

## The “Geranio” Bolero



# Selman's Creative Craft

Size 70 (82 94) cm

Adriaafil Yarn - “Warhol”

2 (3, 4) x 50gm balls

Needles - 1 pair 3 mm  
- 1 pair 4 mm  
- 1 pair 5 mm

Tapestry Needle

**Tension** :- 19sts. and 26 rows = 10cm square in  
purlled stitch using 4 mm needles.

<b>Abbreviations-</b>	k	knit	dec	decrease
	st(s)	stitch(es)	p	purl
	sl	slip	rep	repeat
	foll	following	beg	begining
	alt	alternate	cont.	continue

### Pattern Stitches

k1/p1 rib

Purlled stitch (every row purl)

**Back:** ( Garment worked in a single piece ). Using 3mm needles cast on 145 (157, 169) sts. and work in rib st. 1/1 for 5 cm. Change to 4mm needles and purlled stitch, work 5 (6, 7) cms. Divide for armholes, and work fronts and back separately. ( lengthen or shorten here)

**Right front:-** Work across 39 (42, 45) sts. Side edge, dec 1 st at beg of next and foll alt 13 (14, 15) rows and then 1 st every 4<sup>th</sup> row, 4 times and at the same time, inc 1 st every 6<sup>th</sup> row 4 times at armhole edge. Work straight until front measures 18 (21, 24) cms from border. Cast off.

**Back:-** Rejoin yarn, work in purlled stitch across 67 (73, 79) sts, inc 1 st at each end of every 6<sup>th</sup> row 4 times. Cont. straight until back measures 18 (21, 24) cms from border. Cast off.

**Left front:-** Rejoin yarn, and work as for right front, reversing all shapings.

### Buttoning ( tie ) Edge:

Using 3mm needles cast on 260 (270, 280) sts. and work in rib st. 1/1 for 5 cm. Cast off stitches.

### Ruche:

Using 3mm needles cast on 145 (157, 169) sts. and work 3 cm in rib st. 1/1. Change to 4 mm needles and inc 50 sts evenly across next row. When work measures 6 cm change to 5 mm needles and inc 50 sts as before. When work measures 8 cm. cast off loosely.

### Finishing:

Sew up shoulders and side seams.

Sew buttoning edge to cast on edge of back and fronts leaving the extra length equally at front edge.

Sew ruche to left front, back neck and right front neckline.

