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# ELVI TWEED POLO

## SIZES:

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

## MEASUREMENTS:

Total length: 58-59-59½-62½-64-65½-65½cm

Sleeve length: 41-42-43-44-45-46-47cm

Chest width: 48-51-53-58-62-67-73cm

## NEEDLES:

Circular needles size 4: Length 40 cm / 80 cm

Cable needle and maybe double pointed needles !

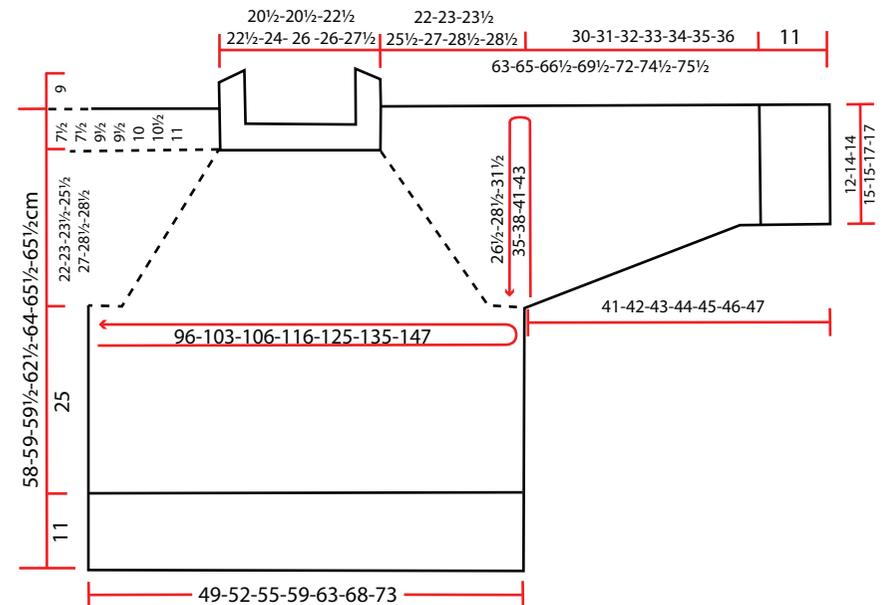
## TENSION:

10x10cm: 21 stitches across and 28 rows in height in stocking stitch

## YARN:

GARNSTUDIO DROPS Merino Soft Tweed - 05 Grizzlybear

(600-650-700-750-800-850-900g)



### SHORT DESCRIPTION:

Jumper with a very thick turtleneck with cable decorations. The jumper is knitted in Tweed yarn, on needle size 4mm. It is knitted top-down with raglan sleeves, which makes the work grow naturally over shoulders and chest, and requires minimal assembly.

### WORK OVERVIEW:

- You start at the center back and work top-down.
- The jumper starts with the neckline and yoke, which are knitted in the round on a circular needle.
- When the yoke is finished, the work is divided into front, back, and sleeves.
- The front and back, as well as the sleeves are knitted further in the round on circular needles.

### TURTLENECK:

The first thing you do is cast on stitches and knit the neckline.

- Start by casting on 91-98-105-105-112-112 stitches on double-pointed needles or circular needle size 4 (this number is divisible by 7, which is needed to knit the cables (PATTERN 1) evenly a whole round).
- Knit 1 row of knit stitches.
- Work cable pattern 1 (PATTERN 1) 13-14-15-15-16-16 times in the round.
- Knit 3 rows of knit stitches.
- The neck is now about 10cm in length. Turn the work inside out, so that the wrong side is facing out. It will later be folded down so that the right side of the cable pattern is facing outwards on the jumper.
- Now you are going to knit ribbing, k1, p1, in the round for about 9 cm.
- Work one round in stocking stitch while increasing 9-14-23-23-39-40-64 stitches evenly across the round, by making a yarn over. On the next round slip the yarn over off the left needle, then place it back onto the left needle in the opposite direction (insert the left needle from the back when replacing it). Knit the yarn over through the front loop (this prevents a hole from forming).
- Knit 1 row of knit stitches.

You now have 100-112-128-128-144-152-176 stitches on the needle.

- Place a marker to indicate the centre back; it can preferably be in a different colour than the markers used for the raglan. The work will be measured from this marker.

Now place another 4 markers in the work (this is done without knitting the stitches). Each marker is placed between 2 stitches (the raglan stitches).

- Count 17-19-21-21-24-26-31 knit stitches (approx. half of the back piece).
- Place the 1st marker.
- Count 16-18-22-22-24-24-26 stitches (sleeve).
- Place the 2nd marker.
- Count 34-38-42-42-48-52-62 knit stitches (front piece).
- Place the 3rd marker.
- Count 16-18-22-22-24-24-26 stitches (sleeve).
- Place the 4th marker.
- Count 17-19-21-21-24-26-31 knit stitches (approx. half of the back piece).

