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## Tammi

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**Tammi is oak in Finnish. Tammi is designed with inspiration from the bark of the oak tree and the soft, organic shapes found in the forest. The pattern captures nature's gentle elements, creating a calm and natural expression. With its soft, lightweight fit, the vest is both comfortable and practical – ideal for everyday wear as well as special occasions. Thanks to its classic and elegant design, the Tammi vest is made to last for years to come – just like the oak tree standing proudly in the forest.**

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## Sizes & Measurements

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**S (M) L (XL)**

**Fits chest circumference**

88-90 (91-100) 101-110 (111-120) cm

**Circumference (A)**

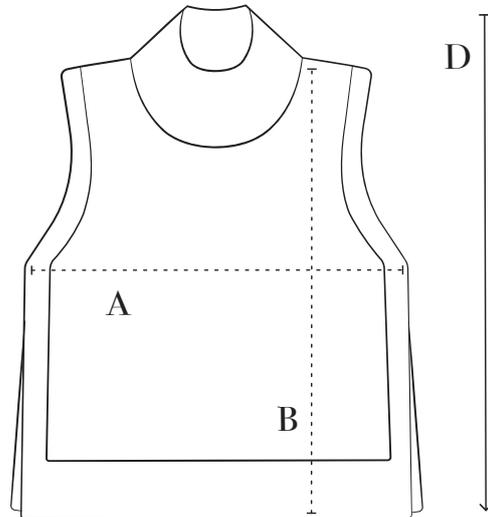
92 (102) 112 (122) cm

The model in the photo is shown  
with 4 cm of positive ease

**Length (B)**

53 (54) 55 (56) cm

**Knitting direction (D)**



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## Materials

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**YARN FROM FILCOLANA**

**Pernilla colour 192 (Steel Blue)**

300 (300) 350 (400) g

**NEEDLES**

3.5 mm and 4 mm needles

Cable needle

**EXTRAS**

1 Stitch marker

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## Gauge

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30 sts and 32 rows in pattern according to chart,  
worked on a 4 mm needle = 10 x 10 cm.

The gauge is measured after washing and  
blocking.

Needle sizes are for guidance only.

If you have more stitches on 10 cm, change to a larger  
needle. If you have fewer stitches on 10 cm, change to  
smaller needles.

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## Technique

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### ABBREVIATIONS

**k:** knit

**p:** purl

**st(s):** stitch(es)

**RS:** right side

**WS:** wrong side

**tog:** together

**tbl:** through the back loop of stitch

### M1L - Left slanted increase

From the front, lift the horizontal strand between stitches with the left needle and knit through the back loop (1 st increase).

### M1R - Right slanted increase

From the back, lift the horizontal strand between the two stitches with the left needle and knit through the front loop (1 st increase).

### M1RP - Right slanted increase as seen on RS

With the left needle pick up the strand between the 2 sts, from back to front. Purl through the front loop.

### M1LP - Left slanted increase as seen on RS

With the left needle pick up the strand between 2 sts from front to back. Purl through the back loop.

### 3F3

Slip 3 sts to cable needle in front of work, k3, knit the sts from the cable needle.

### 3B3

Slip 3 sts to cable needle at back of work, k3, knit the sts from the cable needle.

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## Workflow

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The Tammi slipover is knitted from the top down, with the back and front pieces worked separately.

The shoulders are joined using Kitchener sts, and sts are picked up for the collar.

Finally, the side seams are sewn together using Mattress sts.

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## Chart

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The charts are read from the bottom and up, from right to left on right side rows and from left to right on wrong side rows.





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# Pattern

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## BACK

Cast on 88 (88) 100 (100) sts on a 4 mm needle.  
The first row is a WS row.

Work 1st – 5th row of chart A.

**NOTE:** The stitches within the blue boxes are worked in sizes L and XL only.

If you are knitting size S or M, these stitches are skipped.

The stitches between the red lines form the pattern repeat, which is repeated until there are not enough stitches left for a full repeat. After that, work the remaining stitches after the final red line.

