



THE FREE FRIDAY PATTERN

Yarn: Amore WS 115 by Borgo de' Pazzi Firenze

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Knitted poncho sweater, worked top-down, with raglan sleeves and yarn

AMORE 115 Super Soft Cashmere by Borgo de' Pazzi.

Sizes: From S to XXL

MATERIALS:

- AMORE WS 115 Super Soft Cashmere di Borgo de' Pazzi 600-700-750-800-900 g as follows:

White: 200-250-300-350-400 gr

Anthracite gray: 400-450-450-500-500

The pattern can be worked in a single color, based on your personal preference.

- Circular knitting needles No. 5 and No. 6 with their 60-80-120 cm cables.

Size of needles is just an indication: in case you have more sts in your 10x10 sample, then try with larger needles; in case you have a lower number of sts, then try with smaller needles.

GAUGE: 15 sts x 19 rows in stockinette st = 10 x 10 cm.

SIZES: S- M - L - XL - XXL

PONCHO-SWEATER – TIPS :

It is knitted in the round with circular needle, from top to bottom.

Work the sleeves in the round with short circular needles, the magic loop technique or double pointed needles.



PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS:

NECK:

Cast on 80-84-88-92-96 stitches on needle size 5 mm with a contrasting colour scrap thread, knit in garter st for 2 rows. Join in the round placing a marker (M) at the beginning of the round and work 2 rounds in stocking st.

With yarn **Amore 115 Super Soft Cashmere** grey, start working 1/1 rib stitch (K1-P1) for 35 rows. Join the two parts of the neck inwards (beginning and end) working together the stitch I have on the needle along with the first stitch at the beginning of the work (see video on Youtube channel "Friday of the Knit"). Remove the auxiliary thread and the neck will be joined creating a "doughnut shape" neck.

YOKE

Switch to circular needles no. 6 and equip yourself with markers. Place markers as follows: knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts and insert M, knit 13 sts and insert M, knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts and insert M, knit one st and insert M, knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts and insert M, knit 13 sts and insert M, knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts and insert M. Knit 1 round.

Start with increases, as follows:

Rnd 1: knit an invisible increase left, knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts, slip M and knit an invisible inc left, knit 13 sts and knit an invisible inc right, pass M and knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts, knit an invisible raise to the right, slip M, knit a loop, slip M, knit inc to the left, knit 13-14-15-16-17, slip M and knit an inc to the right, knit 13 sts and knit an invisible inc to the left, Switch M knit 13-14-15-16-17 sts, knit invisible inc right, switch M knit a loop. (see video on Youtube channel)



Rnd 2: Knit across

Repeat rnd 1-2 working in total 54-58-62-66-70 rounds

If you are working with two colors, make the color change in white at rnd 26

After the rounds with increases, switch to grey and work 10-12-12-14-14 rounds (inc. at rnd 5-6-6-7-7 exclusively in the middle line of front and back side of the work)

Body:

knit all sts for the back side, put the right sleeve stitches on hold on an auxiliary thread, cast on 8-8-10-10-12, knit all sts for the front, put the left sleeve stitches on hold on an auxiliary thread, cast on 8-8-10-10-12 stitches, knit the remaining sts for the back. Insert a marker in the middle of the 8-8-10-10-12-12 new stitches cast under each sleeve (= 4-4-5-5-5-6 new stitches on each side of each marker).

Continue knitting in the round in stocking st with grey col. and at the same time continue to increase every 2 rounds for 17 times, only on the central raglan of the front and back. When piece measures 4 cm from armhole, knit 2 together under sleeve for 6 times every 8-9-10-11-11 r. Knit the last 17 rounds of this series in white. Knit 20 rounds in rib stitch 1/1 in grey and close .

Sleeve:

Pick up the loops previously put on hold and work 33-35-38-40-41 rounds in grey, 15-16-17-18-19 rounds in white, 17-19-19-20-20 rounds in blue.

Decrease the number of stitches working two stitches together throughout the round and knit (n°5 needels) 20-21-21-22-22 rounds in 1/1 rib stitch. Close the remaining "holes" under the armhole in Kitchener st.

Work the other sleeve in the same way.



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