

Northern  
Augustins

*NO. 2*



## Dictionary

*Please note that this is a general dictionary,  
applicable for all Augustins patterns.*

**st(s)** // stitch(es)

**r** // row

**rnd(s)** // round(s)

**BOR** // beginning of round

**k** // knit

**p** // purl

**k tbl** // knit through back loop

**p tbl** // purl through back loop

**sl st** // slip st

**pss0** // pass the slipped st over

**k2tog** // knit 2 sts together

**k2tog tbl** // knit 2 sts together through the back loop

**p2tog** // purl 2 sts together

**p2tog tbl** // purl 2 sts together through the back loop

**s1wyif** // slip 1 with yarn held in front

**dec** // decrease

**inc** // increase

**yo** // yarn over

**m1L** // make 1 left inc, knitwise

**m1R** // make 1 right inc, knitwise

**m1P** // make 1 left inc, purlwise

**M** // marker

**cM** // chart marker

**sM** // side marker

**sl M** // slip marker

**RS** // right side

**WS** // wrong side

**CF** // center front

**CB** // center back

## Northern Augustins no.2

**Size:** a (b) c (d) e (f) g (h).

**Your bust circumference:** 80 (90) 100 (110) 120 (130) 140 (150) cm.

**Full length, center front below the neckline:** 54 (55) 56 (57) 58 (60) 61 (62) cm.

**Positive ease:** This sweater has a positive ease of approximately 15-20 cm, depending on your bust circumference. When deciding which size to knit, choose the one which corresponds to your own actual bust circumference. If in between sizes, opt for the larger size.

**Gauge:** 15 sts x 18 rows = 10 x 10 cm at needle size 7 mm, following the colour chart.

**Needle sizes:** Circular needles 5 + 6 + 7 mm (lengths 40 and 60 cm are recommended).

**Yarn:** The sweater is knitted with 2 colours, where 1 thread of Heavy Merino is held together with 2 threads of Soft Silk Mohair for each of the colours. (For a lighter sweater, use 1 thread of silk mohair instead of 2 threads).

*1st thread, colour A:* “Heavy Merino”, Knitting for Olive (125 m per 50g).

*2nd + 3rd thread, colour A:* “Soft Silk Mohair”, Knitting for Olive (225 m per 25g).

*1st thread, colour B:* “Heavy Merino”, Knitting for Olive (125 m per 50g).

*2nd - 3rd thread, colour B:* “Soft Silk Mohair”, Knitting for Olive (225 m per 25g).

**Amount:**

Colour A (“Heavy Merino”): 300 (300) 350 (400) 450 (500) 550 (550)g.

Colour A (“Soft Silk Mohair”): 150 (150) 175 (200) 225 (250) 2757 (275)g in total.

Colour B (“Heavy Merino”): 150 (150) 200 (250) 300 (350) 400 (400)g.

Colour B (“Soft Silk Mohair”): 75 (75) 100 (125) 150 (175) 200 (200)g in total.

**Process:** The sweater is knitted in the round bottom-up, following a 2 coloured chart to create its checkered pattern.

# Pattern

## Before you begin

- Please read the entire pattern before casting on.
- Be sure to make a swatch before beginning, to ensure the right gauge.
- Edge sts: When the bottom rib is knitted back and forth, knit the 2 edge sts in each side in the following way: k the first 2 sts at each row and slip the 2 last sts purlwise with the yarn held in front. Make sure to tighten the edge sts, so that they don't become too loose.
- In this pattern, these methods are used: Italian cast on and bind off, 3-needle bind off.
- Knitting with dominance : For this sweater, colour B is the dominant colour.  
When knitting, hold colour B over your index finger, whilst holding colour A over both your index- and middle finger. Thereby, colour B becomes the dominant colour, as it is closest to your knitwear.

## Edges

The bottom edge of the sweater has a slit in each side, and is formed by 2 separately knitted rib pieces, which each has their own length.

Firstly, the back edge is knitted.

### Back edge

With circular needles 6 mm and using the Italian cast on method, cast on 75 (80) 90 (95) 105 (110) 120 (125) sts in *Colour A* (1 thread of Heavy Merino + 2 threads of Soft Silk Mohair).

Knit back and forth in ribbing (\*k 1, p 1\*) until the edge measures 9 cm - remember to knit the 2 edge sts in each side as described in the chapter "Before you begin".

Let the last knitted row, be from the WS.

Break the yarn and place the sts on a thread to rest.

### Front edge

With circular needles 6 mm and using the Italian cast on method, cast on 75 (80) 90 (95) 105 (110) 120 (125) sts in *Colour A* (1 thread of Heavy Merino + 2 threads of Soft Silk Mohair).

Knit back and forth in ribbing (\*k 1, p 1\*) until the edge measures 6 cm - remember to knit the 2 edge sts in each side as described in the chapter "Before you begin".

Let the last knitted row, be from the WS.