Repeat 6th – 21st row of the chart, to a total of 53 (49) 53 (45) rows are completed. Last row is the 21st (12th) 21st (9th) row of the chart, which is a row from the WS.



## Armholes

Now increase for armholes on all RS rows as follows:  
Work first 10 sts of the chart, work a M1R or a M1RP as advised below, work according to chart to the last 10 sts, work a M1L or a M1LP as advised below. The new sts are worked according to chart as they come.

## Size S only

Work M1RP and M1LP on the first 2 RS rows, then work M1R and M1L on the following 12 RS rows.  
A total of 14 increases have been worked and there are 9 cables across the row = 144 sts.

## Size M only

Work M1RP and M1LP on the first 2 RS rows, then work M1R and M1L on the following 12 RS rows, then work M1RP and M1LP on the next 2 RS rows, and then M1R and M1L on the next 6 RS rows.  
A total of 22 increases have been worked and there are 9 cables and half a cable at each side = 160 sts.

## Size L only

Work M1R and M1L on the first 6 RS rows, then work M1RP and M1LP on the next 2 RS rows, and then M1R and M1L on the next 12 RS rows.  
A total of 20 increases have been worked and there are 11 cables across the row = 172 sts.

## Size XL only

Work M1R and M1L on the first 6 RS rows, then work M1RP and M1LP on the next 2 RS rows, and then M1R and M1L on the next 12 RS rows, then work M1RP and M1LP on the next 2 RS rows and finally work M1R and M1L on the next 6 RS rows.  
A total of 28 increases have been worked and there are 11 cables and half a cable at each side = 188 sts.

## All sizes

Continue in pattern as established to work measures 45 (46) 47 (48) cm from the cast on row.

Change to a 3.5 mm needle.

## Rib

**Next row (RS):** K1, [k1tbl, p1] 4 times, k2tog, \*p1, k1tbl\*, repeat from \* to \*, to the last st, k1.

**Next row:** \*K1, p1tbl\*, repeat from \* to \* to the last st, k1.

Continue in twisted rib as the sts indicate, to rib measures 6 cm. The last row is from the WS.



**Next row (RS):** K2tog, \*slip 1 st purl wise with the yarn in front of work, k1tbl\*, repeat from \* to \*, to the last 2 sts, k2tog.

**Next row:** \*Slip 1 st knit wise with the yarn at back of work, p1\*, repeat from \* to \*, to the last st, slip the last st knit wise with the yarn at back of work.

Bind off the sts using Italian bind off method as follows: Break the yarn with a length 3 times the width of the rib. Use a darning needle.

1. Insert the needle into the first st on the left needle purl wise and pull the yarn through.
2. Insert the needle in the gap between the first and second st from back to front and pull the yarn through.
3. Insert the needle knit wise through the second st from front to back.
4. Insert the needle knit wise into the first st and drop the st off the needle.
5. From the front, insert the needle purl wise into the front leg of the second st, pull the yarn through.
6. Insert the needle purl wise into the first st and drop the st off the needle.

Repeat 2-6 until all sts are bound off.  
Weave the end in thoroughly.

## LEFT FRONT

Cast on 26 (26) 32 (32) sts on a 4 mm needle. The first row is from the WS.

Work 1st – 37th row of chart B.

Break the yarn and slip the sts to a stitch holder.

## RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 26 (26) 32 (32) sts on a 4 mm needle. The first row is from the WS.

Work 1st – 37th row of chart C.

Now join the fronts as follows:

**38th row of chart (RS):** Work all sts on the right front according to 38th row of chart C, cast on 18 sts using the backward loop cast on technique, work the sts on the left front according to 38th row of chart B.

**39th row of chart:** Work as the sts indicates, purl the new sts at centre front.

**40th row of chart:** Work according to 40th row of C, then 40th row according to chart D, and finally according to 40th row of chart B.

**41st row of chart:** Work as the sts indicates to end of row.





**42nd row of chart:** Work according to 42nd row of C, then 42nd row according to chart D, and finally according to 42nd row of chart B.

All increases at centre front are now completed. Continue in pattern as established to a total of 53 (49) 53 (45) rows from the cast on rows on the shoulder, have been completed. Last row is the 21st (12th) 21st (9th) row of the chart, which is a row from the WS.

Work armholes and finish the front the same way as the back.

### **Finishing**

Sew the shoulders together using Kitchener sts.

### **COLLAR**

Join the yarn to the RS of left shoulder seam, use a 3.5 mm needle and pick up and knit 138 sts along the neckline as follows:

Pick up 1 st for every row at the vertical edges and 1 st in each st on the horizontal edges, pick up some extra sts in the curves, to avoid holes.

Insert a beginning of round marker and join the round.

Work 8 cm of twisted rib (k1tbl, p1).

**Next round:** \*K1tbl, slip 1 st purl wise with the yarn in front of work\*, repeat from \* to \*, to end of round.

**Next round:** \*slip 1 st knit wise with the yarn at back of work, p1\*, repeat from \* to \*, to end of round.

Bind off with Italian bind off as on the body.

### **FINISHING**

Try on the slipover before seaming it together using mattress stitch.

Decide how high you want the slit to go – or perhaps you prefer not to have a slit at all.

This detail really allows you to play with the overall look of the slipover, as the slit height can make a noticeable difference in how it complements the body shape.

Weave in all ends.

Wash the slipover according to instructions on the ball band and leave it to dry flat on a towel.

