

Magic Formula to Determine Project Increases or Decreases

Date: _____ Project: _____

Machine: _____ Tension: _____

Yarn: _____ Color: _____

Stitches per inch: _____ Rows per inch: _____

To determine project increases or decreases:

WS = widest part in stitches

NS = width of narrow section in stitches

LR = length to shape in rows

(WS) _____ - (NS) _____ = _____ \div 2 = (X) _____ times (\div by 2 if shaping both sides)

(LR) _____ \div (X) _____ = (Y) _____ rows (ignore fractions)

(Y) _____ x (X) _____ = (Z) _____ rows

(LR) _____ - (Z) _____ = (T) _____

(X) _____ - (T) _____ = (U) _____

(U) _____ x (Y) _____ = _____ rows

(T) _____ x (Y+1) _____ = _____ rows _____ Total rows for shaping (LR)

Increase or Decrease 1 stitch (on both sides every) (Y + 1) _____ rows, (T) _____ times = _____ rows

Increase or Decrease 1 stitch (on both sides every) (Y) _____ rows, (U) _____ times = _____ rows

Notes:
