

# *Champagne pullover*

Cable and lace pullover pattern by Sari Nordlund



#ChampagnePullover



The Champagne pullover has a boxy fit and dropped shoulders. It is knitted seamlessly top-down with a cable and lace pattern on the front, back and the sleeves. The pullover is started at the back neck and increased to the full width of the back. The increases over the cable pattern are fully charted. Then stitches are picked up for the shoulders and worked as the front of the pullover. The front and back are joined at underarm and the body is then worked in the round. Stitches are then picked up from the body for the sleeves and the neckband. The sleeves have a bit of short-row shaping at the sleeve caps to improve the fit. The hem and cuffs are finished with a tubular bind off, which provides a beautiful and stretchy edge that looks like the stitches roll over the edge to the other side of the ribbing. The neckband is folded double in the end.

For the stitch patterns to show best, I recommend choosing unicolor or slightly tonal colorways. The Champagne pullover is worked by holding one strand of fingering weight yarn together with a strand of silk mohair but you can also knit it using a single strand of DK weight yarn.

## Sizes

- 1 (2, 3, 4, 5) (6, 7, 8, 9)
- Finished bust circumference: 95 (105, 115, 125, 135) (145, 155, 165, 175) cm / 37.5 (41.25, 45.25, 49.25, 53.25) (57, 61, 65, 69) inches including the intended positive ease of 20 cm / 8 inches
- Length from hem to underarm (adjustable): 33 cm / 13 inches
- Sleeve length from cuff to underarm (adjustable): 42 cm / 16 inches
- Upper arm circumference: 34 (36, 38, 40, 43) (46, 49, 52, 55) cm / 13.25 (14.25, 15, 15.75, 16.75) (18.25, 19.25, 20.5, 21.75) inches

Note: The length of the body and sleeves are easily modified to suit your own body measurements. I recommend trying the sweater on every now and then while working on it to make sure you get the perfect length for your style. Please be aware that adjusting the lengths of the garment will also affect the amount of yarn needed to finish the project.

## Yarn

Note: If you are working with DK weight yarn, you will need only the amount listed for the fingering weight yarn. Work with a single strand throughout the whole project.

910 (1000, 1100, 1210, 1330) (1470, 1610, 1770, 1860) m / 1000 (1100, 1210, 1330, 1610) (1770, 1950, 2050, 2050) yards of fingering weight yarn and 910 (1000, 1100, 1210, 1330) (1470, 1610, 1770, 1860) m / 1000 (1100, 1210, 1330, 1610) (1770, 1950, 2050, 2050) yards of lace weight yarn (mohair).

Sample: 3 (3, 4, 4, 4) (5, 5, 5, 6) skeins of Tôt Le Matin Tot Single Sock (100% merino; 366 meters / 400 yards per 100 g) shown in the colorway Champagne and 5 (5, 5, 6, 6) (7, 8, 8, 9) skeins of Knitting for Olive Soft Silk Mohair (70% mohair, 30% silk; 225 m / 246 yards per 25 g), shown in colorway Elderflower.

## Needles

- 3 mm / US 2.5 circular needles with a cable of 40 cm / 16 inches for the neck ribbing
- 3 mm / US 2.5 DPNs or circular needles with a cable suitable for small circumference knitting for the cuffs
- 3 mm / US 2.5 circular needles with a cable of at least 80 cm / 32 inches for the hem
- 3.5 mm / US 4 DPNs or circular needles with a cable suitable for small circumference knitting for the sleeves
- 3.5 mm / US 4 circular needles with a cable of at least 80 cm / 32 inches for the body

## Gauge

20 sts and 28 rounds = 10 cm / 4 inches of Stockinette stitch on the larger needles in the round, blocked.

25 sts and 28 rounds = 10 cm / 4 inches of charted pattern on the larger needles in the round, blocked.

Note: Always use the needle size that gets you the right gauge!

## Notions

- 8 stitch markers
- 6 locking markers
- cable needle, if using
- waste yarn
- tapestry needle
- blocking tools

# Instructions

## BACK INCREASES

k1. 2 sts inc'd.

Note: If you are working with a combination of yarns (ie. fingering weight + mohair), hold both yarns together through the whole project.

Repeat Rows 5-6 another - (-, 0, 3, 4) (7, 8, 11, 12) times. - (-, 113, 125, 129) (141, 145, 157, 161) sts on needles.

Cast on 37 sts for the back neck on the larger needles. Do not join in the round. Place locking markers into the cast on edge below the first and last stitch of the row.

All sizes resume:

Place a locking marker at the first and last stitch of the row. These markers will help you when picking up stitches for the fronts.

Note: When working the charts on the WS rows, remember to read them from left to right and check the changed abbreviations for the stitches when working on the WS.

Next Row (RS): K until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until end.

Next Row (WS): P until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, p until end.

Row 1 (WS): Work Row 1 of the Back Increase Chart.

Row 2 (RS): Work Row 2 of the Back Increase Chart.

Continue as established until the piece measures 6 (4, 3.5, 3.5, 3) (3.5, 3, 3.5, 3.5) cm / 2.25 (1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 1.25) (1.5, 1.25, 1.5, 1.5) inches from the locking marker at the end of the increases, ending with a WS row.

Continue as established until you have finished the Back Increase Chart. 101 sts on needles.

From now on the increases will be in Stockinette stitch and the charted section in the middle will be worked according to the Main chart.

Make a note which row of the Main Chart you ended with, as you will need this information for the front later on. Place locking markers at the first and last stitch of the row. These markers will help you when picking up stitches for the sleeves.

Row 1 (RS): P1, m1L, pm, work Row 1 of the Main Chart until 1 st remains, pm, m1R, p1. 2 sts inc'd, 103 sts on needles.

Row 2 (WS): K1, m1R, p1, sm, work Row 2 of the Main Chart, sm, p1, m1L, k1. 2 sts inc'd, 105 sts on needles.

Then start increasing for the underarm as follows:

Row 1 (RS): K2, m1L, k until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until 2 sts remain, m1R, K2. 2 sts inc'd.

Row 2 (WS): P until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, p until end.

Sizes 2-9 only:

Row 3 (RS): P1, m1L, k until next m, sm, work Row 3 of the Main Chart, sm, k until 1 st remains, m1R, p1. 2 sts inc'd, 107 sts on needles.

Row 4 (WS): K1, m1R, p until next m, sm, work Row 4 of the Main Chart, sm, p until 1 st remains, m1L, k1. 2 sts inc'd, 109 sts on needles.

Repeat Rows 1-2 another 2 (5, 7, 7, 9) (9, 11, 11, 13) times. 111 (121, 129, 141, 149) (161, 169, 181, 189) sts on needles.

Sizes 3-9 only:

Row 5 (RS): P1, m1L, k until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until 1 st remains, m1R, p1. 2 sts inc'd.

Row 6 (WS): K1, m1R, p until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, p until 1 st remains, m1L,

Break yarn and put the sts on hold on a piece of waste yarn.

## LEFT FRONT SHOULDER

With the RS facing you and starting at the locking

marker at the left corner of the back neck cast on, pick up and knit 35 (37, 39, 45, 47) (53, 55, 61, 63) sts (= 1 st per row) along the left shoulder line until the locking marker at the end of increases on the left shoulder. You can now remove the two locking markers from the left shoulder.

Row 1 (WS): P3 (5, 7, 13, 15) (21, 23, 29, 31), pm, work Row 1 of the Left Front Chart.

Row 2 (RS): Work Row 2 of the Left Front Chart, sm, k until end.

Work as established until you have worked the end of Row 51. The Row 52 will be worked only after finishing the Right Front and joining the neck. You now have 44 (46, 48, 54, 56) (62, 64, 70, 72) sts on needles. Break yarn and put the sts on hold on a piece of waste yarn.

#### RIGHT FRONT SHOULDER

With the RS facing you and starting at the locking marker at the end of shoulder increases on the right shoulder, pick up and knit 35 (37, 39, 45, 47) (53, 55, 61, 63) sts (= 1 st per row) along the right shoulder line until the locking marker at the right corner of the back neck cast on. You can now remove the two locking markers from the right shoulder.

Row 1 (WS): Work Row 1 of the Right Front Chart, pm, p to end.

Row 2 (RS): K until next m, sm, work Row 2 of the Right Front Chart.

Work as established until you have worked the end of Row 51. You now have 44 (46, 48, 54, 56) (62, 64, 70, 72) sts on needles.

Row 52 (RS): K until next m, sm, work Row 52 of the Right Front Chart. Then cast on 17 sts using the Back Loop Cast On method or the Cable Cast On method. Take the sts held for the left front back on your needles, and work Row 52 of Left Front Chart, sm, k until end. 105 (109, 113, 125, 129) (141, 145, 157, 161) sts on needles.

