

PERFECT SENSE WRAP

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5MM (US8)

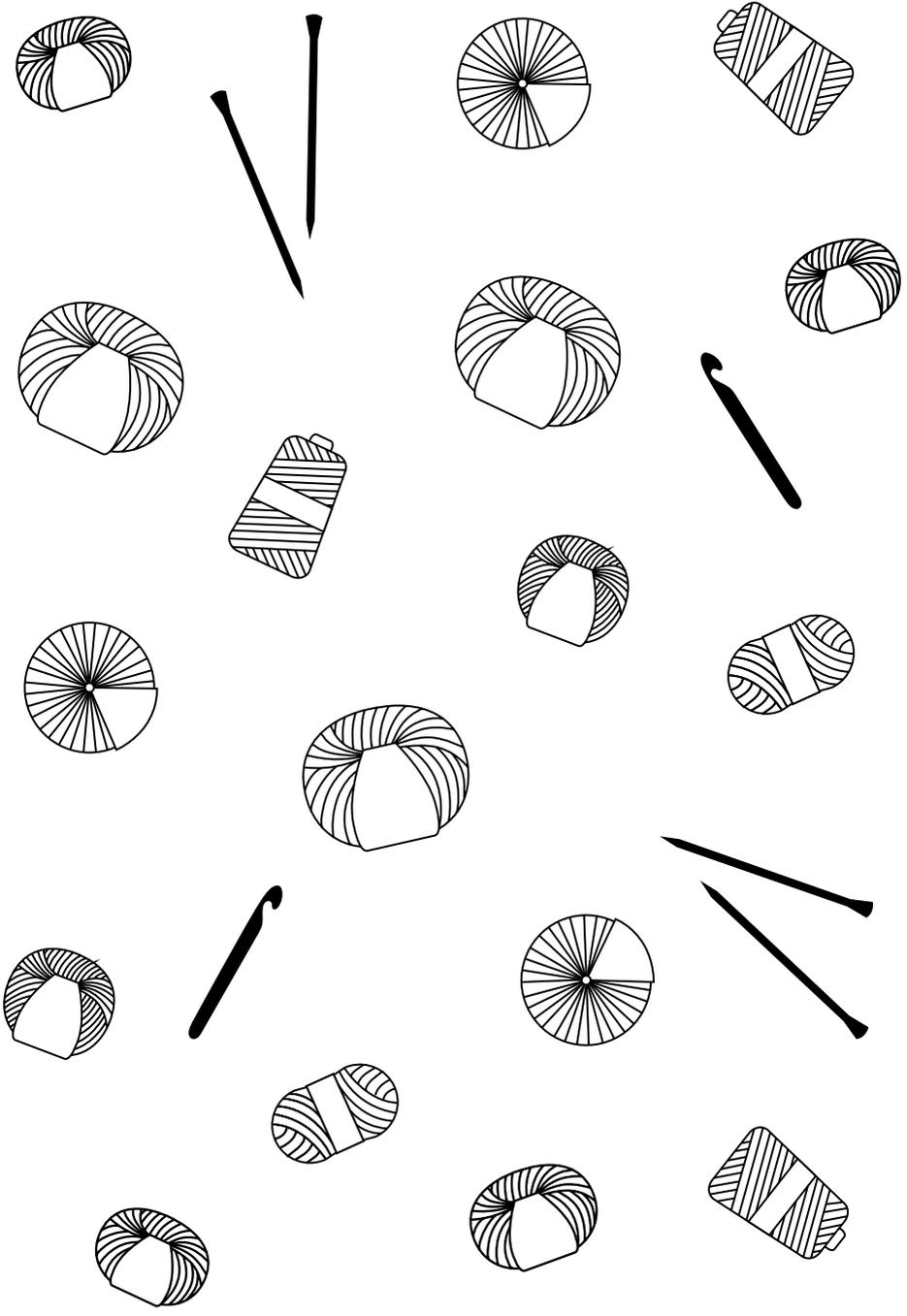


6.5MM (US10.5)



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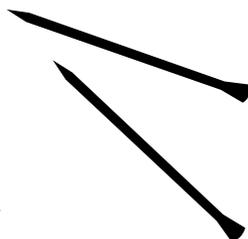
1 GET YOUR TOOLS READY Everything you need to get started.

