

## Pattern 142013 Kid Silk

### Dress

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The first size is given before brackets. All other sizes follow within brackets, separated by a colon. Where only one number is given, this applies to all sizes. Where the figure 0 appears, no sts or rows are worked for this size.

### MEASUREMENTS

Dress size	8 - 10	12 - 14	16 - 18	20 - 22
To Fit Bust	81-86 cm 32-34 in	91-97 cm 36-38 in	102 – 107 cm 40 – 42 in	112 - 117 cm 44 - 46 in
Actual Measurement	92 cm 36.25 in	100 cm 39.5 in	108 cm 42.5 in	116 cm 45.5 in
Length [approximately]	90 cm 35 in	91 cm 36 in	92 cm 36.25 in	93 cm 36.75 in

### NEEDLES

One pair each 3.5, 4, and 5 mm [UK 9, 8 and 6 – US 5, 6 and 8] knitting needles, 3.5 mm [UK 9 – US 5] short circular needle

### TENSION

18 sts and 26 rows to 10 cm, 4 in worked over St-st on 4 mm needles or the size required to give the correct tension.

Check your tension – if less stitches use thinner needles, if more use thicker needles.

### MATERIALS

Quality	Colour	8 – 10	12 – 14	16 – 18	20 – 22
<b>Kid Silk</b> <b>75% Mohair</b> <b>25% Silk</b> RL = approx. 225 m / 25 g	30 pink lipstick	125 g 5 balls	150 g 6 balls	175 g 7 balls	200 g 8 balls

It is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve the correct size of garment.

### Abbreviations

**alt** alternate

**beg** beginning

**cm** centimetre[s]

**cont** continue

**dec** decrease[ing]

**fol** following [s]

**g** grammes

**in** inch[es]

**inc** increase[ing]

**k** knit

**mm** millimetre[s]

**p** purl

**patt** pattern

**rem** remain[ing]

**rep** repeat

**RS** right side

**SSK** slip 2 sts separately to RH needle as if to knit. Slip LH needle into these 2 sts from L to R and knit them tog.

**St[s]** stitch[es]

**St-st** stocking stitch

**tog** together

**WS** wrong side

**yo** yarn over

### Patt 1:

**K2, P2 Rib**

**Row 1 (RS):** \*k2, p2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** Work the sts as they appear.

Rep rows 1 and 2 throughout.

### Patt 2

**Stocking stitch (St-st)**

RS rows k, WS rows p

### Double Stitch:

With yarn in front of work insert needle into 1<sup>st</sup> st as to purl. Slip the st to RH needle and bring the yarn to back of work over the needle and pull tightly to make another st on the RH needle. The strand must be pulled tightly so that no hole is formed.

When working over the double st, k the st and extra strand on needle tog.



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## DRESS

### BACK

Using 4 mm needles cast on 100 [106:114:120] sts and work in St-st for 10 cm, end with RS facing for next row.

**Hem turning row [RS]:** Using 5 mm needles, knit.

Change back to 4 mm needles and cont in St-st for 10 cm above hem turning row, end with RS facing for next row.

**Hem joining row [RS]:** Fold cast-on edge from inside to line up with sts on needle, \*k 1 cast-on st tog with corresponding st on needle; rep from \* across until all cast-on sts are joined to sts on needle.

Cont in St-st until Back meas 20 cm above hem turning row, end with RS facing for next row.

### Side shaping

**Dec row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep Dec row every foll 18th row 6 times more = 86 [92:100:106] sts.

Cont in St-st until Back meas 65 cm above hem turning row, end with RS facing for next row.

### Raglan armhole shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:4] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 2 [2:3:3] sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

**Dec row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep Dec row every foll alt row 1 [3:2:5] times more, then every foll 4th row 14 [14:15:14] times = 44 [46:50:52] sts.

Cont in St-st until Back meas 90 [91:92:93] cm above hem turning row. Cast off all sts for back neck.

### FRONT

Using 4 mm needles cast on 100 [106:114:120] sts and work in St-st for 10 cm, end with RS facing for next row.

