## LUCCICO YARN

## "LONDON" PULLOVER





D&R n° 67

Size: S - M - L - XL Intermediate

**Materials:** Adriafil Luccico powder pink (42) 9-9-10-10 balls, a *size 4,5 mm (7US-7UK)* circular needle, 40 and 70 cm (15 ¾" and 27 ½") in length; 4 *size 4,5 mm (7US-7UK)* double-pointed needles; 1 stitch marker.

**Tension:** 17 sts and 23 rounds in Stocking st = 10x10 cm (4x4"). Take time to check tension and switch circular needle if necessary.

## Stitches:

1x1 Ribbing: alternately K1, P1. Stocking st: knit all rounds. Reverse Stocking st: on right side purl. Garter st: alternately K1, P1.

**Instructions:** Using a circular needle, work pullover in the round, from top to bottom.

Border: Using the shorter circular needle cast on 78-78-82-82 sts and work 3 cm (1 1/4") in 1x1 Ribbing. Evenly increase 18-18-22-22 sts along the last round. Work 4 rounds in Garter st and evenly increase 18-18-22-22 sts along the last round. You have 114-114-126-126 sts. Now set up the following stitch pattern: 19-19-21-21 sts in Stocking st, 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st (= half of back), 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st, 11-11-13-13 sts in Stocking st, 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st (= sleeve), 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st, 38-38-42-42 sts in Stocking st, 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st (= front), 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st, 11-11-13-13 sts in Stocking st, 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st (= sleeve), 2 sts in Reverse Stocking st, 19-19-21-21sts in Stocking st (= half of back). Place a marker (= center back). Continue as established and from here on shape raglan by increasing 1 st in the following round, always before and after the 4 sts in Reverse Stocking st (= 2 sts for each front and back and 2 extra sts for each sleeve), continue to increase 19 times for front and back, every 3 rounds, then 5 times every 4 rounds. Sleeve shaping: increase 39 times, every 2 rounds. You have a total of 366-366-378-378 sts. If desired use the longer circular needle. After the last increases continue as follows: 45-45-47-47 sts (= half of back), for sleeve transfer the following 93-93-95-95 sts on waste yarn, cast 8-8-10-10 extra sts onto needle and work the following 90-90-92-92 sts (= front) for sleeve transfer the following 93-93-95-95 sts onto waste yarn, cast 8-8-10-10 extra sts onto needle and work the last 45-45-47-47 sts (= half of back). Now work front and back in Stocking st across the obtained 196-196-208-208 sts until total height is is 52-53-54-55 cm (20 1/2"-20 7/8"-21  $\frac{1}{4}$ "-21  $\frac{5}{8}$ "), without measuring the 3 cm (1  $\frac{1}{4}$ ") of neck border. Continue to work 3 cm (1 1/4") in 1x1 Ribbing. Bind off (cast off) the sts in 1x1 Ribbing.

Sleeves: Transfer the held 93-93-95-95 sts from waste yarn onto the circular needle and cast 8-8-10-10 extra sts onto needle. Place a marker in the center of these 8-8-10-10 sts = lower sleeve. Work 3 rounds in Stocking st over the obtained 101-101-105-105 sts. Sleeve width: from here on decrease 20 times 2 sts, every 3 rounds. Decrease as follows: work 2 sts after the marker, then K2 tog, work to the last 4 sts before the marker and work a single decrease (= slip 1 st knitwise, K1 and PSSO). Now K2. If desired use the shorter circular needle or 4 double-pointed needles. When work measures 31-31-33-33 cm (12  $\frac{1}{4}$ "-12 12  $\frac{1}{4}$ "-13"-13") continue to work 12 cm (4  $\frac{3}{4}$ ") in 1x1 Ribbing. Bind off (cast off) the sts in 1x1 Ribbing.

**Finishing:** Weave in ends and sew the underarm opening (where the 8-8-10-10 sts were added). Shape by laying the pullover out to measurement under a damp cloth or gently press it.



