

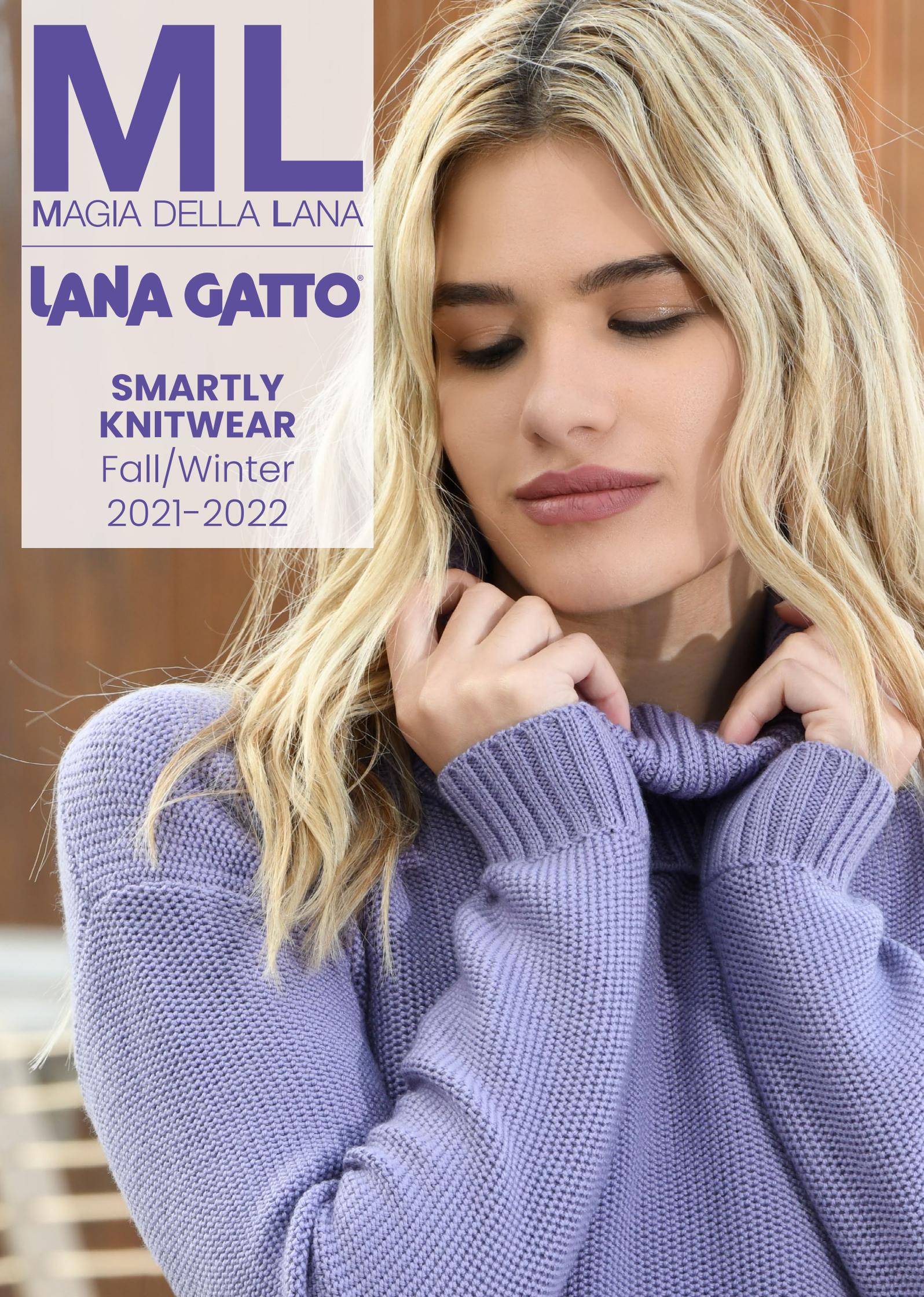
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Ring Collar Jumper

Size: UK 8 (10/12) – US 4 (6/8) – EU 34 (36/38)

Note: figures in brackets () refer to larger size. Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes.

Skill Level: intermediate

How much yarn: 11 (12) balls (each ball 50g and 200m) of Vip yarn (80% Merino Extrafine Wool, 20% Cashmere) shade no. 8431 lilac

Needles: A pair of 2.75mm needles

A pair of 3.00mm needles

Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point

STITCHES

Using needle: tubular stitch – K2, P2 rib.

