

Size: UK 10/12 (14/16)
US 6/8 (10/12)
EU 36/38 (40/42)
Note: figures in square brackets ( ) refer to larger size. Where only one figure is given this refers to both sizes.
Skill Level: intermediate

How much yarn: 6 (8) balls (each ball 50g and 90m) of **Maxi Soft** yarn (100% Extrafine Merino Wool) for each of the following colours: light grey shade no. 20741, cornflower blue shade no. 22035, dark blue shade no. 20587 and dusty blue shade no. 20583; 4 (6) balls (each ball 25g and 212m) of **Silk Mohair** yarn (70% SuperKid Mohair 30% Silk) for each of the following colours: light grey shade no. 30145, cornflower blue shade no. 9376, dark blue shade no. 6035 and dusty blue shade no. 30480 **Hook:** A 6.00mm crochet hook
Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point
Other items: 60x100cm fake fur fabric, in light camel shade

STITCHES
Using hook: chain (ch) - Slip stitch (ss) - Double crochet (dc) Half treble (htr). BACK LOOP (BL) SLIP STITCH: ss inserting hook into back loop only of stitch on previous row. BACK LOOP (BL) REDUCED (RDC) HALF TREBLE (HTR): yarn on hook (yo), insert hook into back loop of next st, pull out a loop and gently draw through the 2 loops on hook. RIDGE REDUCED (RDC) HALF TREBLE(HTR) STITCH: **1st row:** (RS) 1 ss in each st, turn. **2nd row:** ch2 (corresponding to 1 rdc htr), 1 rdc htr into back loop of each following st; turn. **3rd row:** 1 ss inserting hook into back loop only of each stitch on previous row; turn. Rep 2nd and 3rd rows throughout.
SHELL STITCH: (work over a multiple of 3 sts plus1 stitch)
1st row: ch2 (corresponding to 1 htr), 1 htr into next st, skip 1 st, * 1 shell (= htr, ch1 and 1 htr) into next st, skip 2 sts; rep from * until to last 4 sts, 1 shell into next st, skip 1 st, 1 htr into each of last 2 sts, turn. **2nd row and following rows:** ch2 (corresponding to 1 htr), 1 htr into next htr, * 1 shell into centre ch of next shell; rep from * ending with 1 htr into each of last 2 htr, turn.
COLOUR PATTERN FOR BACK AND FRONT: work in shell st, changing colours as follows: 10 rows light grey, 2 rows cornflower blue, 5 rows dark blue, 2 rows light grey, 2 rows dark blue, 3 rows cornflower blue, 3 rows dusty blue, 2 rows cornflower blue, 1 row dusty blue, 6 rows light grey, 7 rows cornflower blue, 3 rows dark blue, 3 rows cornflower blue, 6 rows dusty blue, 4 rows dark blue, 5 rows cornflower blue, 2 rows dark blue, 2 rows dusty blue and continue with cornflower blue until the work is completed.
COLOUR PATTERN FOR SLEEVES: work in shell st, changing colours as follows: 1 row light grey, 4 rows cornflower blue, 5 rows dusty blue, 2 rows dark blue, 6 rows light grey, 3 rows cornflower blue, 1 row dusty blue, 3 rows cornflower blue, 2 rows light grey, 3 rows dark blue, 2 rows dusty blue, 2 rows cornflower blue and continue with cornflower blue until the work is completed.

TENSION
14 sts and 8.5 rows measure 9cm square over shell st with 6.00 mm crochet hook and 1 strand of Maxi Soft yarn plus 1 strand of Silk Mohair yarn held together throughout. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve success.

INSTRUCTIONS
Note: work with 1 strand of Maxi Soft yarn and 1 strand of Silk Mohair yarn held together throughout .
Back: with 6.00mm hook and light grey yarn ch73 (82) and work in Shell st, following colour pattern for Back and Front. When Back measures 81(87)cm from beg, corresponding to 69 (74) rows, fasten off.
Right Front: with 6.00mm hook and light grey yarn ch37 (40) and work in Shell st, following colour pattern for Back and Front. When work measures 73(79)cm from beg, corresponding to 62 (67) rows, shape neck: leave unworked first 18 sts and continue on rem 19 (22) sts. When work measures 81(87)cm from beg, corresponding to 69 (74) rows, fasten off.
Left Front: work as Right Front in mirrored shape.
Sleeves: (make 2) for each sleeve, with 6.00mm hook and light grey yarn ch52 (55) and work in Shell st, following colour pattern for Sleeves. When work measures 43(47)cm from beg, corresponding to 37 (40) rows, fasten off. For cuff, worked horizontally relative to the sleeve, with 6.00mm hook and light grey yarn ch11 plus 1 turning ch (which doesn't count as a stitch), 1 ss into each of next 10 ch, then work last ss inserting hook also into lower edge of Sleeve on RS of work, joining in this manner a sleeve st, turn; * 1 bl rdc htr in each st of previous row, turn, 1 bl ss into each of next 10 sts, then work last ss inserting hook also into lower edge of Sleeve, turn; rep from * across lower edge of Sleeve until work is completed and approx 48 (54) rows have been worked. Fasten off.

FINISHING
Sew shoulder seams on WS of work with yarn needle and cornflower blue yarn, inserting needle only into front loop of each st.
Collar: with 6.00mm hook and cornflower blue yarn pick up 73 (77) sts all around neckline, excluding 18 sts at each end (the 18 unworked sts for neck shaping), and work in Shell st changing colours as follows: 2 rows cornflower blue, 6 rows dusty blue and 3 rows cornflower blue, corresponding to 13cm from beg. At end of 11th row, fasten off. Complete Front openings and collar edge working a row in Shell st with 6.00mm hook and light grey yarn. With 6.00mm hook and light grey Maxi Soft yarn join Sleeve seams, working a round dc all around each armhole, starting with a ch (which doesn't count as a stitch) and ending with a ss into 1st dc. Fasten off. With 6.00mm hook and light grey yarn join side and sleeve seams working a row of dc. Fasten off. Enlarge the template of each Front and Collar to full size, then cut the shapes out of the fake fur. Sew fake fur on WS of Fronts and Collar.
Note: wash garment carefully at low temperature, with a very little fabric softener. Lay the garment to dry on a flat surface, without ever hanging them.

