



Pocket Spirit Aran Sweater

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Materials:

- Sportweight yarn in Aran (I used Brown Sheep Nature Spun sportweight)
- Size 0 steel hook
- Three 1/4 inch buttons

Gauge: 5sc = 1 inch

FPDc = front post double crochet

BPHdc = back post half double crochet

Sweater, starting at the neck:

1: Chain 19, sc in the second ch from the hook and each ch across, ch1, turn. 18sc

2: Two sc in each sc across, ch1, turn. 36sc

3: Sc in next two sc, FPDc around the sc in row 1 directly below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind

the post stitch, sc in the next two sc, chain four, skip next eight sc, sc in the next sc, FPDc around the sc in row 1 directly below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in the next two sc, FPDc around the next two sc in row 1 directly below these stitches, skip the two sc directly behind the post stitches, sc in the next two stitches, FPDc around the sc in row 1 directly below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in the next sc, ch4, skip next eight sc, sc in the next two sc, FPDc around the sc in row 1 directly below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in the last two stitches. 28 stitches.

4: Sc in each sc and post stitch across, ch1, turn. 28 sc

5: Sc in next two sc, FPDc around the FPDc below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in next seven sc, FPDc around the FPDc below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in the next two sc, FPDc around the next two FPDc directly below these stitches, skip the two sc directly behind the post stitches, sc in the next two sc, FPDc around the FPDc below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in the next seven sc, FPDc around the FPDc below this stitch, skip the sc directly behind the post stitch, sc in the last two stitches, ch1,turn. 28 sts

6: Repeat row 4

7: Repeat row 5

8: Repeat row 4

9: Repeat row 5

10: Repeat row 4

11: Repeat row 5

12: Sl st loosely in the back loop of each stitch across. Working up the side of the sweater, ch2, skip two rows, sc in next three rows, ch2, skip two rows, sc in next three rows, ch2, sl st in the last row, ch2. Do not finish off

Stand up neck edging:

1: BPHdc around each sc of the first row (the wrong side of the sweater will be facing you. Finish off.

Sleeve:

1: Join with sc in the third chain of the underarm, sc in the next ch, sc in the side of the next sc, sc in the next three sc, FPDc twice around the sc directly below these stitches on row 1 of the sweater, skip the two sc directly behind these post stitches, sc in the next three sc, sc in the side of the next sc, sc in the last two ch of underarm, join, ch1, turn. 14 sts

2: Sc in each st around, join, ch1, turn. 14 sc

3: Sc in next six sc, FPDc around the next two FPDc below these stitches, skip the two sc directly behind these post stitches, sc in the next six sc, join, ch1, turn.

4: Repeat round 2

5: Repeat round 3

6: Repeat round 2

7: Repeat round 3

8: Repeat round 2

9: Repeat round 3

10: Sl st loosely in back loop of each stitch around, finish off.

Sew buttons opposite buttonhole loops. Done :-)