

Odd Row

BEATS SWEATER



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Beats Sweater is a classic raglan sweater in jacquard with double rib edges.

The sweater is worked top-down. The work starts at the neck, working back and forth in stockinette stitch with raglan increases and increases at the front of the neck. It is then worked in the round, continuing with increases at the raglan stitches.

The yoke is worked according to chart until it is divided for body and sleeves.

The rest of the body is worked in a pattern according to the chart and finished with a rib, ending with Italian bind-off.

Stitches are knitted up along the neckline and the neck rib is worked. You can choose to make a high rib as the front page photo or a regular round neck.

Stitches are knitted up under the arms and the sleeves are worked one at a time in pattern according to the chart. Decreases are made along 2 stitches on the inside of the sleeves. The sleeves are finished with a rib.

You will find video tutorials for the pattern techniques on: [youtube.com/odd-row](https://www.youtube.com/odd-row)

When you see this symbol in the knitting pattern you can click on it and go directly to the relevant video.



Abbreviations:

k - knit

p - purl

sts - stitch

m1-r - make one right

m1-l - make one left

SSK - "Slip, Slip, Knit", slip 1sts knitwise and the next stich purlwise through the back loop. Transfer both back to the left needle. Knit them together through the back loop

k2tog - knit 2sts together

• symbol for marker

Sizes:

XXS/XS (S) M (L) XL (2XL) 3XL

Sweater chest width:

95 (101) 107 (114) 120 (126) 133cm

Fits bust circumference:

75-85 (85-90) 90-95 (95-100) 100-110 (110-120) 120-130cm with a positive ease of appr. 15cm.

Length:

53 (54) 55 (56) 58 (60) 60cm
measured at center back without neck rib.

Gauge:

19 stitches, 20 rows at 10x10cm in jacquard, when washed or steamed.

19 stitches, 24 rows at 10x10cm in stockinette stitch, when washed or steamed.

Suggested needles:

Circular needle 5,5mm - for jacquard
Circular needle 5mm - for stockinette sts
Circular needle 3,5mm - for rib

Materials:

Yarn **A**: Primary colour and rib
Yarn **B**: Pattern colour. Since you can choose to knit the pattern in one or more colours, the yarn consumption is indicated in total.

• Donegal, Lang Yarns (190m/50g) and Lace, Lang Yarns (310m/25g) - One strand of each:

A: 250 (250) 300 (300) 300 (350) 350g Donegal and 100 (100) 100 (100) 100 (125) 125g Lace
B: 100 (100) 100 (100) 150 (150) 150g Donegal and 50 (50) 50 (50) 50 (50) 50g Lace

• Yak, Lang Yarns (120m/50g):

A: 400 (400) 400 (450) 450 (550) 550g
B: 150 (150) 150 (150) 200 (200) 250g

• Pura Lana, Gepard (115m/50g):

A: 400 (450) 450 (500) 550 (550) 550g
B: 150 (150) 150 (200) 200 (200) 200g

• Tweed, Isager (200m/50g) and Silk Mohair, Isager (212m/25g) - One strand of each:

A: 250 (250) 300 (300) 300 (350) 350g Tweed and 125 (125) 125 (125) 150 (150) 150g Silk Mohair
B: 100 (100) 100 (100) 150 (150) 150g Tweed and 50 (50) 50 (50) 50 (75) 75g Silk Mohair

• Lamauld, CaMaRose (100m/50g):

A: 450 (500) 550 (550) 550 (600) 600g
B: 200 (200) 200 (200) 200 (250) 250g

Gauge swatch:

You should always make a gauge swatch before starting the project. Knit your test swatch approx. 10 stitches/rows larger than noted under "Gauge". This allows you to get a flat area for counting the stitches. If necessary, move a needle size up or down to obtain the correct gauge. Note that the gauge is stated after washing or steaming.

Since the project is worked in the round, your gauge swatch should be made accordingly. See video description. 

It varies from person to person if the gauge changes from stockinette to multicoloured knitting. It is a good idea to make a sample of both. If you need to change needles, it is done most discrete before the 3rd round in the pattern.

Colour dominance in two-coloured jacquard:



When knitting with two colours at the same time, one colour will always be more dominant than the other.

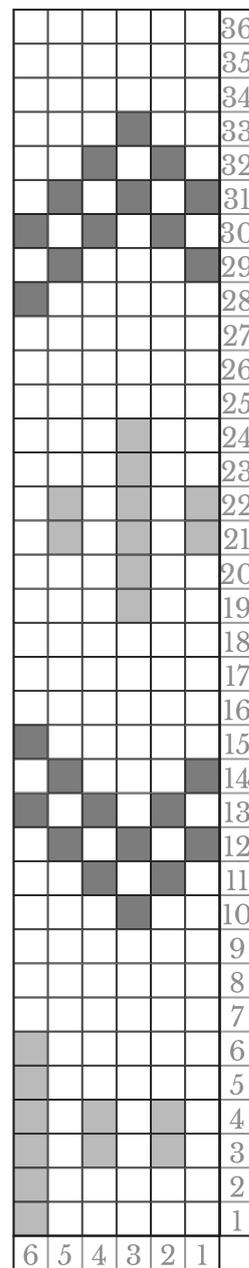
The dominant colour will be the one held closest to the work on the left index finger.