#### FRONT

Next Row (WS): P until next m, sm, work Row 8 of the Main Chart, sm, p until end.

Next Row (RS): K until next m, sm, work the next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until end.

Work as established until the front measures 24 (23, 23.5, 25.5, 26) (28.5, 29, 31.5, 31.5) cm / 9.5 (9, 9.25, 10, 10.25) (11.25, 11.5, 12.5, 12.5) inches from the shoulder line, and you are on the same row of the Main Chart that you ended the back with before starting the underarm increases.

Place locking markers at the first and last stitch of the row. These markers will help you when picking up stitches for the sleeves. Then start increasing for the underarm as follows:

Row 1 (RS): K2, m1L, k until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until 2 sts remain, m1R, k2. 2 sts inc'd.

Row 2 (WS): P until next m, sm, work next row of the Main Chart, sm, p until end.

Repeat Rows 1-2 another 2 (5, 7, 7, 9) (9, 11, 11, 13) times. 111 (121, 129, 141, 149) (161, 169, 181, 189) sts on needles.

#### JOINING THE FRONT AND THE BACK.

Next Row (RS): K until next m, sm, work the next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until end, cast on 1 st, pm for side, and cast on another 2 sts for the underarm. Take the sts held for the back on your needles. K until next m, sm, work the same row of the Main Chart as you did for the front, sm, k until end. Then cast on 1 st, pm for BOR, and cast on another 2 sts for the underarm. Join for working in the round. 228 (248, 264, 288, 304) (328, 344, 368, 384) sts on needles.

Note: You are now working the charts in the round so work all chart rows on the RS from right to left.

Next Round: \*K until next m, sm, work the next row of the Main Chart, sm, k until next m, sm; repeat from \* until end.

Work as established until the body measures 28 cm / 11 inches from the underarm or 5 cm / 2 inches less than the desired length for the body.

HEM

Change to smaller needles.

Ribbing Round: \*K1, p1; repeat from \* until end.

Continue as established until the hem measures 5 cm / 2 inches or the desired length. Bind off all sts in pattern. I recommend using the Sewn Tubular Bind Off for the neatest result.

SLEEVES

Use the larger needles. Starting at the middle of the underarm cast on edge, pick up and knit 2 sts along the cast on edge, then 6 (8, 10, 10, 14) (14, 18, 18, 20) sts along the side of the sleeve until the first locking marker placed at the underarm shaping, pm. Then pick up and knit 63 (63, 63, 67, 65) (71, 69, 75, 77) sts until the second locking marker, pm. Pick up and knit another 6 (8, 10, 10, 14) (14, 18, 18, 20) sts from the side of the sleeve. Pick up 1 more stitch from the underarm cast on. Pm for BOR and join in the round. 78 (82, 86, 90, 96) (102, 108, 114, 120) sts on needles.

Short-row 1: K until next m, sm, then k9 (9, 9, 11, 10) (13, 12, 15, 16) sts, pm, work Row 1 of the Sleeve chart, pm, k until the next m, remove the marker and turn the work.

Short-row 2 (WS): Sl1 wyif and yo at the same time, pull the working yarn so that the "legs" of the slipped st rise up on the right needle and look like a pair of sts. From now on, this is called a "stitch pair." Then p until next m, sm, work Row 2 of the Sleeve chart, sm, p until the next m, remove the marker and turn the work.

Short-Row 3 (RS): Sl1 wyif and yo at the same time, pull the yarn as above, then k until next m, sm, work next row of the Sleeve chart, sm, k until the next stitch pair, work the stitch pair as k2tog, k2, turn the work.

Short-Row 4 (WS): Sl1 wyif and yo at the same time, pull the yarn as above, then p until next m, sm, work next row of the Sleeve chart, sm, p until the next stitch pair, work the stitch pair as p2tog, p2, turn the work.

Repeat Short-Rows 3-4 another 2 (3, 4, 4, 6) (6, 8, 8, 9) times.

Short-row 5 (RS): Sl1 wyif and yo at the same time, pull the yarn as above, then k until next m, sm, work next row of the Sleeve chart, sm, k until the next stitch pair, work it as k2tog, k to BOR m.

Next Round: Resume working in the round (note that all chart rows are now worked from right to left). K until the next m and work the remaining stitch pairs as k2tog at the same time. Sm, work the next round of the Sleeve chart, sm, k until the end.