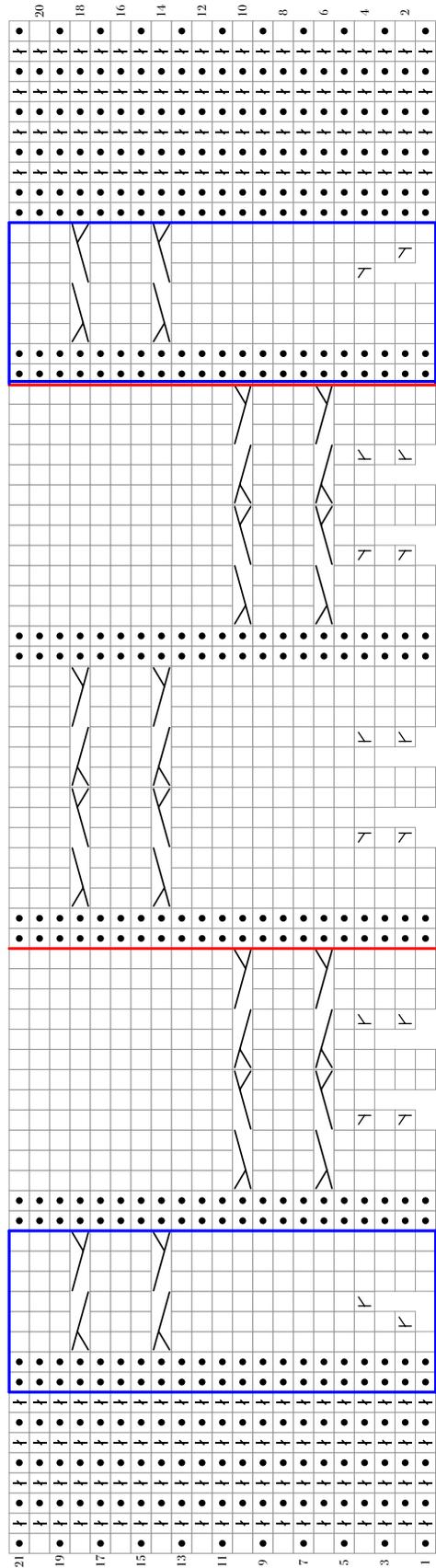




# Charts

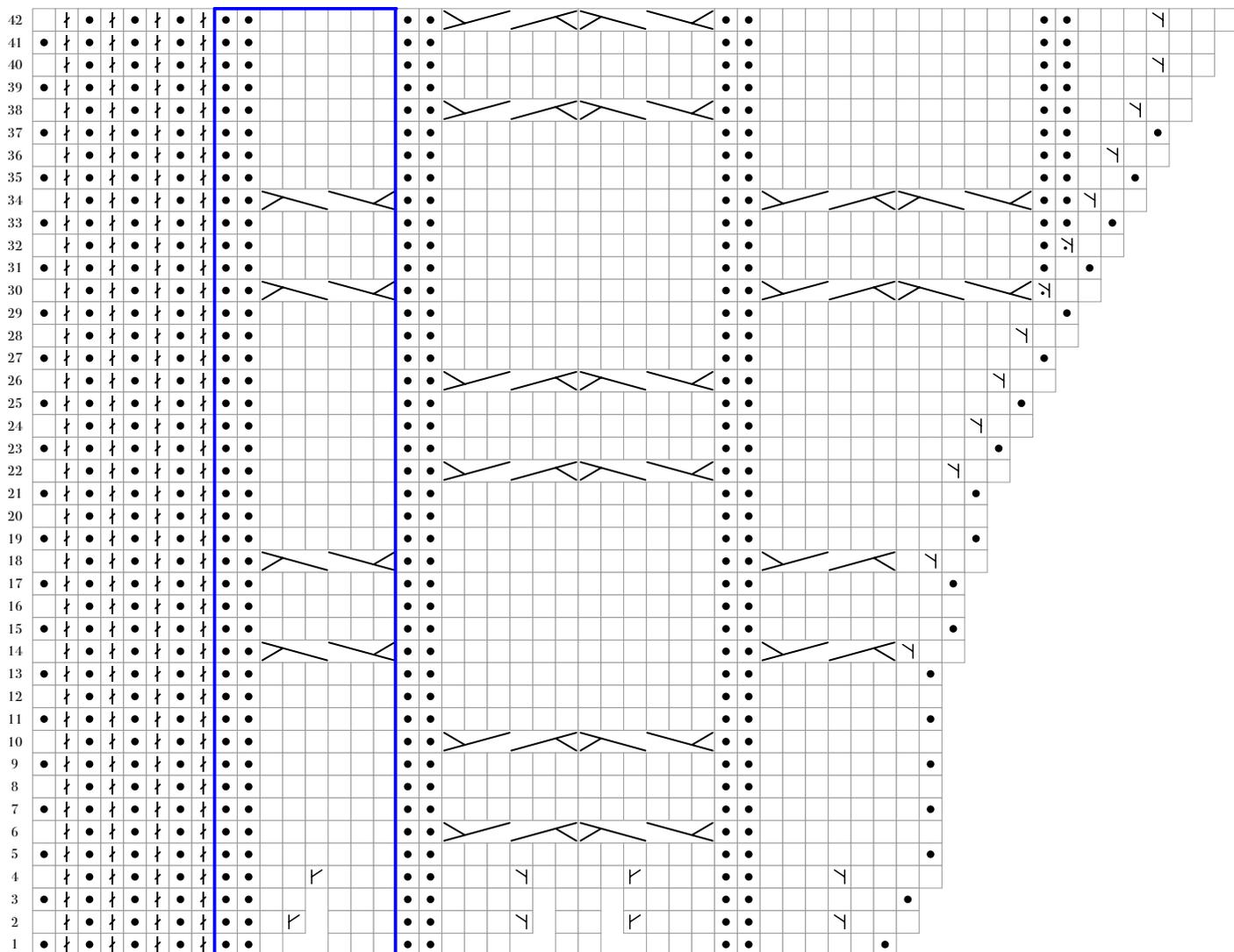
- Knit on RS, purl on WS
- Purl on RS, knit on WS
- These sts are for sizes L and XL only. Skip these if working sizes S and M.
- Repeat
- K1tbl on RS, p1tbl on WS
- M1R
- M1L
- M1RP
- M1LP
-  3F3: Slip 3 sts to cable needle in front of work, k3, knit the sts from the cable needle.
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## Chart A, Back



