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Spun in
Nazareth,
Pennsylvania

Baby-sized Teddy Bear Sweater

Designed Exclusively for Kraemer Yarns

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EXPERIENCE

INTERMEDIATE

YARN

Tatamy Tweed Worsted
45% Cotton
55% Acrylic

2 (2,3) skeins Sea Blue
1 (1,1) light Vintage 2006
1 (1, 1) Tatamy Tweed Worsted Contrast Color

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Size: 6 mo (9 mo, 12 mo)

Finished measurement:
18″ (19″, 20″) at chest

GAUGE

On larger needles
20 sts and 26 rows = 4″ / 10 cm in stockinette stitch

U.S. 7 / 4.5 mm 24″ or longer Circular Needles and Double Pointed Needles in same size or size needed to obtain gauge
U.S. 5 / 3.75 mm 24″ or longer Circular Needle and Double Pointed Needles in same size

Plus
2 Stitch holders
6 markers
6 ¾″ buttons

Cool enough for a sweater but not cold enough for wool? Keep your little bundle of joy cozy and comfortable in this Teddy Bear sweater knitted in Tatamy Tweed Worsted. Cotton for comfort, and acrylic to keep its shape.

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Tatamy Tweed WORSTED
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Teddy Bear

Notes:
For buttonholes on left front band, K1, P1, sl 1, K1, psso, yo, (K1,P1) twice

Using larger needles and MC cast on 43 (43, 43) sts

Row 1 – P2 (2, 2) left front, PM, P8 (8, 8) left sleeve, PM, P23 (23, 23) back, PM, P8 (8, 8) right sleeve, PM, P2 (2, 2) right front

Row 2 – inc in first two sts, sl mkr, inc in next st, *K to 1 st before next mkr, inc in next st, sl mkr, inc in next st, repeat from * 2 times, inc in last st 53 (53, 53) sts

Row 3 – P across, slipping all mkrs

Row 4 – inc in first st, *K to 1 st before next mkr, inc in next st, sl mkr, inc in next st, repeat from * 3 times, K to last st, inc in last st 63 (63, 63)

Row 5 – P across, slipping all mkrs

Rows 6-9 – repeat rows 4 & 5 2 more times – AT END OF ROW 9 CAST ON 9 (9, 9) sts

Row 10 – (K1, P1) 4 times (this will be buttonhole band) PM, *K to 1 sts before next mkr, inc in next st, sl mkr, inc in next st, repeat from * 3 times, K to end, cast on 9 (9, 9) sts 109 (109, 109)

Row 11 – (K1, P1) 4 times (this will be the button band) PM, P to last mkr, (K1, P1) to end

Row 12 – (K1, P1) to first mkr, sl mkr, *K to 1 st before next mkr, inc in next st, sl mkr, inc in next st, repeat from * 3 times, K to next mkr, sl mkr, (K1, P1) to end 117 (117, 117)

Row 13 – (K1, P1) to first mkr, sl mkr, P across to last mkr, sl mkr, (K1, P1) to end

When button band measures 1 ¼ (1 ½, 1 ½), work first buttonhole. After this you will work buttonholes every 1 ½" (1 ¾", 1 ¾")

Repeat rows 12 & 13, 7 (8, 10) times 173 (181, 197)

Dividing Row
Work in established rib across buttonhole band, K across left front, remove mkr and place left sleeve sts onto holder, remove mkr and K across back sts, remove mkr and place right sleeve sts to another holder, remove mkr and K across left front sts, sl mkr, (K1,P1) to end 105 (109, 117)

Continue to work in stockinette st for 2" (2 ½", 3"), KEEPING FRIST & LAST 8 STS IN ESTABLISHED RIBBING and ending with a P row

3 mo – (K1, P1) to mkr, keeping in stockinette st work 4 sts, then *work row 1 of pattern, work 3 sts, repeat from * 5 times, sl mkr (K1, P1) to end.
Continue in this manner working rows 2-14 of pattern

6 mo – (K1, P1) to mkr, keeping in stockinette st work 5 sts, then *work row 1 of pattern, work 3 sts, repeat from * 5 times, work 2 more sts, sl mkr (K1, P1) to end.
Continue in this manner working rows 2-14 of pattern

9 mo – (K1, P1) to mkr, keeping in stockinette st work 5 sts, then *work row 1 of pattern, work 4 sts, repeat from * 5 times, sl mkr (K1, P1) to end
Continue in this manner working rows 2-14 of pattern

All sizes
You should now be ready to work a K row
Next row - with main color (K1, P1) 4 times, K across to last mkr (K1, P1) to end
Next row – with MC (K1, P1) 4 times with CC, P across to last mkr with MC (K1, P1) to end
Next row - repeat last row
Next row – with main color (K1, P1) 4 times, K across to last mkr (K1, P1) to end
With smaller needles (K1, P1) across
Repeat last row until you have 1" of ribbing (make sure to place last buttonhole on the buttonhole band in the center of this ribbing.
Bind off

Using larger size dp needles slip sleeve stitches from holder or string to the dp needles dividing stitches evenly on three needles. You should have 34 (36, 40) sts on needles.

