

Basile sweater

by Soumine



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PREPARATION

Size

1(2)3(4)

Yarn

BICHES ET BÛCHES

LE PETIT LAMBSWOOL 50g 248 meters/ 270 yards fingering weight.

5 Colors

MC Grey brown 50g x 3(4)4(5) / 650(850)950(1050) m

CC1 Blue grey 50g x 1(2)2(2) / 240(300)350(400) m

CC2 Grey beige 50g x 1(2)2(2) / 200(260)350(400) m

CC3 Soft gold 50g x 1(1)1(1) / 130(150)(200)220 m

CC4 Dark brown 50g x 1(1)1(1) / 100(130)140(150) m

Needles

Circular needles 40, 60, 80 cm and Double-pointed needles or Magic loop technique

3 mm(US 2.5)

3.25 mm(US 3)

3.5 mm(US 4)

Gauge

28 sts x 30 rows/ 10 cm x 10 cm in stockinette stitch for colorwork section on 3.5 mm needles after wash.

Notions

2 Stitch markers

Waste yarn or spare needles

Tapestry needle

Construction

This sweater is knitted top-down and is seamless. Short rows are worked throughout the whole body and Every chart is worked entirely in st st every round.

Technique

German short row technique

(RS) Turn the work so the WS is facing / (WS) Turn the work so the RS is facing. Slip the stitch from the left needle to the right needle purlwise with yarn in front. Bring the yarn up and Pull the yarn to the back of the work. It looks as if there are 2 sts (Double sts).

(WS) P/ (RS) K

Picking up double sts (K DS / P DS)

(RS) K the double sts together as if it was one.

(WS) P the double sts together as if it was one.

M1R: Make 1 Right

(RS) Insert left hand needle from back to front under the bar between the stitches and K this bar.

(WS) Insert left hand needle from front to back bar between the stitches and Ptbl this bar.

Abbreviations

CO: Cast on

BO: Bind off

K: Knit

P: Purl

Rnd: Round

Inc: Increase

Dec: Decrease

Rep: Repeat

Sts: Stitches

ST st: stockinette stitches

M1R: Make one Right (increase)

K2tog: Knit 2 stitches (decrease)

SSK: Slip Slip Knit two slipped stitches together (decrease)

RS: Right Side of your work

WS: Wrong Side of your work

M: Marker

PMM: Place Main Marker

RMM: Remove Main Marker

PM: Place Marker

SM: Slip Marker

RM: Remove Marker

MC: Main color

CC: Contrasting color

Sl1wyf: slip 1 sts with yarn in front

Sl1wyb: slip 1 sts with yarn in back

SIZE



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	110 cm / 43.3"	41 cm / 16"	53 cm / 20.8"	29 cm / 11.4"	35 cm / 13.8"	39 cm / 15.4"	22 cm / 8.7"
2	120 cm / 47.2"	47 cm / 18.5"	59 cm / 23"	29 cm / 11.4"	40 cm / 15.8"	39 cm / 15.4"	27 cm / 10.6"
3	130 cm / 51.2"	50 cm / 19.7"	62 cm / 24.4"	33 cm / 13"	45 cm / 17.8"	39 cm / 15.4"	32 cm / 12.6"
4	150 cm / 59"	50 cm / 19.7"	62 cm / 24.4"	33 cm / 13"	50 cm / 19.7"	39 cm / 15.4"	36 cm / 14.2"

Sample is shown in Size 1 with 30 cm / 7.9" positive ease at the bust.

PATTERN

NECKLINE RIBBING

CO 112(140)140(140)sts with a smaller needle(3 mm/US 2.5) and MC, PMM. Join work into the rnd.

Rib rnd: *K1, P1* rep to m.

Work rib rnd until rib measures 2.5 cm/1".

Size 4 only Inc rnd with MC

K5, M1R rep to m. (28sts inc, 168sts total)

SHORT ROWS

Change to a larger needle(3.5 mm/US 4) and MC. Work short rows (German Short Row technique) to shape the neckline.

As follow:

Rnd 1 : sm, K37(47)47(55), turn.

Rnd 2 : DS, P to m, sm, P37(47)47(55), turn.

Rnd 3 : DS, K to m, sm, K to DS, K DS, K4, turn.

Rnd 4 : DS, P to m, sm, P to DS, P DS, P4, turn.

Rnd 5 : DS, K to m, sm, K to DS, K DS, K4, turn.

Rnd 6 : DS, P to m, sm, P to DS, P DS, P4, turn

Rnd 7 : DS, K to m.

Rnd 8 : sm, K to DS, K DS, K to m.

