

HAND KNIT YARNS by  
*Naturally*<sup>®</sup>  
IT'S PURE  
NEW ZEALAND

**K640**  
Newborn - 18 months

**Classic**<sup>™</sup>  
**Prints**

4 Ply & DK/ 8 Ply



# K640 Sweater

Photographed in: *Classic Prints DK/8ply #898*

## MATERIALS AND MEASUREMENTS

To Fit approx	Newborn	0-3 months	6-9 months	12-18 months	
<b>To Fit Chest</b>	36 14	41 16	46 18	51 20	cm ins
<b>Finished Chest</b>	41 16	46 18	51 20	56 22	cm ins
<b>Length to Shoulder</b>	23 9	25 9 ¾	27 10 ¾	29 11 ½	cm ins
<b>Sleeve Length to underarm</b>	13.5 5 ¼	15 6	17 6 ¾	19 7 ½	cm ins
<b>Classic Prints 4ply (50gr)</b>	2	3	3	4	Balls
<b>Classic Prints DK/8ply (50gr)</b>	2	2	3	4	Balls
<b>Needle sizes</b>	<b>4ply:</b> 2.75mm & 3.25mm (US 2 & 3) needles, 3 buttons, stitch holders, markers <b>8ply:</b> 3.25mm & 4mm (US 3 & 6) needles, 3 buttons, stitch holders, markers				

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## ABBREVIATIONS

**Beg** - beginning  
**cm** - centimetres  
**cont** - continue  
**ins** - inches  
**k** - knit  
**meas** - measures  
**NR** - next row  
**rep** - repeat  
**RS(F)** - right side (facing)  
**sl** - slip  
**skp** - slip 1 st, knit 1 st, pass slipped st over  
**st(s)** - stitch(es)  
**Stst** - stocking stitch  
**tog** - together  
**WS** - wrong side  
**yo** - yarn over needle (to make 1 stitch).

## IMPORTANT

Use ONLY the Naturally yarn specified. (We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used.) Follow our instructions exactly. We advise every knitter to check their tension carefully before commencing the garment.

## CHECK YOUR TENSION CAREFULLY

## TENSION

**4ply:** 28 sts and 36 rows over Stst - 10cm (4ins) on 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

**DK/8ply:** 22 sts and 30 rows over Stst - 10cm (4ins) on 4mm (US 6) needles.

## 4ply

### BACK

With 2.75mm (US 2) needles, cast on 59 (67, 73, 81) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 8 (8, 10, 10) rows. Change to 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

Stst until work meas 12 (14, 16, 17)cm/ 4 ¾ (5 ½, 6 ¼, 6 ¾)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

### Beg Texture Pattern

**Rows 1, 2, 3 & 4** - P all sts.

**Row 5 (RS)** - K4 (5, 5, 3), \*p3, k3; rep from \* to last 1 (2, 2, 0) st(s), k1 (2, 2, 0).

**Row 6** - P all sts.

**Row 7** - As row 5.

**Row 8** - P all sts.

**Rows 9, 10, 11 & 12** - P all sts.

**Row 13 (RS)** - K1 (2, 2, 0); p3, \*k3, p3; rep from \* to last 1 (2, 2, 0) st(s), k1 (2, 2, 0).

**Row 14** - P all sts.

**Row 15** - As row 13.

**Row 16** - P all sts.

Rep these 16 rows for Texture patt until piece meas 23 (25, 27, 29)cm/ 9 (9 ¾, 10 ¾, 11 ½)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off 18 (21, 23, 26) sts, beg next 2 rows, leaving rem 23 (25, 27, 29) sts on hold for centre back neck.

## FRONT

Work as for back until front meas 15 (17, 19, 21)cm/6 (6 ¾, 7 ½, 8 ¼)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

### Split Front

**NR (RS)** - Patt 27 (31, 34, 38) sts, turn, on these sts only.

Patt until front meas 11 rows less than back to shoulder.

**NR (WS)** - Cast off 5 (5, 6, 6) sts, p to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 4 (5, 5, 6) rows.

Patt straight until front meas back to shoulder.

Cast off rem 18 (21, 23, 26) sts.

With RSF, return to rem sts, rejoin yarn, cast off next 5 sts for centre front, patt to end.

Work right front to match left, reversing shaping.

## SLEEVES

With 2.75mm (US 2) needles, cast on 43 (43, 45, 47) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 8 (8, 10, 10) rows.

Change to 3.25mm (US 3) needles. Stst and inc 1 st each end next row then every 5th row to 57 (59, 63, 67) sts.

Cont straight until piece meas 13.5 (15, 17, 19)cm/ 5 ¼ (6, 6 ¾, 7 ½)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off loosely.

## COMPLETE

Block pieces to measurements.