PRÉPAREZ VOTRE MATÉRIEL

Assurez-vous de disposer de tout ce dont vous avez besoin pour votre projet.

BEREITE DEINE MATERIALIEN VOR

Suche alles zusammen, was du für dein Projekt benötigst.



2 FAMILIARISE YOURSELF WITH THE TECHNIQUES

Everything from the stitches used to the finishing touches for your project.

FAMILIARISEZ-VOUS AVEC LES DIFFÉRENTES TECHNIQUES

En commençant par les points utilisés jusqu'à la touche finale du projet.

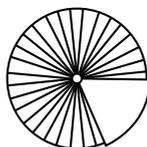
MACH DICH MIT DEN TECHNIKEN VERTRAUT

Lies hier alles über die zu benutzenden Maschen, Muster und Techniken.



3 GET TO KNOW YOUR YARN

Before you start your piece, play around with your new yarn to get used to it, and to check your tension.

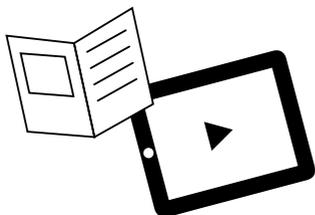


DÉCOUVREZ VOTRE LAINE

Avant d'entamer votre projet, découvrez votre laine pour vous y habituer et tester votre tension.

LERNE DEIN GARN KENNEN

Mach dich mit deinem Garn vertraut, bevor du mit deinem Projekt beginnst, und vergiss nicht die Maschenprobe!



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When you're done - let the world know.

Une fois votre projet terminé, partagez-le avec le monde entier !

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4 WOOL SCHOOL

Pick up your tools & yarn and make the magic happen! For a little extra help, check out our Wool School.

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MEASUREMENTS

The pattern includes directions for 4 sizes. When the instructions differ between sizes, information is given for size 1 first, then for sizes 2 - 4 in brackets, separated by a colon. (example: size 1 [size 2:size 3:size 4].)

You might want to highlight your size before you start making!

DIMENSIONS

Ce patron contient les instructions pour 4 tailles. Lorsque les informations diffèrent pour les tailles, les instructions sont d'abord données pour la taille 1, puis pour les tailles 2 à 4 entre crochets, séparées par des points-virgule (exemple : taille 1 [taille 2; taille 3 ; taille 4]).

Pensez à surligner votre taille avant de tricoter !

MASSE

In der Anleitung findest du Angaben für 4 Größen. Dort, wo sich die Angaben voneinander unterscheiden, findest du zuerst die Anleitung für Größe 1 und dahinter die für Größe 2-4 in Klammern, welche wiederum mit Doppelpunkten voneinander getrennt sind (Beispiel: Größe 1 [Größe 2 : Größe 3 : Größe 4]).

TIP: Markiere dir die Angaben für deine Größe mit einem Textmarker, um dich besser zurecht zu finden.

