

# zealana

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Hōtoke Hot Water Bottle cover



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### MATERIALS:

- Zealana Kauri Worsted (60% Merino, 30% Brushtail Possum Fibre & 10% Mulberry Silk; 86m 50grams)
- 2 balls of shade K09 Red Rata
- 6mm & 5mm Knitting Needles
- Darning needle

**GAUGE:** 18 - 20sts = 10cm TAKE TIME TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

### PATTERN INSTRUCTIONS

#### Back (Worked in two pieces)

##### First Piece

Cast on 25 sts with 6mm Knitting Needles.

**1<sup>st</sup> Row:** Inc in 1st st, knit to last 2 sts, inc in next st, K1. 27 sts

**2<sup>nd</sup> Row:** Purl.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Row and 4<sup>th</sup> Rows:** As 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> rows. 29 sts

**5<sup>th</sup> Row:** Knit.

**6<sup>th</sup> Row:** Purl.

**7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Rows:** As 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Rows. 31 sts

Processed as follows:

**1<sup>st</sup> Row: (rs)** Knit.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Row:** Purl.

These 2 rows will be called st-st (stocking Stitch)

Cont in st-st until piece measures 11cm, ending with a rs row.

**Next Row:** P1, inc in next st purlways, (p2, inc in next st purlways) 10 times, p1. 41 sts

Change to 5mm needles and proceed as follows:

**1<sup>st</sup> Row:** P1, \*k2, p2\* rep from \* to end

**2<sup>nd</sup> Row:** \*k2, p2, rep from \* to last st, k1

These 2 rows are called rib.

Work 1 row more in rib.

**Next row (buttonhole row)** Rib 11, cast off 2 sts, rib 16 sts, cast off 2 sts, rib 10 sts

**Next Row:** Rib 10 sts, cast on 2 sts, rib 16, cast on 2 sts, rib 11 sts

Work 4 rows more in rib.

Cast off in rib (on ws)

##### Second piece

Cast on 40 sts with 5 mm Knitting Needles

**1<sup>st</sup> Row:** \*k2, p2\* rep from \*to end

**2<sup>nd</sup> Row:** \*p2, k2\* rep from \*to end

Work 7 rows more in rib

**10<sup>th</sup> Row:** P1, p2tog, (p2, p2tog) 8 times, p1. 30 sts

Change to 6mm needles and cont in st-st until second piece measures 11cm from cast on edge, ending with ws row

Work 8 rows, dec 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row. 22 sts

**Next Row:** Cast off 4 sts, k12, cast off rem 4 sts.

Leave rem 14 sts on a stitch holder

## FRONT

### (Worked in one piece)

Cast on 21 sts with 6mm needles

**1<sup>st</sup> Row:** Inc in 1<sup>st</sup> st, (inc in next st) 3 times, p3, k1, (inc in next st) 5 times, k1, p3, (inc in next st) 4 times 34 sts

**2<sup>nd</sup> Row:** Inc in 1<sup>st</sup> st purlways, p7, k3, p12, k3, p6, inc in next st purlways, p1 36 sts

**3<sup>rd</sup> Row:** Inc in 1<sup>st</sup> st, k8, p3, k12, p3, k7, inc in next st, k1. 38 sts

**4<sup>th</sup> Row:** Inc in 1<sup>st</sup> st purlways, p9, k3, p12, k3, p8 inc in next st purlways, p1. 40 sts

**5<sup>th</sup> Row:** Inc in 1<sup>st</sup> st purlways, k10, p3, slip next 3 sts onto CN and hold at back of work, k3 then k3 from CN, this will now be called C6B, slip next 3 sts onto CN and hold at front of work, k3 then k3 from CN, this will now be called C6F, p3, k9, inc in next st, p1. 42 sts

**6<sup>th</sup> Row:** k2, p10, k3, p12, k3, p10, k2.

**7<sup>th</sup> Row:** Inc in 1<sup>st</sup> st purlways, p1, k10, p3, k12, p3, k10, inc in next st purlways, p1. 44 sts

**8<sup>th</sup> Row:** k3, p10, k3, p12, k3, p10, k3

Proceed as follows:

**1<sup>st</sup> Row (rs):** p3, k10, p3, k12, p3, k10, p3

**2<sup>nd</sup> and every foll alt Row:** k3, p10, k3, p12, k3, p10, k3

**3<sup>rd</sup> Row:** p3, slip next 5 sts onto CN and hold at front of work, k5 then k5 from CN, this will now be called C10F, p3, C6B, C6F, p3 slip next 5 sts onto CN and hold at back of work, k5 then k5 from CN this will now be called C10B p3.

**5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Rows:** As 1<sup>st</sup> row

**9<sup>th</sup> Row:** p3, k10, p3, C6B, C6F, p3, k10, p3

**11<sup>th</sup> Row:** As 1<sup>st</sup> row

**12<sup>th</sup> Row:** k3, p10, k3, p12, k3, p10, k3

From 1<sup>st</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> row forms patt

In patt, work 4 rows, dec 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row. 40 sts

In patt, work 4 rows, dec 1 st at each end of every row 32 sts

**Next Row:** Cast off 5 sts in patt, patt 21, cast off rem 5 sts  
Leave rem 22 sts on a stitch holder

### Funnel neck opening

Placing the buttonhole border over the button border, stitch the 2 back pieces together at each side

With right side facing, rejoin the yarn using 5mm needles knit across 22 sts left on a stitch holder at front, work across 14 sts left on a stitch holder at back as follows:

K1, (inc in next st) 10 times k2, 46 sts

**1<sup>st</sup> Row:** \*k2, p2, rep from \* to last 2 sts k2

**2<sup>nd</sup> Row:** p2, \*k2 p2, rep from \* to end

These 2 rows are called 2 x 2 rib

Cont in 2 x 2 rib until neck opening measures 14 cm, ending with a ws row. Cast off in rib

### Make up

With the rs of the back facing the rs of the front join all seams around the cover and funnel neck