YOKE (COLORWORK, INC, SHORT ROWS)

Inc rnd with MC

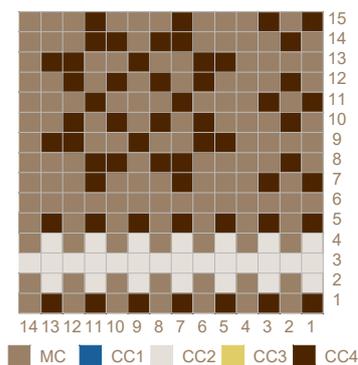
K2, M1R rep to m.

56(70)70(84) sts inc, 168(210)210(252) sts total.

sm, K to m.

Colorwork 1

Rnd 1-15 : sm, (Chart 1) rep to m.



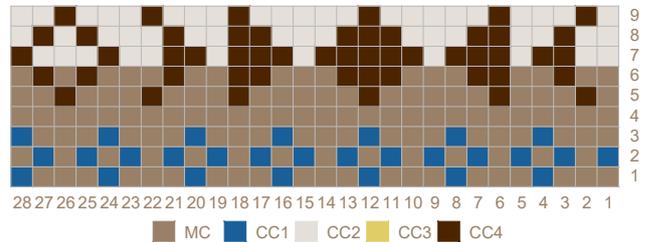
Inc rnd with MC

K3, M1R rep to m.

56(70)70(84) sts inc, 224(280)280(336) sts total.

Colorwork 2

Rnd 1-9 : sm, (Chart 2) rep to m.



Short rows with CC2

Rnd 1 : sm, K45(55)55(65), turn.

Rnd 2 : DS, P to m, sm, P45(55)55(65), turn.

Rnd 3 : DS, K to m, sm, K40(50)50(60), turn.

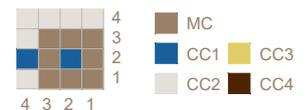
Rnd 4 : DS, P to m, sm, P40(50)50(60), turn.

Rnd 5 : DS, K to m.

Rnd 6 : sm, K to DS, K DS, K to m.

Colorwork 3

Rnd 1-4 : sm, (Chart 3) rep to m.



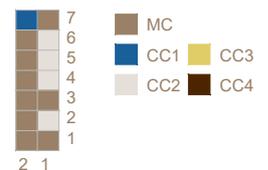
Inc rnd with CC2

K4, M1R rep to m.

56(70)70(84) sts inc, 280(350)350(420) sts total.

Colorwork 4

Rnd 1-7 : sm, (Chart 4) rep to m.



Inc rnd with MC

K5, M1R rep to m.

56(70)70(84) sts inc, 336(420)420(504) sts total.

Short rows with MC

Rnd 1 : sm, K65(85)85(100), turn.

Rnd 2 : DS, P to m, sm, P65(85)85(100), turn.

Rnd 3 : DS, K to m, sm, K60(75)75(90), turn.

Rnd 4 : DS, P to m, sm, P60(75)75(90), turn.

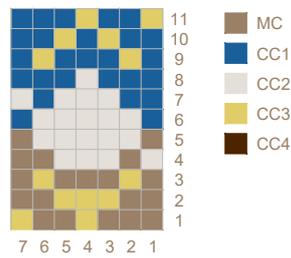
Rnd 5 : DS, K to m.

Rnd 6 : sm, K to DS, K DS, K to m.

PATTERN

Colorwork 5

Rnd 1-11 :
sm, (Chart 5) rep to m.



Inc rnd with CC1

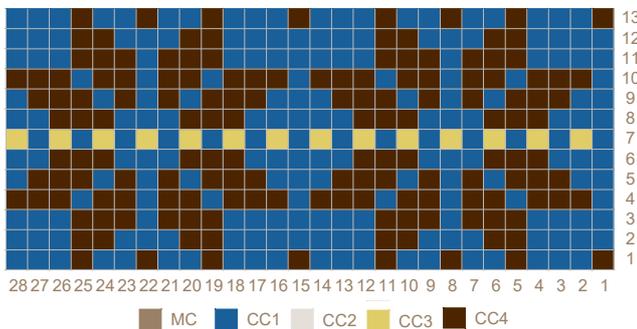
K6, M1R rep to m.
56(70)70(84) sts inc, 392(490)490(588) sts total.

Short row with CC1

Rnd 1 : sm, K75(95)95(115), turn.
Rnd 2 : DS, P to m, sm, P75(95)95(115), turn.
Rnd 3 : DS, K to m, sm, K70(85)85(100), turn.
Rnd 4 : DS, P to m, sm, P70(85)85(100), turn.
Rnd 5 : DS, K to m.
Rnd 6 : sm, K to DS, K DS, K to m.