SIZE / TAILLE / GRÖSSE

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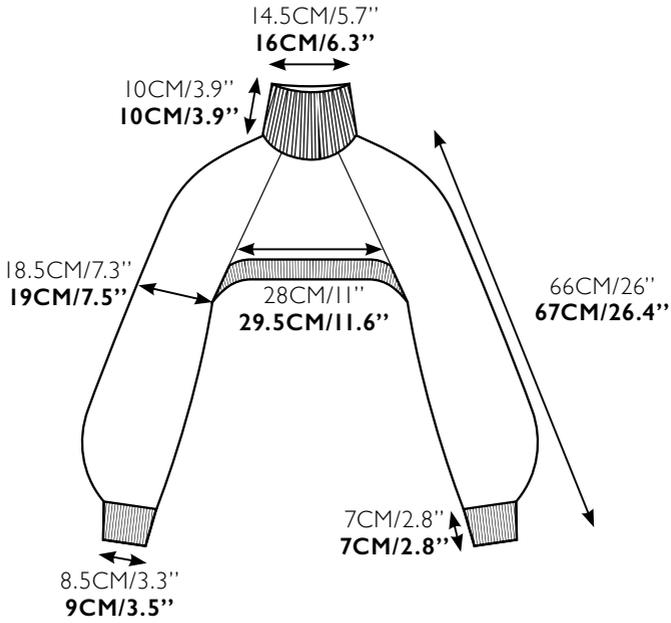
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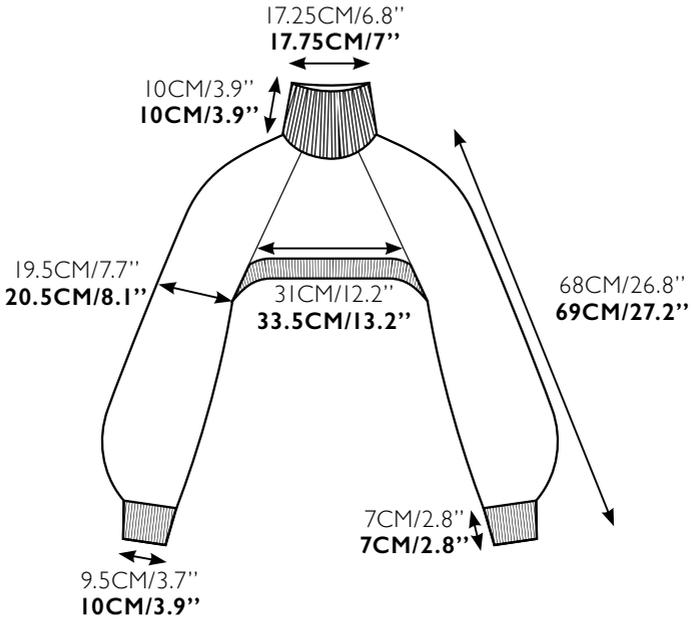
ASIA

1	2	3	4
81-86 32-34"	91-97 36-38"	102-107 40-42"	112-117 44-46"
6-8	10-12	14-16	18-20
2-4	6-8	10-12	14-16
34-36	38-40	42-44	46-48
38-40	42-44	46-48	50-52
6-8	10-12	14-16	18-20
7-9	11-13	15-17	19-21

1 + 2



3 + 4



PERFECT SENSE WRAP

LET'S BEGIN

LET'S GET MAKING

TOOL KIT:

- 5 [5:5:6] balls of WATG's Alpachino Merino
- 1 Perfect Sense Wrap pattern
- 1 set of 5mm (US8) 100cm/40" circular knitting needles
- 1 set of 6.5mm (US10.5) 100cm/40" circular knitting needles
- 1 sewing needle

TENSION:

To ensure your knitting has the same measurements as the pattern, it is a good idea to make a tension swatch before you start knitting your project. A tension swatch is a small sample of your knitting where you count the stitches and rows and check them against the measurements (cm/in) given in the pattern. If you get MORE stitches/rows than the pattern's tension, it means your knitting is **tighter**. If you get FEWER stitches/rows than the pattern, your knitting is **looser**. Sometimes, it works to knit tighter or looser to compensate.

5MM (US8) 1X1 RIB STITCH

10 cm/4" = 22 stitches

10 cm/4" = 22 rows

6.5MM (US10.5) STOCKING STITCH

10 cm/4" = 13.5 stitches

10 cm/4" = 18 rows

You can find all techniques on page 17

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HOW TO MAKE YOUR PERFECT SENSE WRAP

Your wrap is made by working in the round on circular needles from the top down. First you will knit the neck rib, then the stocking stitch yoke and then you will knit each sleeve separately before working a trim around the body of your piece.

- Using 5mm (US8) circular needles, cast on 64[70:76:78] stitches using the long-tail cast on technique, join your piece to work in the round.

TOP TIP: Due to the length of your circular needles you will need to use the magic loop technique here.

- Place a yarn marker to mark the beginning of your round. Starting with a knit stitch, work in 1x1 rib stitch until your piece measures 10cm/3.9" from the cast on edge (approx. 22 rounds).

- Change to 6.5mm (US10.5) circular needles, knit 1 round.

- Increase round:** Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 8[9:10:10] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 20[22:24:25] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 8[9:10:10] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 20[22:24:25] stitches, make an increase. (72[78:84:86] stitches.)

- Knit 1 round.

- Increase round:** Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 10[11:12:12] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 22[24:26:27] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 10[11:12:12] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 22[24:26:27] stitches, make an increase. (80[86:92:94] stitches.)

- Knit 1 round.

- Increase round:** Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 12[13:14:14] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 24[26:28:29] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 12[13:14:14] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 24[26:28:29] stitches, make an increase. (88[94:100:102] stitches.)