Join shoulder seams.

## NECKBAND

With RSF and 2.75mm (US 2) needles, pick up and k18 (20, 21, 23) sts up right front shaped neck edge, k back neck 23 (25, 27, 29) sts, pick up and k18 (20, 21, 23) sts down left front shaped neck edge – 59 (65, 69, 75) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 6 (6, 8, 8) rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

## BUTTONBAND

With RSF and 2.75mm (US 2) needles, pick up and k23 (25, 28, 28) sts along left front straight opening edge for girls or right front straight opening edge for boys (incl neckband).

K1, p1 rib for 7 rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

Place 3 button markers along buttonband, the top one 3 sts from neck edge, the last one approx 2cm/ ¾ins from lower edge and rem in between.

## BUTTONHOLE BAND

Work to match buttonband, work buttonholes in row 3 to match markers: k2tog, yo twice; in next row work only into one yo, drop 2nd yo off needle.

Place marker on back and front 11 (11.5, 12.5, 13)cm/ 4 ¼ (4 ½, 5, 5 ¼)ins down from shoulder seam, sew sleeve between markers.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons.

# DK/8ply

## BACK

With 3.25mm (US 3) needles, cast on 47 (51, 57, 63) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 8 (8, 10, 10) rows.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Stst until work meas 12 (14, 16, 17)cm/ 4 ¾ (5 ½, 6 ¼, 6 ¾)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

## Beg Texture Pattern

**Rows 1, 2, 3 & 4** – P all sts.

**Row 5 (RS)** – K4 (3, 3, 3), \*p3, k3; rep from \* to last 1 (0, 0, 0) st, k1 (0, 0, 0).

**Row 6** – P all sts.

**Row 7** – As row 5.

**Row 8** – P all sts.

**Rows 9, 10, 11 & 12** – P all sts.

**Row 13 (RS)** – K1 (0, 0, 0); p3, \*k3, p3; rep from \* to last 1 (0, 0, 0) st(s), k1 (0, 0, 0).

**Row 14** – P all sts.

**Row 15** – As row 13

**Row 16** – P all sts.

Rep these 16 rows for Texture patt until piece meas 23 (25, 27, 29)cm/ 9 (9 ¾, 10 ¾, 11 ½)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off 14 (15, 17, 19) sts, beg next 2 rows, leaving rem 19 (21, 23, 25) sts on hold for centre back neck.

## FRONT

Work as for back until front meas 15 (17, 19, 21)cm/ 6 (6 ¾, 7 ½, 8 ¼)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Split Front

**NR (RS)** – Patt 21 (23, 26, 29) sts, turn, on these sts only.

Patt until front meas 9 (9, 11, 11) rows less than back to shoulder.

**NR (WS)** – Cast off 3 (4, 4, 5) sts, p to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge next 4 (4, 5, 5) rows.

Work straight until front meas back to shoulder.

Cast off rem 14 (15, 17, 19) sts.

With RSF, return to rem sts, rejoin yarn, cast off next 5 sts for centre front, k to end.

Work right front to match left, reversing shaping.

## SLEEVES

With 3.25mm (US 3) needles, cast on 35 (35, 37, 39) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 8 (8, 10, 10) rows.

Change to 4mm (US 6) needles.

Stst and inc 1 st each end next row then every 5th row to 47 (49, 51, 53) sts.

Cont straight until piece meas 13.5 (15, 17, 19)cm/ 5 ¼ (6, 6 ¾, 7 ½)ins from beg, end with a WS row.

Cast off loosely.

## COMPLETE

Block pieces to measurements.

Join shoulder seams.

## NECKBAND

With RSF and 3.25mm (US 3) needles, pick up and k15 (16, 18, 19) sts up right front shaped neck edge, k back neck 19 (21, 23, 25) sts and dec 1 st at centre, pick up and k15 (16, 18, 19) sts down left front shaped neck edge – 49 (53, 59, 63) sts.

K1, p1 rib for 5 (5, 7, 7) rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

## BUTTONBAND

With RSF and 3.25mm (US 3) needles, pick up and k19 (20, 22, 22) sts along left front straight opening edge for girls or right front straight opening edge for boys (incl neckband).

K1, p1 rib for 5 rows.

Cast off loosely in rib.

Place 3 button markers along buttonband, the top one 3 sts from neck edge, the last one approx 1.5cm from lower edge and rem in between.

## BUTTONHOLE BAND

Work to match buttonband, work buttonholes in row 3 to match markers: k2tog, yo twice; in next row work only into one yo, drop 2nd yo off needle.

Place marker on back and front 11 (11.5, 12.5, 13)cm/ 4 ¼ (4 ½, 5, 5 ¼)ins down from shoulder seam, sew sleeve between markers.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons.