



Mini Sweater Knitting Pattern

Knitting pattern for plain miniature sweater suitable for use as Christmas ornament or doll clothing (11.5 inch dolls, i.e., Barbie)

Includes blank graph for charting your own colorwork design.



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MATERIALS:

size 10 crochet thread or lace weight yarn
size 1 knitting needles (2.25 mm)
sewing needle

For ornament:

gift card/hanger template
hole punch
string (or leftover yarn) and ornament hook

GAUGE:

approx. 9 stitches x 12 rows = 1 inch

DIRECTIONS:

Note: This pattern is for a basic plain mini sweater. Use the included chart for planning out your own colorwork design if you desire.

front

1. Cast on 30 stitches.
2. Work in k1 p1 rib for 6 rows.
3. Change to stockinette stitch. Work 33 rows until piece measure about 3¼", ending with a RS row. Follow your colorwork chart, if applicable.

neck opening

4. (WS) p8, bind off 14, p8.
5. (RS) k8, cast on 14, k8.

back

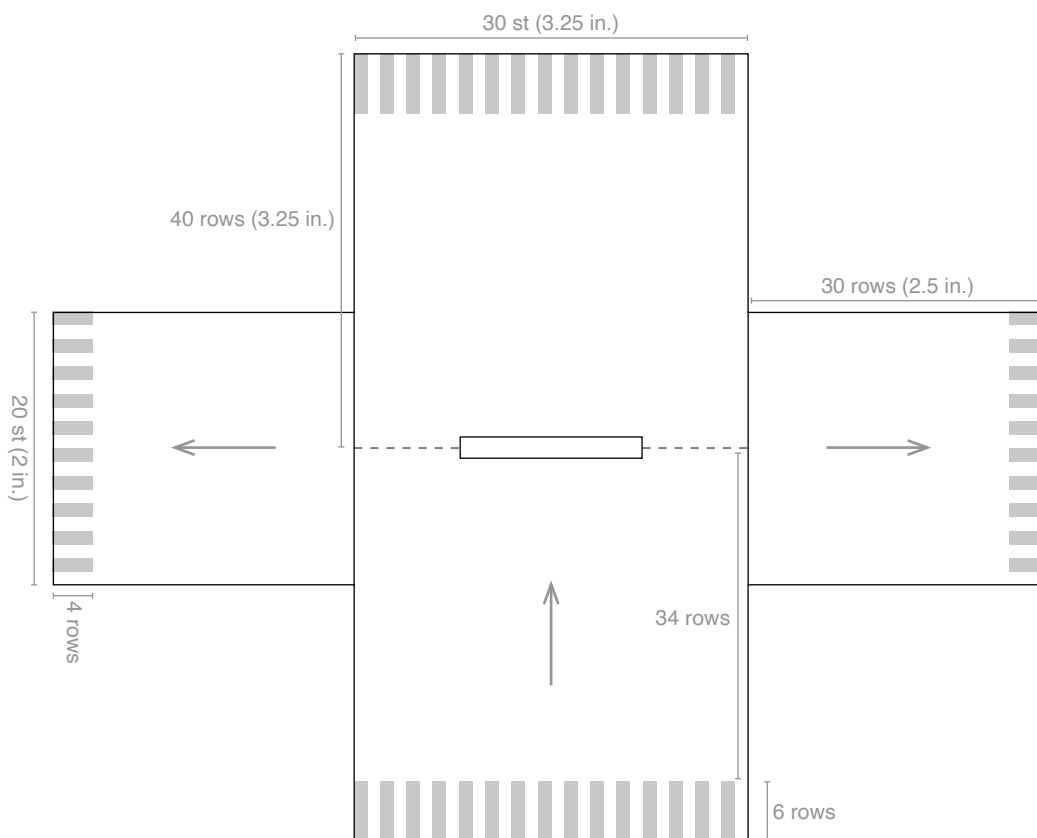
6. Continue in stockinette stitch for 33 more rows until back measures the same as the front up to the ribbing.
7. Work in k1 p1 rib for 6 rows.
8. Bind off all stitches.

sleeves

9. Pick up and knit 20 stitches along the side, centered on the neck opening. (If you wish to eliminate the sleeve seam, you can work the sleeves in the round using double-pointed sock needles. After picking up the stitches, purl one row (WS). Then divide stitches among three needles—(RS) k7 onto needle 1, k6 onto needle 2, and k7 onto needle 3. Join and knit remaining rows.)
10. Work in stockinette stitch for 25 more rows, or until sleeve measures about 2".
11. Work in k1 p1 rib for 4 rows.
12. Bind off all stitches.
13. Repeat steps 9–12 for other sleeve.

finishing

14. Weave in ends and sew up side and sleeve seams.
15. Use the gift card template (available to download on the website) to create the hanger.



Mini Sweater Chart

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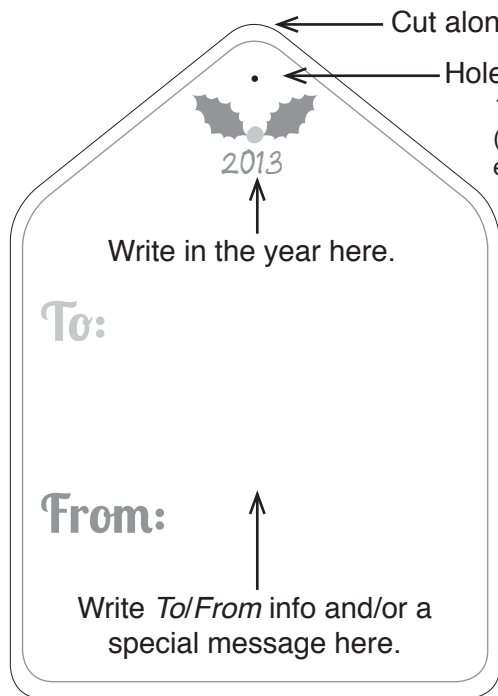
Mini Sweater Christmas Ornament

Gift Tag/Hanger template

Print out this template on cardstock.



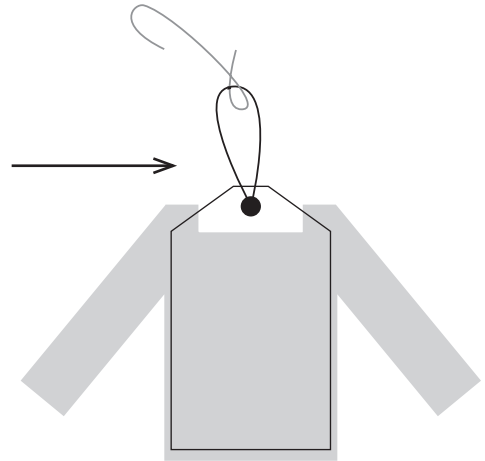
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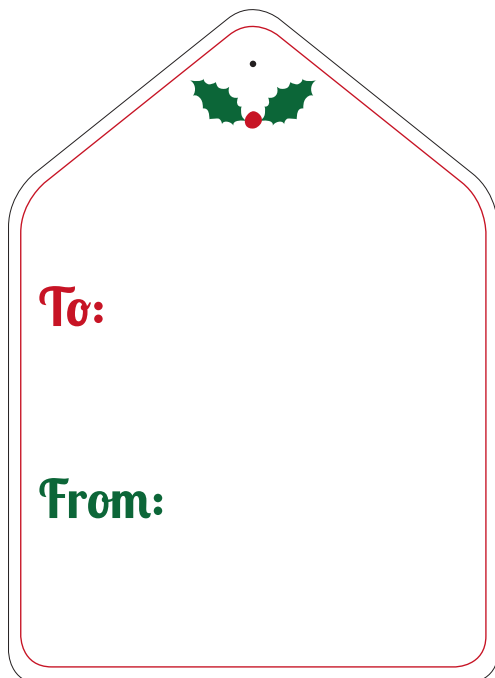
Tip: Add adhesive hole reinforcement (typically used for binder pages) for extra durability.



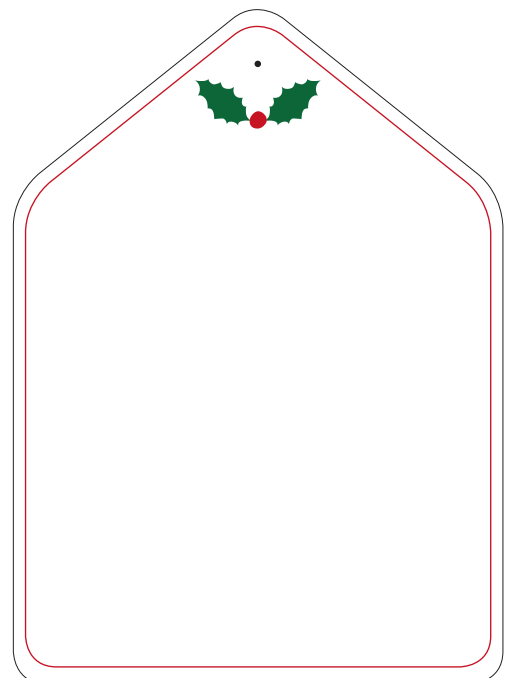
Loop string into the gift tag hole. To hang your ornament, insert the gift tag into the sweater as shown.



color gift tag template, option 1



color gift tag template, option 2, blank



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