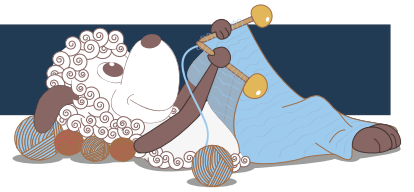


Gefion - a sweet T-shirt for kids



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A new member has been added to the whole family of designs that has sprung up around the popular Kastellet design from our SS19 collection – this lovely T-shirt for kids. The light and warm orange colour which radiates warmth and sunshine, in combination with the charming eyelet pattern on the yoke, is a winning combination for kids, big and small.

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Materials

100 (100) 100 (150) 150 (150) g Merci by Filcolana in colour 616 (Mai Tai)
2,5 mm and 3 mm circular needle, 80 cm
2,5 mm and 3 mm double-pointed needles (if not using the magic loop technique)
Stitch markers
Stitch holders

Sizes

2 years/92 cl (4 years/104 cl) 6 years/116 cl (8 years/128 cl) 10 years/140 cl (12 years/152 cl)

Measurements

Body, chest: 52-57 (58-63) 64-67 (68-71) 72-78 (79-83) cm
Top, chest: 59 (64) 69 (73) 77 (84) cm
Total length: 33 (36) 38 (42) 46 (52) cm

Gauge

26 sts and 38 rows in stockinette stitch on a 3 mm needle = 10 x 10 cm (after wash).

Special abbreviations

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

tbl: Through the back loop.



Directions for knitting

The top is worked from the top down, with a round yoke in a simple eyelet pattern. After the yoke has been knitted, the work is divided into sleeves and body and each section is finished separately. The top has short sleeves.

Yoke

Cast on 94 (98) 98 (104) 104 (104) sts on a 2,5 mm circular needle. Join in the round and place a marker for the beginning of the round.

Work 8 rounds in twisted rib (k1 tbl, p1).

Change to a 3 mm circular needle and work in pattern with increases as follows:

Pattern

Round 1: Knit.

Round 2 (increases): Work increases as described below.

Round 3-7: Knit.

Round 8: *Yarn over, k2tog*, repeat from * to * to end of round.

Repeat these 8 pattern rounds for the entire yoke, while working increases on every Round 2 as described below:

1st increase round: Knit 4 (8) 8 (4) 4 (4) sts, *M1, k5*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of 112 (116) 116 (124) 124 (124) m.

2nd increase round: Knit 2 (6) 6 (4) 4 (4) sts, *M1, k5*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of 134 (138) 138 (148) 148 (148) m.



3rd increase round: Knit 2 (6) 6 (4) 4 (4) sts, *M1, k6*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of 156 (160) 160 (172) 172 (172) sts on the needle.

4th increase round: Knit 0 (4) 4 (4) 4 (4) sts, *M1, k6*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of 182 (186) 186 (200) 200 (200) sts on the needle.

5th increase round: Knit 2 (6) 6 (8) 8 (8) sts, *M1, k6*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of 212 (216) 216 (232) 232 (232) sts on the needle.

6th increase round: Knit 8 (6) 6 (4) 4 (4) sts, *M1, knit 6 (5) 5 (6) 6 (6) sts*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of 246 (258) 258 (270) 270 (270) sts on the needle.

Size 6, 8, 10 and 12 years only

7th increase round: Knit - (-) 16 (6) 6 (6) sts, *M1, k11*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of - (-) 280 (294) 294 (294) sts on the needle.

Size 10 and 12 years only

8th increase round: Knit - (-) - (14) 6 sts, *M1, knit - (-) - (-) 20 (8) sts*, repeat from * to * to end of round. There are now a total of - (-) - (-) 308 (330) sts on the needle.

All sizes

Knit 2 rounds.

Now divide the work from body and sleeves as follows: Knit 71 (77) 84 (89) 94 (103) sts (back), place the next 52 (52) 56 (58) 60 (62) sts on a stitch holder (sleeve), cast on 6 new sts in extension of the sts on the needle for the underarm, knit 71 (77) 84 (89) 94 (103) sts (front), place the next 52 (52) 56 (58) 60 (62) sts on a stitch holder (sleeve), cast on 6 new sts in extension of the sts on the needle for the underarm.

Body

Continue in the round in stockinette stitch across the 154 (166) 180 (190) 200 (218) sts for the body until the work measures 31 (34) 36 (40) 44 (50) cm (mid front).

Change to a 2,5 mm circular needle and work 2 cm in twisted rib (k1 tbl, p1).

Bind off in rib.

Sleeves

Start in the middle of the underarm sts of the body and pick up and knit 3 sts along the edge, ending at the sleeve sts on the stitch holder, knit across the 52 (52) 56 (58) 60 (62) sleeve sts, then pick up and knit 3 sts along the underarm sts on the body, ending in the middle. Join in the round and place a marker for the beginning of the round. There are now a total of

58 (58) 62 (64) 66 (68) sts on the needle.

Knit 4 rounds.

Change to a 2,5 mm circular needle and work 2 cm in twisted rib (k1 tbl, p1).

Bind off in rib.

Work the second sleeve the same as the first.

Finishing

Weave in the ends and gently wash the finished top according to the instructions on the yarn label. Lay the top on a flat surface to dry.