- Knit 1 round.

- Increase round:** Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 14[15:16:16] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 26[28:30:31] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 14[15:16:16] stitches,

make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 26[28:30:31] stitches, make an increase. (96[102:108:110] stitches.)

SIZE 4 ONLY:

11 Knit 1 round.

12 Increase round: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 18 stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 33 stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 18 stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 33 stitches, make an increase. (118 stitches.)

ALL SIZES:

13 Knit 1[1:2:2] round(s).

14 Increase round: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 16[17:18:20] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 28[30:32:35] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 16[17:18:20] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 28[30:32:35] stitches, make an increase. (104[110:116:126] stitches.)

15 Knit 1[1:2:2] round(s).

16 Increase round: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 18[19:20:22] stitches, make an increase, knit 2

stitches, make an increase, knit 30[32:34:37] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 18[19:20:22] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 30[32:34:37] stitches, make an increase. (112[118:124:134] stitches.)

17 Knit 1[2:2:2] round(s).

18 Increase round: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 20[21:22:24] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 32[34:36:39] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 20[21:22:24] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 32[34:36:39] stitches, make an increase. (120[126:132:142] stitches.)

19 Knit 1[2:2:2] round(s).

20 Increase round: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 22[23:24:26] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 34[36:38:41] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 22[23:24:26] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 34[36:38:41] stitches, make an increase. (128[134:140:150] stitches.)

21 Knit 2 rounds.

Next you will be separating your stitches out into sections for your two sleeves and the front and back of your piece.

22 Increase round: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 24[25:26:28] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches. Make an increase, knit 36[38:40:43] stitches, make an increase, slip the last 38[40:42:45] stitches you worked onto waste yarn (this is your front section). Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 24[25:26:28] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, slip the last 30[31:32:34] stitches you worked onto waste yarn (this will become your second sleeve). Make an increase, knit 36[38:40:43] stitches, make an increase, slip the last 38[40:42:45] stitches you worked onto waste yarn (this is the back section). (136[142:148:158] stitches.)

Next you will be working back and forth across the next 30[31:32:34] stitches for the first sleeve, simply leave the rest of the stitches on the waste yarn, you will come back to them later. (30[31:32:34] stitches.)

23 Knit 30[31:32:34] stitches, turn your piece to work back over these stitches.

24 Purl 30[31:32:34] stitches.

25 Increase row: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 26[27:28:30] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches. (32[33:34:36] stitches.)

26 Purl 32[33:34:36] stitches.

27 Knit 32[33:34:36] stitches.

28 Increase row: Purl 2 stitches, make a purl increase, purl 28[29:30:32] stitches, make a purl increase, purl 2 stitches. (34[35:36:38] stitches.)

29 Knit 34[35:36:38] stitches.

30 Purl 34[35:36:38] stitches.

31 Increase row: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 30[31:32:34] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches. (36[37:38:40] stitches.)

32 Purl 36[37:38:40] stitches.

33 Knit 36[37:38:40] stitches.

34 Increase row: Purl 2 stitches, make a purl increase, purl 32[33:34:36] stitches, make a purl increase, purl 2 stitches. (38[39:40:42] stitches.)

35 Knit 38[39:40:42] stitches.

36 Purl 38[39:40:42] stitches.

37 Increase row: Knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 34[35:36:38] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches. (40[41:42:44] stitches.)

38 Purl 40[41:42:44] stitches.

39 Knit 40[41:42:44] stitches.

40 Increase row: Purl 2 stitches, make a purl increase, purl 36[37:38:40] stitches, make a purl increase, purl 2 stitches. (42[43:44:46] stitches.)

Next you will add stitches to the underarm point and continue to work your first sleeve in the round.

41 Increase row: Knit 42[43:44:46] stitches, then using the backwards loop technique, cast on 8[8:9:9] stitches onto the needle in your right hand. Join your piece to work in the round. (50[51:53:55] stitches.)

42 Place a yarn marker to mark the beginning of your round. Knit 1 round.

43 Increase round: Knit 20[20:21:22] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 28[29:30:31] stitches. (52[53:55:57] stitches.)

44 Knit 8 rounds.

45 Increase round: Knit 21[21:22:23] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 29[30:31:32] stitches. (54[55:57:59] stitches.)

