



Pattern Collection: Children



Drizzle Sweater

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DIFFICULTY

Easy

SIZES

12-18 mo. (2 yr, 3 yr, 4 yr)

Shown in 12-18 month size.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest Circumference: 20 $\frac{3}{4}$ (21 $\frac{3}{4}$, 22 $\frac{3}{4}$, 24)"

Length: 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ (14 $\frac{3}{4}$, 15 $\frac{1}{2}$, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$)"

MATERIALS

Universal Yarn Bella Cash (60% superwash extra fine merino, 30% nylon, 10% cashmere; 50g/230 yds)

- 123 Maldives (MC) – 2 (2, 2, 3) balls
- 109 Snow (CC) – 1 (1, 1, 2) ball(s)

Needles: US Size 3 (3.25 mm) 16" circular and set of DPNS (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

US Size 2 (2.75 mm) 16" circular and set of DPNS (or your preferred needle for knitting small circumferences)

Notions: Tapestry needle, stitch marker, stitch holders or waste yarn

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GAUGE

28 sts x 36 rnds = 4" in Stockinette stitch (St st)
with larger ndl

Save time, check your gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

Just like a Spring rain shower, the Drizzle Sweater is calm and exudes a cozy feeling. A slip stitch pattern on the yoke and cuffs makes the most of these contrasting shades. It is also an interesting design that is easy and relaxing to work! Little ones will love wearing our Bella Cash yarn, which is lightweight, warm, and soft as a teddy bear.

This sweater is knit seamlessly from the top-down.

STITCH GUIDE

K2, P1 Rib

(multiple of 3 sts)

Rnd 1: * K2, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnd 1 for patt.

Slip Stitch

(multiple of 2 sts)

Rnds 1-2: With MC, knit to end.

Rnd 3: With CC, * k1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.

Rnd 4: With CC, * p1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.

Rnds 5-6: With MC, knit to end.

Rnd 7: With CC, * sl 1 pwise wyib, k1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 8: With CC, * sl 1 pwise wyib, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep Rnds 1-8 for patt.

SWEATER

Yoke

Note 1: This section is also charted for your convenience.

Note 2: Change to 16" circular ndl when there are too many sts to fit comfortably on dpns.

With smaller dpns and CC, cast on 78 (84, 90, 96) sts. Work in K2, P1 Rib until piece meas 1¼" from cast-on edge. Change to larger dpns.

Rnd 1: With CC, knit to end. Join MC, do not break CC.

Rnd 2: With MC, * [k2, m1] 2 times, k2; rep from * to end – 26 (28, 30, 32) sts inc'd, 104 (112, 120, 128) sts.

Rnd 3: With MC, knit to end.

Rnd 4: With CC, * k1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.

Rnd 5: With CC, * p1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.

Rnd 6: With MC, * k2, m1, k4, m1, k2; rep from * to end – 26 (28, 30, 32) sts inc'd, 130 (140, 150, 160) sts.

Rnd 7: With MC, knit to end.

Rnds 8-9: Rep Rnds 4-5.

Rnd 10: With MC, * k2, m1, k6, m1, k2; rep from * to end – 26 (28, 30, 32) sts inc'd, 156 (168, 180, 192) sts.

Rnd 11: With MC, knit to end.

Rnds 12-13: Rep Rnds 4-5.

Rnds 14-15: With MC, knit to end.

Rnd 16: With CC, * sl 1 pwise wyib, k1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 17: With CC, * sl 1 pwise wyib, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 18: With MC, * k2, m1, k8, m1, k2; rep from * to end – 26 (28, 30, 32) sts inc'd, 182 (196, 210, 224) sts.

Rnd 19: With MC, knit to end.

Rnds 20-21: Rep Rnds 16-17.

Rnds 22-23: Rep Rnds 14-15.

Rnds 24-25: Rep Rnds 8-9.

Rnd 26: With MC, * k2, m1, k10, m1, k2; rep from * to end – 26 (28, 30, 32) sts inc'd, 208 (224, 240, 256) sts.

Rnd 27: With MC, knit to end.

Rnds 28-29: Rep Rnds 4-5.

Rnds 30-31: Rep Rnds 14-15.

Rnds 32-33: Rep Rnds 16-17.

Rnd 34: With MC, * k2, m1, k12, m1, k2; rep from * to end – 26 (28, 30, 32) sts inc'd, 234 (252, 270, 288) sts.

Rnd 35: With MC, knit to end.

Rnds 36-37: Rep Rnds 16-17.

Work even in Slip Stitch patt, repeating Rnds 1-8, until piece meas 5½ (5¾, 6, 6¼)" from cast-on

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edge, ending with Rnd 4 or Rnd 8 of patt. Break CC. Cont with MC only.

