Evangeline

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Bulky yarn makes this a quick knit. I made this for a 1 year old, but she can grow into it. You can play with the size by knitting with a finer yarn.

Finished measurements

Chest circumference: about 26" Length: about 15.5" (bottom edge to shoulder) Length of sleeves: about 9" (bottom edge to underarm) Neck opening: about 5" across

Yarn

6 balls Artful Yarns "Reality" (51% wool, 47% acrylic, 2% nylon); 70 yds (64 m)/50 g

Needles

Size 9 (5.5 mm) circular knitting needles, 24" Size 9 (5.5 mm) double pointed needles

Gauge

16 sts to 24 rows in Stockinette Stitch

Notions

Tapestry needle, stitch markers, 5 buttons (3/4")

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Lower Body

With circular needle CO 105 sts. K3, work leaf chart across next 99 sts, k3. Keeping first and last 3 sts in garter, work height repeat of chart once. Work 4 more rows.

Next (WS) row: K1, k2tog, yo, work as est to end of row. Work WS row. 1 buttonhole made. *Rep buttonhole row every 10th row from here on throughout.* Work until piece measures about 9.5" from bottom edge (tip of leaf pattern), ready to beg a WS row.

Next dec row (WS): Work 24 sts as est, bind off 6 sts, work 45 sts, BO 6 sts, work to end.

Sleeves (make 2)

With double pointed needles CO 30 sts. Distribute evenly onto 4 needles, close to round, careful not to twist sts. Purl one rnd. Change to St st and work until piece measures about 2".

Next inc rnd: K1, m1, work to last sts, m1, k1 – 32 sts. Repeat inc rnd every 10^{th} rnd 3 times more – 38 sts. Work until sleeve measures 9".

Next dec rnd: Work to 3 last sts, BO 6 sts. Place rem sts on holder.

Raglan shaping

Join lower body with sleeves (RS): Work 24 sts of right front as est, place marker (pm), work 32 sts from first sleeve, pm, work 45 sts from back, pm, work 32 sts from second sleeve, pm, work to end – 157 sts. Work 1 WS row. **Next dec row (RS):** Work to 3 sts before marker, ssk, k1, slip marker (sl m), k2tog, work to 2 sts before next marker, ssk, k1, k2tog; rep once more, work to end – 149 sts. Work WS row. Repeat dec row 11 times more – 53 sts. K 1 WS row, k 2 more rows, bind off rem sts.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Sew underarms. Sew on buttons. Block.

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