HONEYCOMB STITCH: (work on odd number of sts.)

Row 1: K to end. **Row 2:** * K1, 1 double st (= K 1 st below next st on needle – i.e. sts from the two previous rows are worked as one); rep from * ending with K1. **Row 3:** K to end. **Row 4:** * 1 double st, K1; rep from * ending with 1 double st. Rep these 4 rows throughout.

TENSION

25 sts are 10cm wide worked in Honeycomb stitch with 3.00mm knitting needles. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve success.

INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with 2.75mm needles cast on 146 (154) sts. For border, work 4 rows in tubular st and 5cm K2, P2 rib, dec 19 sts evenly across last row: 127 (135) sts remain. Change to 3.00mm needles and cont to

work in Honeycomb stitch, with 1 selvedge st at each end. When Back measures 60 (63)cm from beg, shape shoulders. Cast off 5 sts at beg of next 16 rows, then cast off rem 47 (55) sts for neck.

Front: work as Back until work measures 51 (53)cm from beg. Now shape neck: cast off centre 17 (21) sts, join another ball of yarn and cont to work either side separately, decreasing on neck edge on next and every alternate row 2 sts 4 times, then 1 st 7 (9) times. Shape shoulders as Back at the same height.

Sleeves: for each Sleeve, with 2.75mm needles cast on 74 (78) sts. For cuff, work 4 rows in tubular st and 5cm K2, P2 rib, dec 17 sts evenly across last row: 57 (61) sts remain. Change to 3.00mm needles and cont to work in Honeycomb stitch, with 1 selvedge st at each end. Increase 1 st approx every 4 cm 11 (12) times. There are 79 (85) sts. When Sleeve measures 50 (53)cm from beg, cast off all sts.

Collar: with 2.75mm needles cast on 200 (210) sts. Work 6 rows in tubular st and 25cm K2, P2 rib, then cast off all sts loosely.

FINISHING

Using yarn needle, sew a shoulder seam. Sew Collar all around neck-edge, then sew other shoulder and collar seam. Set in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Note: wash garment carefully at low temperatures, with a very little fabric softener. Lay the garment to dry on a flat surface, without ever hanging it.

V-neck Sweater

Size: UK 10 (12/14) – US 6 (8/10) – EU 36 (38/40)

Note: figures in brackets () refer to larger size. Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes.

Skill Level: intermediate

How much yarn: 7 (8) balls (each ball 50g and 170m) of Mini Soft yarn (100% Extrafine Merino Wool Machine Washable) air force blue shade no. 10173

Needles: A pair of 4.50mm needles

Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point

Other items: a stitch-holder

STITCHES

Using needle: K1, P1 rib.

HALF FISHERMAN'S RIB: (work on odd number of sts.)

Row 1: * P1, K1; rep from * ending with P1. **Row 2:** * P1, 1 double st (= K 1 st below next st on needle – i.e. sts from the two previous rows are worked as one); rep from * ending with P1. Rep these 2 rows throughout.

TENSION

18 sts and 38 rows measure 10cm square over Half Fisherman's Rib with 4.50mm knitting needles. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve success.

INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with 4.50mm needles cast on 77 (83) sts. For border, work 4cm K1, P1 rib. Cont to work in Half Fisherman's Rib. When Back measures 38 (40)cm from beg, shape armholes. Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then shape raglans dec 2 sts at each end, inside first and last 8 sts, on next and every 8th row 5 times, then every following 12th row 4 times. When armhole raglans measure 23 (24)cm, cast off rem 35 (41) sts for neck.

Front: work as Back until Front measures 38 (40) cm from beg. Now shape armholes. Cast off 3 sts

at beg of next 2 rows, then shape raglans dec 2 sts at each end, inside first and last 8 sts, on next and every 8th row 5 times, then every following 12th row 3 times. At the same time, when armhole raglans measure 7cm, shape V-neck placing centre st onto a stitch-holder and, using another ball of yarn, cont to work either side separately, decreasing on neck side 2 sts on next and every following 6th (5th) row 8 (10) times. There are 3 (2) sts. Work K3tog (K2tog).