Separate Body & Sleeves

Sl 48 (54, 59, 64) Sleeve sts to holder or waste yarn, cast on 2 sts, pm to denote new BOR, cast on 2 sts, k69 (72, 76, 80) Front sts, sl next 48 (54, 59, 64) Sleeve sts to holder or waste yarn, cast on 4 sts, k69 (72, 76, 80) Back sts – 146 (152, 160, 168) Body sts; 73 (76, 80, 84) sts each for Front and Back of Body.

Body

With MC, work even in St st until piece meas 6 (7, 7½, 8)” from Body & Sleeve Separation. Break MC and change to smaller ndl. Join CC.

Hem

Set-up Rnd: Knit, decreasing 2 (2, 1, 0) st(s) evenly around – 144 (150, 159, 168) sts rem. Work in K2, P1 Rib until piece meas 8 (9, 9½, 10)” from Body & Sleeve separation. Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

Sleeves

With MC and larger set of dpns, beg at center of underarm, pick up and knit 2 sts from underarm cast-on, k48 (54, 59, 64) Sleeve sts from holder or waste yarn, pick up and knit 2 sts from underarm cast-on, pm to denote bor – 52 (58, 63, 68) Sleeve sts. Work even in St st until Sleeve meas ½” from underarm.

Shape Sleeve

Dec Rnd: K1, k2tog, knit to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 2 sts dec'd, 50 (56, 61, 66) sts rem. Rep Dec Rnd every 6 rnds, 3 (5, 6, 9) more times, then rep Dec Rnd every 4 rnds, 4 (3, 3, 1) time(s) – 16 (18, 20, 22) sts dec'd, 36 (40, 43, 46) sts rem. Work even in St st until piece meas 5½ (6, 7, 8½)” from underarm.

Next Rnd: Knit, decreasing 0 (0, 1, 0) st(s) evenly around – 36 (40, 42, 46) sts rem. Join CC, do not break MC.

Cuff

Rnd 1: With CC, * k1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.

Rnd 2: With CC, * p1, sl 1 pwise wyib; rep from * to end.

Rnds 3-4: With MC, knit to end.

Rnd 5: With CC, * sl 1 pwise wyib, k1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 6: With CC, * sl 1 pwise wyib, p1; rep from * to end.

Rnd 7: With MC, knit.

Rnd 8: With MC, knit, decreasing 0 (1, 0, 1) st(s) evenly around – 36 (39, 42, 45) sts rem. Break MC, cont with CC only. Change to smaller ndl. Work in K2, P1 Rib until Sleeve meas 8 (8¾, 9½, 10½)” from underarm. Bind off all sts loosely in patt.

FINISHING

Gently wash and block to finished measurements. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

approx	approximately
bef	before
beg	begin(ning)
bor	beginning of round
CC	contrast color
circ	circular
cont	continue
dec('d)	decrease(d)
dpn(s)	double pointed needle(s)
est'd	established
inc('d)	increase(d)
k	knit
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (1 st dec'd)
m1	insert left needle from front to back under horizontal strand of yarn lying between st just worked and next st, knit or purl this st through the back loop (1 st inc'd)
meas	measures
ndl	needle
p	purl
patt	pattern

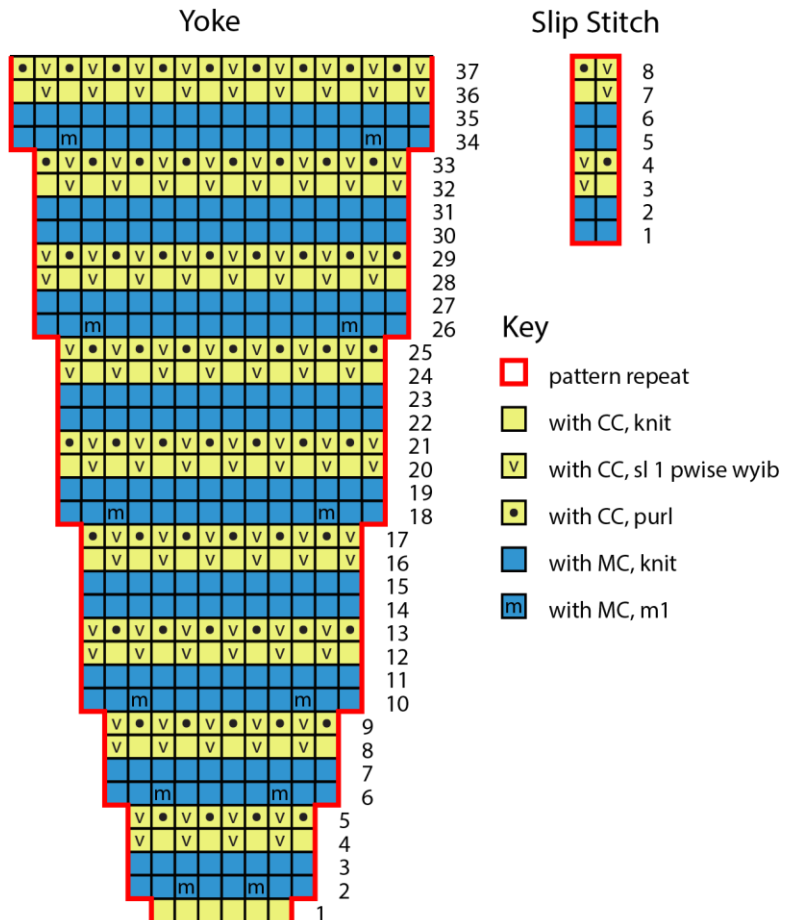
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pm	place marker
pwise	purlwise
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rnd	round
sl	slip
ssk	slip next 2 sts individually knitwise, slip them back to left needle in this position, knit them together through the back loops (1 st dec'd)
St st	Stockinette stitch (knit on RS rows, purl on WS rows; in the rnd, knit every rnd)
st(s)	stitch(es)



