

Sofia - baby dungarees with lovely details



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Lovely baby dungarees with sweet details at the ankles and around the waist. Wonderful for the littlest ones.

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Materials

100 (150) 150 g of Anina by Filcolana in color 357 (Sumac)
3 mm circular needle, 40 cm long for sizes 3 og 6-9 months, 60 cm long for size 12-18 months
One 3 mm double-pointed needle
k2ed stitch markers
4 blue stitch markers (the color is not important, but being able to tell the two kinds apart is).
7 (7) 8 buttons

Sizes

3 (6-9) 12-18 months

Measurements

Circumference (below yoke): Approx. (56) 60 (65) cm – the width of the yoke is very flexible because of the cables.

Length (crotch to shoulders): 28 (32) 39 cm

Length (at inseam, without rib edge): 14 (17) 21 cm

Gauge

29 sts and 42 rows in stockinette stitch = 10 x 10 cm.

Directions for knitting

The dungarees are worked from the bottom up. First the legs are worked, then both legs are joined and the body is worked and finished off with a lovely yoke with mock cables. There is no finishing apart from the sewing together of the wedges.



Special abbreviation

M1 (increase): Make 1. Increase one stitch by lifting the chain between sts onto the left needle and knitting it through the back loop.

Skp (decrease): slip 1 stitch, knit the next stitch, pass the slipped stitch over the knit one.

Sk2p (decrease): slip 1 stitch knit-wise, k2, pass the slipped stitch over the knitted stitches.

Sp2p (decrease): slip 1 stitch purl-wise, k2, pass the slipped stitch over the knitted stitches.

LEG

Cast on 48 (54) 54 sts on 3 mm double-pointed needles. Distribute the sts evenly and join in the round.

Round 1: *Sk2p, p3*. Repeat from * to * to end of round.

Round 2: *K1, yarn over, k1, p3*.. Repeat from * to * to end of round.

Round 3: *K3, sp2s*. Repeat from * to * to end of round.

Round 4: *K3, p1, yarn over, p1*. Repeat from * to * to end of round.

Repeat Round 1-4 until the edge measures 8 cm. End on Row 1 (if you do not want a folded cuff, only knit for 5 cm).

Next round: *K1, yarn over*. Repeat from * to * to end of round.

There are now 80 (90) 90 sts on the needle.

Next round: Knit around, the yarn overs are knit through the back loop.

Size 12-18 months only

Work straight in stockinette stitch, while at the same time working an M1 at the beginning of the round every 8th round a total of 4 times. There are now 94 sts on the needle.

All sizes

Work straight in stockinette stitch until the stockinette stitch section measures 14 (17) 21 cm.

Next round: Knit 40 (45) 47 sts, place a red stitch marker to mark the side, knit 40 (45) 47 sts, place a blue stitch marker (to mark the wedge after the last stitch on the round), cast on 13 new sts in extension of the sts on the needle. There are now 93 (103) 107 sts on the needle. #

Break the yarn and let the work rest.

Work a second leg the same way as the first to #.

BODY

Knit the 2 legs onto the same circular needle: Place a blue stitch marker after the 13 newly cast on sts, knit across the sts of the resting leg, place a blue stitch marker after the 13 newly cast on sts. Join the work in the round. There are now 186 (206) 214 sts on the needle.

The 13 sts between the blue markers are wedge sts.

Next round: Knit to the first marker, *slip marker, skp, knit to 2 sts before next marker, k2tog, slip mar-

ker, knit to next marker*. Repeat from * to * once more. 4 sts have been decreased.

Work a decrease in the same way every 2nd (2nd) 3rd round until there are 3 sts left between the wedge markers. There are now 166 (186) 194 sts on the needle.

Remove the blue wedge markers (do not remove the red markers) and work straight in stockinette stitch until the body measures 19 (23) 28 cm - from where the wedge sts were cast on.

Decrease round:

Size 3 months: K2, k2tog, k2, k2tog, [k3, k2tog] 30 times, k2, k2tog, k2, k2tog. There are now 132 sts on the needle.

Size 6-9 months: *K5, k2tog, [k4, k2tog] 4 times*. Repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now (156) sts on the needle.

Size 12-18 months: K11, k2tog, k11, k2tog, [1k2, k2tog] 12 times. There are now 180 sts on the needle.

Divide the rowk and finish back and front separately. Knit to the first red marker.

YOKE**Back**

Next row: Bind off the first stitch, *sk2p, p3*. Repeat from * to * 9 (11) 12 times, sk2p, k1. There are now 54 (64) 74 sts on the right needle. Turn the work.