46 Knit 8 rounds.

47 Increase round: Knit 22[22:23:24] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 30[31:32:33] stitches. (56[57:59:61] stitches.)

48 Knit 8 rounds.

49 Increase round: Knit 23[23:24:25] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 31[32:33:34] stitches.

(58[59:61:63] stitches.)

50 Knit 8 rounds.

51 Increase round: Knit 24[24:25:26] stitches, make an increase, knit 2 stitches, make an increase, knit 32[33:34:35] stitches. (60[61:63:65] stitches.)

52 Work in stocking stitch until your sleeve measures 26.5cm/10.4" from the stitches you cast on at the underarm in step 41 (approx. a further 10 rounds).

53 Decrease round: Knit 23[23:24:25] stitches, make a left-leaning decrease, knit 2 stitches, make a right-leaning decrease, knit 31[32:33:34] stitches. (58[59:61:63] stitches.)

54 Knit 3 rounds.

55 Decrease round: Knit 22[22:23:24] stitches, make a left-leaning decrease, knit 2 stitches, make a right-leaning decrease, knit 30[31:32:33] stitches. (56[57:59:61] stitches.)

56 Knit 3 rounds.

57 Decrease round: Knit 21[21:22:23] stitches, make a left-leaning decrease, knit 2 stitches, make a right-leaning decrease, knit 29[30:31:32] stitches. (54[55:57:59] stitches.)

58 Knit 3 rounds.

59 Decrease round: Knit 20[20:21:22] stitches, make a left-leaning decrease,

knit 2 stitches, make a right-leaning decrease, knit 28[29:30:31] stitches. (52[53:55:57] stitches.)

1 stitch, knit [0:1:1] stitch(es), purl [0:1:1] stitch(es). ([40:42:44] stitches.)

60 Knit 3 rounds.

61 Decrease round: Knit 19[19:20:21] stitches, make a left-leaning decrease, knit 2 stitches, make a right-leaning decrease, knit 27[28:29:30] stitches. (50[51:53:55] stitches.)

62 Work in stocking stitch until your sleeve measures 37.5cm/14.8" from the stitches you cast on at the underarm in step 41 (approx. a further 3 rounds).

SIZE 1 ONLY:

63 Decrease round: Change to 5mm (US8) circular needles. ★Make a right-leaning decrease, purl 1 stitch, knit 1 stitch, purl 1 stitch, make a right-leaning decrease, purl 1 stitch.★ Repeat the section inside the stars (★) a further 5 times. Knit 1 stitch, purl 1 stitch. (38 stitches.)

SIZES 2, 3 & 4 ONLY:

64 Decrease round: Change to 5mm (US8) circular needles, knit [0:0:1] stitch(es), purl [0:0:1] stitch(es), make a right-leaning decrease. ★Purl 1 stitch, knit 1 stitch, purl 1 stitch, make a right-leaning decrease.★ Repeat the section inside the stars (★) a further 8 times. Purl 1 stitch, make a right-leaning decrease, purl

ALL SIZES:

65 Place your yarn marker. Starting with a knit stitch, work in 1x1 rib stitch until your cuff rib measures 7cm/2.8" from the cast on edge (approx. 15 rounds).

66 Cast off in ribbing.

Next you will work the second sleeve of your wrap.

67 With 6.5mm (US10.5) circular needles, with the right side of your wrap facing you and working from left to right, transfer the 30[31:32:34] stitches held on the waste yarn for the second sleeve onto your needles and re-join your yarn.

Now you will be working across these 30[31:32:34] stitches for the second sleeve, simply leave the rest of the stitches on the waste yarn, you will come back to them later. (30[31:32:34] stitches.)

68 Repeat steps 23 to 66 for your second sleeve.

Next, you will create the rib around the body of your piece.

69 With the right side of your wrap facing you and working from right to left, first transfer the front section stitches

(38[40:42:45] stitches) and then the back section stitches (38[40:42:45] stitches) from the waste yarn onto your 5mm (US8) circular knitting needles.

70 Increase round: Starting at the right back sloped raglan edge, pick up and knit 20 stitches along the back sloped raglan edge, 8[8:10:10] stitches along the straight underarm edge and 20 stitches along the front sloped raglan edge. Then (working across the 38[40:42:45] held front section stitches), starting with a knit stitch work 0[2:2:2] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch. ★Knit 1 stitch, purl 1 stitch, make an increase, purl 1 stitch.★ Repeat the section inside the stars (★) a further 11[11:11:12] times, then starting with a knit stitch work 2[2:4:4] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch.