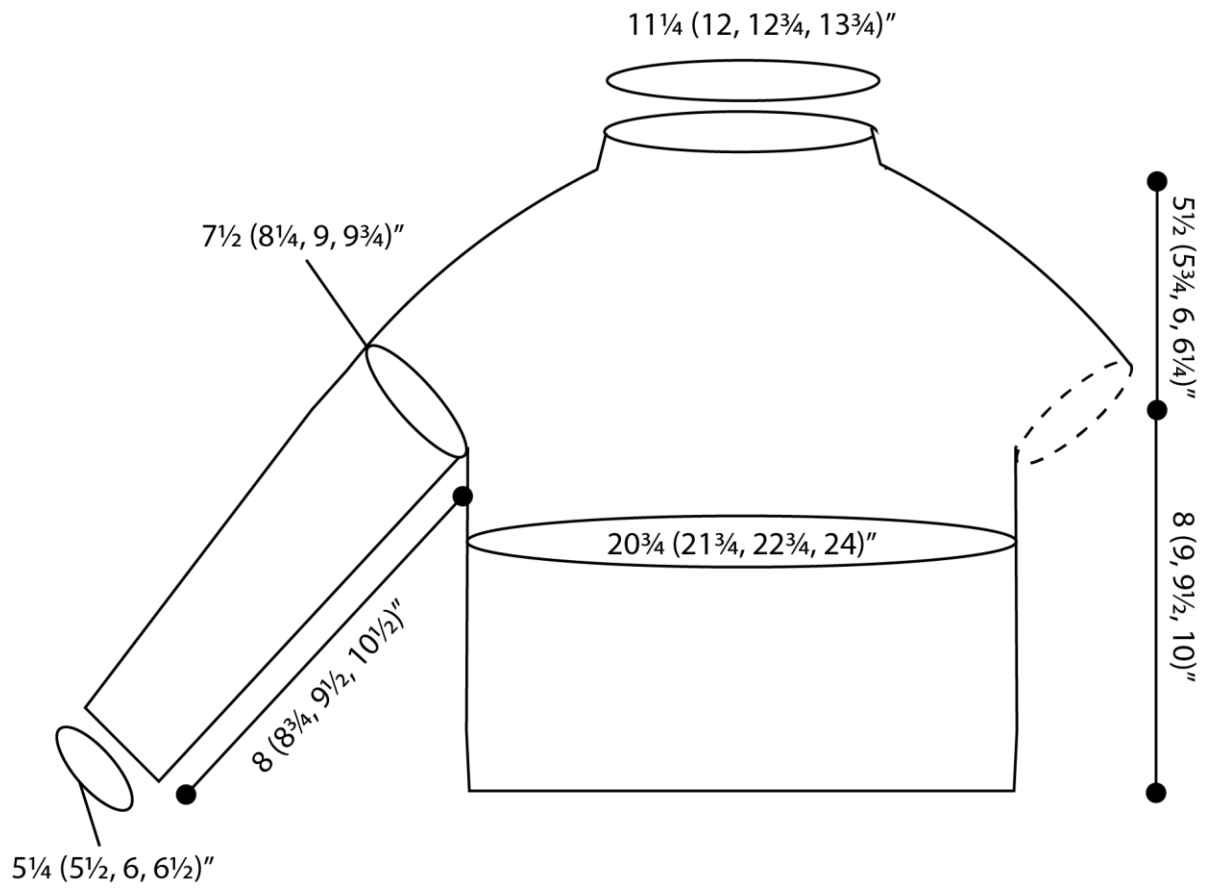
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