Work as established until the sleeve measures 4.5 (3, 3, 3, 2) (2, 2, 2, 1) cm / 1.75 (1.25, 1.25, 1.25, 0.75) (0.75, 0.75, 0.75, 0.5) inch(es) from the underarm, then start decreasing for the sleeve as follows:

Decrease Round: K2, k2tog, k until the next m, sm, work the next round of the Sleeve chart, sm, k until 3 sts remain at the end of the round, ssk, k1. 2 sts dec'd.

Repeat the decreases on every 4.5 (3, 3, 3, 2) (2, 2, 2, 2) cm / 1.75 (1.25, 1.25, 1.25, 0.75) (0.75, 0.75, 0.75, 0.75) inch(es) another 6 (8, 8, 10, 13) (15, 16, 16, 17) times. 64 (64, 68, 68, 68) (70, 74, 80, 84) sts remain on needles.

After finishing the decreases, work as established until the sleeve measures 37 cm / 14.5 inches from the underarm or 5 cm / 2 inches less than the desired length of the sleeve.

CUFF

Change to smaller needles.

Ribbing Round: \*K1, p1; repeat from \* until end.

Continue as established until the cuff measures 5 cm / 2 inches or the desired length. Bind off all sts in pattern. I recommend using the Sewn Tubular Bind Off for the neatest result.

Work the second sleeve accordingly.

## NECKBAND

Using the smaller needles and starting at the right corner of the back neck cast on edge, pick up and knit 35 sts along the back neck, then approximately 34 stitches along the left side of the neck. Then pick up and knit 17 sts along the front neck and another 34 stitches along the right side of the neck. Pm for BOR and continue working in the round. Approximately 120 sts on needles, make sure the stitch count is even.

Ribbing Round: \*K1, p1; repeat from \* until end.

Work as established until the neck measures 10 cm / 4 inches. Bind off all sts loosely in pattern. Fold the neckband double and sew loosely on the inside of the pullover using the whip stitch.