Colorwork 6

Rnd 1-13 : sm, (Chart 6) rep to m.



Inc rnd with CC1

Size 1,3 only

K7, M1R rep 56(0)70(0) times.

Size (2) only

K35, M1R rep 0(14)0(0) times.

Size (4) only

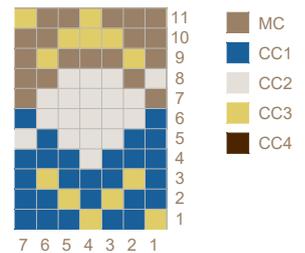
K10, M1R, K11, M1R rep 0(0)0(28) times.
56(14)70(56) sts inc, 448(504)560(644) sts total.

All size Short row with CC1

Rnd 1 : sm, K90(100)110(120), turn.
Rnd 2 : DS, P to m, sm, P90(100)110(120), turn.
Rnd 3 : DS, K to m, sm, K85(90)100(110), turn.
Rnd 4 : DS, P to m, sm, P85(90)100(110), turn.
Rnd 5 : DS, K to m.
Rnd 6 : sm, K to DS, K DS, K to m.

Size 3,(4) only Colorwork 7

Rnd 1-11 :
sm, (Chart 7) rep to m.



DIVIDE THE WORK FOR BODY AND SLEEVES

Size 1,(2) with CC1

Size 3,(4) with MC

RMM, K70(77)84(98), place next 84(98)112(126) sts on a waste yarn (sleeve), CO 7 sts, PMM, CO 7 sts, K140(154)168(194), place next 84(98)112(126) sts on a waste yarn (sleeve), CO 7 sts, PM, CO 7 sts, K to MM.

Note. The main marker was on the back moved to the right underarm and the second marker placed on the left underarm.

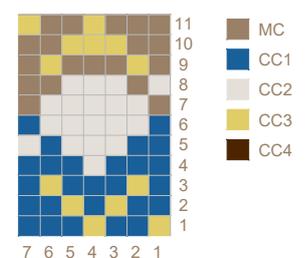
You have now 476(532)588(672) sts on your needles and waste yarns.

308(336)364(420) sts for body, 168(196)224(252) for 2 sleeves.

BODY

Size 1,(2) only Colorwork 7

Row 1-11 :
sm, (Chart 7) rep to MM.



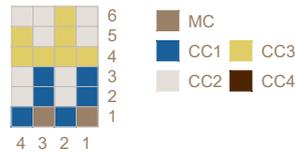
PATTERN

All size Short row with MC

Rnd 1 : sm, K1, turn.
 Rnd 2 : DS, sm, P to 2nd marker, sm, P1, turn.
 Rnd 3 : DS, sm, K to 5 sts before last turn, turn.
 Rnd 4 : DS, P to 5 sts before last turn, turn.
 Rnd 5 : DS, K to MM.
 Rnd 6 : sm, K to DS, K DS, K to MM.

Colorwork 8

Rnd 1-6 :
 sm, (Chart 8) rep to MM.

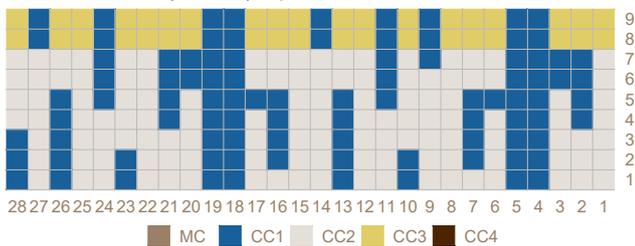


**Short row with CC2

Rnd 1 : sm, K to M, sm, K to 3 sts before MM, turn.
 Rnd 2 : DS, P to 3 sts before M, turn.
 Rnd 3 : DS, K to 3(5)5(5) sts before DS, turn.
 Rnd 4 : DS, P to 3(5)5(5) sts before DS, turn.
 Rnd 5 : DS, K to DS, K DS, K to MM.
 Rnd 6 : sm, K to MM.

Colorwork 9

Rnd 1-9 : sm, (Chart 9) rep to MM.



Short row with CC3

Rnd 1-6 : Work **short row.

Colorwork 10

Rnd 1-3 :
 sm, (Chart 10) rep to MM.

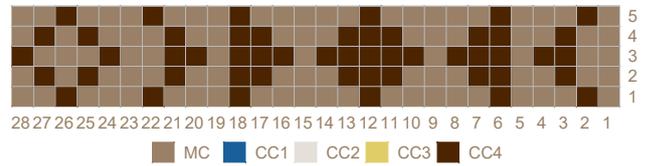


Short row with MC

Rnd 1-6 : Work **short rows.