Now pick up and knit 20 stitches along the second front sloped raglan edge, 8[8:10:10] stitches along the second straight underarm edge and 20 stitches along the second back sloped raglan edge. Then (working across the 38[40:42:45] held back section stitches), starting with a knit stitch work 0[2:2:2] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch. Repeat the section inside the stars (★) a further 12[12:12:13] times, then starting with a knit stitch work 2[2:4:4] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch. (196[200:208:216] stitches.)

Next, you will be working in the round across these stitches.

71 Decrease round: Place your yarn marker. Make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, then starting with a knit stitch work 40[40:42:42] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch.

Make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, then starting with a knit stitch work 42[44:46:50] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch.

Make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, then starting with a knit stitch work 40[40:42:42] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch.

Make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease, then starting with a knit stitch work 42[44:46:50] stitches in 1x1 rib stitch.

Make a left-leaning decrease, make a left-leaning purl decrease. (180[184:192:200] stitches.)

72 Starting with a knit stitch, work 3 rounds in 1x1 rib stitch.

73 Cast off in ribbing.

74 Weave in any loose ends.

KNITTING TECHNIQUES

WORK! WORK! WORK!

There are two main ways to ‘work’ stitches: they can be knitted or purled. When the pattern asks you to ‘work’ a number of stitches/rows/cm, it will always specify which stitch pattern to work in.

LONG-TAIL CAST ON

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This creates a nice elastic edge, suitable for stretchy items like hats. To make sure that the edge isn’t too tight, you can cast on over two knitting needles held together.

1 Start by making a slipknot - the ‘yarn tail’ needs to be quite long for this cast on, hence the name! Place the slipknot on your knitting needle, and hold the needle in your right hand, with the yarn hanging straight down.

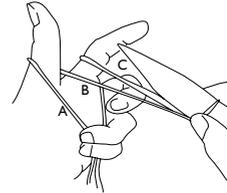
2 Now insert the thumb and index finger of your left hand between the two strands of yarn hanging from the needle, and then close your ring finger and little finger around the yarn to trap it.

Stretch out your thumb and index finger as far from each other as possible, stretching the yarn taut.

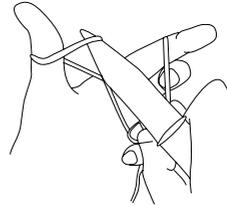
3 You will be using three separate strands of yarn:

A: the strand which sits closest to

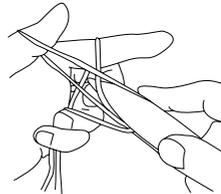
you, in front of the thumb. **B:** the strand that goes from the thumb to the slipknot on the needle. **C:** the strand that goes from the needle to your index finger



4 Place the needle in front of A, then bring it under A and let it come up between A and B.



5 Now bring the needle over and behind C, and scoop the yarn (C) up with the tip of your needle.



6 Bring the needle tip with the yarn back between A and B (the same way

you came before), so that it ends up in front of A. Now pull your thumb out from the yarn that's looped around it. Tug on the yarn to tighten up the new loop on your knitting needle.

- 7 Repeat steps 2-6 to continue casting on stitches.

KNITTING IN THE ROUND

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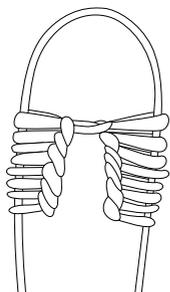
Knitting in the round using your circular needle produces a 'tube' of knitting rather than a flat piece - so you don't need to sew up any side seams! The right side of the fabric will always be facing out and the wrong side towards the inside, and so every row/round is a right side row/round.

MAGIC LOOP TECHNIQUE ON CIRCULAR NEEDLES

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A simple way of working a smaller circumference than the length of your circular needles.

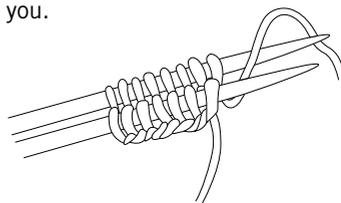
- 1 Start by pushing all of your stitches into the middle of the cable.
- 2 Fold the cable in half, splitting the stitches into 2 sets, and pushing up a loop of the cable through the space between the 2 middle stitches.