## FINISHING

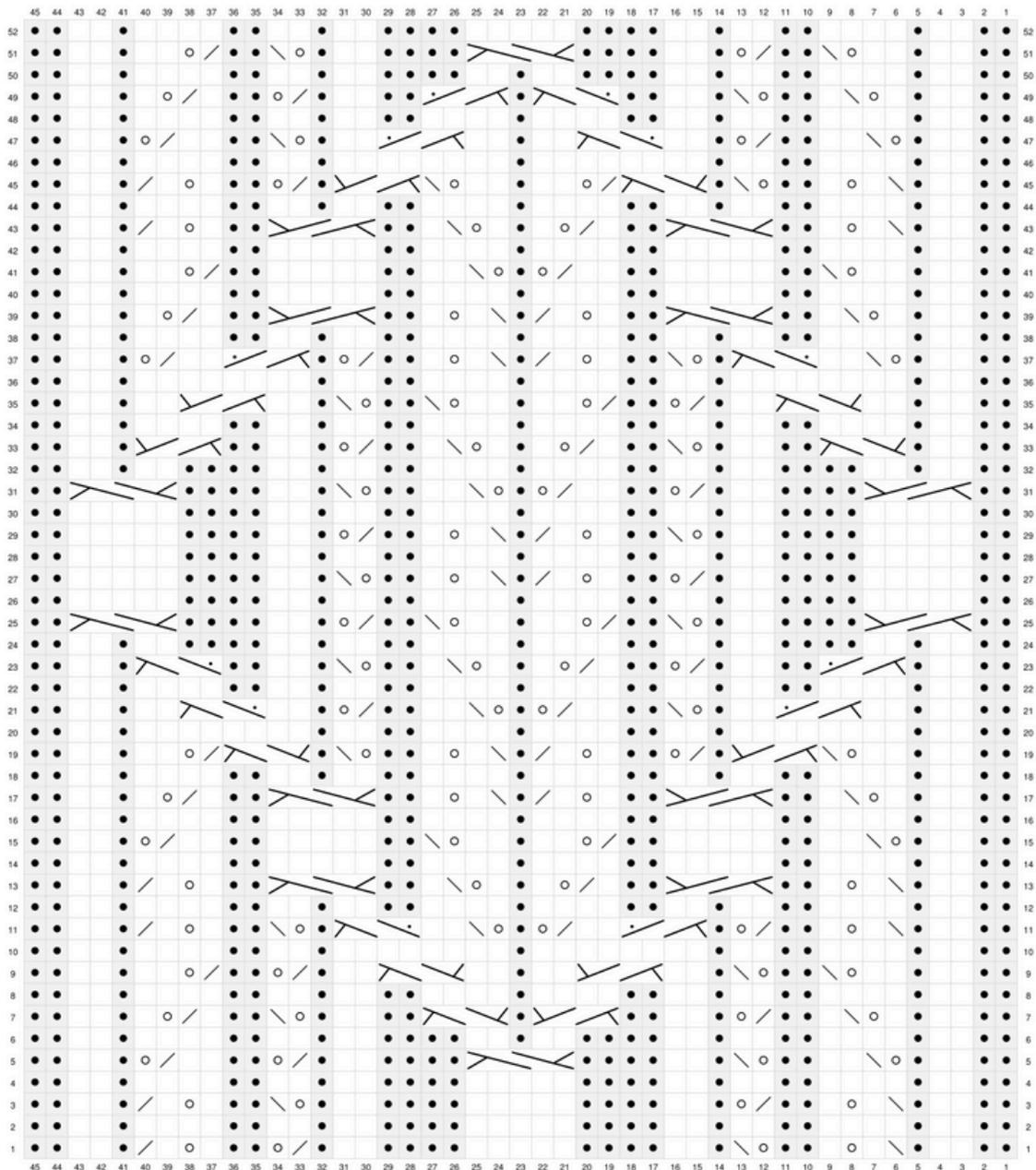
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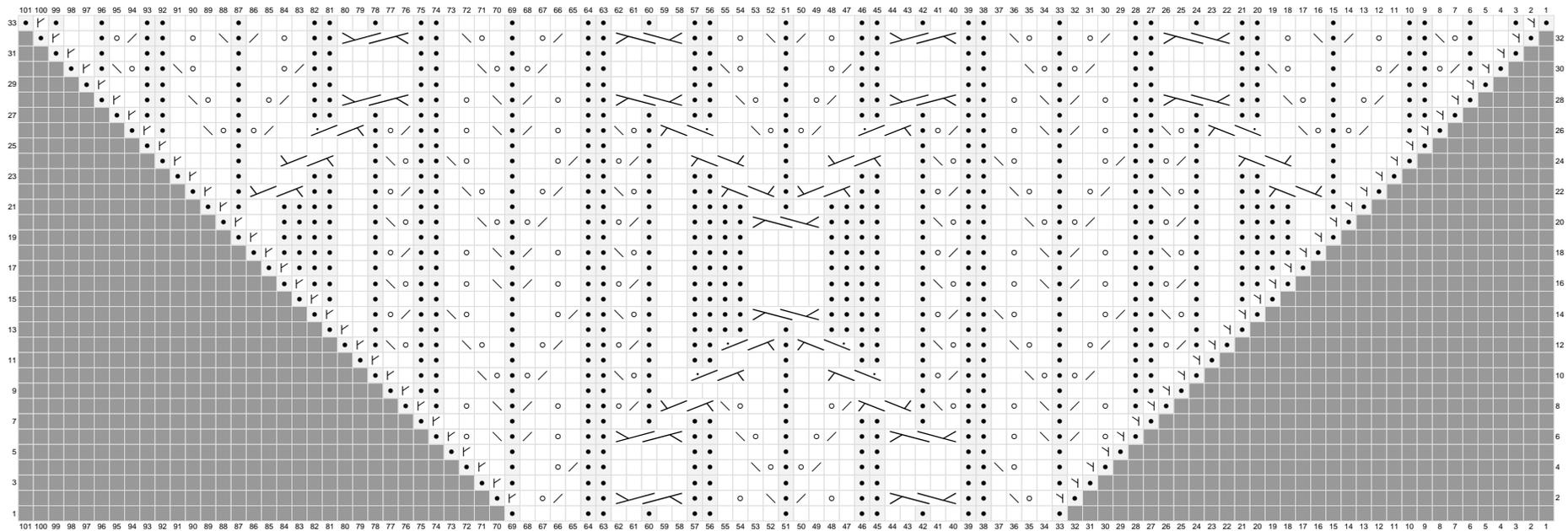
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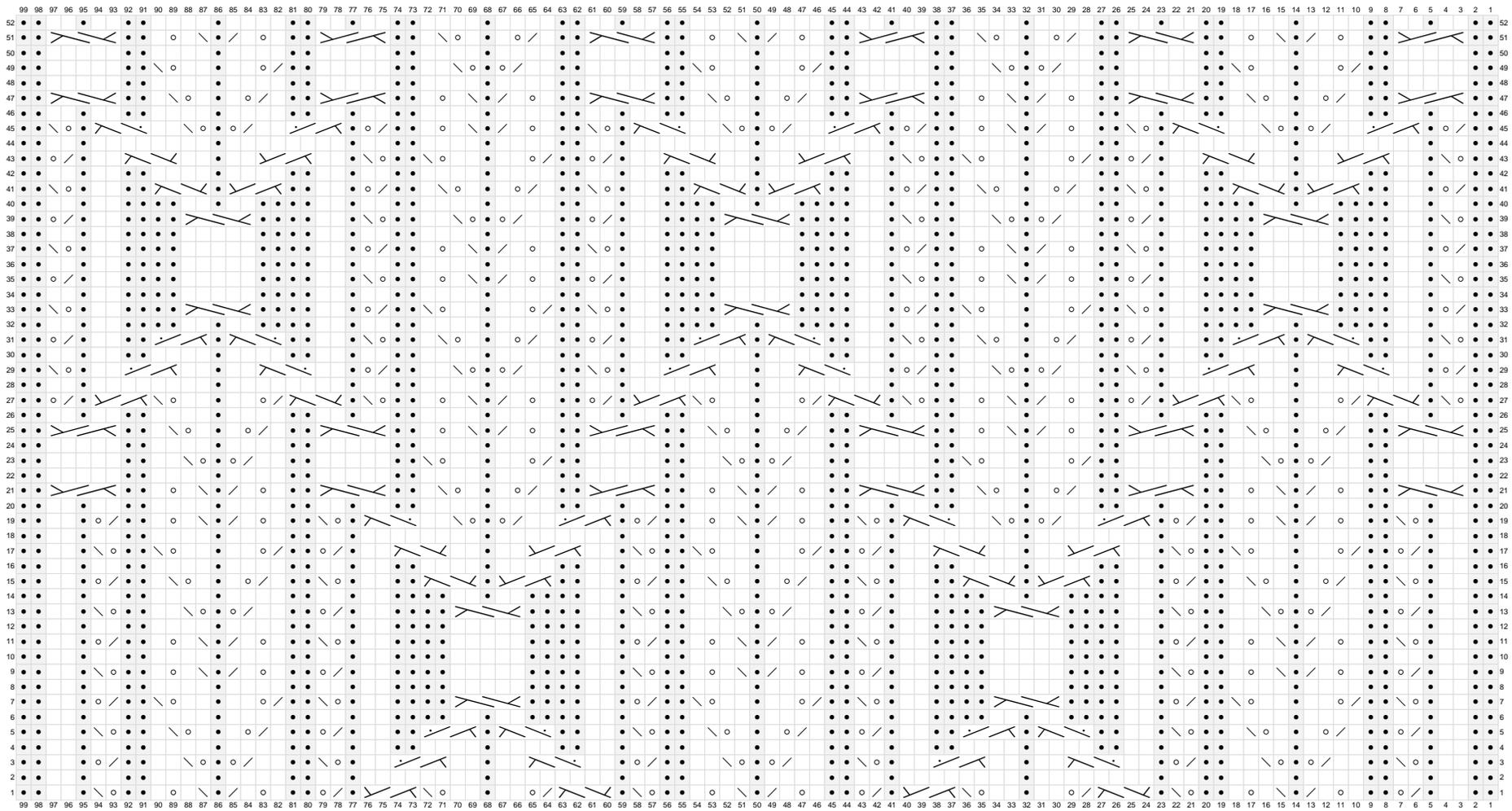
BOR	Beginning of the round
dec'd	Decreased
DPN(s)	Double pointed needle(s)
inc'd	Increased
k	Knit
k2tog	Knit 2 sts together
m	Marker
m1L	Make 1 knit stitch (left leaning)
m1Lp	Make 1 purl stitch (left leaning)
m1R	Make 1 knit stitch (right leaning)
m1Rp	Make 1 purl stitch (right leaning)
p	Purl
pm	Place marker
p2tog	Purl 2 sts together
RS	Right side
sl1	Slip 1 st
sm	Slip marker
ssk	(Slip knitwise) x 2, knit the slipped stitches together through the back loop
st(s)	Stitch(es)
WS	Wrong side
wyif	With yarn in front
yo	Yarn over
2/2 LC	2 over 2 left cable: slip 2 sts to cable needle at front, k2, then k2 from cable needle.
2/2 RC	2 over 2 right cable: slip 2 sts to cable needle at back, k2, then k2 from cable needle.
2/2 LCP	2 over 2 left cable purl: slip 2 sts to cable needle at front, p2, then k2 from cable needle.
2/2 RCP	2 over 2 right cable purl: slip 2 sts to cable needle at back, k2, then p2 from cable needle.
2/3 LC	2 over 3 left cable: slip 2 sts to cable needle at front, k3, then k2 from cable needle.
2/3 RC	2 over 3 right cable: slip 3 sts to cable needle at back, k2, then k3 from cable needle.

