

HAPPY SWEATER DATES



I edited this pattern from my collection of vintage patterns to include information about the original thread and substitutions. I also included metrics for all my overseas friends.

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HIS SLIPOVER

Sizes: 40, 42 and 44

**Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY “DAWN” KNITTING WORSTED any size 4 medium weight knitted worsted yarn should work.
6 (6, 7) 4 ounce skeins Cinnamon or Red**

1 Pr. Knitting Needles No. 8 (5mm) and No. 10 (6 mm) OR ANY SIZE NEEDLES WHICH WILL RESULT IN STITCH GAUGE/TENSION BELOW.

GAUGE/TENSION for No. 10 (6mm) Needles: 9 sts = 2 inches (5.08cm)

Directions are given for size 40. Changes for sizes 42 and 44 are given in parentheses.

BACK: On No. 8 (5mm) needles cast on 92 (96, 100) sts. Work in K 2, P 2 ribbing for 1½ inches (3/81cm) inc 1 st on last row of ribbing (all sizes). Change to No. 10 (6mm) needles.

START PATTERN:

1st ROW: K across row.

2nd ROW: K 1, * yarn to front, sl 1, yarn to back, K 1, repeat from * across row.

Repeat 1st and 2nd rows 3 times.

9th ROW: K across row.

10th ROW: K 2, * yarn to front, sl 1, yarn to back, K 1, repeat from * across row ending last repeat with K 2.

Repeat 9th and 10th rows 3 times.

Repeat from 1st pattern row until back measures 15 (15½, 16) inches 38.10 (39.37, 40.64) cm from beg.

SHAPE ARMHOLES: Bind off 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows (all sizes); then dec 1 st at each end every other row 3 times.

Work even until armholes measure 9 (9½, 10) inches 22.86 (24.13,25.40) cm.

SHAPE SHOULDERS: Bind off 8 sts at beg of next 4 rows (all sizes).

NEXT ROW: NECK FACING: P across row. Then work in stockinette st (P 1 row, K 1 row) for 5 rows inc 1 st at beg and end of every row. Bind off.

FRONT: Work same as back.

SLEEVES: On No. 8 (5mm) needles cast on 48 (50, 52) sts and work in K 2, P 2 ribbing (all sizes) for 1½ inches (3.81 cm), inc 1 st in last row of ribbing (all sizes).

Change to No. 10 (6mm) needles and keeping pattern as established inc 1 st at beg and end of every 10th row until there are 71 (73, 75) sts on needle.

Work even until sleeve measures 19 (19¼, 19½) inches, 48.26 (48.90, 49.53)cm from beg or length desired to underarm.

SHAPE SLEEVE: Bind off 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows; then dec 1 st at beg and end of every other row until there are 33 (33, 35) sts; then bind off 3 sts at beg of next 4 rows. Bind off remaining sts.

FINISHING: Block each section. Sew shoulder, side and sleeve seams. Sew sleeves in position. Fold neck facing to inside of sweater and tack in position.

HER RAGLAN

Sizes: Small, Medium and Large

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "DAWN" KNITTING WORSTED any size 4 medium weight knitted worsted yarn should work.

5 (5, 6) 4 ounce skeins Watermelon 1 Pr. Knitting Needles No. 8 (5.5mm) OR ANY SIZE NEEDLES WHICH WILL RESULT IN STITCH GAUGE/TENSION BELOW.

1 Set of Double Pointed Knitting Needles No. 8 (5.5mm).

GAUGE/TENSION: 9 sts = 2 inches (5.08cm); 6 rows = 1 inch (2.54cm)

Directions are given for small size. Changes for medium and large sizes given in parentheses.

BACK: Cast on 76 (80, 84) sts.

1st and 2nd ROWS: K 2, P 2 across each row.

3rd and 4th ROWS: P 2, K 2 across each row. Repeat last 4 rows for 12 (12½, 13) inches, 30.48 (31.75, 33.02) cm or length desired to underarm.

SHAPE RAGLAN: Dec 1 st at beg of each row until 24 sts remain (all sizes), slip 24 sts to st holder.

FRONT: Work same as back.

SLEEVES: Cast on 32 (36, 40) sts. Work in pattern for 3 inches (7.62cm) inc 1 st each side every inch 13 times working inc sts into established pattern, 58 (62, 66) sts.

Work even until sleeve measures 17 inches (43.18cm) or length desired to underarm.

SHAPE RAGLAN: Work same as back until 8 sts remain.

Work 1 row even (all sizes).

Sl 8 sts to st holder.

FINISHING: Steam each section lightly. Sew side and sleeve seams. Sew sleeves in position.

Dividing sts evenly, sl all sts from stitch holders to 3 double pointed needles and work in pattern for 2 inches (5.08cm); then K each row for 2 inches (5.09cm) for

neck facing.

Bind off loosely. Turn neck facing to inside and sew in place.