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Transsylvanien (Transylvania)

HOODIE WITH CABLE PATTERN

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YARN Tencel Blow (58% Tencel™ lyocell, 42% alpaca, 109 yd/100 m / 50 g)

ALTERNATE YARN SUGGESTION

Ulrika (100% superwash wool, 109 yd/100 m / 50 g)

Merino (100% Merino wool, 109 yd/100 m / 50 g)

GAUGE Approx. 18 sts x 24 rows/rnds in stockinette on gauge-size needle = 4 x 4 in / 10 x 10 cm.

Adjust needle size to obtain correct gauge if necessary.

SIZES XS (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL)

POSITIVE EASE Approx. 4-6 in / 10-15 cm for sizes XS-XL and 0-4 in / 0-10 cm for sizes 2XL-4XL

GARMENT CHEST Approx. 37½ (39½, 41¼, 43¼, 47¼, 51¼, 55¼, 59) in / 95 (100, 105, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150) cm

GARMENT LENGTH (as measured down center front from neckline) Approx. 18¾ (18½, 19, 19¾, 20½, 21¼, 22, 22¾) in / 46 (47, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58) cm

GARMENT SLEEVE LENGTH Approx. 19¾ (19¾, 19¾, 19¾, 19, 19, 18¼, 18¼) in / 50 (50, 50, 50, 48, 48, 46, 46) cm

YARN AMOUNTS AND COLORS Approx. 490 (520, 550, 600, 680, 760, 860, 950) g (color 460009, Shadow Grey)

NEEDLES U. S. size 6 / 4 mm: 32-60 in / 80-150 cm circular; cable needle (optional)

NOTIONS locking ring (removeable) stitch markers, tapestry needle

LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY Intermediate

DESIGNER Elida Virack

Transsylvanien is a slightly cropped hoodie with cable patterns and side and cuff slits. It is worked from the top down. The hood is knitted afterwards beginning at the neckline and has a cable running all along the hood. The inspiration for Transsylvanien came from the yarn it is knitted with as well as spiders and spider webs.

STITCHES AND TECHNIQUES

See Tips and Shortcuts on the last page for common abbreviations and other useful information.

tbl: Work stitch through back loop = twisted st.

K2tog: Knit 2 stitches together = right-leaning decrease.

K2tog tbl: Knit 2 stitches together through back loops = left-leaning decrease.

Ssk (slip, slip, knit): One at a time, slip 2 stitches knitwise, place stitches back on left needle and knit together through back loops = left-leaning decrease.

P2tog: Purl 2 stitches together.

Ssp (slip, slip, purl): One at a time, slip 2 stitches knitwise, place stitches back on left needle and purl together through back loops.

Markers: Place marker (m) between two stitches and slide to right needle as you come to each. **Pm** = place marker; **slm** = slip marker; **BOR:** Beginning of row/round.

CM = cable marker; **Slcm** = slip cable marker; **Pcm** = place cable marker

M1R = make 1 right: With left needle, lift strand between 2 sts from back to front and knit into front loop = right-leaning increase.

M1L = make 1 left: With left needle, lift strand between 2 sts from front to back and knit into back loop = left-leaning increase.

Sl 1 purlwise wyf: Slip one st from left to right needle as if to purl, with yarn held in front.

German Short Rows: Double st (DS): The double stitch or German short rows is a turning method that does not leave holes at each turn. Work to st where work will be turned. Sl 1 purlwise wyf, firmly pull yarn backwards over right needle so you flip st and have 2 stitch legs or a double stitch (DS) on the needle; work rem sts on needle.

After working the specified number of short rows, you will join the double sts one at a time. Work to 1st DS, knit or purl it in pattern, catching both legs of DS to make 1 st.

Video: <https://youtu.be/Sn28lla3W9s>.

TIP Use 2 locking ring (removeable) stitch markers for each cable. Place them in a stitch before the cable/cable crossing on the cable row. You'll soon memorize the cable sequence and can move the marker up as needed. Move the marker only up to the next cable crossing row when you come to it.



SHOULDERS

With gauge-size circular, CO 11 sts using long-tail cast-on.

Row 1 (WS): Purl across.

Row 2 (RS): K1, work following chart 1 until 1 st rem, k1.

Row 3 (WS): P1, work following chart 1 until 1 st rem, p1.

Repeat **Rows 2-3** until you've worked a total of 36 (38, 40, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48) rows (you should end on a RS row).

NOTE Write down what row you ended on so that, when working the sleeves, you can continue on the next row in sequence.

Cut yarn and place sts on a holder.

