INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written thus ( ). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

Cont working garter st at sides and Center Panel pat between markers until work from beg measures approx 16” [40.5 cm], ending on a 10th row of Center Panel pat.

Shape armholes: Keeping cont of pat, cast off 4 (4-6-6-8-8) sts at beg of next 2 rows. 
51 (57-59-65-69-81) sts.

Cont even in pat until armhole measures approx 5” [12.5 cm], ending on a 10th row of Center Panel.


**Knit 1 row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next row and following RS rows 3 (3-4-4-4-5) times more. 13 (16-17-19-21-26) sts rem.

Cont even until armhole measures 8 (8½-9-9½-10)" [20.5 (21.5-23-23-24.5-25.5) cm], ending on a WS row. Cast off.**

With RS facing, slip center 17 sts onto a st holder. Rejoin yarn to rem sts and knit to end of row. Work from ** to ** as given above.

BACK

With larger needles, cast on 57 (63-69-75-83-95) sts.

Knit 7 rows (garter st), noting first row is WS and inc 2 sts evenly across last row. 59 (65-71-77-85-97) sts.


Sizes U.S. 10½ (6.5 mm) and U.S. 11 (8 mm) knitting needles or size needed to obtain gauge. 2 stitch holders. 2 stitch markers.
Cont even until armhole measures 4 rows less than Front to shoulder cast off, ending on a WS row.


**SLEEVES**
With larger needles, cast on 29 (31-31-31-33-33) sts. Proceed in garter st, noting first row is WS, until work from beg measures 3” [7.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Inc 1 st each end of next row and following 8th (8th-6th-6th-6th) rows until there are 47 (51-53-53-57-59) sts. Cont even until work from beg measures 18” [45.5 cm], ending on a WS row. Place markers at each end of last row. Work 6 (6-8-8-10-10) rows even. Cast off.

**FINISHING**
Block all pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving cloth to dry. Sew right shoulder seam.

**Neckband:** With RS facing and smaller needles, pick up and knit 10 (12-14-14-16-16) sts down left front neck edge. K17 from front st holder. Pick up and knit 10 (12-14-14-16-16) sts up right front neck edge and 3 sts down right back neck edge. K19 (19-19-21-21-23) from back st holder, dec 1 st at center. Pick up and knit 3 sts up left back neck edge. 61 (65-69-71-75-77) sts.


Sew left shoulder and neckband seam. Sew in sleeves placing sides of sleeves above markers along cast off sts of Front and Back to form square armholes. Sew side and sleeve seams.