

R O W A N

Devon

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YARN

	1-2	2-3	3-4	4-5	years
To fit chest					
	56	58	61	64	cm
	22	23	24	25	in

Cashsoft DK

A Dusty 542					
	4	4	5	5	x 50gm
B Snowman 800					
	1	1	1	1	x 50gm
C Cloud 805					
	1	1	1	1	x 50gm

NEEDLES

1 pair 3¼mm (no 10) (US 3) needles
1 pair 4mm (no 8) (US 6) needles

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm measured over stocking stitch using 4mm (US 6) needles.

BACK and FRONT (both alike)

Using 3¼mm (US 3) needles and yarn A cast on 145 [149: 153: 157] sts.

Work in g st for 2 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Place marker on centre st of last row.

Next row (RS): K to within 2 sts of marked st, K2tog tbl, K marked st, K2tog, K to end.

143 [147: 151: 155] sts.

Working all centre front decreases as set by last row, cont as folls:

Purl 1 row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Beg and ending rows as indicated and using the **intarsia** technique as described on the information page, work in patt from chart for 20 rows and at same time dec 1 st at either side of marked st on 3rd and every foll 4th row.

133 [137: 141: 145] sts.

Break off contrast and cont using yarn A only.

Beg with a K row, work in st st, dec 1 st at either side of marked st on next [3rd: 3rd: 3rd] and 0 [2: 5: 8] foll 4th rows, then on every foll alt row until 91 [95: 99: 103] sts rem.

Work 1 row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Next row (RS): K10, K2tog tbl, K to within 2 sts of marked st, K2tog tbl, K marked st, K2tog, K to last 12 sts, K2tog, K10.

Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 10 times more.

47 [51: 55: 59] sts.

Next row (RS): K1, *P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Next row: P1, *K1, P1, rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form rib.

Work in rib for one row more.

Next row (WS): rib 2, *yrn, work 2 tog, Rib 2, rep from * to last st, rib 1.

Work in rib for a further 2 rows.

Cast off in rib.

HOOD

Using 3¼mm (US 3) needles and yarn A cast on 96 [100: 104: 108] sts.

Work in g st for 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Beg with a K row, work in st st until hood meas 10 [11: 12: 13] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off 8 sts at beg of next 10 rows.

Cast off rem 16 [20: 24: 28] sts.

MAKING UP

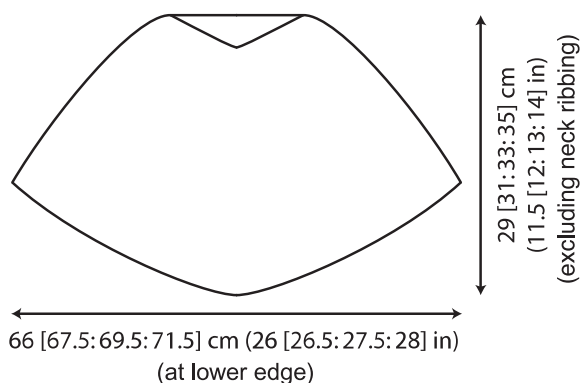
Press.

Join side seams using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

Join back (cast-off edge) seam of hood. Positioning hood seam at centre back neck, sew row-end edge of hood to cast off edge of front and back (note that cast-on edge of hood will NOT meet at centre front).

Using yarn A, make a 12 cm long tassel and attach to point of hood. Using yarn A, make a twisted cord approx 70 cm long, knotting ends to form tiny tassels. Thread cord in and out of eyelet holes of neck ribbing.

Using yarn C and photograph as a guide, embroider chain st collars onto dog and rabbit motifs, straight st eyes onto all motifs, satin st beaks onto ducks and cockerel, straight st tail feather details onto ducks and cockerel, straight st head feathers onto cockerel, and satin st nose onto dog. Cut 14 cm lengths of yarn A for fringe. Beg and ending at centre front and centre back, knot groups of 8 of these lengths through cast-on edges to form fringe as in photograph.



Key □ A □ B ■ K2tog ■ K2tog tbl