You can knit a sample to see which colour you prefer as the most dominant.



The dark colour as dominant

Pattern repeat



- Knit - ground col.
- Knit - pattern col. 1
- Knit - pattern col. 2
- Read from right to left

Floats

The pattern is made with no longer floats (stitches between the use of each colour) than 5 stitches. It is therefore not necessary to catch the floats along the way, but simply pay extra attention to the gauge on row 1,2,5,6,10,15 etc.

However, there will be some rounds at the raglan increases and sleeve decreases where there are longer floats and it may therefore be a good idea to catch the pattern colour along the way by crossing the yarns on the back.

Increases on the right side

m1-r: lift the bar from the back with the left needle and knit it.

m1-l: lift the bar from the front with the left needle and knit it through the back loop.

Increases on the wrong side

m1-l: lift the bar from the front with the left needle and purl through the back loop.

m1-r: lift the bar from the back with the left needle and purl it.

Pattern

Stitches are cast on for the neck and worked back and forth, while increases are made along the raglan stitches and at the front of the neck:

1.(r):
Cast on 67 (67) 67 (73) 73 (79) 79sts with long tail cast-on on the stockinette needle.

2.(w):
Markers are placed on each side of the raglan stitches. Place a marker at •

p (front) • p2 (raglan sts) • purl 13 (13) 13 (15) 15 (17) 17sts (right sleeve) • p2 (raglan sts) • purl 31 (31) 31 (33) 33 (35) 35sts (back) • p2 (raglan sts) • purl 13 (13) 13 (15) 15 (17) 17sts (left sleeve) • p2 (raglan sts) • p (front)

3.(r):
k, m1-r • k2 • m1-l, * knit until before the marker, m1-r • k2 • m1-l *, work ** in total 3 times, k

4.(w):
Purl all sts

5.(r):
* knit until before the marker, m1-r • k2 • m1-l *, work ** in total 4 times, k2

6.(w):
Purl all sts

7.(r):
* knit until before the marker, m1-r • k2 • m1-l *, work ** in total 4 times, k3

8.(w):
Purl all sts

9.(r):
k3, m1-l, k, m1-r • k2 • m1-l, * knit until before the marker, m1-r • k2 • m1-l *, work ** in total 3 times, k, m1-r, k3

10.(w):
p3, m1-r, purl until 3sts on needle, m1-l, p3

11.(r):
k3, m1-l, * knit until before the marker, m1-r • k2 • m1-l *, work ** in total 4 times, knit until 3sts on needle, m1-r, k3

12.(w):
p3, m1-r, purl until 3sts on needle, m1-l, p3

Work row 11.-12. in total 2 times.

There are 127 (127) 127 (133) 133 (139) 139 stitches on the needle:

Front pieces: 13sts

Sleeves: 25 (25) 25 (27) 27 (29) 29sts

Back piece: 43 (43) 43 (45) 45 (47) 47sts

Raglan stitches: 2sts

The work is gathered and worked in the round. Round start is before the raglan stitches between the left sleeve and back piece - break the yarn and transfer 40 (40) 40 (42) 42 (44) 44sts from left to right needle. Change round marker to a different colour so you can recognize it. Attach the yarn and work as follows:

1.:
* k2 • m1-l, knit until before the marker, m1-r • *, work ** in total 2 times, k2 • m1-l, knit right front piece. Cast-on 17 (17) 17 (19) 19 (21) 21sts with backwards loop method, knit until before the marker, m1-r • k2 • m1-l, knit until before the marker, m1-r •

2.:
Knit all sts

3.:
* k2 • m1-l, knit until before the marker, m1-r • *, work ** in total 4 times

4.:
Knit all sts

Work round 3.-4. in total 2 times.

There are 168 (168) 168 (176) 176 (184) 184 stitches on the needle:

Front and back piece: 49 (49) 49 (51) 51 (53) 53sts

Sleeves: 31 (31) 31 (33) 33 (35) 35sts

Continue on page 5 (5) 5 (7) 7 (9) 9.

