

Tiny Knit Sweater Ornament

Gauge is not really important for this project, but I have given you what I used to make this "sweater". Try it with sock yarn and smaller needles for a really tiny sweater.



Yarn: Worsted Weight

Needles: US size 3

Gauge: 6 stitches per inch

Tools:

scissors

tapestry needle

Abbreviations:

k = knit

p = purl

Cast on 17 stitches

Row 1: (WS) p1,k1 until end of row (you will end with a p)

Row 2: (RS) k1,p1 until end of row (you will end with a k)

Row 3-17: Work in stockinette

Row 18: Cast on 16 stitches, knit across until end

Row 19: Cast on 16 stitches, purl until last 3 stitches, k2, p1.

Row 20: Slip first stitch as if to knit, knit until last 3 stitches, p2, k1

Row 21: Slip first stitch as if to purl, purl until last 3 stitches k2, p1

Row 22-23: Repeat rows 20 and 21

Row 24: Slip first stitch as if to knit, k21, bind off 5, knit until last 3 stitches, p2, k1

Row 25: Slip first stitch as if to purl, p21, cast on 5 stitches, purl until last 3 stitches, k2, p1

Rows 26-31: Repeat rows 20 and 21

Row 32: Bind off 16 stitches, knit until last 3 stitches, p2, k1

Row 33: Bind off 16, purl until end

Row 34-47: Work in stockinette

Row 48: k1, work in k1,p1 ribbing until last stitch, k (you will have two knit stitches at the beginning and end of the row.)

Row 49: p1, work in p1,k1 ribbing until last stitch, p (you will have two purl stitches at the beginning and end of the row)

Row 50: Bind off

You will have a piece that looks like this



Finishing:

Fold the sweater in half, wrong sides facing each other. Seam up each side and under each arm. Attach a length of yarn at the neck for hanging (I also use this length of yarn to neaten up the neckline.)

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