Now, the front- and back edge must be joined at the same needle, and 2 sM placed:

From the RS, place the back edge sts in continuation of the just knitted front edge sts. Between the last st of the front and the first st of the back place a M = sM1 and BOR. Between the first st of the front and the last st of the back, place a M = sM2.

There are now a total of 150 (160) 180 (190) 210 (220) 240 (250) sts on the needle.

### **Body**

Change to circular needles 7 mm, and join *Colour B* to the work (1 thread of Heavy Merino + 2 threads of Soft Silk Mohair).

Now, *Chart 1* starts, which is a 2 coloured checkered pattern knitted in Stockinette Stitch. The chart must be knitted all throughout the body and yoke in the following way:

Starting at sM1 (BOR) and following *Chart 1*, k in the rnd until the work is 33 (34) 34 (35) 35 (36) 36 (37) cm (or is 22 (22) 23 (23) 24 (24) 25 (25) cm from the preferred length), measured from the cast on row CF.

When the preferred length for the body is reached, sts at each side must be bound off, to create armholes and form the front- and back piece of the yoke.

This is done in the following way:

Start at sM1 (BOR).

Bind off 6 sts, k (whilst still following the chart) until 6 sts before sM2 (back piece), bind off 12 sts, k (whilst still following the chart) until 6 sts before sM1 (front piece), bind off 6 sts. Break the yarn.

Leave the 2 sM's in the work, as they mark from where sts later must be picked up for sleeves.

There are now a total of 63 (68) 78 (83) 93 (98) 108 (113) sts for both the front- and back piece.

Place the sts of the front piece on a thread and let them rest, whilst knitting the back piece.

### **Yoke**

Now, the front- and back pieces must be formed.

Each piece is knitted back and forth, whilst still following the chart, as the sts indicate.

Whilst knitting each piece back and forth, the first and last st of every row is an edge st, which must be k'd on both the RS and WS.

### *Back*

Now the back of the yoke must be knitted.

Knit back and forth as the chart indicates, until the piece measures 18 (18) 19 (19) 20 (20) 21 (21) cm, from the bind off row of the body and upwards.

Let the last row be from the WS.

At the next row (RS), there must be divided for shoulders and neckline in the following way:

K 1 (edge st), k 14 (16) 21 (23) 27 (29) 33 (35) sts as the chart indicates (*shoulder 1*), bind off 33 (34) 34 (35) 37 (38) 40 (41) sts (neckline), k 14 (16) 21 (23) 27 (29) 33 (35) sts as the chart indicates (*shoulder 2*), k 1.

Place *shoulder 1*'s sts on a thread and let them rest, whilst knitting *shoulder 2*.

### *Shoulder 2*

Continue to knit back and forth over the 15 (17) 22 (24) 28 (30) 34 (36) sts of *shoulder 2* as the chart indicates, until the armhole is 22 (22) 23 (23) 24 (24) 25 (25) cm in total, measured from the bind off row of the body and upwards.

Let the last knitted row be from the WS and break the yarn.

Place the sts on a thread and let them rest whilst knitting *shoulder 1* in the same way as *shoulder 2*.

The back piece of the yoke is now completed.

*Break the yarn, and knit the front piece of the yoke in the same way.*

### **Shoulders**

Now, the parallel shoulder pieces must be knitted together, using the 3- needle bind off method. This is done in the following way:

Place the left shoulder of the back piece and the right shoulder of the front piece on each of their own 7 mm needle.

Place the 2 needles with their RS facing each other, so that the shoulder will be knitted together from the WS. Bind off the shoulder by knitting: p2tog 1 st from each needle), \*p2tog, bind off 1 st\* throughout the row, whilst still following the chart.

Break the yarn.

*Knit the other shoulder together in the same way.*

## Neckline

Now, the rib neckline must be knitted.

Pick up sts along the neckhole in the following way:

Starting CB from the RS and using colour A, pick up 86 (88) 90 (92) 94 (96) 98 (100) sts evenly with circular needle 6 mm.

Knit in the rnd 16 cm of ribbing (\*k 1, p 1\*).

Bind off all sts by using the Italian bind off method.

## Sleeves

Now, the sleeves must be knitted - pick up sts along the armhole in the following way:

Starting by sM1 (BOR) from the RS, pick up 70 (70) 75 (75) 80 (80) 85 (85) sts evenly along the armhole edge with circular needle 7 mm.

Following the chart and starting from BOR, k in the rnd until the sleeve measures 42 cm (or is 6 cm from the preferred length).

Break the yarn in *colour B* and change to circular needles 5 mm.

Knit the first rnd of the rib edge in the following way:

*Size a, b, e and f:* \*k 1, p 1\*. Repeat \*-\* throughout the rnd.

*Size c, d, g and h:* k2tog, \*k 1, p 1\*. Repeat \*-\* throughout the rnd.

Continue in ribbing until the sleeve edge measures 6 cm in total.

Bind off all sts using the Italian bind off method.

*Knit the second sleeve in the same way.*

## Finishing

Weave in all ends.

Rinse the sweater in luke warm water with wool soap, and then let it dry laying flat.

Chart 1



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