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An evening lighted by candles or Christmas lights, the snow outside the window, the cinnamon flavor ... Winter has inspired us this sweater in Novecento, ivory and light as a cloud.

Yarn: NOVECENTO col. 80 ivory, ELEGANT col. 247 beige

Yarn Novecento (col. ivory) is worked single, yarn Nordica (col. beige) is worked double.

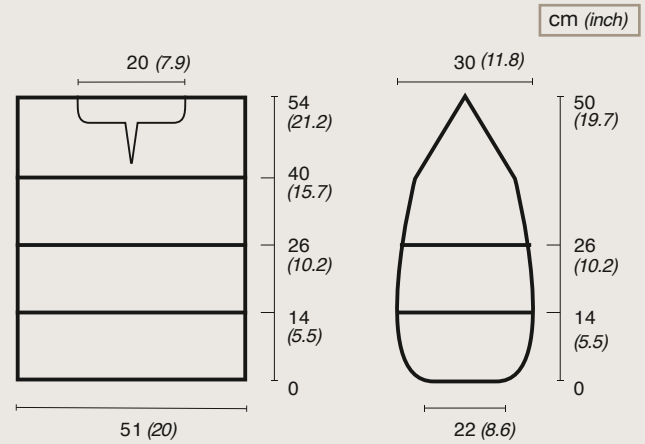
Needles: n. 12

Crochet Hook: n. 7

Weight: 370 g/ 13,05 oz. (7 balls of col. ivory, 1 ball col. beige)

Tg. 42

Stitches used: Stockinette Stitch, Garter Stitch, Double Crochet.



Gauge: 10 cm x 10 cm (4 inc. x 4 inc.): 8 stitches and 10 rows.

Size 42: for each bigger or smaller size calculate in width 2 cm (0,75 in.) more or less, in our gauge it corresponds to 2 stitches; calculate in height 2 cm (0,75 in.) more or less, in our gauge it corresponds to 2 rows.

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Knitting the back

Using n. 12 needles and col. ivory, cast on 36 stitches and work in **Stockinette Stitch** for 14 rows, then make 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige, 12 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige, 12 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige, 14 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** in col. ivory. Then, bind off all stitches.

Knitting the front

Using n. 12 needles and col. ivory, cast on 36 stitches and work in **Stockinette Stitch** for 14 rows, then make 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige, 12 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige, 12 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige. Working in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, divide the front in two pieces and continue for 6 rows. Then bind off, at the neckline sides, 4 stitches and continue binding off 1 stitch 3 times inside the first stitch. After 14 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, bind off all the shoulder stitches.

Knitting the sleeves

Using n. 12 needles and col. beige, cast on 26 stitches and work in **Garter Stitch** for 2 rows, then work in **Stockinette Stitch** for 14 rows with col. ivory and 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige. Work 12 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, decreasing 1 stitch at sides and 2 central stitches on the first row of **Stockinette Stitch**. Continue working 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige and 12 rows in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory, decreasing 1 stitch at sides and 2 central stitches on the first row of **Stockinette Stitch**. Work 2 rows in **Garter Stitch** with col. beige, then in **Stockinette Stitch** with col. ivory. After 8 rows, decrease at sides 1 stitch every 2 rows 7 times. Then, bind off the remaining 4 stitches. Make other sleeve as the first one.

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Finishing

Sew the shoulders, hips, underarms and apply the sleeves.
To finish the neck, with col. beige and n. 7 crochet hook, cast on a chain of 38 stitches and rejoin it at the left opening of neckline, then work in **Double Crochet** in the neckline stitches and continue after the right opening with another chain of 38 stitches.