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SUPPLIES

Cotton Kings 8/4 cone 500grams 100%
cotton weight #2
Crochet hook 2.7 mm

STITCHES USED

hdc fnd ch—half double crochet
foundation chain
sc—single crochet
hdc—half double crochet
sl st—slip stitches



GAUGE

17 sc = 4"

SIZE

Finished shirt: (with shirt laid out flat side to side and
back to front)
length is 24 inches from center front neck to lower
center front edge
26 inches from edge of short sleeve across shirt to edge
of other short sleeve
21 ½ inches from underarm across shirt to other underarm
15 inches from finished underarm to finished side edge

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Work from top down raglan style
2. Begin with hdc fnd ch 112,[size L,] divide equally into 4 parts(of 28 sts) and pin, and divide between 2 pins for 14 sts for each of cf and cb. (with 28 sts on each side for shoulders) Total of 8 pins, every 14 sts.
3. Join into ring with sl st.
4. hdc all around.
5. HDC around with 1 dec (2 hdc together) at each marker. 13 hdcs between each marker.
6. Begin at cb *2 rounds of sc even. Sl st and mark cb. Turn.
2 rounds of hdc with increases of 3 hdc at each marker, 8 increase points*

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STITCH PATTERN

*2 SC ROWS WITHOUT INCREASE, sl st in beg st, turn.

FOLLOWED BY 2 HDC ROWS WITH INCREASES*, sl st in beg st, turn.

REPEAT THIS PATTERN 9 TIMES FOR 9 INCHES

COUNT THE STITCHES BETWEEN INCREASES CAREFULLY AND MAKE ANY NECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS TO KEEP THE COUNT THE SAME FOR EACH SECTION BETWEEN POINTS.

Keep THE CENTER OF THE 3 CORNER POINTS ALIGNED WITH PREVIOUS INCREASES. FOR A TOTAL OF 9 1/2 INCHES measured from neck edge along increase line.

DIVIDE FOR SLEEVES and body

7. At under arm markers sc fnd ch 2 inches/8-10 sts. Try the piece on. There will be a point on top of shoulder and 2 side points under the arms. You will join the 2 side points with 10 sts./ 2 inches.

8. Continue around in sc pattern to underarm/1st inc point from cb(52 sc), 10 sc fnd ch/ 2 " under arm, skip 1 inc point (shoulder) , sc join to center st of next inc point ,continue around in pattern along cf to next underarm, 103 sc from underarm joining, 10 sc fnd ch, skip next inc point, sc join, 51 sc along back, sc join (52sc). Cut off. Join yarn to center st of underarm chain. Mark the center of underarm chain as new beginning st for rounds.

9. Work pattern (2sc rows, 2 hdc rows) even without increases at underarms or side markers. (10 sc on underarm foundation sc = 2"). (103 sc across front and across back between side markers under arms.) (52 st between center (cluster of 3) and beginning of underarm. Continue increases at cf and cb. Continue placing front side and back side markers. (mark at beginning and ending of underarm sts-10 sts between markers)

10. When piece measures 8 ½ " from sleeve division, (waist length), increase front and back sides as in pattern. (3hdc at each of 8 pins as in beginning)

11. Work until desired length, about 20" from underarm.

12. Sleeves: sl st yarn to join at center of underarm. Continue 1 sc round, 2 hdc rounds* until piece measures ¾ " from underarm. FOR SHORT SLEEVES: Work only sc rows about 4 times/1-1 ½ ". Decrease over 3 sts at sides of underarms of sleeves. (until underarm measures 1-1 ½ " wide). FOR LONGER SLEEVES: Decrease every inch 13 times. Continue pattern evenly without further decreases until desired length, about 18" FOR WRIST LENGTH.

13. Finishing: Work edging around neck, bottom of sleeves and bottom of shirt. (Sc, ch1, sc) around for neck.
sc evenly around sleeve edges.