### NECKLINE:

Work short rows from mid-back as follows:

- ROW 1 (right side): Knit and increase for raglan (read description to the right), on each side of the first 2 marker-stitches (4 stitches increased), turn when you have knitted 3 stitches past marker-stitch 2.
- ROW 2 (wrong side): Purl and turn when you have worked 3 stitches past the last marker-stitch.
- ROW 3 (right side): Knit and increase for raglan on each side of the all marker-stitches (8 stitches increased), turn when you have knitted 2 stitches past the previous turn.
- ROW 4 (wrong side): Purl and turn when you have purlled 2 stitches past the previous turn.
- ROW 5 (right side): Knit and increase for raglan on each side of the first 2 marker-stitches (4 stitches increased), knit to mid-back.

### YOKE:

Knit in stocking stitch and continue the raglan increases as explained below. Check your gauge!

### Raglan increase:

When increasing for raglan, you increase by making a yarn over. On the next round, you work the yarn overs differently depending on if they are before or after the marker. **BEFORE THE MARKER:** Slip the yarn over off the left needle, then place it back onto the left needle in the opposite direction (insert the left needle from the back when replacing it). Knit the yarn over through the front loop – this prevents a hole from forming. Then work the new stitches in stocking stitch. **AFTER THE MARKER:** Knit the yarn over through the back loop – this prevents a hole from forming. Then continue in stocking stitch.

On the next round begin raglan increases. Increase on both sides of the raglan marker:

- Knit until 1 stitch **before** the 1st marker.
- Increase for the raglan.
- Knit 1 stitch.
- Slip the marker to the right-hand needle.
- Knit 1 stitch.
- Increase for the raglan.
- Repeat at the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th markers.

Continue in stockinette stitch, while working raglan increases on each side of the 4 markers every other row (8 stitches increased) as described below:

- Knit 1 row.
- Knit 1 row, while increasing for raglan at all 4 markers:
  - Increase 1 stitch for raglan.
  - Knit 2 stitches (marker between these).
  - Increase 1 stitch for raglan.

Increase in this way a total of 3-4-5-8-10-12-12 times (including the first increase), which corresponds to 6-8-10-16-20-24-24 rows. Don't forget to check gauge!

You now have 124-144-176-192-224-248-272 stitches, and the work measures 2-3-3 ½ -5½ -7-8½ -8½cm.

When these increases are done, continue in the same way, but now the increases are worked alternately; on the front and back every 2nd row, and on the sleeves only every 4th row. This means you increase 4 stitches every 2nd row (front and back only), and 8 stitches every 4th row (front, back, and sleeves). Rows in between are worked plain.

- Knit 1 row.
- Knit 1 row, but increase for raglan 1 time (front/back only) at all 4 markers:
  - Increase 1 stitch for raglan (front/back).
  - Knit 2 stitches (marker between these).
  - Do NOT increase on the sleeve.
- Knit 1 row, increasing for raglan 2 times at all 4 markers:
  - Increase 1 stitch for raglan (front/back).
  - Knit 2 stitches (marker between these).
  - Increase 1 stitch for raglan (sleeve).
- Knit 1 row.

Increase in this way a total of 14 times (including the first increase), which corresponds to 56 rows.

All the raglan increases are now complete. You have increased a total of 31-32-33-36-38-40-40 times on the front and back, and 17-18-19-22-24-26-26 times on the sleeves, and you now have 292-312-344-360-392-416-440 stitches on the needle. The work measures 22-23-23½-25½-27-28½-28½ cm.

### Dividing the work:

Now divide the work into front, back, and sleeves:

- Knit until marker no. 1 – this corresponds to the first 48-51-54-57-62-66-71 stitches (half the back piece).
- Place all stitches between marker 1 & 2 on a thread for sleeve – this corresponds to 50-54-60-66-72-76-78 stitches.
- Cast on 6-6-6-8-8-10-12 new stitches at the side under the sleeve.
- Knit until marker no. 3 – this corresponds to 96-102-108-114-124-132-142 stitches (front piece). Place all stitches between marker 3 & 4 on a thread for sleeve – this corresponds to 50-54-60-66-72-76-78 stitches.
- Cast on 6-6-6-8-8-10-12 new stitches at the side under the sleeve.
- Knit the last 48-51-54-57-62-66-71 stitches (half the back piece).

Now the yoke is finished, and the work continues separately on front, back, and sleeves. Going forward you measure from here.

#### BODY (FRONT & BACK):

You now have 202-216-222-244-262-284-308 stitches on the needle.

