## Hang in there !

Asymmetric poncho in one size.

This poncho is knitted in one piece from the side, the large collar is worked in the round, without seam, picking up stitches on the body of the piece to make the collar. The front is shorter than the back, which allows practical use and guarantees the fluidity of your movements.

<u>Material :</u> 15 balls of <u>Alpalaine Plassard</u> <u>Circular needles 5mm</u> with a <u>cable of 100</u>. Stich marker, tape mesure, scissors,yarn or tapestry needle.



Points and abbreviations : k: knit. p : purl. sl: slip stitch. \* ... \*: work the pattern between \* and \* until the end of the row or the end of row indication. (...) x ...: knit the pattern in parentheses as many times as indicated after the "x". R : row or round. SK2P : Slip the first stitch, knit 2 stitches together and pass the slip stitch over the knit stitch. <u>Wheat stitch knit straight:</u> R1(right side) :\*k1, p1 \* . R2 and 4(wrong side) : Work the stitches as they appear. R3 :\*p1, k1\*. Repeat these 4 rows. Textured stitch diagonally left knit straight ( on a multiple of 4 stitches) :

R1(right side) :\*p2, k2\*. R2, 4, 6 and 8 (wrong side): Work the stitches as they appear. R3 : \*k1, p2, k1\*. R5 : \*k2, p2\*. R7 : \*p1, k2, p1\*. Repeat these 8 rows.

Wheat stitch gauge 10cm/10cm (without stretching the sample!!): 20stitches/20rows.

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## <u>Body of the poncho :</u>

Cast on 190 stitches. Work 8 rows in wheat stitch, beginning every row (RS and WS) with 1sl, and finishing every row with k1.

<u>First part :</u>

<u>R9(right side)</u>:1sl, 8sts in wheat stitch (from row 1 of the first page),M, work the next 172 stitches in textured stitch diagonally to the left (from row 1 of the first page),M,8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 1 of the first page),finish row with k1.

<u>R10, 12, 14, and 16 (wrong side)</u>:1sl, work the following 188 sts as they appear, while sliding your markers when they appear, and finish row with k1.

R11: 1sl, 8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 3 of the indications on the first page), M, knit the next 172 stitches in textured stitch diagonally to the left (from row 3 of the indications on the first page), M, 8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 3 of the indications on the first page), finish the row with k1.

R13: 1sl, 8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 1 of the indications on the first page), M, knit the following 172 stitches in textured stitch diagonally to the left (from row 5 of the indications on the first page), M, 8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 1 of the indications on the first page), finish the row with k1.

R15: 1sl, 8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 3 of the indications on the first page), M, knit the next 172 stitches in textured stitch diagonally to the left (from row 7 of the indications on the first page), M, 8 stitches in wheat stitch (from row 3 of the indications on the first page), finish the row with k1.

<u>Repeat rows 9 to 16 inclusive until the total height is 42 cm, i.e. 10 repetitions of rows 9 to 16 inclusive.</u>

## <u>Second part :</u>

Begin knitting row 9 as before, ending at the 105th stitch (included). Take a second ball and knit the end of the row with this second ball. Begin row 10, and when the "cut" ends, take the initial ball and knit the remaining 105 stitches. Proceed like this for all rows and repeat rows from 9 to 16 inclusive 14 times for this second part. The space will be use to create the collar , the stitches will be picked up to knit it in a second step.

Third part :

When the 14 repetitions of the second part are done, repeat a row 9 using the first ball until the end of the row. The second ball can be put on "hold" (if necessary fix it with an elastic so that it does not unwind during knitting), or the thread can be cut at about thirty cm if it hinders in the evolution of your work.

For this part, do 10 repetitions of rows 9 to 16 inclusive. When it's done, make 8 rows of wheat stitches and loosely bind off all sts by knitting them on the right side row.

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## Cowl :

Pick up 224 stitches around the neck from where the balls were separated (112 on each side), put a stitch marker to indicate the start of the round and start knitting in the round:

R1 :\*k1, p1\* R2 :\*(k1, p1)x5, SK2P, p1\*. There are 192 stitches left. R3 and 4 :\*p1,k1\*. R3 and 4 . p1,81 . R5 :\*k1, p1\*. R6 : \*(k1, p1)x14, SK2P, p1\*.There are 180 stitches left. R7 and 8 :\*p1,k1\*. R9 :\*k1, p1\*. R13 :\*k1, p1\* R14:\*(k1, p1)x12,SK2P, p1\*.There are 156 stitches left. R15 and 16 :\*p1,k1\*. R17 :\*k1, p1\*. R17 : K1, p1 : R18 :\*(k1, p1)x11, SK2P, p1\*.There are 144 stitches left. R19 and 20 :\*p1,k1\*. R21 :\*k1, p1\* R22 :\*(k1, p1)x10, SK2P, p1\*.There are 132 stitches left. R23 and 24 :\*p1,k1\*. R25 :\*k1, pi\*. ' R26 :\*(k1, p1)x9, SK2P, p1\*.There are 120 stitches left. R27 and 28 :\*p1,k1\*. R29 :\*k1, p1\*. R30 :\*(k1, p1)x8,SK2P, p1\*.There are 108 stitches left. R31 and 32 :\*p1,k1\*. R33 :\*k1, p1\* R34 :\*(k1, p1)x7, SK2P, p1\*.There are 96 stitches left. Knit the following 4 rounds for 20cm: R1 and 2 :\*p1,k1\*. R3 and 4 :\*k1, p1\*. At the end of these 20 cm (or more if you want a higher collar), bind off all sts loosely by knitting them. Bring in the threads and cut them short.Congratulations, you end it !!