**Hem turning row [RS]:** Using 5 mm needles, knit.

Change back to 4 mm needles and cont in St-st for 10 cm above hem turning row, end with RS facing for next row.

**Hem joining row [RS]:** Fold cast-on edge from inside to line up with sts on needle, \*k 1 cast-on st tog with correspond st on needle; rep from \* across until all cast-on sts are joined to sts on needle.

Cont in St-st until Front meas 20 cm above hem turning row, end with RS facing for next row.

### Side shaping

**Dec row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep Dec row every foll 18th row 6 times more = 86 [92:100:106] sts.

Cont in St-st until Back meas 65 cm above hem turning row, end with RS facing for next row.

### Raglan armhole shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:4] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 2 [2:3:3] sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

**Dec row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep Dec row every foll alt row 1 [3:2:5] times more, then every foll 4th row 12 [12:13:12] times = 48 [50:54:56] sts.

Cont in St-st until Front meas 86 [87:88:89] cm above hem turning row. Cast off all sts for front neck.

### LEFT SLEEVE

Using 3.5 mm needles and double strand, cast on 48 [52:56:56] sts.

**1<sup>st</sup> row (RS):** \*k2, p2; rep from \* to end.

**2<sup>nd</sup> row:** Work the sts as they appear.

These 2 rows form K2, P2 Rib.

Work in K2, P2 Rib for 10 cm, then cut 1 strand, change to 4 mm needles and cont in St st, AT THE SAME TIME, inc 1 st each side every foll 6th row 7 [6:5:1] times and every foll 4<sup>th</sup> row 0 [1:2:8] times = 62 [66:70:74] sts.

Cont in St-st until Sleeve meas 18 [17:16:15] cm from beg, end with RS facing for next row.

### Raglan cap shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:4] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 2 [2:3:3] sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

**Dec row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep Dec row every foll alt row 5 [7:6:9] times more and every foll 4<sup>th</sup> row 10 [10:11:10] times = 20 sts.

**Next row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 2 sts, turn and work double st, p to end.

**Next row (RS):** k to last 4 sts, turn and work double st, p to end.

**Next row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 6 sts, turn and work double st, p to end.

**Next row (RS):** k to last 8 sts, turn and work double st, p to end.

**Next row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 10 sts, turn and work double st, p to end.

**Next row (RS):** k to last 12 sts, turn and work double st, p to end.

Work 1 row over rem 17 sts. Cast off all sts.

### RIGHT SLEEVE

Work same as Left Sleeve until Sleeve meas 18 [17:16:15] cm from beg, end with RS facing for next row.

### Raglan cap shaping

Cast off 3 [3:4:4] sts at beg of next 2 rows, 2 [2:3:3] sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

**Dec row (RS):** k2 SSK, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep Dec row every foll alt row 5 [7:6:9] times more and every foll 4<sup>th</sup> row 10 [10:11:10] times = 20 sts.

**Next row (RS):** k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

**Next row (WS):** p to last 4 sts, turn and work double st.  
**Next row (RS):** k to end.  
**Next row (WS):** p to last 6 sts, turn and work double st.  
**Next row (RS):** k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.  
**Next row (WS):** p to last 8 sts, turn and work double st.  
**Next row (RS):** k to end.  
**Next row (WS):** p to last 10 sts, turn and work double st.  
**Next row (RS):** k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.  
**Next row (WS):** p to last 12 sts, turn and work double st.  
 Work 1 row over rem 17 sts. Cast off all sts.

## TO MAKE UP

Pin pieces to measurements, cover with clean, damp towels and allow to dry. Sew raglan sleeve caps into raglan armholes with mattress st. Join side and sleeve seams with mattress st.

### Neckband

Using 3.5 mm circular needle and double strand from RS pick up 32 [34:38:40] sts along back neck, 14 sts along left sleeve, 36 [38:42:44] sts along front neck and 14 sts along right sleeve = 96 [100:108:112] sts. Join to work in rnds.

**1<sup>st</sup> rnd:** \*k2, p2; rep from \* around.

This rnd forms K2, P2 Rib.

Work in K2, P2 Rib for 3 cm. Cast off sts loosely in patt.

