 3, 3)" from shoulder marker [5 (5, 5, 6, 6)" total from last sleeve cast on row], end with a RS row at sleeve edge.

Shape Sleeve

(WS) Bind off 5 (6, 7, 9, 12) sts, work to end—46 (47, 48, 52, 58) sts remain.

(RS) Dec 1 st (see Notes) every other row 21 (21, 21, 24, 28) times—25 (26, 27, 28, 30) sts remain.

Work even until piece measures same as Back to lower edge.

Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

RIGHT FRONT

Place right Front sts from holder on needle, ready to work a WS row.

(WS) Work 3 rows even, end with a WS row at sleeve edge.

Note: Read following instructions carefully before proceeding – Buttonholes begin 1 row after Neck shaping is completed, and Sleeve shaping is worked as for left Front at the same time.

Shape Neck

(RS) At neck edge, inc 1 st every 4 rows 2 (2, 2, 3, 3) times, then every other row 10 (10, 10, 10, 11) times—12 (12, 12, 13, 14) sts increased for neck.

Work 1 row even, ending with a WS row.

Buttonholes

(RS) Work across to last 5 sts at center Front; bind off 2 sts, work to end.

(WS) Work to bound off sts, cast on 2 sts, work to end.

Work remaining buttonholes every 1 1/2 (1 1/2, 2, 2, 2 1/2)" while completing sleeve shaping.

AT THE SAME TIME, when sleeve edge measures 2 1/2 (2 1/2, 2 1/2, 3, 3)" from shoulder marker [5 (5, 5, 6, 6)" total from last sleeve cast on row], end with a WS row at sleeve edge.

Shape Sleeve

(RS) Bind off 5 (6, 7, 9, 12) sts, work to end—46 (47, 48, 52, 58) sts remain.

(WS) Work 1 row even.

(RS) Dec 1 st (see Notes) every other row 21 (21, 21, 24, 28) times—25 (26, 27, 28, 30) sts remain.

Work even until piece measures same as Back to lower edge.

Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

FINISHING

Sew side and sleeve seams.

Using yarn needle, weave in all ends; sew buttons opposite buttonholes.

HAT

Using one strand of each color held together, cast on 49 (57, 61, 65, 67) sts.

(RS) Begin Seed st; work even until piece measures 4 1/2 (5, 5, 5 1/2, 6)" from beginning, end with a WS row.

Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

FINISHING

Join short ends for center Back seam.

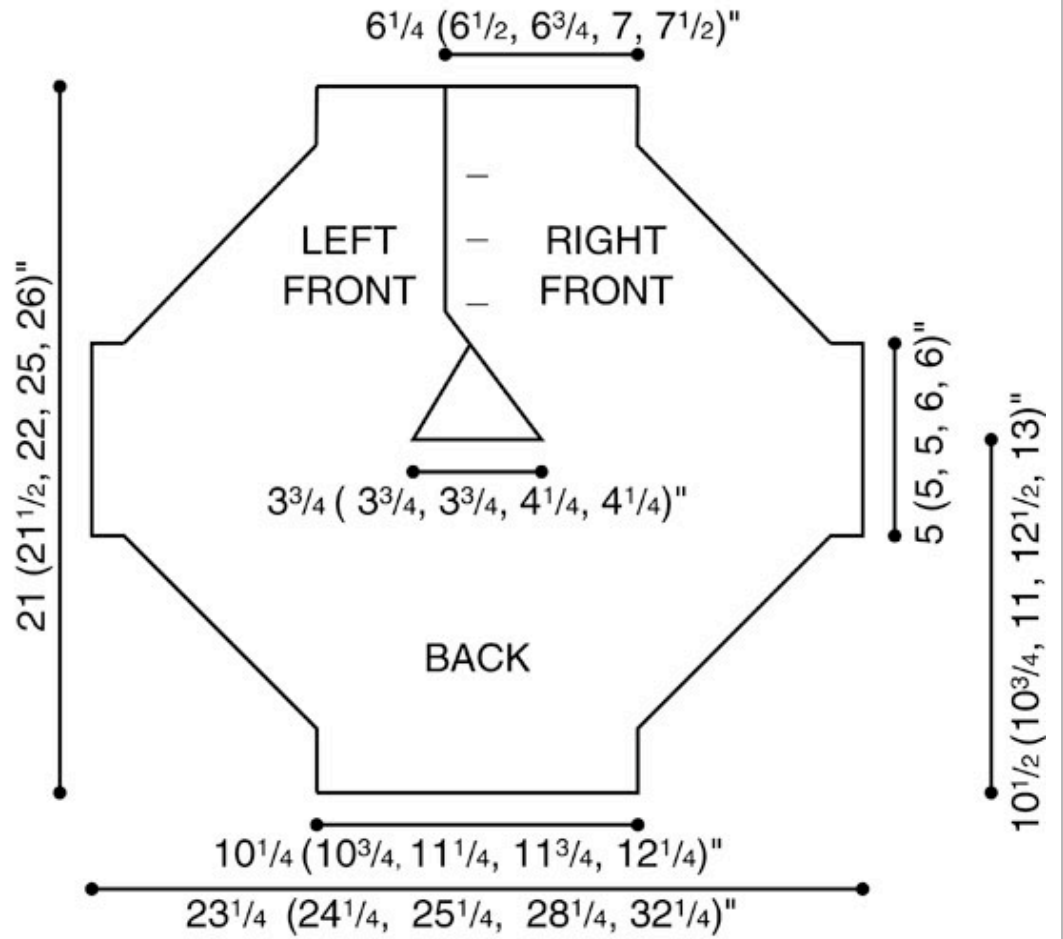
With RS's facing each other and seam at center Back, join top of Hat.

Tassels

Hold 1 strand of each color together; wrap yarn around a 2 1/2" piece of cardboard 25 times. Using yarn needle, run thread through loops at one end and tie loops together tightly. Slip tassel off cardboard; do NOT cut loops at opposite end from tie.

Sew one tassel to each corner at top of Hat.

Using yarn needle, weave in ends.



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