MEADOWFLOWER DRESS \& BEANIE DG 411-06B | LILLE LERKE


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## DESIGN

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## YARN

LILLE LERKE 53\% merino wool, 47\% Egyptian cotton, 50 grams = approx. 142 metres

SIZES
Dress 0 (3) 6 (9-12) months
Beanie 0-3 (6-9) 12 months
NOTE! See GARMENT MEASUREMENTS to find the right size

## GARMENT'S MEASUREMENTS

Dress
Chest size approx. 40 (42) 46 (51) cm
Full length approx. 34 (36) 40 (44) cm

## YARN AMOUNTS

## Dress

2 (3) 3 (4) balls

## Beanie

1 ball for all sizes

## COLOUR

Old pink 8123

## SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZE

Long and short circular needles 2 and 2.5 mm Douple pointed needles size 2.5 mm

## ACCESSORIES

4 buttons

## KNITTING TENSION

28 sts with stocking st and 2.5 mm needles $=10 \mathrm{~cm}$
33 sts with rib and 2 mm needles $=10 \mathrm{~cm}$

Yarn alternatives: SOFT MERINO, BABY ULL

Check your knitting tension by working a swatch. Count the number of sts per 10 cm ; if you have more sts than suggested change to a larger needle size. If you have fewer sts, change to a smaller needle size.

## FIND THE RIGHT SIZE

1. Measure a garment that fits.
2. Compare the measurements with the pattern.
3. Choose size from the chest measurements.
4. Body can be worked longer or shorter as needed

## ABBREVIATIONS

$K=$ knit, $P=$ purl, st. = stitch, $r=$ row,
DPN = double pointed needles, $\mathrm{YO}=$ yarn over
M1I = Make 1 left, M1r = Make 1 right


## DRESS

## SKIRT

Cast on 182 (196) 210 (224) sts with 2.5 mm circular needles. Work pattern in the round according to diagram $\mathbf{A}$. Then work stocking st until the piece measures 23 (24) 27 (29) cm. Change to 2 mm needles and decrease 50 (56) 58 (56) sts evenly spaced on the next round $=132(140) 152$ (168) sts. Insert a marker round 1 st in each side, with 66 (70) 76 (84) sts on the front and back pieces. The marker st is the first st of each section. Work 1.5 (2) 2 (3) cm rib in the round, with K1, P1. Cast off 5 (7) 9 (11) sts on each side on the next round (= marker st and 2 (3) 4 (5) sts on each side of this). The front and back pieces are finished separately.

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## FRONT PIECE

$=61$ (63) 67 (73) sts.
Work rib as before and cast off at the same time for the armholes every 2 nd row 2,1,1 st on each side $=53$ (55) 59 (65) sts. Work until the armholes measure 4 (4) 4.5 (4.5) cm. Cast off the middle 21 (23) 25 (27) sts for the neckline. NOTE! Cast off with $K$ and $P$ sts. Finish each side separately. Cast off every 2 nd row for the neckline 2,1,1 st = 12 (12) 13 (15) sts. Work until the armhole measures 8 (8) 9 (9.5) cm. Work a buttonhole inside 1 (1) 1 (2) sts on each side (= 2 buttonholes on each shoulder) K2 together, 1 YO, K2 twisted together. On the next row K1, P1 or P1, K1 into the YO (depending on which fits the pattern). Work 2 rows then cast off with $K$ and $P$ sts.

## BACK PIECE

= 61 (63) 67 (73) sts.
Cast off for the armholes as on the front piece. Work until the armhole measures 6 (6) 6.5 (6.5) cm. Cast off the middle 23 (25) 27 (29) sts for the neck. Finish each side separately. Then cast off every 2 nd row for the neck 2, 1 sts = 12 (12) 13 (15) sts. Work until the back piece is the same length as the front piece. Cast off with $K$ and $P$ sts.

## NECKLINE FRONT PIECE

Knit up approx. 40 (42) 47 (52) sts from the right side with 2 mm circular needles, along the neckline. K 2 rows. Cast off with K sts from wrong side.

## BACK PIECE EDGE

Knit up approx. 24 (26) 30 (34) sts from the right side with 2 mm circular needles. K 2 rows. Cast off with K sts from wrong side.

## SLEEVE EDGES

Begin at the top of the armhole and knit up approx. 56 (58) $64(70)$ sts from the right side with 2 mm circular needles. K 2 rows. Cast off with $K$ sts from wrong side. Sew on the buttons.

## BEANIE

Cast on 116 (122) 132 sts with 2 mm short circular needles. Work 7 (9) 9 rounds of garter st ( = alternately K 1 round and P 1 round). Change to 2.5 mm needles and work a row of holes as follows: *K2 together, 1 YO *, repeat from *_* to end of round. Work 1 round stocking st.
Increase and decrease as follows on the next round: Work *K1, M11, K18 (19) 20 , slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1, pass slipped sts over, K17 (18) 20, M1r, K1, M11, K15 (16) 18, 1 yarn over, K2 together, slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1, pass slipped sts over, slip 1 st knitwise, K1, pass slipped st over, 1 yarn
over, K15 (16) 18, M1r, K1, M11, K17 (18) 20, slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1, pass slipped st over, K18 (19) 20, M1I. Work 1 round stocking st.* Repeat from *-* 7 (8) 9 twice more.
Decrease as follows: $K 19$ (20) 21, slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1, pass slipped sts over, K33 (35) 39, 1 yarn over, K2 together, slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1, pass slipped sts over, slip 1 st knitwise K1, pass slipped st over, 1 yarn over, K33 (35) 39, slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1, pass slipped sts over, K18 (19) 20. Work 1 round stocking st. Decrease like this every 2nd round (with 2 sts less between the decreases) until there are 8 (8) 12 sts left. Cut the yarn and pull it through the remaining sts.

## I-CORD

Cast on 2 sts with 2 mm double pointed needles (DPNs) and work in the round as follows: K2 , * push the sts to the right end of the needle without turning, tighten the yarn at the back and K2 *. Work from *-* until the cord measures 12 cm . Sew the l-cord onto the first tip on the round (= left ear). Work another l-cord in the same way and sew it onto the last tip on the round (= right ear).

## M1R AND M1L

M11: Pick up the strand between 2 sts, place it on left needle as shown in picture, work through the back loop.


M1r: Pick up strand between 2 sts, place it on left needle as shown in picture, work the front loop.


| DIAGRAM |  |
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Repeat
B
K on right side, P on wrong side
$\triangle \mathrm{P}$ on right side, K on wrong side
1 K2 together
© Yarn over
$\square$ Slip 1 st knitwise, K1, pass slipped st over
$\triangle$ Slip 2 sts knitwise together, K1,
pass slipped sts over
$\oplus \mathrm{K}$ through back and front loop of st (= increase)

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