Work back and forth in pattern:

Row 2 (WS): P1, *p1, yarn over, p1, k3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 3 sts, p1, yarn over, p2.

Row 3: K1, *k3, p3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, k4.

Row 4: P1, *p3, k3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, p4.

Row 5: K1, *sk2p, p3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, sk2p, k1.

Repeat Row 2-5 another 5 (5) 6 times. Work Row 2-4 once more.

Right suspender

Next row: K1, [sk2p, p3] 2 (2) 3 times, sk2p, k1. There are now 14 (14) 19 sts on the right needle.

Turn the work and let the remaining sts rest.

Repeat Row 2-5 across these sts a total of 5 (5) 6 times. Break the yarn.

Move the sts back to the left needle and bind them off in the following way **without** knitting them: Slip the first 2 sts onto the right needle, pull the first stitch over the second, *slip the 1st stitch on the left needle onto the right needle, pull the first stitch on the right needle over the second stitch*. Repeat from * to * until all of the sts are bound off. Break the yarn and pull the end through the last stitch on the needle.

Neck edge and left suspender

Continue on the remaining sts on the needle (RS): p2, *sk2p, p3*. Repeat from * to * until there are 16 (16) 22 sts left on the left needle. Do **not** break the yarn.

Place the 27 (37) 37 last knit sts back on the left needle and bind these sts off the same as the sts on the right suspender. Pick up the working yarn and work in pattern to end row.

Work in pattern, finishing the left suspender the same way as the right.

Front

Work the front sts beginning with a RS row: Bind off the first stitch and work in pattern: *Sk2p, p3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, sk2p, k1.

Right side of front

Row 2 (WS): P1, *p1, yarn over, p1, k3*. Repeat from * to * until there are 31 (37) 43 sts on the right needle, p1, yarn over, p2. There are now 35 (41) 47 sts on the needle. Turn the work and let the remaining sts rest.

Row 3: K1, *k3, p3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, k4.

Row 4: P1, *p3, k3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, p4.

Row 5: K1, *sk2p, p3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, sk2p, k1.

Repeat Row 2-5 another 4 (4) 5 times. Work Row 2-4 once more.

Right neck edge and suspender

Next row: K1, [sk2p, p3] 2 times, sk2p, p3. There are now 16 (16) 22 sts left on the left needle. Place a marker on the left needle, slip the just knit sts back on the left needle and bind off these sts **without** knitting them: Slip the first 2 sts onto the right needle, pull the first stitch over the second, *slip the 1st stitch on the left needle onto the right needle, pull the first stitch on the right needle over the second stitch*. Repeat from * to * until all of the sts are bound off and you are at the marker. Remove marker and continue in pattern across the last 17 (17) 23 sts. Repeat Row 2-5 another 2 (2) 3 times. Work Row 2 once more.

Next row: K1, *k1, knit the yarn over through the back loop, k1, p3*. Repeat from * to *. End with k1, knit the yarn over through the back loop, k2.

Next row: Work as Row 4.

Next row: Work as Row 5.

Break the yarn and bind off the sts the same way as the back right suspender.

Left side of front

Cast on 4 new sts on the right needle. Work across the resting sts on the left side of the front from the WS:

Next row: K1, *p1, yarn over, p1, k3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 3 sts, p1, yarn over, p2. There are now 35 (41) 47 sts on the needle.

Next row: K1, *k3, p3*. Repeat from * to * to the last 4 sts, k1, strik omslaget drejet r, k2.

Next row: Work as Row 4.

Next row: Work as Row 5.

Repeat these 4 rows another 5 (5) 6 times. Break the yarn and turn the work.

Neck edge and left shoulder

Next row (WS): Bind off the first 15 (20) 25 sts the same way as on the right side of the neck edge **without** knitting the sts. There are now 13 (13) 18 sts left on the left needle, slip the last stitch from the right needle back on the left needle, join the yarn and work as follows: P1, *p1, yarn over, p1, k3*. Repeat from * to * until there are 3 sts left, p1, yarn over, p2.

Work in pattern, finishing the left suspender the same way as the right.

FINISHING

Sew the edges of the wedges together. Sew the bottom of the back half of the button placket to the WS using invisible sts. Sew on the buttons where the cable is knit without a hole - 3 buttons for the front and 3 (3) 4 buttons on each of the 2 front suspenders. The holes in the cables on the opposite suspender serve as buttonholes. Weave in the ends. Gently wash the finished dungarees and lay it flat on a towel to dry.