- Place 1 marker in the middle of the 6-6-6-8-8-10-12 stitches that were cast on under the arm, this is where the round begins going forward.
- Knit stocking stitch for 25cm. (There are about 11 cm left to the finished length, adjust the length now if needed.)
- Knit 1 round and increase 36-36-44-36-32-38-42 stitches evenly distributed on the front and the back - do not increase in the pattern/cabel.

You now have 238-252-266-280-294-322-350 stitches on the needle (this number is divisible by 7, which is needed to knit the cables (PATTERN 2) evenly a whole round).

Now knit PATTERN 2: (Read the diagrams from right to left and repeat across the round)

- Work the cable pattern 34-36-38-40-42-46-50 times in total.
- Bind off; 1 knit, 1 purl.

The jumper now measures approx. 58-59-59½-62½-64-65½-65½cm from the neckline.

#### SLEEVES:

Place the 50-54-60-66-72-76-78 stitches from the thread on one side of the work on double-pointed needles or a short circular needle no. 4, and pick up 1 stitch in each of the 6-6-6-8-8-10-12 stitches that were cast on under the sleeve = total 56-60-66-74-80-86-90 stitches.

- Place 1 marker in the middle of the 6-6-6-8-8-10-12 stitches that were cast on under the arm, you will use this marker when you decrease the sleeve stitches. This is also where the round begins going forward.
- When the sleeve measures 4 cm from the division, decrease 2 stitches. Then repeat this every 5-5-5-4-3-3-3cm, untill you have decreased a total of 2-2-4-6-8-9-9 times.
- Continue on stocking stitch untill the sleeve measures 30-31-32-33-34-35-35 cm from the division. The sleeve should now measure to about 2cm above the wrist, if it doesn't; continue knitting until it does. (There are about 11 cm left to the finished length.)

When finished, you will have 52-56-58-62-64-68-72 stitches on the needle.

- Knit 1 round and increase 18-21-19-22-20-23-19 stitches evenly

You now have 70-77-77-84-84-91-91 stitches on the needle (this number is divisible by 7, which is needed to knit the cables (PATTERN 2) evenly a whole round).

Now knit PATTERN 2: (Read the diagrams from right to left and repeat across the round)

- Work the cable pattern 10-11-11-12-12-13-13 times in total.
- Bind off; 1 knit, 1 purl.

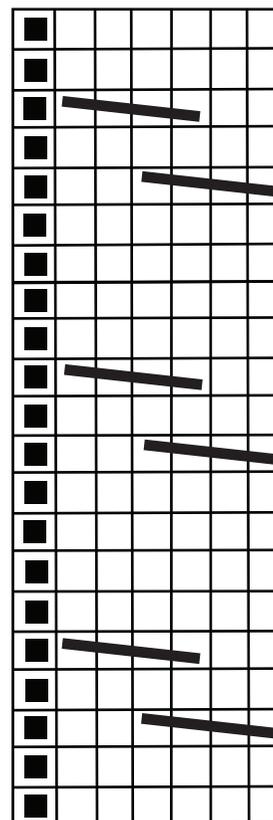
The sleeve now measures 41-42-43-44-45-46-47 cm from the division.

**Knit the second sleeve in the same way!**

#### ASSEMBLY:

If you find that the neckline expands and stretches, you can sew a support stitch on the inside to stop it from stretching. Make sure not to sew it too tight as it still needs to be elastic.

#### PATTERN 1



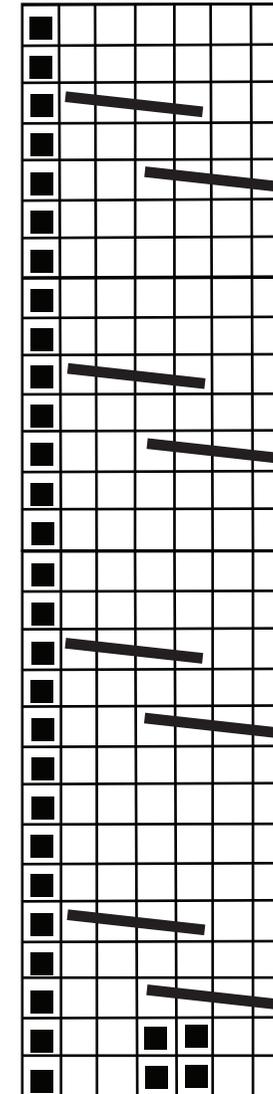
Repeat →  
Work cable pattern in the round.

□ Knit from the right side, purl from the wrong side

■ Purl from the right side, knit from the wrong side

▬ Slip 2 stitches on cable needle in front of piece, knit 2, knit 2 from cable needle

#### PATTERN 2



Repeat →  
Work cable pattern in the round.