

# FLORENCE CREW NECK SWEATER

#### **DIFFICULTY** =

YARN= Firenze by Laines du Nord 340gr. (50 gr ball)

color black n.72: 50 gr; color light blu n.19: 150 gr, color turtledove n.4: 30 gr, color cream n.2: 50 gr, color white n.3: 20 gr, color mustard n. 309: 40 gr.

**NEEDLES** = **6,5** and **9 mm. Circular needles <b>6,5 mm.** 

**OTHER** = tapestry needle.



This project is worked back and forth. A simple knitting to bring out the lightness and softness of the yarn.

## **POINTS USED**

## Stocking stitch;

1/1 rib st.: \*K1, P1 \* rep \*\* to the end; next row : work sts as they appear.

**Tubular cast on:** with a waste yarn in a contrasting color to your project yarn,

cast on half the number of stitches you need, plus one.

Switch to your project yarn. Set up Row: K1, \* YO, K1 \*; rip\*\* to the end. By the end of this row, you'll have the number of stitches you want.



Row 1: slip the purl stitches purlwise with yarn in front. Move yarn to back and knit the yarn over.

Rows 2 and 3: knit the slipped stitches and slip the purl stitches purlwise. Then work in 1/1 rib st. Once you finished remove the waste yarn.

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

m = stitch (e);

**MP** = point mark;

**pMP** = pass MP

**LD** = right side of the work

**LR** = wrong side of the piece

**dr** = straight;

**r** = reverse;

**viv** = edge;

2ins = 2 sts together knit

**3ins** = 3 sts together knit

acc = simple overlap: slip a stitch without knitting it, 1 dr, overlap the passed stitch over

that worked. **get** = one toss

rip \*\* = repeat from \* to \*

## **MEASURES**

## size M:

Bust circumference: 104 cm

Total length: 56 cm

Length from underarm to hem: 36 cm

Sleeve length: 44 cm

Neck opening: 23 cm

## **PROCEDURE**

#### **BACK**



With needles **6,5 mm** and color mustard cast on **31 sts** with tubular cast on (note: cast on with a waste yarn in a differente color; see instructions above).

After the set up row you'll have 60 sts. Then work coste 1/1 rib st for 2 cm (6 rows).

From Row 7: switch to 9 mm needles and work in stocking st as follows (note: change color alway on RS):

6 rows in mustard, 6 rows in black, 14 rows in cream, 6 rows in black, 18 rows in light blue, 6 rows in mustard (at the same time cast off 4 sts each side for armholes), 8 rows in white, 6 rows in cream, 8 rows in turtledove, 6 rows in light blue (= on Row 3 (RS) in light blue cast of the **28 central stitches**, and decrease 1 st. every 2 rows twice), 3 rows in black.

At 56 cm cast off all stitches

#### FRONT:

With **6,5 mm needles** and color mustard cast on **31 sts** with tubular cast on (note: cast on with a waste yarn in a differente color; see instructions above).

After the set up row you'll have 60 sts. Then work coste 1/1 rib st for 2 cm (6 rows).

From row 7: switch to 9 mm needles and work in stocking st as follows (note: change color alway on RS):

6 rows in mustard, 6 rows in black, 14 rows in cream, 6 rows in black, 18 rows in light blue, 6 rows in mustard (at the same time cast off 4 sts each side for armholes), 8 rows in white, 6 rows in cream, 8 rows in turtledove (= on Row 3 (RS) in turtledove cast of the 12 central stitches, and decrease 2 sts every 2 rows on RS for 5 times), 6 rows in light blue, 3 rows in black.

At 56 cm cast off all stitches.

#### **SLEEVES**

Work both sleeves together on the same needle using 2 different balls.

With **6,5 mm needles** and color mustard cast on **25 sts** with tubular cast on (note: cast on with a waste yarn in a differente color; see instructions above). Then work **coste 1/1 rib st** for 2 cm (6 rows).

From Row 7: switch to 9 mm needles and work in stocking st as follows (note: change color alway on RS):



4 rows in mustard, 4 rows in black, 12 rows in cream, 4 rows in black, 14 rows in light blue, 4 rows in mustard, 8 rows in white, 6 rows in cream, 8 rows in turtledove, 6 rows in light blue.

At 44 cm cast off all stitches.

#### **NECK**

After sewing shoulders with a tapestry needles, pick up **64 sts** along neckline with **6,5 mm circular needles** and work 8 rows in **1/1 rib st**. Cast off all stitches.

#### **FINISHING**

With the tapestry needle and duplicate stitch embroider the Front and Back as follows: in the cream strip with turtledove yarn alternating the stitch at Row 7 and Row 8; in the light blue strip with mustard yarn alternating the stitch at Row 9 and Row 10; in the white strip with turtledove yarn alternating the stitch at Row 4 and Row 5; in the turtledove strip with white yarn alternating the stitch at Row 4 and Row 5; On sleeves embroider as follows:

in the cream strip with turtledove yarn alternating the stitch at Row 7 and Row 8; in the light blue strip with mustard yarn alternating the stitch at Row 8 and Row 9; in the white strip with turtledove yarn alternating the stitch at Row 4 and Row 5; in the turtledove strip with white yarn alternating the stitch at Row 4 and Row 5. Sew the sleeves to the body, then sew the sleeves and both body sides and shoulders.

## **PHOTOGALLERY**





