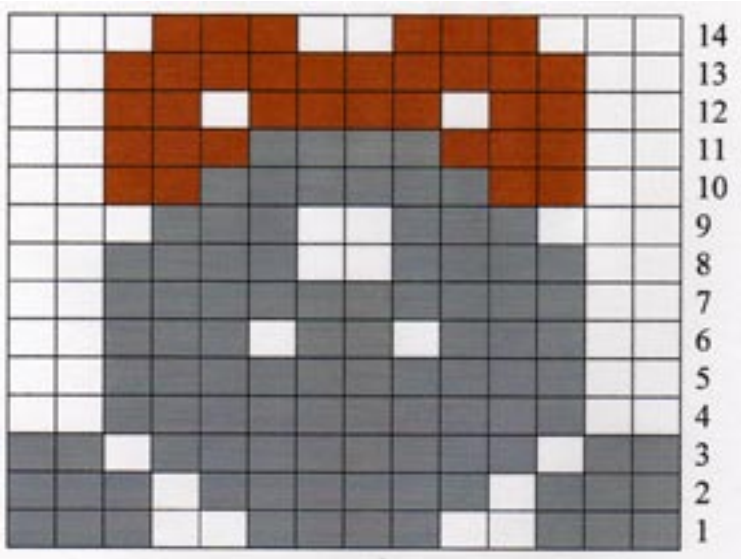
Finishing Sleeve
Beginning at underarm, attach MC
K1, PM, K to last st, PM, K last st
Work in stockinette st for 1"
Decrease round – K1, K2 tog, K to 3 sts before last mkr, sl1, K1, psso, K1
Continue in stockinette st, repeating decrease round every 1" 2 (2,4) times
Now work even in stockinette st until sleeve measures 5" (6", 7") from underarm ending with a WS row
K one row with CC
P one row with CC
K one row with MC
Continuing with MC and using smaller needles work K1, P1 ribbing for 1".
Bind off in ribbing

Repeat the Finishing Sleeve rows for other sleeve

Neck Ribbing
With right side facing and using smaller needle, you will be picking up sts along cast on edge of sweater as follows:
Pick up and K 8 sts at top of button band, 8 sts across top of right front, 8 sts across right sleeve, 23 sts across back, 8 sts across left sleeve, 8 sts across left front, 8 sts across buttonhole band (total 71) sts
Row 1 – P1, (K1, P1) across
Row 2 – K1 (P1, K1) to last 8 sts, P1, K1, P1, K1, yo, K2 tog, P1, K1
Row 3 – P1 (K1, P1) across
Row 4 – K1, (P1, K1) across
Row 5 – Bind off in established ribbing

Sew on buttons.

Teddy Bear



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COMMONLY USED KNITTING ABBREVIATIONS

beg	begin
BO	bind off
CC	contrasting color
CN	cable needle
CO	cast on, cast off
cont	continue
dec(s)	decrease(s)/decreasing
dpn	double-pointed needles
g st	garter stitch (K every row)
inc(s)	increase(s)/increasing
K	knit
K1, s1, psso	knit one, slip one, pass slipped stitch over
K2tog	knit 2 together
K2tog tbl	knit 2 together through back loop
kwise	knitwise
LH	left hand
mkr	marker
M1	make one (increase 1 stitch)
MC	main color
P	purl
p2sso	pass 2 slipped stitches over
P2tog	purl 2 stitches together (1 stitch decreased)
patt rep(s)	pattern repeat(s)
patt(s)	pattern(s)
PM	place marker
psso	pass slipped stitch over
pwise	purlwise
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
RH	right hand
rnd(s)	round(s)
RS	right side
sl	slip
ssk	slip 1, slip1, knit 2 slipped stitches together
st st	stockinette (stocking) stitch (1 row K, 1 row P)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tbl	through back of loop
tog	together
WS	wrong side
wyib	with yarn in back
wyif	with yarn in front
yo	yarn over
yon	yarn over needle
( )	repeat instructions in parentheses number of times indicated
*****	repeat instructions following asterisk as indicated or until end of row
[ ]	instructions in square brackets refer to larger sizes