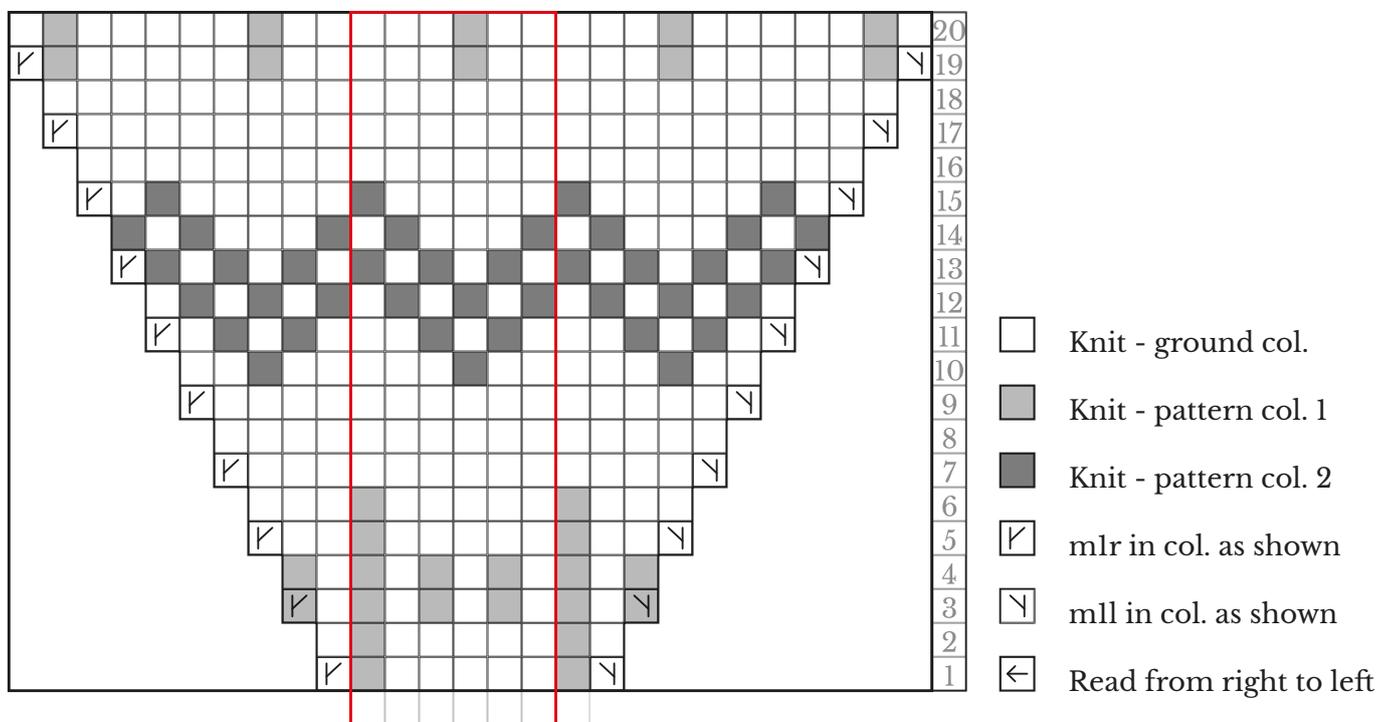
Yoke - Size XXS/XS, S, M

Work jacquard on the front, back and sleeves according to chart while making increases on each side of the raglan stitches on every other round.

Change to jacquard needle before the 3rd round - it is not necessary to change to stockinette needle in between the patterns.

Raglan stitches are knitted in colour A. The increases are made in the colour as shown in the chart. The red mark shows a pattern repeat - this is worked a total of 5 times on the sleeves and 8 times on the front and back piece.

After completing the chart, there are 248sts on the needle.



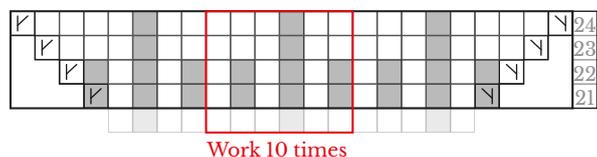
Continue working according to the chart for your size. **Increases are now made on all rounds.** The charts for the front piece and back piece are different from the sleeves, as no decreases are made on the last 3 rounds of the sleeves.

The pattern repeat is worked a total of 7 times on the sleeves and 10 times on the front and back piece.

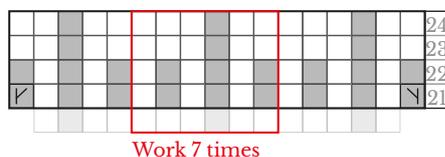
After completing the chart, there are 268 (284) 300 (-) - (-) - stitches on the needle.
Continue on page 11.