Left Sleeve: with 4.50mm needles, cast on 41 (45) sts. For cuff, work 4cm K1, P1 rib. Cont to work in Half Fisherman's Rib, inc 2 sts at each end on 19th, 49th, 79th and 109th rows. There are 57 (61) sts. When Sleeve measures 42 (44)cm from beg, shape top. Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then shape raglans dec 2 sts at each end, inside first and last 8 sts, on next and every 8th row 5 times, then every following 12th row 3 times. Now, on the left side cast off 5 sts on next row, then cast off 3 (4) sts on following alternate row 4 times. At the same time, on the right side dec 2 sts after 12 rows.

Right Sleeve: work as Left Sleeve, reversing shapings.

FINISHING

Using yarn needle, sew three raglan seam, leaving left back raglan open. **Neck-Border:** with RS facing and 4.50mm needles pick up and K the sts around neck-edge (= one Front slanting side, centre st on V point from stitch holder, other Front slanting side and Back neck-edge). Work 3cm K1, P1 rib, working K3 on RS on Front centre neck (the stitch on V point is the central st of these 3 sts) and dec 1 st at each end of central st to form V point. Cast off all sts loosely. Sew right back raglan and neck-border seam. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Note: wash garment carefully at low temperatures, with a very little fabric softener. Lay the garment to dry on a flat surface, without ever hanging it.

Casual Cardigan

Size: UK 10 (12/14) - US 6 (8/10) - EU 36 (38/40)

Note: figures in brackets () refer to larger size. Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes.

Skill Level: intermediate

How much yarn: 14 (15) balls (each ball 50g and 90m) of Maxi Soft yarn (100% Extrafine Merino Wool) shade no. 10173

Needles: A pair of 6.00mm needles

Hook: A 5.00mm crochet hook

Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point

STITCHES

Using needle: K1, P1 rib.

HALF FISHERMAN'S RIB: (work on odd number of sts.)

Row 1: * P1, K1; rep from * ending with P1. **Row 2:** * P1, 1 double st (= K1 st below next st on needle - i.e. sts from the two previous rows are worked as one); rep from * ending with P1. Rep these 2 rows throughout.

Using crochet hook: chain (ch)

TENSION

15 sts and 28 rows measure 10cm square over Half Fisherman's Rib with 6.00mm knitting needles. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve success.

INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with 6.00mm needles cast on 63 (69) sts. For border, work 5cm K1, P1 rib. Cont to work in Half Fisherman's Rib. When Back measures 48 (50)cm from beg, shape armholes. Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at each end on next and every alternate row twice. There are 55 (61) sts. When armhole measures 20 (21)cm, shape shoulders. Cast off 8 (9) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then cast off rem 23 (25) sts for neck.

Right Front: with 6.00mm needles cast on 30 (32) sts. For border, work 5cm K1, P1 rib. Cont to work in

Half Fisherman's Rib, being aware that here the stitch is worked on even number of sts. When Front measures 42 (44)cm from beg, shape neck, decreasing 2 sts on RH (right hand) side (= opening side); then rep these 2 decs every following 18th row 2 more times and every following 14th row 2 more times. At the same time, on LH (left hand) side, shape armhole and shoulder as Back and at the same height.

Left Front: work as Right Front, reversing shapings.

Pockets: for each Pocket, inside 3 sts from opening edge, pick up and K25 sts across last row of K1, P1 rib Border. Work 15cm Half Fisherman's Rib and 3cm K1, P1 rib. Cast off all sts loosely.

Sleeves: for each Sleeve, with 6.00mm needles cast on 33 (35) sts. For cuff, work 4cm K1, P1 rib. Cont to work in Half Fisherman's Rib, inc 1 st at each end on next and every following 38th (30th) row 3 (4) times. There are 39 (43) sts. When Sleeve measures 47 (49)cm from beg, shape top. Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows, then dec 1 st at each end on next and alternate row: 31 (35) sts remain. When sleeve top measures 11 (12)cm, dec 1 st at each end on next and alternate row: 27 (31) sts remain. Now, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows and 3 sts at beg of next 4 rows. Then, cast off rem 11 (15) sts.

FINISHING

Using yarn needle, sew shoulder seams. Then join vertical sides of each Pocket to Front, in correspondence. **Neck-Border:** with RS facing and 6.00mm needles pick up and K the sts along Fronts and Back neck-edge. Work 3cm K1, P1 rib. Cast off all sts loosely. Set in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams. Using crochet hook, work a row of chain sts at base of lower rib border, to complete finishing.

Note: wash garment carefully at low temperatures, with a very little fabric softener. Lay the garment to dry on a flat surface, without ever hanging it.