





# Jackets, Hat and Bolero

KNITTED IN BIG VALUE  
DOUBLE KNIT  
100g balls

To Fit Chest size	41	46	51	56	61	cm
	16	18	20	22	24	in
Length - Jackets	25	28	32	36	39	cm
approx	10	11	12½	14	15½	in
Length - Bolero	15	18	22	25	29	cm
	6	7	8½	10	11½	in
Sleeve seam	14	17	19	22	27	cm
	5½	6½	7½	8½	10½	in

## MATERIALS REQUIRED

**BIG VALUE DK, BIG VALUE SMARTY DK OR PETAL LUSTRE DK**

### Jacket IN TWO COLOURS

<b>ALL VERSIONS</b>	<b>Main</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	balls
	<b>Contrast</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	ball

### Jacket IN ONE COLOUR

<b>ALL VERSIONS</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	balls
<b>Hat *</b>	<b>Main</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	balls
<b>Bolero</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	balls

One pair each of Knitting Needles No 3¼mm and 4mm (U.K. sizes 10 and 8, U.S.A. sizes 3 and 5).

6[6 : 7 : 7 : 8] Buttons for each Jacket.

1 Button for Bolero.

1 Button for Hat. \* Oddments of Contrast Yarn.

## NOTES

The yarn amounts stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

Where only one figure is given, this applies to all sizes. Where the figure 0 appears, no sts or rows are worked for this size.

After casting off sts one stitch will remain on the right hand needle which is not included in the instructions that follow.

## IMPORTANT

To ensure accuracy, only King Cole yarns are suitable. No responsibility will be taken for the result of using any other brand of yarn. It is essential to work to the tensions stated.

## TENSION

11 sts to 5cm (2in) on No 4mm needles over st-st.

It is important to check your tension before commencing the garment, therefore knit a tension square. If there are less sts to 5cm (2in) than number stated, change

to finer needles. If there are more sts to 5cm (2in) than stated change to larger needles.

## ABBREVIATIONS

K = Knit; P = Purl; st(s) = stitch(es); rep = repeat; patt = pattern; cont = continue; beg = beginning; foll = following; alt = alternate; inc = increase; dec = decrease; rem = remaining; st-st = stocking stitch; tog = together; yfwd = yarn forward; approx = approximately; ML = make loops by inserting needle into next st, wind yarn 3 times round needle point and first finger of left hand (by taking yarn over needle round and under finger, keeping finger in all loops until they are knitted together). Put yarn over needle as if to knit, draw all 4 loops through without slipping stitch off needle, slip loops back onto left hand needle and knit all 4 loops and stitch together through back of loops; M = Main; C = Contrast; in = inch(es); cm = centimetres; mm = millimetres.

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## JACKETS IN TWO COLOURS

### BACK - ALL VERSIONS

With No 3¼mm needles and C, cast on 45[49 : 55 : 61 : 67]sts.

**1st Row:** K1, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to end.

**2nd Row:** P1, \* K1, P1, rep from \* to end.

Rep these 2 rows 5[5 : 6 : 6 : 7] times more.

Change to No 4mm needles.

Break off C, join in M and work in patt as follows;

**1st Row** (Right side): K to end.

**2nd Row:** K1, \* ML, K1, rep from \* to end.

**3rd Row:** K to end.

**4th Row:** P to end.

**5th Row:** K to end.

**6th Row:** K2, \* ML, K1, rep from \* to last st, K1.

**7th Row:** K to end.

**8th Row:** P to end.

These 8 rows form patt.

Cont in patt until work measures approx 15[17 : 19 : 22 : 24]cm, 6[6½ : 7½ : 8½ : 9½]in from beg, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt.

### Shape Armholes

Keeping patt correct, cast off 2

sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Work 12[12 : 12 : 8 : 8]rows dec one st at each end of next and every foll 4th row. 35[39 : 45 : 53 : 59]sts.

Work 18[22 : 26 : 34 : 38]rows dec one st at each end of next and every alt row. 17[17 : 19 : 19 : 21]sts.

Leave rem sts on a thread for Jackets with or without Hood. Cast off rem sts for Jacket with collar.

### LEFT FRONT - ALL VERSIONS

With No 3¼mm needles and C, cast on 21[23 : 27 : 29 : 33]sts and work 12[12 : 14 : 14 : 16] rows in rib as given for Back.

Change to No 4mm needles.

Break off C, join in M and work in patt as given for Back until work measures same as Back to armhole, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt. (Work 1 row more here when working Right Front).

### Shape Armhole

**Next Row:** Cast off 2 sts, patt to end.

**Next Row:** Patt to end. (Omit this row when working Right Front).

Work 12[12 : 12 : 8 : 8] rows dec one st at armhole edge in next and every foll 4th row. 16[18 : 22 : 25 : 29] sts.

Work 6[10 : 14 : 20 : 24] rows dec one st at armhole edge in next and every alt row. 13[13 : 15 : 15 : 17]sts.

### Shape Neck

Keeping patt correct.

Work 5[5 : 7 : 6 : 8] rows dec one st at armhole edge in next and every alt row AT SAME TIME dec one st at neck edge in every row. 5[5 : 4 : 6 : 5]sts. Work 5[5 : 3 : 6 : 4] rows dec one st at armhole edge only in 2nd[2nd : 2nd : 1st : 1st] and every alt row. 3 sts.

**Next Row:** K2tog, K1.

**Next Row:** P2tog and fasten off.

### RIGHT FRONT - ALL VERSIONS

Work as given for Left Front reversing all shapings.

### SLEEVES - ALL VERSIONS

With No 3¼mm needles and C, cast on 31[31 : 33 : 35 : 35]sts and work 10[10 : 12 : 12 : 14] rows in rib as given for Back.

Change to No 4mm needles.



Break off C, join in M and work in patt as given for Back, inc one st at each end of 5th and every foll 4th row working extra sts into patt to 39[43 : 49 : 53 : 59]sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures approx 14[17 : 19 : 22 : 27]cm, 5½[6½ : 7½ : 8½ : 10½]in from beg, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt.

### Shape Top

Keeping patt correct, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Work 30[34 : 38 : 42 : 46] rows dec one st at each end of next and every alt row. 5[5 : 7 : 7 : 9]sts.

Leave rem sts on a thread.

## BUTTON BAND

### ALL VERSIONS

With No 3¼mm needles and C, cast on 9 sts.

**1st Row:** K2, (P1, K1) 3 times, K1.

**2nd Row:** K1, (P1, K1) rep 4 times.

Rep these 2 rows until band is of sufficient length when slightly stretched to go up front edge to neck shaping, ending with 2nd row.

Do not break off yarn for a boy, break off yarn for a girl.

Pin band in position. Mark position for 6[6 : 7 : 7 : 8] buttons on band, the first on 5th row from lower edge the last to be worked on 2nd row of neckband and remainder spaced evenly between.

## BUTTONHOLE BAND

### - ALL VERSIONS

Work as given for Button Band working buttonholes to correspond with markers as follows;

**Buttonhole Row:** Rib 4, yfwd, K2tog, rib 3.

Do not break off yarn for a girl, break off yarn for a boy.

## NECKBAND - ALL VERSIONS

With right side facing, No 3¼mm needles and C, work in rib across right front band, pick up and K8[8

: 8 : 9 : 9]sts evenly up right side of front neck, K5[5 : 7 : 7 : 9]sts from one sleeve top, K17[17 : 19 : 19 : 21]sts from back neck, K5[5 : 7 : 7 : 9]sts from other sleeve top, pick up and K8[8 : 8 : 9 : 9]sts evenly down left side of front neck and work in rib across left front band. 61[61 : 67 : 69 : 75]sts.

**1st Row:** K1, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to end.

### For a Girl

**2nd Row:** Rib 4, yfwd, K2tog, rib to end.

### For a Boy

**2nd Row:** Rib to last 6 sts, K2tog, yfwd, rib 4.

### For Girl or Boy

Work 3 rows more in rib.

Cast off in rib.

## HOOD - If required

\*\* With No 3¼mm needles and C, cast on 83[87 : 93 : 97 : 101]sts and work 7 rows in rib as given for Back.

**Next Row:** Rib 2[0 : 4 : 6 : 8], \* P2tog, rib 2, rep from \* to last 5[3 : 5 : 7 : 9]sts, P2 tog, rib to end. 63[65 : 71 : 75 : 79]sts.

Change to No 4mm needles.

Break off C, join in M and work in patt as given for Back until work measures approx 10[11 : 13 : 14 : 15]cm, 4[4¼ : 5 : 5½ : 6]in from beg, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt.

### Shape Back

Keeping patt correct cast off 11[12 : 13 : 14 : 15]sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 12[12 : 14 : 15 : 16]sts at beg of foll 2 rows (17sts).

Cont in patt dec one st at each end of foll 12th row then every foll 8th row until 11sts rem.

Cont without shaping until back measures approx 11[13 : 14 : 15 : 17]cm, 4½[5 : 5½ : 6 : 6½]in, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt.

Cast off. \*\*

## COLLAR - If required

With No 3¼mm needles and C, cast on 61[61 : 69 : 69 : 77]sts and work 6 rows in rib

as given for Back of Jacket with or without Hood.

**Next Row:** Rib 18[18 : 22 : 22 : 26], (work K1, P1, K1 all into next st, rib 5) 4 times, work K1, P1, K1 all into next st, rib to end. 71[71 : 79 : 79 : 87]sts.

