



High rise loose fit pants. The Crew Pants are worked top down and are seamless. They match the other patterns from the Crew series, enabling you to mix and match.

Size

XS (S) M (L) XL (XXL)

Measurements

The pants fit a waist measurement of 63-67 (67-72) 72-77 (77-83) 83-89 (89-93) cm

Inner leg length:

80 (80) 81 (81) 82 (82) cm

Recommended needles

Circular needle 4 mm (60 cm)

Circular needle 5 mm (60 cm)

Accessories

Elastic band 4 cm: 63 (68) 73 (79) 85 (91) cm

Gauge

18 sts and 25 rows with needle 5 mm in stockinette stitch = 10 x 10 cm

The gauge should rather be closer to 19 sts than to 17 sts.

Yarn

Peer Gynt from Sandnes Garn

Color 3021

100 % Norwegian wool

(50 g / 91 m)

600 (650) 700 (750) 800 (850) g

held together with

Tynn Silk Mohair from Sandnes Garn

Color 3021

57 % mohair, 28 % silk, 15 % wool

(25 g / 212 m)

150 (150) 175 (200) 200 (225) g

Yarn substitution

2 strands of Arwetta held together with 1 strand of Tilia, both from Filcolana

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Abbreviations**rnd(s):** Round(s)**BOR:** Beginning of round**M1R:** Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the stitches from the back and knit it**M1L:** Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the stitches from the front and knit it through the back loop**M1Rp:** Use the left needle to pick up the bar between the stitches from the front and purl it through the back loop**About the pattern**

The Crew Pants are worked top down.

The pants can be made with a ribbing at the bottom so that they match the Crew Sweater and the Crew Sweater Oversize, or they can be made with a folded edge at the bottom for a more simple look.

Waistband

Using needle 4 mm,

cast on 104 (112) 120 (128) 136 (144) sts.

Join in the round and place marker (BOR, midway on the back).

Work even in stockinette stitch until the work measures 4 cm. P 1 rnd, change to needle 5 mm and work 4.5 cm in stockinette stitch.

Sew together the elastic band by placing one end 0.5 cm over the other end and sew the ends together. The elastic band must be 2 cm shorter than your waist measurement or 63 (68) 73 (79) 85 (91) cm.

Fold the waistband (the knitted piece) around the elastic band to create a casing.

K the first st on the needle together with the first st from the cast on edge (place the st from the cast on edge on the left needle and k the 2 sts together). Continue like this until all sts on the needle are worked and the casing is closed.

Short rows and increases

Work increases and short rows to make the back of the pants higher. Use the German Short Rows technique to turn like this:

K8, turn, p until marker, p8, turn, k until marker.

K1, M1L, k14, turn, p until marker, p1, M1Rp, p14, turn, k until marker.

K22, turn, p until marker, p22, turn, k until marker.

K1, M1L, k28, turn, p until marker, p1, M1Rp, p28, turn, k until marker.

K37, turn, p until marker, p37, turn, k until marker.

K1, M1L, k43, turn, p until marker, p1, M1Rp, p43, turn, k until marker.

= 110 (118) 126 (134) 142 (150) sts

Work increases every 4 rnds on the back and front and every 12 rnds on the sides.

On the first rnd (only this once), place an additional 3 markers in order to divide the work into 4 parts:

After 28 (30) 32 (34) 36 (38) sts (side marker), after 27 (29) 31 (33) 35 (37) sts (midway on the front) and after 27 (29) 31 (33) 35 (37) sts (side marker).

Rnd 1, 2 and 3: K to end.**Rnd 4 (increases on front, back and sides):** K1, M1L, *k until 1 st before marker, M1R, k2, M1L; repeat from * another 2 times, k until 1 st before BOR marker, M1R, k1.**Rnd 5, 6 and 7:** K to end.**Rnd 8 (increases on front and back):** K1, M1L, k until marker, slip marker, k until 1 st before marker, M1R, k2, M1L, k until marker, slip marker, k until 1 st before BOR marker, M1R, k1.**Rnd 9, 10 and 11:** K to end.**Rnd 12 (increases on front and back):**

K1, M1L, k until marker, slip marker, k until 1 st before marker, M1R, k2, M1L, k until marker, slip marker, k until 1 st before BOR marker, M1R, k1.

Repeat rnds 1-12 a total of 4 times
= 174 (182) 190 (198) 206 (214) sts.Work rnds 1-4 again
= 182 (190) 198 (206) 214 (222) sts.

Only sizes XL (XXL)

Work rnds 5-8 again

= 182 (190) 198 (206) 218 (226) sts.

Dividing the workThe work is now divided and each leg is finished separately. K until the marker midway on the front, place the sts on a stitch holder (right leg), k to end (left leg)
= 91 (95) 99 (103) 109 (113) sts per leg.**Left leg**Cast on 9 (11) 13 (13) 15 (17) sts and place a marker in the middle of these new sts
= 100 (106) 112 (116) 124 (130) sts.**If you want ribbing at the bottom of the pants, work the last part of the leg like this**

Work even in stockinette stitch in the round until the leg measures 70 (70) 71 (71) 72 (72) cm or is 7 cm shorter than your desired length. Be aware that the pants stretch by 3-5 cm in length after washing.

Change to needle 4 mm and work 1 rnd in rib stitch while increasing as follows:
*K1, p1, k1, M1R; repeat from * as many times as possible and work rib stitch to end. If the last st is a k st, work an additional increase. Work 7 cm in rib stitch.

Before binding off, work the 2 following rnds:

Rnd 1: *K1, sl1p with yarn in front; repeat from * to end.**Rnd 2:** *Sl1p with yarn in back, p1; repeat from * to end.

Bind off using the Italian bind off method.

If you want a folded edge at the bottom of the pants, work the last part of the leg like this

Work even in stockinette stitch in the round until the leg measures 77 (77) 78 (78) 79 (79) cm or reaches your desired length. Be aware that the pants stretch by 3-5 cm in length after washing.

P 1 rnd.

Change to needle 4 mm and work another 3 cm. Bind off using needle 3.5 mm. Sew the bottom of the pants onto the wrong side.

Right leg

Pick up 5 (6) 7 (7) 8 (9) sts from the middle of the new sts on the left leg, place the sts of the right leg back on the needle and work them in continuation of the picked up sts, pick up 4 (5) 6 (6) 7 (8) sts from the end of the new sts on the left leg, place marker and join in the round.

From here, follow the same procedure as for the left leg.

Finishing

Weave in all ends.

If there is a small hole where the legs are joined, you can close it with a couple of stitches from the wrong side.

When the pants have been washed, the bottom of the legs should be blocked in order for the ribbing to become as wide as the rest of the leg.