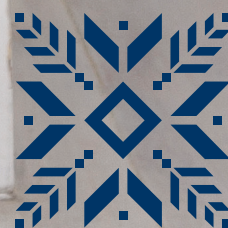


# EMILIA DRESS



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SKILL LEVEL **Beginner / Improving**

## SIZES / MEASUREMENTS

To fit age 2-3 3-4 4-5 5-6 6-7 years

## ACTUAL GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

<b>Chest</b>	60	64	70	74	78	cm
	23 ¼	25	27 ½	29	30 ¾	in
<b>Length to shoulder</b>	50	56	62	68	74	cm
	19 ¾	22	24 ½	26 ¾	29	in

## MATERIALS

- 4(5:5:6:7) 50g/1 ¾oz balls of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Petal (122) (M).
  - One ball in each of Storm (102) (A), Grass (141) (B), Fuchsia (143) (C) and Snow (124) (D).
  - Pair each of 3mm (US 2) and 3.25mm (US 3) needles.
- Log onto [www.millamia.com](http://www.millamia.com) to find yarn stockists near you or to buy yarn on-line.

## TENSION / GAUGE

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

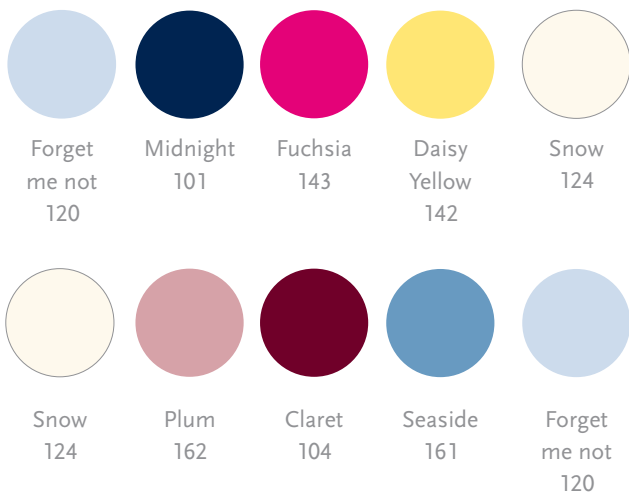
## ABBREVIATIONS

**approx** approximately; **beg** begin(ing); **cont** continue;  
**dec** decrease(ing); **inc** increase(ing); **k** or **K** knit;  
**k2 tog** knit two stitches together; **p** or **P** purl; **rep** repeat(ing); **skpo** slip one, knit one, pass slipped stitch over – one stitch decreased;  
**st(s)** stitch(es); **st st** stocking stitch.

## HINTS AND TIPS

A beautiful dress for spring/summer, the straight neck and small capped sleeves are a lovely design feature. If Fair Isle is not for you, follow the pattern and simply work the Fair Isle section in a block colour instead.

## SUGGESTED ALTERNATIVE COLOURWAYS



## BACK

With 3.25mm (US 3) needles and A cast on 92(98:104:110:116) sts.

**1st row** P2, [k4, p2] to end.

**2nd row** K2, [p4, k2] to end.

Rep the last 2 rows twice more. Inc one st at centre of last row.

93(99:105:111:117) sts.

Cut off A.

Join on M.

Beg with a k row cont in st st.

Work 6(8:10:12:14) rows.

**Dec row** K4, skpo, k to last 6 sts, k2 tog, k4.

Work 9(11:13:15:17) rows.

Rep the last 10(12:14:16:18) rows 6 times more, and then the dec row again. 77(83:89:95:101) sts.

Work straight until back measures 25(30:35:40:45)cm/  
9 ¾(11 ¾:13 ¾:15 ¾:17 ¾)in from cast on edge, ending with a right side row.

Work 2 rows B, 3 rows C and 2 rows B.

Starting row 8 work in patt from Chart to row 28.

Work 2 rows B, 3 rows C and 2 rows B.

Beg with a k row cont in st st and M only until back measures  
40(45:50:55:60)cm/15 ¾(17 ¾:19 ¾:21 ¾:23 ¾)in from cast on edge, ending with a wrong side row.

### Shape armholes

Cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 65(71:77:83:89) sts.

**Next row** K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2 tog, k2.

**Next row** P to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 5 times more. 53(59:65:71:77) sts.

Cont in st st until back measures 48(54:60:66:72)cm/  
19(21 ¼:23 ½:26:28 ¼)in from cast on edge, ending with a right side row, inc one st at centre of last row. 54(60:66:72:78) sts.

Cut off M.

Join on A.

**Next row** P to end.

Change to 3mm (US 2) needles.

**1st rib row** P1, [k4, p2] to last 5 sts, k4, p1.

**2nd rib row** K1, [p4, k2] to last 5 sts, p4, k1.

Rep the last 2 rows 3 times more.

Cast off in rib.

## FRONT

Work as given for back.

## SLEEVES

Join shoulders leaving approx 16cm/6 ¼in open for neck.

With 3.25mm (US 3) needles and A, pick up and k56(62:68:74:80) sts evenly round row ends of armhole edge.

Beg with a p row cont in st st.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 20 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 18 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 16 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 14 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 12 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 10 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 8 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 6 sts, turn.

**Next 2 rows** Work to last 4 sts, turn.

**Next row** P to end.

Change to 3mm (US 2) needles.

**1st row** P2, [k4, p2] to end.

**2nd row** K2, [p4, k2] to end.

Rep the last 2 rows once more.

Cast off in rib.

## TO MAKE UP

Join side seams. Sew final rows of sleeve to cast off sts at underarms.

## CHART