Cont without shaping until collar measures 8[8 : 8 : 9 : 9]cm, 3[3 : 3 : 3½ : 3½]in from beg, ending with 2nd row of rib.

Cast off loosely in rib.

## MAKE UP - ALL VERSIONS

Sew up side and sleeve seams.

Sew in sleeves. Sew front bands in position.

## JACKET WITH HOOD

Sew back seams of Hood. Placing centre of Hood to centre back of neckband and front edges of Hood 9sts from front edges sew Hood to top of neckband.

## JACKET IN ONE COLOUR

Work as given for Jackets in Two Colours in one colour only.

## JACKET WITH COLLAR

Placing centre of cast on edge of collar to centre back neck and side edges of collar to centre of front bands sew collar evenly inside neckband. Sew on buttons.

## ALL VERSIONS

Sew on buttons.

## HAT

With M only work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Hood.

## NECKBAND

Sew back seams of Hat. With No 3¼mm needles and M, cast on 11sts, with right side facing using same needle pick up and K47[47 : 51 : 51 : 55]sts evenly along lower edge of Hat, cast on 11sts. 69[69 :



73 : 73 : 77]sts.

**Next Row:** K1, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to end.

Work 2 rows more in rib.

**Next Row:** Rib to last 5 sts, yfwd, K2tog, rib 3.

Work 3 rows more in rib.

Cast off in rib.

Sew on button.

## **BOLERO**

### **BACK**

With No 4mm needles and M cast on 45[49 : 55 : 61 : 67]sts and work in patt as given for Back of Jacket with Hood until work measures approx 5[6 : 9 : 11 : 14]cm, 2[2½ : 3½ : 4½ : 5½]in from beg, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt.

### **Shape Armholes**

Keeping patt correct, cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 37[41 : 47 : 53 : 59]sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures approx 15[18 : 22 : 25 : 29]cm, 6[7 : 8½ : 10 : 11½] in from beg, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt.

### **Shape Shoulders**

Keeping patt correct, cast off 5[6 : 7 : 8 : 9]sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 5[6 : 7 : 9 : 10]sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Leave rem 17[17 : 19 : 19 : 21]sts on a thread.

### **LEFT FRONT**

With No 4mm needles and M, cast on 17[19 : 23 : 25 : 29]sts and work in patt as given for Back of Jacket inc one st at beg of 2nd and every alt row to 21[23 : 27 : 29 : 33]sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures same as Back to armhole, ending with 2nd or 6th row of patt. (Work 1 row

more here when working Right Front).

### **Shape Armhole**

**Next Row:** Cast off 4sts, patt to end. 17[19 : 23 : 25 : 29]sts.

**Next Row:** Patt to end. (Omit this row when working Right Front).

### **Shape Front Slope**

Keeping patt correct, dec one st at front edge on next and every foll 4th row until 10[12 : 14 : 17 : 19]sts rem.

Cont without shaping until work measures same as Back to shoulder, ending at armhole edge.

### **Shape Shoulder**

Keeping patt correct, cast off 5[6 : 7 : 8 : 9]sts at beg of next row and rem 5[6 : 7 : 9 : 10]sts on foll alt row.

### **RIGHT FRONT**

Work as given for Left Front reversing all shapings.

### **ARMHOLE BANDS**

Sew up shoulder seams. With right side facing No 3¼mm needles and M pick up and K51[57 : 63 : 69 : 75]sts evenly along side edges of armhole.

Beg with 2nd row work 5 rows in rib as given for Back of Jacket with Hood.

Cast off in rib.

### **MAKE UP**

Sew up side seams. Sew side edges of armhole bands to cast off sts at armholes.

### **EDGING**

With right side facing, four No 3¼mm needles and M, pick up and K30[32 : 34 : 38 : 40]sts

evenly down left side of front to first dec, 16[20 : 28 : 36 : 44]sts to cast on edge, 17[19 : 23 : 25 : 29]sts from cast on edge of left front, 45[49 : 55 : 61 : 67]sts from cast on edge of back, 17[19 : 23 : 25 : 29]sts from cast on edge of right front, 16[20 : 28 : 36 : 44]sts up right front edge to first front dec, 31[33 : 35 : 39 : 41]sts to right shoulder and K17[17 : 19 : 19 : 21]sts from back neck. 189[209 : 245 : 279 : 315]sts.

**1st Row:** P1, \* K1, P1, rep from \* to end.

Work 2 rows more in rib.

### **For a Girl**

**Next Row:** Rib to last 52[54 : 58 : 62 : 66]sts, yfwd, K2tog, rib to end.

### **For a Boy**

**Next Row:** Rib 33[35 : 37 : 41 : 43], yfwd, K2tog, rib to end.

### **For Girl or Boy**

Work 2 rows more in rib.

Cast off loosely in rib.

### **TO COMPLETE**

Sew ends of edging together. Sew on button.



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