Size XXS/XS

Front piece and back piece

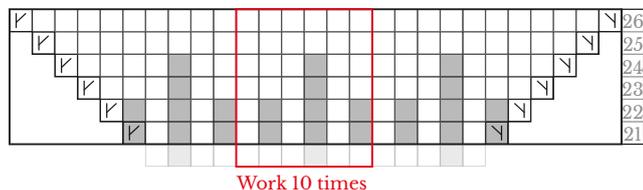


Sleeves

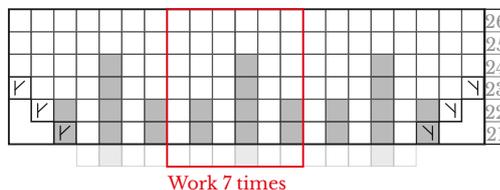


Size S

Front piece and back piece

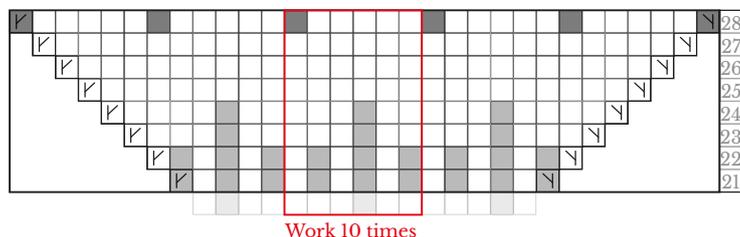


Sleeves

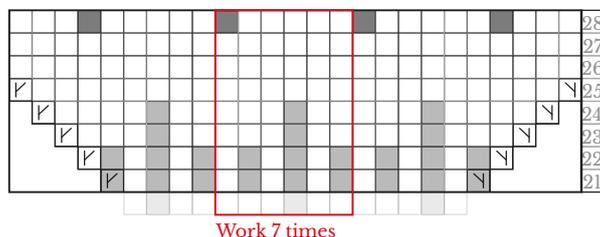


Size M

Front piece and back piece



Sleeves



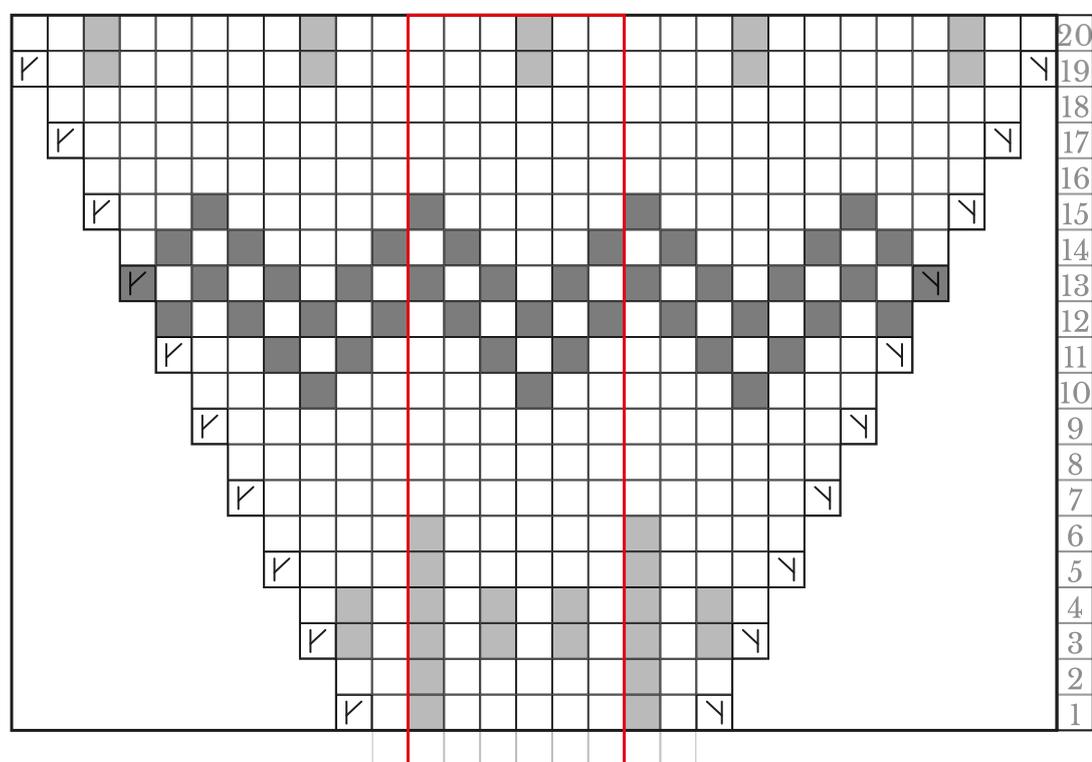
Yoke - Size L, XL

Work jacquard on the front, back and sleeves according to chart while making increases on each side of the raglan stitches on every other round.

Change to jacquard needle before the 3rd round - it is not necessary to change to stockinette needle in between the patterns.

Raglan stitches are knitted in colour A. The increases are made in the colour as shown in the chart. The red mark shows a pattern repeat - this is worked a total of 5 times on the sleeves and 8 times on the front and back piece.

After completing the chart, there are 256sts on the needle.



Work 5 times on the sleeves 8 times on the front and back piece.

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- Knit - pattern col. 1
- Knit - pattern col. 2
- mlr in col. as shown
- mll in col. as shown
- Read from right to left

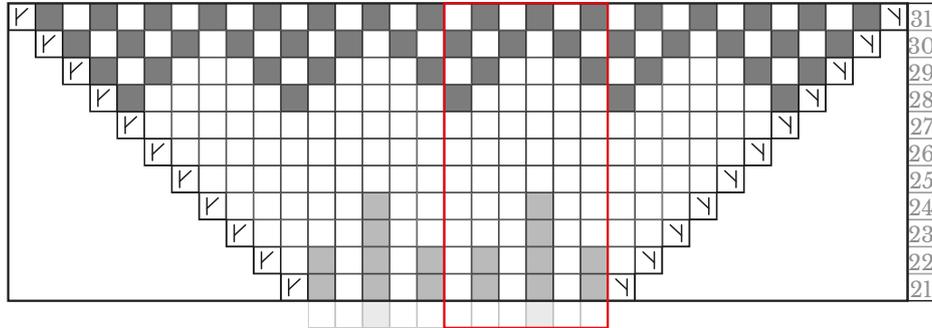
Continue working according to the chart for your size. **Increases are now made on all rounds.** The charts for the front piece and back piece are different from the sleeves, as no decreases are made on the last 6 rounds of the sleeves.

The pattern repeat is worked a total of 8 times on the sleeves and 11 times on the front and back piece.

