## DORÉ YARN "LOS ANGELES" DRESS





Size: S - M - L - XL

Beginner

Materials: Adriafil Doré petrol blue (87) 10-10-11-11 balls, size 5 mm (8US-6UK) knitting needle, circular needle 5.

**Tension**: using size 5 needles, in Stocking st: 18 sts and 27 rows = 10x10 cm (4x4"). Take time to check tension and switch needles if necessary.

## Stitches:

1x1 Ribbing: 1st row: alternately K1, P1.

2nd row: knit into knit, purl into purl. Repeat the 2<sup>nd</sup> row.

Stocking st: on right side knit, on wrong side purl

Reverse stocking st: on right side purl, on wrong side knit

Ridges: knit all rows

Double moss st: 1st row: K1, P1

2<sup>nd</sup> row: knit into knit, purl into purl

3<sup>rd</sup> row: purl into knit and knit into purl

4<sup>th</sup> row. Work same as the 2nd row. Repeat the 3<sup>rd</sup> and the

 $4^{\text{th}}$  row.

Eyelet row: 1<sup>st</sup> row: \* K1, 1 YO, 1 single decrease (= slip 1 st, K1, PSSO), repeat from \* until the end of the row. Purl the wrong side row.

## **Directions:**

Back: Cast on 80-82-84-86 sts and work 8 cm (3 1/8") in 1x1 Ribbing. Evenly increase sts along the last wrong side row to obtain 98-100-102-104 sts and continue in Pattern as follows: 6 rows Reverse stocking st, 20 rows Stocking st, 4 rows ridges, 20 rows Stocking st, 6 rows Double moss st, 30 rows Stocking st, 4 rows ridges, 4 rows Stocking st, 2 eyelet rows, 4 rows Stocking st, 4 rows ridges, 30 rows Stocking st, 6 rows Double moss st, continue in Stocking st until total length is 76 cm (29 7/8"). Now shape neckline: bind off (cast off) the center 6 sts and finish each half separately. At neck edge continue to bind off (cast off) 5 times 5 sts, every 2 rows. When total height is 84-85-86-87 cm (33"-33 ½"-33 7/8"-34 ¼"), for shoulders bind off (cast off) the rem 21-22-23-24 sts.

Front: Work same as back until total height is 66 cm (26"). Neckline shaping: bind off (cast off) the center 4 sts and finish each half separately. At neck edge continue to bind off (cast off) 1 time 3 sts, 2 times 2 sts and 19 times 1 st, every 2 rows. Shoulders: bind off (cast off) the rem 21-22-23-24 sts at the same height as back.

Sleeves: Cast on 36-38-40-42 sts and work 8 cm 3 1/8") in 1x1 Ribbing. Along the last row increase 34-36-38-40 sts (= 70-74-78-82 sts). Continue the Pattern in Reverse stocking st, same as front and back. Sleeve width: increase 4 times 1 st at both edges, every 10 rows. You have 78-82-86-90 sts. When total height is 52-53-54-55 cm (20 ½"-20 7/8"-21 ¼"-21 5/8") bind off (cast off) sts loosely.

**Finishing:** Sew the shoulder seams. Sew in the sleeves, matching center of sleeve to shoulder seam. Sew side and underarm seams. Neck band: Pick up sts (approx. 18 sts per 10 cm) along neck edge and work 2 cm (3/4") in 1x1 Ribbing. Bind off (cast off) sts in 1x1 Ribbing.





