

22-23-5 Sideways Rib Sweater

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Materials

- Pierrot Yarns Basic Alpaca [80% acrylic, 20% lamb's wool; 241 yds / 220m per 1.41 oz. / 40g skein]; color #1 ivory; 6 skeins [210g]
- Pierrot Yarns Super Kid Mohair [75% kid mohair; 25% nylon; 306 yds / 280m per 0.88 oz. / 25g skein]; color #5801 ivory; 4 skeins [100g] – *discontinued; please choose appropriate substitute.*
- 4.2mm knitting needles or size necessary to achieve gauge; US 6 is the closest equivalent
- stitch holders

Gauge

- pattern stitch: 25 sts and 29 rows = 10cm/4" square

Finished measurements

- bust 94cm/37.0"
- length from middle of back to end of sleeve 70cm/27.6"
- length 58cm/22.8"

Knitting Tips

Body, sleeves: Garment is knit in one piece in pattern stitch. Starting at the cuff, cast on with long-tail cast-on. For sleeve increases, use make one increase (one stitch in from the edge) when increasing only one stitch. For two or more stitches, use backward loop cast-on to increase. Cast on 88 stitches for each side using provisional cast-on. Knit front and back to neck opening through row 39, then split into two sides and knit each side separately for next 58 rows, thus creating a space for the collar, which is knit separately. Place neckline stitches on stitch holders and continue knitting next 39 rows as one piece. Place side stitches on stitch holders. Work second sleeve, binding off stitches and decreasing (one stitch in from the edge) as indicated. When finished, bind off in pattern stitch.

Finishing: Join sides to each other and collar to neckline with three-needle bind-off. Join undersides of sleeves with mattress stitch, seaming the last 8cm/3.1" of the cuff inside-out so that when cuff is turned back, seam is hidden.

❖ Note: entire garment knit with one strand of each yarn held together.

Abbreviations: CO = cast on; OH = on hold (place on stitch holders); RE = row(s) even