After completing the chart, there are - (-) - (320) 336 (-) - sts on the needle.
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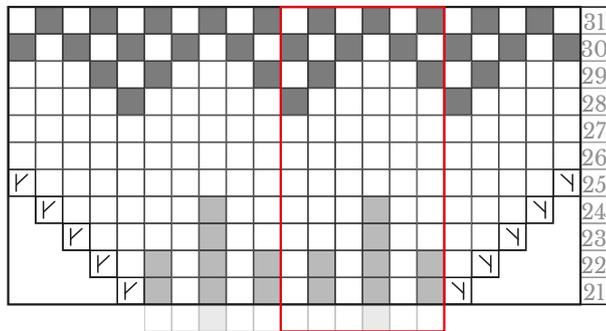
Size L

Front piece and back piece



Sleeves

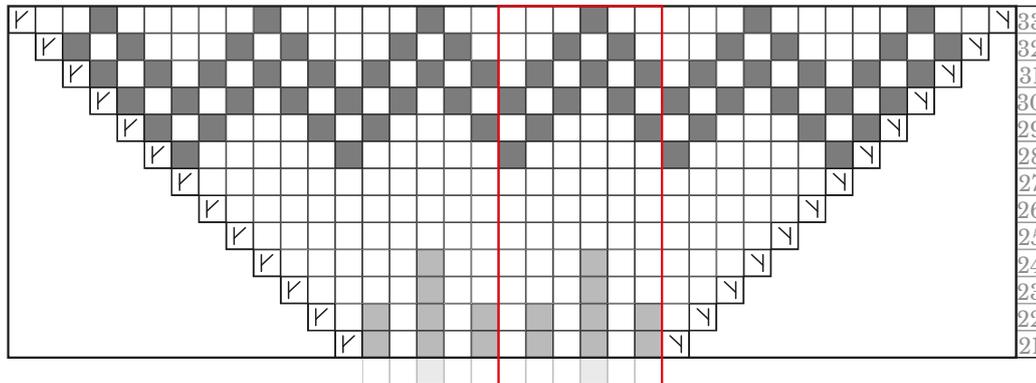
Work 11 times



Work 8 times

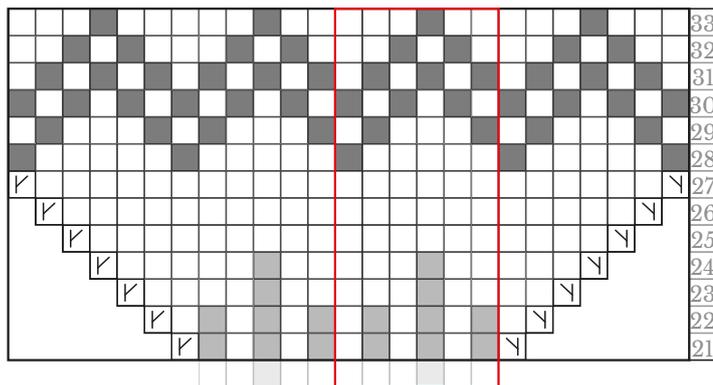
Size XL

Front piece and back piece



Sleeves

Work 11 times



Work 8 times

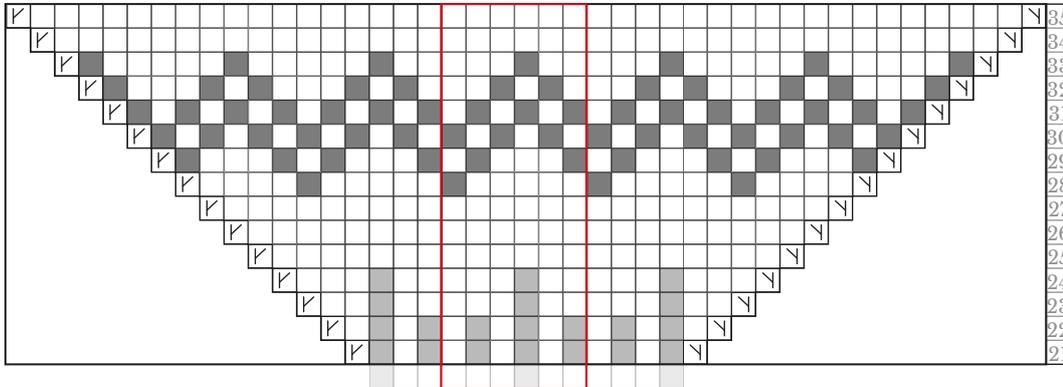
Continue working according to the chart for your size. **Increases are now made on all rounds.** The charts for the front piece and back piece are different from the sleeves, as no decreases are made on the last 6 or 9 rounds of the sleeves.

The pattern repeat is worked a total of 8 times on the sleeves and 11 times on the front and back piece.

After completing the chart, there are - (-) - (-) - (360) 364sts on the needle. Continue on page 11.