Make the other shoulder the same way.

BACK

The sts for the back are picked up along the shoulder edges, with RS facing, between the outermost and next-to-outermost sts. Place the first shoulder with RS up and the held sts to the right (outwards).

Working from right to left, pick up and knit 28 (29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35) sts (= approx. 3 sts for every 4 sts on shoulder's long side), CO 20 (20, 20, 20, 22, 22, 24, 24) sts with backwards loop cast-on. Place the second shoulder with RS up and the held sts to the left. Pick up and knit 28 (29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35) sts (= approx. 3 sts for every 4 sts on shoulder's long side) = a total of 76 (78, 80, 82, 86, 88, 92, 94) sts

Begin by making a little slope to the shoulders with German short rows.

Row 1 (WS): Purl until 25 sts rem; turn.

Row 2 (RS): DS, knit until 25 sts rem; turn.

Row 3: DS, purl until 20 sts rem; turn.

Row 4: DS, knit until 20 sts rem; turn.

Row 5: DS, purl until 15 sts rem; turn.

Row 6: DS, knit until 15 sts rem; turn.

Row 7: DS, purl until 10 sts rem; turn.

Row 8: DS, knit until 10 sts rem; turn.

Row 9: DS, purl until 5 sts rem; turn.

Row 10: DS, knit until 5 sts rem; turn.

Row 11 (WS): DS, purl to end of row.

Row 12 (RS): Knit to end of row.

Row 13 (WS): Purl to end of row.

Repeat **Rows 12-13** until piece measures 6¼ (6¼, 6¼, 6¼, 6¾, 6¾, 6¾, 6¾, 6¾) in / 16 (16, 16, 16, 17, 17, 17, 17) cm from pick-up edge, as measured down from shoulder.

Now shape armholes with increases.

Row 14 (RS): K1, M1L, knit until 1 st rem, M1R, k1.

Row 15 (WS): Purl across.

Repeat **Rows 14-15** another 1 (2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 6, 8) times = 80 (84, 88, 92, 96, 100, 106, 112) sts.

Cut yarn and set piece aside either on a holder or on circular.

FRONT

The left front is worked first and then the right front. The front pieces are then joined with sts cast on for the neckline.

Left Front

Beginning on RS at neck edge, pick up and knit 28 (29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35) sts as for back.

Row 1: Purl across.

Row 2: Knit across.

Repeat **Rows 1-2** until piece measures 2 (2, 2, 2, 2, 2½, 2½) in / 5 (5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6) cm from pick up row. End with **Row 1**.

Row 3: K1, M1L, knit to end of row.

Row 4: Purl across.

Repeat **Rows 3-4** another 5 times = 34 (35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41) sts.

Cut yarn and set piece aside either on a holder or on circular.

Right Front

Beginning on RS at right shoulder, pick up and knit 28 (29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35) sts as for back.

Row 1: Purl across.

Row 2: Knit across.

Repeat **Rows 1-2** until piece measures 2 (2, 2, 2, 2, 2½, 2½) in 5 (5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6) cm from pick up row. End with **Row 1**.

Row 3: K1, knit until 1 st rem, M1R, k1.

Row 4: Purl across.



Repeat **Rows 3-4** another 5 times = 34 (35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41) sts.

Do not cut yarn – in the next step, you'll join the right and left fronts.

Front

Now you can join the 2 sides of the front by casting on sts between them with backwards loop.

Row 5: Knit across right front, CO 8 (8, 8, 8, 10, 10, 12, 12) sts, knit across left front = 76 (78, 80, 82, 86, 88, 92, 94) sts.

Row 6: Purl across.

Row 7: Knit across.

Repeat **Rows 6-7** until front measures $6\frac{1}{4}$ ($6\frac{1}{4}$, $6\frac{1}{4}$, $6\frac{1}{4}$, $6\frac{3}{4}$, $6\frac{3}{4}$, $6\frac{3}{4}$) in / 16 (16, 16, 16, 17, 17, 17) cm from pick-up edge. End with **Row 6**.

The next step shaping the armholes with increases.

Row 8: K1, M1L, knit until 1 st rem, M1R, k1.

Row 9: Purl across.

Repeat **Rows 8-9** another 1 (2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 6, 8) times = 80 (84, 88, 92, 96, 100, 106, 112) sts

Do not cut yarn because you'll continue by joining the front and back.

BODY

Now you'll join the front and back by casting on sts between them. The body will be knitted in the round from this row on.