	RS: Knit WS: Purl		2/2 RC
	RS: Purl WS: Knit		2/2 LC
	Slip knitwise, slip knitwise, knit stitches together		2/3 RC
	Knit 2 together		2/3 LC
	Yarn over		m1R
	No stitch		m1L
	2/2 RCP		Work Row 52 of the Left Front Chart : only after finishing the Right Front Chart
	2/2 LCP		

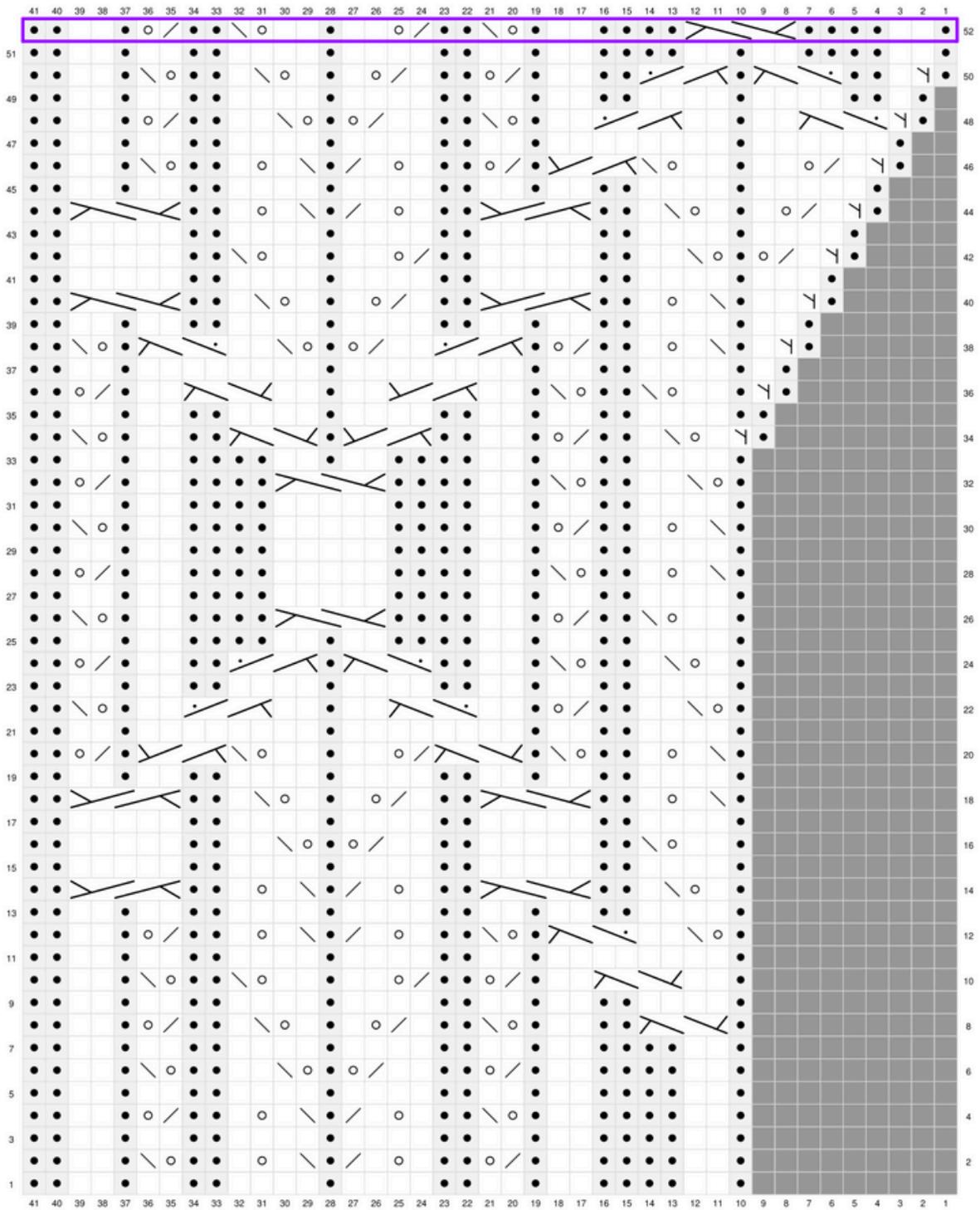
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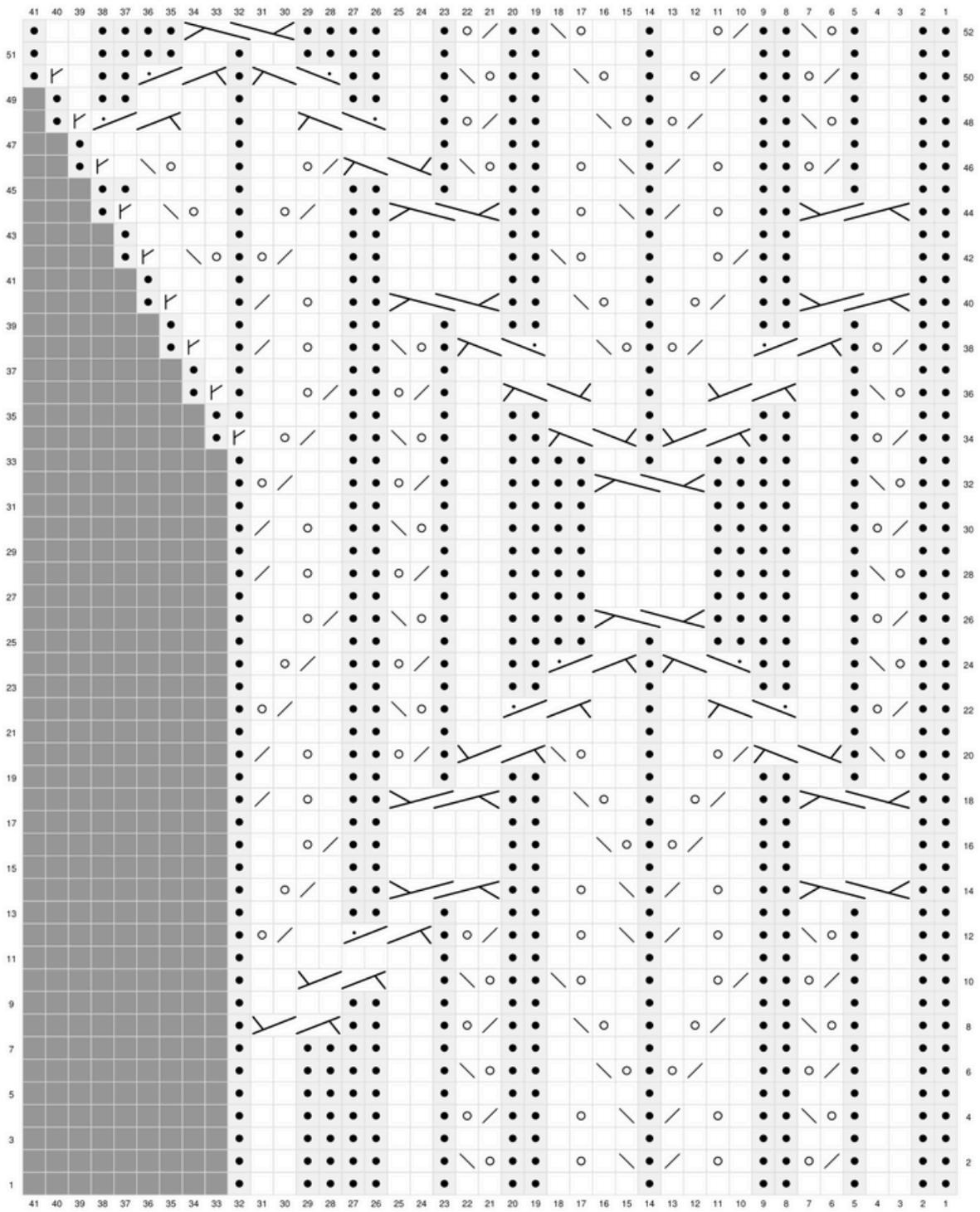




# Left Front Chart



# Right Front Chart





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