Size 1 only Colorwork 11

Rnd 1-5 : sm, (Chart 11) rep to MM.



Size (2),3,(4) only Colorwork 11

Rnd 1-5 : Work Row5-9 row of (Chart 2).
 Rnd 1-4 : Work (Chart 3).
 Rnd 1-7 : Work (Chart 4).

Size 3,(4) only Short row with MC

Rnd 1-6 : Work **short row.

Size 3,(4) only Colorwork 12

Rnd 1-3 : Work 1-3 row of (Chart 2).

All size Short row with MC

Rnd 1-6 : Work **short rows.

Note. If you want a longer length than the sample, work in the rnd st st until 5.5 cm/ 2" less than desired length with MC or work more the chart you want.

Change smaller needles (3 mm/ US2.5).

Front Rib with MC

Set-up : sm, BO1 sts, K1, *K1, P1* rep to 2 sts before M, K2. (front rib), rm, place next 154(168)182(210) sts on a waste yarn. (back rib)
 (WS) Sl1wyf, P1,*K1,P1* rep to last st, P1.
 (RS) Sl1wyb, *K1,P1* rep to last 2 sts, K2.
 Rep the previous 2 rows until rib measures 5.5 cm/2".
 BO all sts. Break yarn.

Back Rib with MC

Set-up : BO1 sts, K1, *K1,P1* rep to last 2 sts, K2.
 (WS) Sl1wyf, P1,*K1,P1* rep to last st, P1.
 (RS) Sl1wyb, *K1,P1* rep to last 2 sts, K2.
 Rep the previous 2 rows until rib measures 6 cm/2.5".
 BO all sts. Break yarn.

PATTERN

SLEEVES

Transfer the 84(98)112(126) sleeve sts to larger needles (3.5 mm/ US 4). Size 1,(2) with CC1, Size 3,(4) with MC.

With RS facing and beginning at the center of underarm, pick up 7 sts from half of underarm, K84(98)112(126), pick up 7 sts from remaining underarm, PMM. Join work into the rnd.

You have now 98(112)126(140)sts on your working needles.

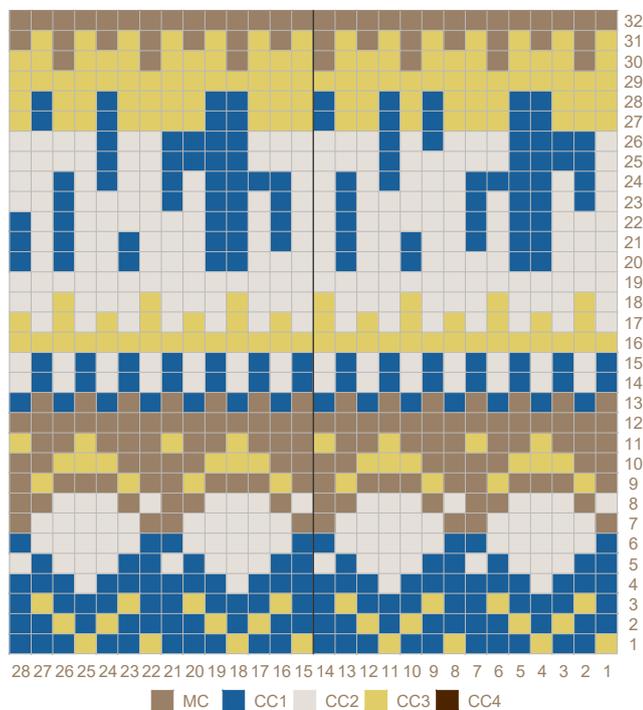
Colorwork sleeve

Size 1,(2) only

Rnd 1-32 : Work Row1-32 of (Chart sleeve).

Size 3,(4) only

Rnd 1-21 : Work Row12-32 of (Chart sleeve).



Change smaller needles (3.25 mm/ US 3).

Rnd 1 : sm, K to MM.

Rnd 2 : Work dec rnd.

Dec rnd: K2, K2tog, K to 3 sts before MM, SSK, K1.

Rnd 3-6 : sm, K to MM.

Rnd 7-76 : Rep (Rnd2-6) 14 more times.

30 sts dec, 68(82)96(110) sts total.

Change smaller needles (3 mm/US 2.5).

Rib rnd: *K1, P1* rep to MM.

Rep Rib rnd until rib measures 5 cm/2".

BO all sts. Break yarn.

Make the other sleeve in the same way..

FINISHING

Weave in all ends.



I hope you enjoy this sweater.
Thank you!