

knit zip hoodie

Skill Level

Intermediate

Finished Sizes

Child's 0-6 (6-12, 12-24) mos

Chest: 18½ (20½, 22½)"

[47 (52, 57)cm]


Length: 9½ (10¼, 11)"

[24.1 (26, 28)cm]

Sleeve Length: 5½ (6¼, 7)"

[14 (15.9, 17.8)cm]

Materials

- Willow Yarns™ Guppie  (100% micro acrylic; 100g/284yds) -736372-0008 Undersea [3 (3, 3) balls]
- US size 7 (4.5mm) straight needles or size needed to obtain gauge
- US size G-6 (4mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Stitch holders
- 7" separating zipper

Gauge

24 sts and 32 rows = 4" (10.2cm) in

St st using size 7 needles

Save time, check your gauge.

Instructions

Back

CO 56 (62, 68) sts and work in garter st (k every row) for 6 rows (3 ridges), ending with a WS row.

Beg with a k row, change to St st and work until piece measures 9½ (10¼, 11)" [24.1 (26, 28)cm] from beg.

Shoulder Shaping

BO 16 (18, 20) sts at the beg of next 2 rows.

Place remaining 24 (26, 28) sts on holder for back neck.

Left Front

CO 28 (31, 34) sts and work in garter st for 6 rows (3 ridges), ending with a WS row.

Beg with a k row, change to St st and work until left front measures 7" (17.8cm) from beg, ending with RS row.

Neck Shaping

From neck edge, slip 8 (9, 10) sts on to st holder and p to end. Dec 1 st at neck edge on the next and every following alternate row until 16 (18, 20) sts remain. Work even in St st until left front measures 9½ (10¼, 11)" [24.1 (26, 28)cm] from beg, ending with WS row. BO all sts.



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Right Front

Work right front same as left front, reversing shaping.

Sleeves

CO 34 (36, 38) sts and work in garter st for 6 rows (3 ridges), ending with a WS row. Beg with a k row, change to St st. Inc 1 st at both sides of the next and every following alternate row until there are 48 (52, 54) sts. Work even in St st until sleeve measures $5\frac{1}{2}$ ($6\frac{1}{4}$, 7)" [14 (15.9, 17.8)cm] from beg, ending with a WS row. BO all sts.

Hood

Join shoulder seams. With RS facing, k8 (9, 10) from holder at right front, pick up and k14 (15, 16) sts up right front neck, k24 (26, 28) sts from holder at center back, pick up and k14 (15, 16) sts down left front neck, k8 (9, 10) sts from holder at left front—68 (74, 80) sts. Beg with WS row, continue in St st until hood measures $2\frac{1}{4}$ ($2\frac{3}{4}$, 3)" [5.7 (7, 7.6)cm], ending with WS row.
Next Row (RS): K23 (24, 25) sts, M1, k1, M1, k to last 24 (25, 26) sts, M1, k1, M1, knit to end—72 (78, 84) sts. Continue in St st until hood measures $7\frac{3}{4}$ ($8\frac{1}{4}$, $8\frac{1}{2}$)" [19.7 (21, 21.6)cm], ending with a WS row. BO all sts

Finishing

Sew seam at top of hood. Sew sleeves to body, matching center of sleeve to shoulder seam. Sew side and sleeve seams. With RS facing, work sc evenly along right front edge, around hood, and along left front edge. Position and sew zipper into place. Weave in all loose ends.

