

"CATERINA" TANK TOP

CHEOPE yarn

YARN ADRIAFIL YARNS

MATERIALS

- 200 g. **Cheope** yarn in sky blue no. 58
- knitting needles no. 31/2
- crochet hook no. 3
- tapestry needle

SIZE: 40 (42-44)

PATTERN STITCHES

Knit stitch

Lacy stitch (work in multiples of 12): follow the chart.

Double crochet

Reverse stitch: work like a dc working from left to right.

GAUGE

10 x 10 cm. worked in knit st. with knitting needles 31/2 = 24 sts. and 36 rows

WORKING INSTRUCTIONS

Back: with the knitting needles cast on 96 (104-112) sts. and work in knit st. When work measures a total of 3 cm. cont. in lacy stitch following the chart and working at ends 6 (10-14) sts. in knit st.; at end of work, rep. the last 12 rows 11 times. When work measures a total of 20 (21-22) cms. incr. at ends 1 st. every 16 rows 3 times. When work measures a total of 43 (45-47) cm., to shape the neckline divide work in half and end the two parts separately; decr. centrewise 1 st. every 2 rows 20 times. In the same way, when work measures a total of 2 cm. from beg. of neckline, to shape the armholes cross off at ends 7 sts., then decr. 1 st. every 2 rows 4 (6-8) times, 1 st. every 4 rows 5 times. When work measures a total of 19 (20-21) cm. from beg. of armholes cast off the 15 (17-19) rem. stitches for each shoulder strap.

Front: work in same way as back.

MAKE UP AND FINISH

Sew up the shoulder straps and the sides. Working with the crochet hook trim the back and front necklines and the armholes working 1 row in dc. and 1 row in reverse st. In the same way trim the back and front bottom working 3 rows in dc. and 1 row in reverse st.