



Fun and whimsical, these scotty dogs are not to be taken seriously. Dancing around over this smart sweater and beret set, they add a cheerful twist to this classic combination.

Scotty dog sweater and beret

Sizes

Sweater

XS[S:M:L:XL]

To fit bust

34[36:38:40:42]in (86[91:96:101:106]cm)

Actual measurements

36[38:40:42:44]in (91[96:101:106:111]cm)

Length

27[27:27:28:28]in

(68.5[68.5:68.5:71.25:71.25]cm)

Sleeve seam

18½in (47cm)

Beret

To fit average head.

Actual measurements

Width of headband: 20in (51cm)

Headband to top: 9½in (24cm)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

You will need

Jamieson & Smith Shetland wool 2-ply jumper weight (knits as 4-ply) (129yds/118m per 25g ball)

For the sweater:

10[10:10:11:12] balls 27 **Mid Grey (A)**

3[3:3:4:4] balls 1A **Ivory (B)**

1 ball 1403 **Red (C)**

4[4:4:5:5] balls 77 **Black (D)**

1 ball 65 **Jade (E)**

For the beret:

2 balls 27 **Mid Grey (A)**

1 ball 1A **Ivory (B)**

1 ball 403 **Ruby (C)**

2 balls 77 **Black (D)**

1 ball 65 **Jade (E)**

1 pair each of 2.75mm (US2:UK12) and 3.25mm (US3:UK10) needles.

1 set of 4 double-pointed needles size 2.75mm (US2:UK12).

Tension

26 sts and 33 rows to 4in (10cm) over chart patt.

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

Pattern notes

This design uses the intarsia woven method, see page 155.

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Back

Using 2.75mm needles and D cast on 118[124:130:136:144] sts

Work 2in (5cm) in k1 p1 twisted rib.

Change to 3.25mm needles and refer to chart and repeat the 40 rows to end of work.

Centre chart as foll:

RS rows: Work the last 9[12:2:5:9] sts of chart, repeat the 25 sts 4[4:5:5:5] times across row, work the first 9[12:3:6:10] sts

WS rows: Work the last 9[12:3:6:10] of chart, repeat the 25 sts 4[4:5:5:5] times across row, work the first 9[12:2:5:9] sts.

Cont in patt until work measures 18[18:18:18½:18½]in (45.75[45.75:45.75:47:47]cm) from cast on edge, ending on a WS row.

Shape armholes

Cont in patt, cast off 10[10:10:12:13] sts at beg of next 2 rows ** (98[104:110:112:118] sts).

Work straight in patt until armhole measures 8¼[8¼:8¼:8¾:8¾]in (21[21:21:22.25:22.25]cm) ending on a WS row.

Shape shoulders

Cast off 10[11:12:12:13] sts at beg of next 6 rows. Place rem 38[38:38:40:40] sts on holder.

Front

Work as for back to **

98[104:110:112:118] sts.

Shape neck

With RS facing, work patt across first 49[52:55:56:58] sts, turn; leave rem sts on holder.

Next row (WS): K2tog, then leave this st on pin, work to end of row.

Cont patt on these 47[50:53:54:56] sts, dec 1 st at neck edge on next and

every alt row 5[5:5:7:7] times in all, then every 4th row 12[12:12:11:11] times (30[33:36:36:39] sts).

Cont straight until armhole measures 8¼[8¼:8¼:8¾:8¾]in (21[21:21:22.25:22.25]cm) ending on a WS row.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 10[11:12:12:13] sts at beg of next and every alt row 3 times in all. With RS facing, rejoin yarn at neck edge to rem 49[52:55:56:58] sts, k2tog and place resulting st on pin, then work in patt to end of row. Work 1 row, then dec right neck edge to match left side.

Sleeves

Using 2.75mm needles and yarn D cast on 56[56:56:62:62] sts

Work 3½in (9cm) in k1 p1 twisted rib ending on WS row, inc 6 sts evenly across final row (62[62:62:68:68] sts).

Change to 3.25mm needles and refer to chart and repeat the 40 rows to end of work.

Centre chart as foll:

RS rows: Work the last 6[6:6:6:9] sts of chart, repeat the 25 sts twice across row, work the first 6[6:6:6:9] sts

WS rows: Work the last 6[6:6:6:9] sts of chart, repeat the 25 sts twice across row, work the first 6[6:6:6:9] sts

At the same time inc 1 st at both ends of every 6th row 12 times, then every 4th row 11 times adding extra sts to chart patt as they occur (108[108:108:114:114] sts).

Work straight in patt until sleeve measures 20[20:20:20¼:20¼]in (51[51:51:51.5:52]cm) from cast on edge, ending on WS row, then cast off loosely.

Neckband

Use a small neat backstitch on edge of work for all seams except ribs, where a slipstitch should be used.

Join shoulder seams.

With RS facing and using 2.75mm dpns and yarn D, beg at left shoulder seam, pick up and k76 sts down left neck edge, then k1 st from pin at centre front onto 1st needle; on 2nd needle, k1 st from other pin, then pick up and k75sts up right side of neck; on 3rd needle place 38[38:38:40:40] sts on stitch holder at back neck (191[191:191:193:193] sts).

Work 8 rounds k1, p1 twisted rib, dec on every round at centre front as foll:

1st needle: Work 74 sts in twisted rib, k2tog, k1.

2nd needle: K1, k2tog, starting with a purl st, work 73 sts in twisted rib.

3rd needle: Starting with a knit st, work across all sts in twisted rib.

On subsequent rounds keep ribs and decs correct (175[175:175:177:177] sts).

Cast off in rib working 2 sts tog at each side of centre front as set.

Finishing

Tidy loose ends back into own colours. Press pieces lightly on WS avoiding ribbing. Sew cast off edge of sleeve seam into straight armhole edge. Sew top 1½[1½:1½:1¾:2]in (4[4:4:4.5:5]cm) of sleeve to cast-off edge of armhole forming a neat right-angle. Join side seams and sleeve seams in one line. Steam seams.