- 3 Pull the loop of the cable, gradually pushing the stitches back onto the needles - they are now split over 2 needles.



- 4 Hold both needles in your left hand and position so that the needle with the working yarn is farthest away from you.



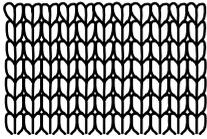
- 5 Hold the working yarn above the needles and gently pull the back needle out, slipping the stitches from this needle onto the cable.
- 6 Bring your empty needle up and use it to work across all of the stitches on the front needle.
- 7 Once you have worked across all of the stitches from the front needle, turn your work around so that the unworked stitches are closest to you and the stitches you just worked are farthest away from you. Push the unworked stitches up the cable and onto the empty needle. Every row/round is a right side row/round.

Repeat steps 4 to 7 to continue working in the round using the magic loop technique.

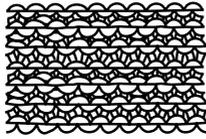
STOCKING STITCH IN THE ROUND

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A basic stitch pattern where, when worked in the round, you knit all the stitches every round. The 'right' side of the fabric looks like a series of 'Vs' and the 'wrong' side of the fabric looks like a series of 'waves'.



RIGHT SIDE

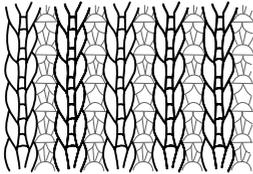


WRONG SIDE

1X1 RIB STITCH

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To work over an even number of stitches, knit the first stitch, purl the next. Continue alternating between knit and purl stitches to the end of your row/round.

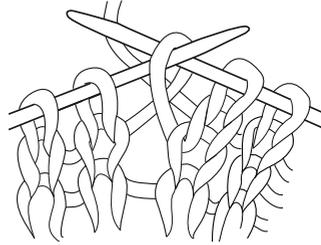


INCREASING

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Make a new stitch by inserting the left needle from front to back under the strand of yarn between the last stitch worked and the next stitch to be worked, and lifting this loop onto the needle. Now insert the right needle into this loop from right to left, then wrap the yarn and pull through as for a knit stitch.

To increase on wrong side/purl rows, follow the instructions for increasing on right side rows, but instead of knitting into the strand you pick up between stitches, make a purl stitch into it instead.



RIGHT-LEANING DECREASE

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Instead of knitting only one stitch at a time, knit two stitches together. Insert the front of your right needle through the first two stitches on the left needle, then knit them together as a single stitch.

LEFT-LEANING DECREASE

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Insert the right needle into the next stitch on the left needle knit-wise (from left to right) and slip the stitch onto the right needle without knitting it. Slip the next stitch in the same way. Now insert the left needle through both these stitches, in front of the right needle, from left to right. Wrap the yarn as for a normal knit stitch and pull the yarn through both loops at once.

YARN MARKERS

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Yarn markers are used to mark specific points in your knitting – To make a yarn marker, take a 8cm/3" length of yarn, fold it in half and knot it loosely around the stitch you want to mark.

BACKWARDS LOOP CAST ON

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The backwards loop cast on technique is great technique for casting on stitches in the middle of a row.

- 1 Keep the needle with the yarn attached held in your right hand. With your left hand, make a fist around the yarn approximately 10cm/4" from the needle. Hook your thumb underneath the yarn in an anticlockwise motion. The yarn should now be coming up through your fingers and be wrapped round the back of your thumb.
- 2 Insert the tip of the needle up through the strand in front of your thumb. Slide your thumb out of the loop so that it stays on the needle.
- 3 Pull on the yarn to tighten your new stitch.

Keep repeating these steps until you have cast on the number of stitches referred to in your pattern.

PICKING UP STITCHES

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To pick up stitches along a cast-off edge or along the side edge of your knitting, insert the right needle through the first cast-off stitch or first edge stitch from front to back. Wrap the yarn around the needle and pull through as for a normal knit stitch. Now do the same for the next stitch along the edge.

Sometimes it is necessary to pick up more or fewer stitches than the number of rows along your edge. To pick up fewer stitches, you will need to skip some stitches evenly

along the edge.

