## PRETEEN SLIPOVER



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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Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY "DAWN" KNITTING WORSTED 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) 4 ounce skeins Canary Any size 4 medium weight knitted worsted should work.

1 Pr. Knitting Needles No. 8 (5mm) OR ANY SIZE NEEDLES WHICH WILL RESULT IN STITCH GAUGE/TENSION BELOW. GAUGE/TENSION: 5 sts = 1 inch (2.54cm)

Directions are given for size 4. Changes for sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 are given in parentheses.

BACK: Cast on 53 (59, 65, 71, 77, 83) sts. Work in seed st for 1 inch (2.54 cm) (seed st: \* K 1, P 1, repeat from \* across row ending with K 1).

**START PATTERN as follows:** 

1st ROW: K 5, \* P 1, K 5, repeat from \* across row.

2nd ROW: P 5, \* K 1, P 5, repeat from \* across row.

3rd ROW: K 3, \* K 2 tog, Y O (yoh), P 1, Y O (yoh), K 2 tog through back of sts, K 1, repeat from \* across row ending with K 2 more sts.

4th ROW: P 5, \* K 1, P 5, repeat from across row. Repeat 3rd and 4th rows for pattern. Work even in pattern until work measures 9 (10, 11,  $11\frac{1}{2}$ , 12,  $12\frac{1}{2}$ ) inches; 22.86 (25.40, 27.94, 29.21, 30.48, 31.75) cm from beg.

SHAPE ARMHOLES: Next 2 ROWS: Bind off 6 sts at beg of each row (all sizes) Work even in pattern until armhole measures  $4\frac{1}{2}$  (5,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ , 6, 7, 7) inches; 11.43 (12.70, 13.97, 15.24, 17.78, 17.78) cm.

SHAPE SHOULDERS: Bind off 6 sts at beg of next 4 rows (all sizes), bind off remaining 17 (23, 29, 35, 41, 47) sts.

FRONT: Work same as back.

SLEEVES: Cast on 31 (31, 37, 43, 49, 49) sts. Work in seed st pattern for 1 inch inc 10 sts on last row (all sizes). Work even in pattern until sleeves measure 12 ( $12\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $13\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $14\frac{1}{2}$ , 16, 16) inches; 30.48 (31.75, 34.29, 36.83, 40.64, 40.64) cm from beg, bind off all sts.

FINISHING US TERMS: Block each section. Sew one shoulder seam. With wrong side of work facing, pick up and K each st at neck edge across front and back. Work in seed st pattern for 1 inch (all sizes), bind off in pattern. Sew opposite shoulder and side of collar. Sew side seams. Sew sleeve seams sewing seams to within 1 inch less than length at armhole edge. Sew sleeves in position sewing the 1 inch at underarm to bound off sts.

FINISHING UK TERMS: Block each section. Sew one shoulder seam. With wrong side of work facing, pick up and K each st at neck edge across front and back. Work in seed st pattern for 1 inch (2.54cm) (all sizes), bind off in pattern. Sew opposite shoulder and side of collar. Sew side seams. Sew sleeve seams sewing seams to within 1 inch less than length at armhole edge. Sew sleeves in position sewing the 1 inch at underarm to bound off sts.