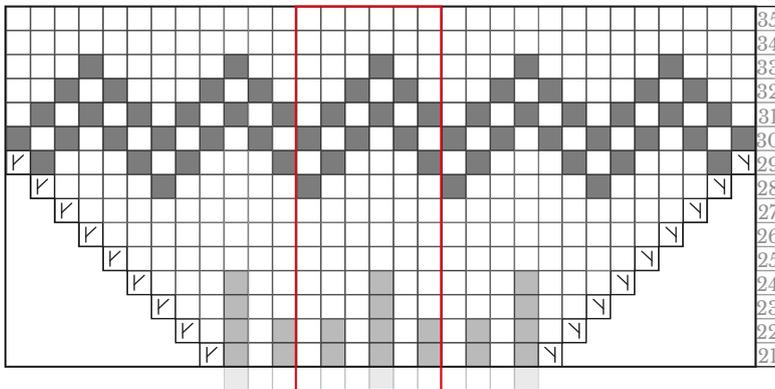
Size 2XL

Front piece and back piece



Sleeves

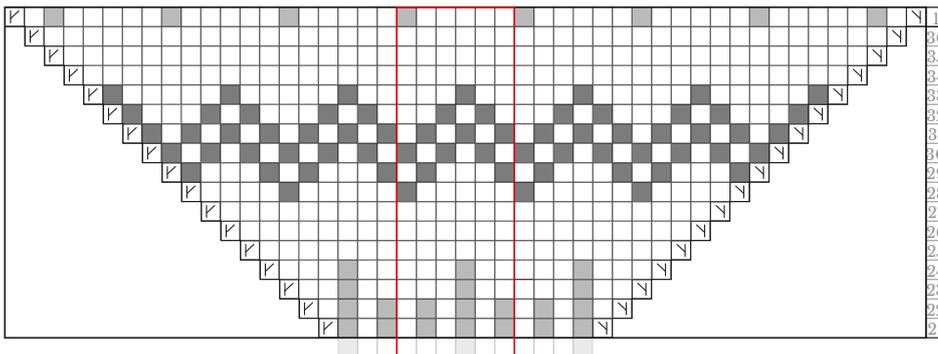
Work 11 times



Work 8 times

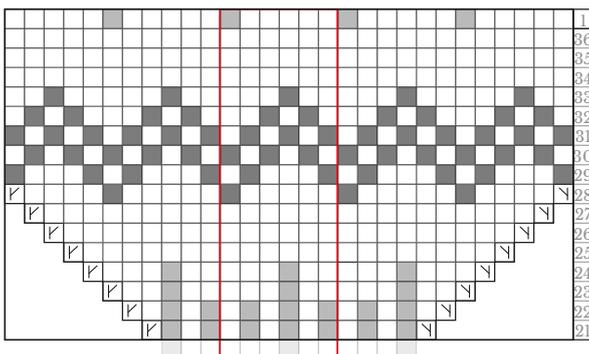
Size 3XL

Front piece and back piece



Sleeves

Work 11 times



Work 8 times

Dividing for sleeves

The work is divided into body and sleeves. The 2 raglan stitches are distributed with one for the body and one for the sleeve. Work as described, following the pattern repeat for your size in the charts on the right. The charts show the front piece/back piece including one raglan stitch on each side, marked in green, and cast-on stitches under the arms. The charts are worked 2 times - first on the back piece and under the right arm and then on the front piece and under the left arm.

Remove the round marker and slip the first raglan stitch purlwise. Place the marker again to start a new round start.

Work 79 (83) 87 (95) 99 (105) 109sts according to chart (back piece and 1 raglan stitch in each side) - the two markers are removed along the way.

Let 55 (59) 63 (65) 69 (75) 73sts rest (right sleeve and 1 raglan stitch on each side) - remove the two markers. Cast on 11 (13) 15 (13) 15 (15) 17sts with backwards loop method in colours according to chart.

Work 79 (83) 87 (95) 99 (105) 109sts according to chart (front piece and 1 raglan stitch on each side) - remove the two markers along the way.

Let 55 (59) 63 (65) 69 (75) 73sts rest (left sleeve and 1 raglan stitch on each side) - remove the two markers.

Cast on 11 (13) 15 (13) 15 (15) 17sts with backwards loop method in colours according to chart.

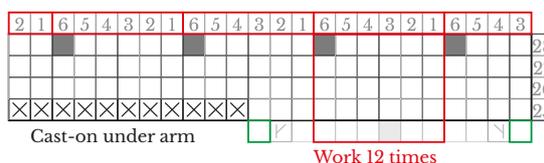
Body

There are 180 (192) 204 (216) 228 (240) 252sts on the needle. Continue working in the round on the body according to the pattern repeat on page 3. The charts on the right show the first 4 rounds. After completing the chart you are now at row 29 (31) 33 (36) 2 (4) 6 in the repeat. Note that your round starts with stitch 3 (1) 5 (1) 5 (5) 3 in the pattern repeat. Continue until the work measures approx. 46 (47) 48 (49) 51 (53) 55cm measured mid back, or desired length before rib edge of approx. 7cm. You can choose to stop after row 9, 18, 27 or 36 in the repeat.