To pick up more stitches along the side edge of your knitting you will have to pick up twice into some of the stitches, do this by picking up the first stitch as you would normally, then go back into the stitch and pick up another loop. The second stitch will look like a yarn over. When you work back along these stitches, work the second stitch through the back of the stitch.

To pick up more stitches along a cast-off edge you will have to pick up between the stitches as well as in the middle of the stitches.

ADDING A NEW BALL OF YARN

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When your ball of yarn runs out, or when you need to change the colour, tie a loose knot on to the tail with the new ball of yarn and slide it up to the needle. Tighten the knot. Continue knitting with the new yarn.

CASTING OFF IN RIBBING

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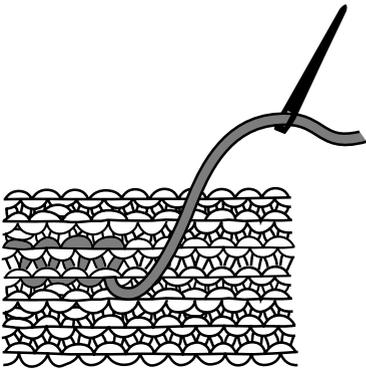
To create a stretchy edge, cast off in ribbing. To do this, knit one stitch, then purl one stitch. Use the tip of the left needle to lift the first stitch over the last one, and off the needle. Knit the next stitch, and lift the previous stitch over it and off the needle. Purl the next stitch, and lift the previous stitch over it and off the needle. Repeat the last two stitches, so that you are alternating between knit and purl stitches as you cast off until there are no stitches on the left needle and just one stitch on the right needle. Cut the yarn, leaving a 15 cm/6" end. Pull on the last loop until the end pops through - you've now secured the last stitch.

FINISHING TECHNIQUES

WEAVING IN THE ENDS

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Weave the ends of your yarn into your knitting to finish it off and stop it from unravelling. Thread the tail end of yarn into the sewing needle. Weave the yarn through the stitches in the wrong side of the work, following the natural stitch direction created when the piece was knitted. Weave in approximately 10cm/4", then cut the tail.



NOTES

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YOUR PROJECT DESERVES SOME SEXY YARN



CRAZY SEXY WOOL

100% Peruvian Wool

Laine Péruvienne
Peruanische Wolle



HEAL THE WOOL

100% Recycled Wool

Laine recyclé
Recycelte Wolle



LIL' HEAL THE WOOL

100% Recycled Wool

Laine recyclé
Recycelte Wolle



ALPACHINO MERINO

60% Merino / Laine

Mérinos / *Merino Wolle*
40% Baby Alpaca / Baby
Alpaga / Baby Alpaka



JERSEY BE GOOD

98% Cotton / Coton

Baumwolle

2% Elastane / Elasthanne

Elastan



TINA TAPE YARN

100% Tencel®

Tencel®

Tencel®



MIXTAPE YARN

80% Cotton / Coton

Baumwolle

20% Polyester / Polyester

Polyester



RA-RA RAFFIA

100% Paper

Fibre de bois

langfaseriges Holz



SUGAR BABY ALPACA

100% Baby Alpaca

Baby alpaga

Baby Alpaka



SHINY HAPPY COTTON

100% Peruvian Pima

Cotton / Coton Pima

Péruvien / *Peruanische*

Pima-Baumwolle



BILLIE JEAN YARN

100% Upcycled Denim

Denim recyclé

Upcycled Denim



BACK FOR GOOD CASHMERE

97% Recycled Cashmere

Cachemire recyclé

Recyceltes Kaschmir

3% Recycled Wool / Laine
recyclée / *Recycelte Wolle*



BUDDY HEMP YARN

55% Hemp

Chanvre / *Hanf*

45% Organic Cotton

Coton organique

Bio-Baumwolle



FEELING GOOD YARN

70% Baby Alpaca / Baby

Alpaga / Baby Alpaka

7% Merino / Mérinos

Merino

23% Nylon

Nylon / Nylon



TAKE CARE MOHAIR

78% Kid Mohair / Kid

mohair / Kid Mohair

13% Wool / Laine / Wolle

9% Polyamide

Polyamide / Polyamid



NEW WAVE YARN

53% Cotton

coton / Baumwolle

47% Recycled Polyester

Polyester recyclé

recyceltes Polyester

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