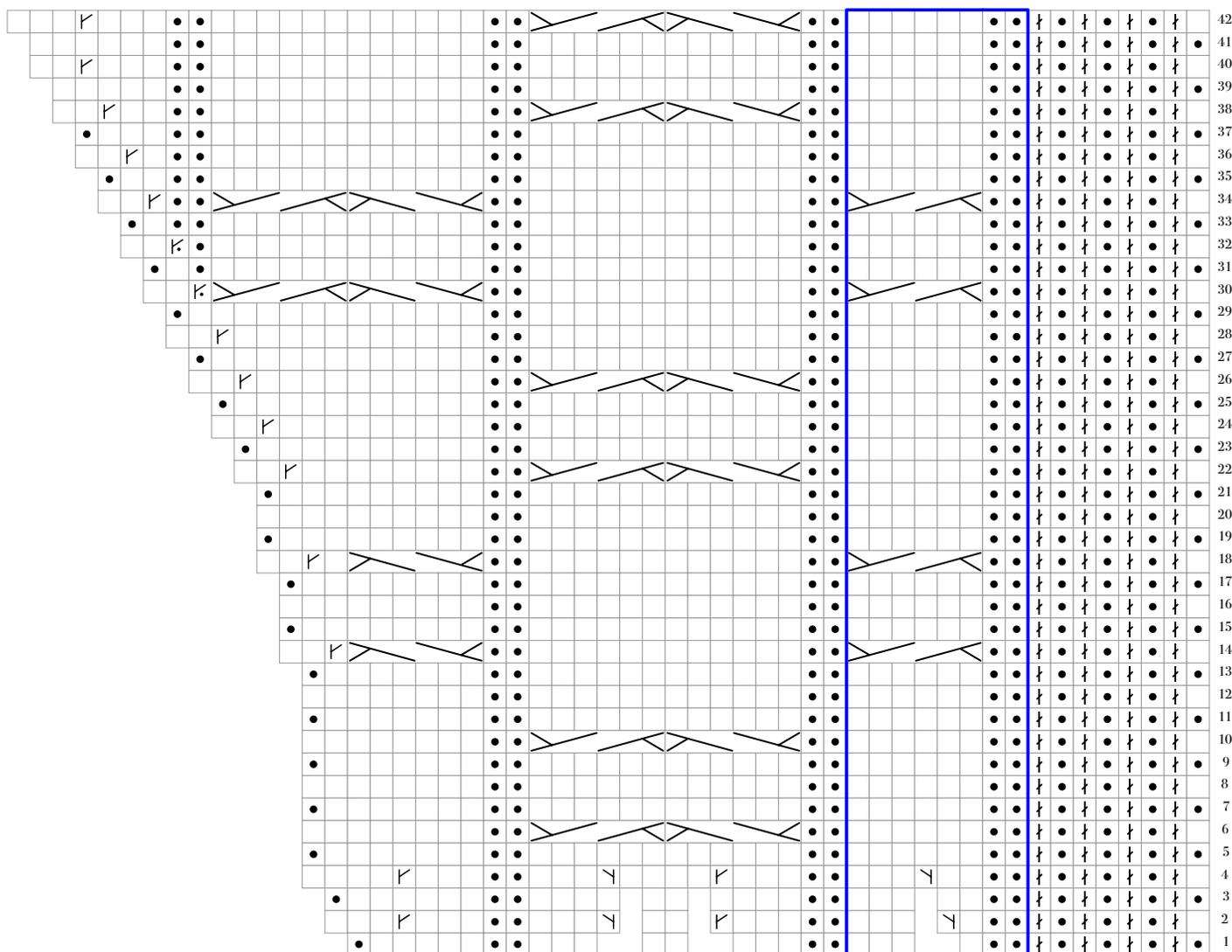


# Chart B, Left front





# Chart C, Right front



# Chart D, Joining the fronts

