PONCHO JUMPER

Intermediate

MEASUREMENTS		S-M	L-XL
To Fit Bust	cm	80-90	100-110
Actual Size	cm	126	136
Length (approx)	cm	60	64
Sleeve Length	cm	12	12

PATONS RAINBOW 8 PLY 200g balls

Quantity (colour 249)	3	3

Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

COLOUR NOTE – Due to Rainbow's unique manufacturing process, each of the colours of Rainbow have a random, ever changing appearance. This means balls in the same dyelot may not look the same. If more than 1 ball is required for a project, select balls that look similar on the outer surface if possible. Work from one ball only when using Rainbow or the unique rainbow appearance will disappear. Be aware that the colour effect pictured may vary.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair 4.00mm (UK 8) knitting needles, a 4.00mm circular knitting needle and a set of 4.00mm doublepointed knitting needles or size needed to give correct tension.
- 1 stitch-holder.
- wool needle for sewing seams.

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 4.00mm needles.

Check your tension carefully.

If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

For abbreviations and more on knitting techniques, please see our website.

BACK

Using 4.00mm needles, cast on **142** (150) sts. **1st row** – K2, * P2, K2, rep from * to end. **2nd row** – P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end. Last 2 rows form rib. Cont in rib until band measures 11cm from beg, ending with a 2nd row. **Next row** – Cast on one st (seam st), rib to end. **Next row** – Cast on one st (seam st), rib to end, dec **3** (1) sts evenly across this row ... **141** (151) sts.

Work in stocking st until Back measures **31** (34) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.



Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to indicate position for beg of neckband when working Front. ** Work a further 38 rows.

Shape For Sleeves -

Cast on 9 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... **159** (169) sts. Work **44** (48) rows.

Shape Shoulders and Back Neck –

Next row – Cast off **13** (14) sts, K**58** (60) *incl st rem on right-hand needle after cast off*, **turn**.

Cont on these **58** (60) sts for right side of back neck.

1st row – Cast off 6 sts, purl to end.

2nd row – Cast off **13** (14) sts, knit to last 2 sts, K2tog. **3rd row** – As 1st row.

4th row – Cast off 13 sts, knit to last 2 sts, K2tog. **5th row** – As 1st row.

Cast off rem 12 (13) sts.

Slip next **17** (21) sts onto stitch-holder and leave for neckband.

With right side facing, join yarn to rem **71** (74) sts for left side of back neck, knit to end.

1st row – Cast off 13 (14) sts, purl to last 2 sts, P2tog.

2nd row – Cast off 6 sts, knit to end.

3rd row – As 1st row.

4th row – As 2nd row.

5th row – Cast off 13 sts, purl to end.

6th row – As 2nd row.

Cast off rem 12 (13) sts.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Divide for Neck –

Next row – K**62** (67), cast off next 17 sts, knit to end. Cont on these **62** (67) sts for right side of neck.

Dec one st at neck edge in every foll alt row until **60** (63) sts rem, then in every foll 4th row until **52** (56) sts rem. Work 2 rows.

Shape For Sleeve -

Next row (wrong side) – Cast on 9 sts, purl to end ... **61** (65) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in next row, then in every foll 4th row until **55** (58) sts rem, then in every foll 6th row until **51** (54) sts rem.

Shape Shoulder –

Next row (wrong side) – Cast off **13** (14) sts, purl to end. Work 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows once.

Next row – Cast off 13 sts, purl to end.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 12 (13) sts.

With wrong side facing, join yarn to rem **62** (67) sts and purl to end.

Cont on these 62 (67) sts for left side of neck.

Dec one st at neck edge in next row, then in every foll alt row until

60 (63) sts rem, then in every foll 4th row until 52 (56) sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Shape For Sleeve -

Next row (right side) – Cast on 9 sts, knit to end ... **61** (65) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at neck edge in next row, then in every foll 4th row until **55** (58) sts rem, then in every foll 6th row until **52** (55) sts rem.

Work 5 rows.



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Shape Shoulder –

Next row – Cast off 13 (14) sts, knit to last 2 sts, K2tog.
Work 1 row.
Next row – Cast off 13 (14) sts, knit to end.
Work 1 row.
Next row – Cast off 13 sts, knit to end.
Work 1 row.
Cast off rem 12 (13) sts.

NECKBAND

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing and using 4.00mm **circular** needle, beg at right side of centre front neck cast off, knit up 63 sts evenly along right side of front neck to shoulder seam, knit up 16 sts evenly along right side of back neck, knit across sts from back stitch-holder – dec one st in centre, knit up 16 sts evenly along left side of back neck to shoulder seam, then knit up 63 sts evenly along left side of front neck (omitting centre cast-off sts) ... **174** (178) sts.

NOTE – Work backwards and forwards in rows.

1st row - * P2, K2, rep from * to last 2 sts, P2.

2nd row – Inc in first st, K1, * P2, K2, rep from * to last 4 sts, P2, K1, inc in last st ... **176** (180) sts.

Keeping rib patt correct and working extra sts into rib, inc one st at each end of every foll 4th row until there are 186 (190) sts. Work 1 row.

Cast off loosely in rib.

SLEEVE BANDS

Join side and sleeve seams, from seam stitch cast-on (to allow for side splits) to end of sleeve cast-on. With right side facing and using **set** of 4.00mm **double-pointed** needles, beg at underarm seam, knit up **64** (72) sts evenly around sleeve opening.

1st round – * K2, P2, rep from * to end. Rep last round until band measures 8cm from beg. Cast off loosely in rib.

SIDE SPLIT EDGINGS

With right side facing and using 4.00mm needles, knit up 54 sts evenly around one side split (both edges). Knit 1 row. Cast off knitways. Rep on other side split.

TO MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Sew right end of neckband to centre front cast-off. Slip-stitch left end of neckband in position underneath.

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