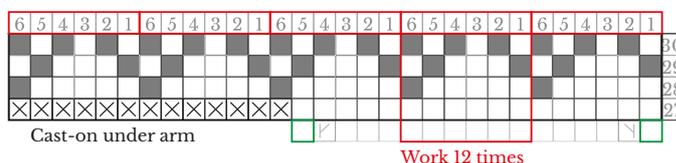
☒ Cast-on in col. as shown

□ Raglan stitch

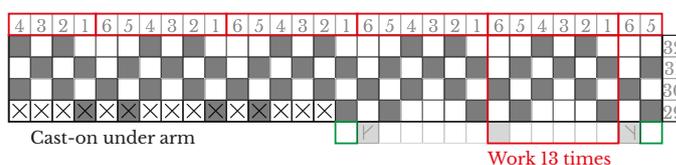
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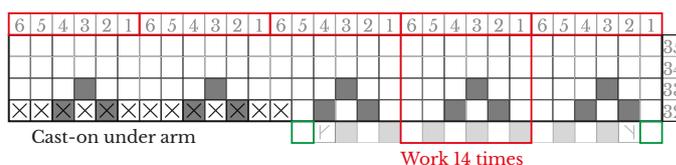
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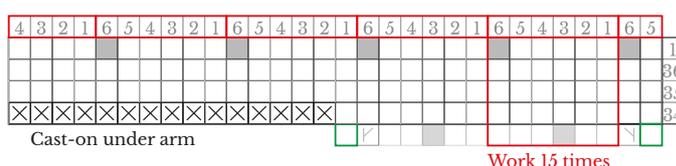
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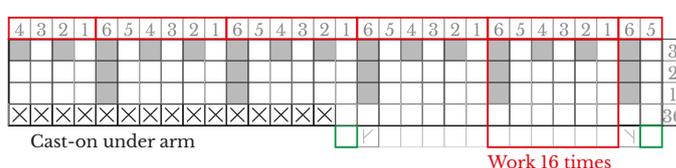
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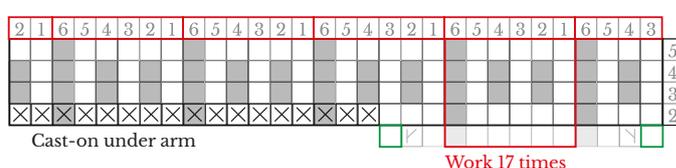
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Size 2XL



Size 3XL



Rib, body

Change to **needle 3,5mm**.

Knit one round. Then work rib in the repeat * p2, k2 * until rib measures approx. 6,5cm.



Work 2 rounds of double knit, swapping the stitches in the rib around to place them as * p1, k1 * this way:

1.:

* Slip one stitch purlwise with the yarn in front of the work. Knit the second stitch on the left needle in front of the first stitch without slipping the stitches off the needle. Then slip the first stitch purlwise with the yarn in front of the work and also let the second stitch slip off the needle. Knit one stitch *

Repeat ** until the marker.

2.:

* p, slip one stitch purlwise with the yarn in back of the work *, repeat ** until the marker.

Bind off with Italian bind-off.

Neck rib

Knit up stitches around the neckline with needle 3,5mm.

Start after the raglan stitches between the right shoulder and the back piece.

Knit up 30 (30) 30 (30) 30 (34) 34sts along the back piece.

Knit up 2sts in the raglan stitches.

Knit up 14sts along the left sleeve.

Knit up 2sts in the raglan stitches.

Knit up 38 (38) 38 (42) 42 (42) 42sts along the front piece.

Knit up 2sts in the raglan stitches.

Knit up 14sts along the right sleeve.

Knit up 2sts in the raglan stitches.

In total you have knitted up 104 (104) 104 (108) 108 (112) 112 sts at the neck.

Place a round marker.

Work rib in the repeat *p2, k2* until the rib measures approx. 8,5cm for high neck or 3cm for round neck.

Work 2 rounds of double knit, alternating the stitches in the rib as described for the body rib on the left.

Bind off with Italian bind-off.



Sleeves

The sleeves are worked separately in the round. Work as described, following the pattern repeat for your size in the charts on the right and on page 14. Decreases are made along two stitches on the inside of the sleeve, which are worked in colour A and are not part of the pattern repeat. These are marked in blue in the charts.

1.:
Transfer the resting sleeve stitches to your jacquard needle. Attach the yarn mid under the arm and knit up 7 (8) 9 (8) 9 (9) 10sts in colours as shown in the chart.

Knit the 55 (59) 63 (65) 69 (75) 73 sleeve stitches according to the chart.

Knit up 7 (8) 9 (8) 9 (9) 10sts to mid under the arm in colours as shown in the chart. Place a round marker.

There are 69 (75) 81 (81) 87 (93) 93sts on the needle.

2.:
Knit according to chart

3.:
Knit according to chart until 2sts before the marker, k2tog

4.:
SSK, knit according to chart until the marker

The decreases are made on different rounds to place them beside each other. Therefore the pattern will not begin and end the same way on rows 3. and 4.

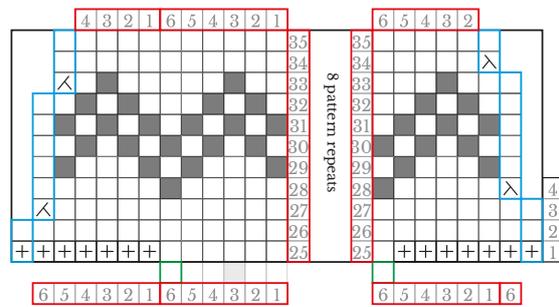
Continue working according to the chart with decreases every 6th (5th) 5th (5th) 4th (4th) 4th round as follows:

Knit 4 (3) 3 (3) 2 (2) 2 rounds according to the chart. Then work rows 3.-4.

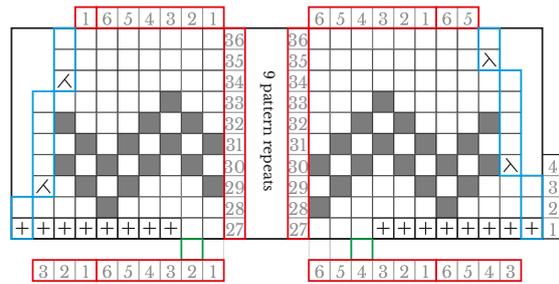
The charts show the first two pairs of decreases - continue according to the pattern repeat of 36 rows (page 3), with decreases, until you have made a total of 10 (13) 14 (14) 15 (18) 18 pairs of decreases.

-  k2tog
-  Knitted up stitch
-  SSK
-  Raglan stitch

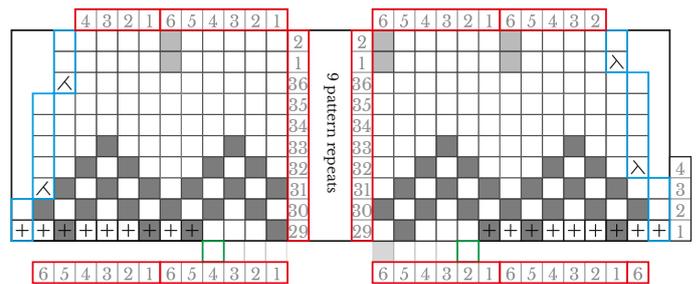
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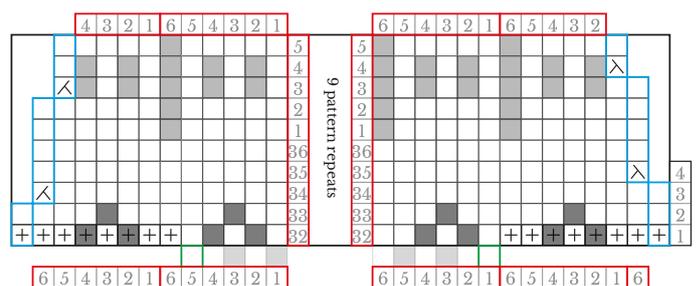
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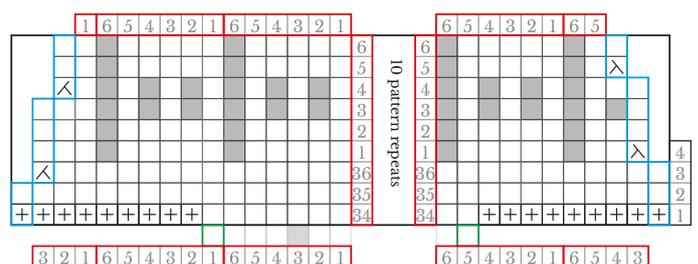
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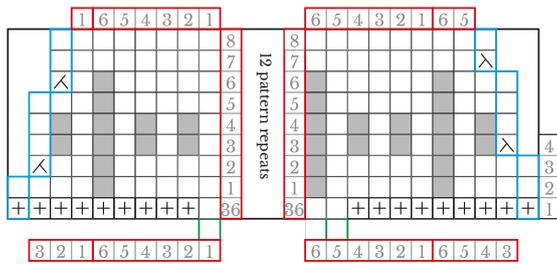
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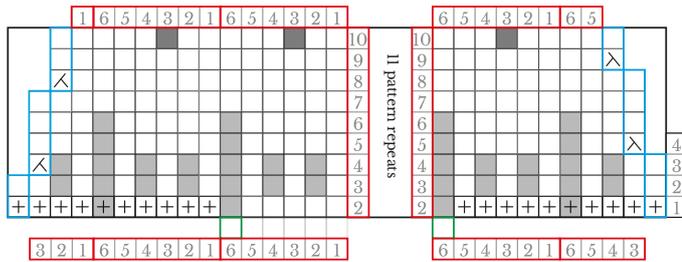
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Size 2XL



Size 3XL



- ⊗ k2tog + Knitted up stitch
⊗ SSK □ Raglan stitch

After the decreases there are 49 (49) 53 (53) 57 (57) 57sts on the needle.

Continue working the pattern (the two stitches on each side of the marker are knitted in colour A) until the sleeve measures approx. 40 (40) 41 (41) 41 (42) 42cm measured from under the armhole, or desired length before the rib edge of approx. 7 cm. You can choose to stop after needle 9, 18, 27 or 36 in the repeat.

Rib, sleeve

Change to needle 3,5mm.

Knit one round with 1 decrease before rib as follows:

k2tog, knit until the marker.

There are 48 (48) 52 (52) 56 (56) 56sts on the needle.

Work rib in the repeat * p2, k2 * until the rib measures approx. 6,5cm.



Work 2 rounds of double knit, swapping the stitches in the rib around to place them as * p1, k1 * this way:

- 1.:
 * Slip one stitch purlwise with the yarn in front of the work. Knit the second stitch on the left needle in front of the first stitch without slipping the stitches off the needle. Then slip the first stitch purlwise with the yarn in front of the work and also let the second stitch slip off the needle. Knit one stitch *

Repeat ** until the marker.

- 2.:
 * p, slip one stitch purlwise with the yarn in back of the work *, repeat ** until the marker.

Bind off with Italian bind-off.

Finally, weave in the ends on the wrong side.

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