Rnd 1: Knit across front, CO 9 (9, 11, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19) sts, knit across back, CO 9 (9, 11, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19) sts = 178 (186, 198, 206, 218, 230, 246, 262) sts.

Pcm on each side of the 9 center sts of each underarm to indicate placement of cables.

Rnd 2: Knit to BOR marker.

The marker for beginning the cable under the right armhole is also the BOR marker.

Rnd 3: Work following chart 2, slcm. Knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 2, slcm, knit to end of rnd.

Repeat **Rnd 3** until body measures $8\frac{3}{4}$ ($8\frac{3}{4}$, $8\frac{3}{4}$, $8\frac{3}{4}$, 9, $9\frac{1}{2}$, $9\frac{3}{4}$, $10\frac{1}{4}$) in 22 (22, 22, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26) cm

from underarm. Continue as est, ending on either Row 4 or Row 8 of chart 2.

Now divide for front and back. The number of cable sts you'll knit before you place the dividing point depends on which part of the cable "lies" on top.

Front

Dividing Rnd: K3/k6 (if you end the cable chart on Row 4, k3 and, if you end cable chart on Row 8, k6), pm for division, k6/k3, remove marker, knit to marker, remove marker, k3/6).

Set back sts, to and including dividing marker, on a holder.

Cable and decrease 1 st to the left = decrease 1 st by first slipping the 4th st of the rnd behind the first 3 sts of rnd so it is now the first st of the rnd. K2tog joining the slipped st with the next st.

Cable and decrease 1 st to the right = decrease 1 st by first slipping the 4th to last st of the rnd behind the 3 last sts of rnd so it is now the last st of the rnd. Ssk joining the slipped st with the next-to-last st.

Row 1 (WS): Purl across.

Row 2 (RS): Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, knit until 4 sts rem, cable and decrease 1 st to the right. Repeat **Rows 1-2** 9 more times.

Row 3 (WS): Purl across.

Row 4 (RS): Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, k2tog, knit until 6 sts rem, ssk, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Repeat **Rows 3-4** 5 more times. End with **Row 3**.

The rest of the edge is finished with a 3-st I-cord. The first 3 sts on the needle are the sts for the I-cord.

***Row 5:** K2, k2tog tbl.

Row 6: Sl 3 sts from right to left needle. Repeat **Rows 5-6** 2 more times.

Row 7: K2, k3tog tbl.

Row 8: Sl 3 sts from right to left needle.*

Repeat *-* until 3 sts rem on each needle. Cut yarn and join I-cord ends with Kitchener st.

Back

Place held back sts on needle.



Row 1: (RS): Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, knit until 4 sts rem, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Row 2 (WS): Purl across.

Repeat **Rows 1-2** 10 more times.

Row 3: (RS): Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, k2tog, knit until 6 sts rem, ssk, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Row 42 (WS): Purl across.

Repeat **Rows 3-4** 5 more times.

The rest of the edge is finished with a 3-st I-cord. The first 3 sts on the needle are the sts for the I-cord.

***Row 5:** K2, k2tog tbl.

Row 6: Sl 3 sts from right to left needle.

Repeat **Rows 5-6** 2 more times.

Row 7: K2, k3tog tbl.

Row 8: Sl 3 sts from right to left needle.*

Repeat *-* until 3 sts rem on each needle. Cut yarn and join I-cord ends with Kitchener st.

SLEEVES

Beginning at center of underarm, pick up and knit 1 st in each cast-on st. Pick up and knit 2 sts for every 3 rows to the 11 held sts. Place held sts on left needle, k1, pcm, work the 9 cable sts following correct row on chart, pcm, k1. Pick up and knit 2 sts for every 3 rows to the cast-on underarm sts. Pick up and knit 1 st in each of rem cast-on underarm sts. Pm (markers 1 and 2) on both sides of the 5 (5, 7, 7, 9, 11, 13 15) center underarm sts. Approximate stitch count = 76 (80, 84, 88, 92, 96, 100, 104) sts.

Shape sleeve cap with German short rows.

Row 1: Knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, k5; turn.

Row 2: DS, purl to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, p5; turn.

Row 3: DS, knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, k10; turn.

Row 4: DS, purl to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, p10; turn.

Row 5: DS, knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, k15; turn.

Row 6: DS, purl to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, p15; turn.

Row 7: DS, knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, knit until 3 sts after DS; turn.

Row 8: DS, purl to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, purl until 3 sts after DS; turn.

Repeat **Rows 7-8** 3 (4, 4, 4, 5, 5, 5) more times.

Row 9: DS, knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 1, slcm, knit to end of row.

Now join sleeve sts to work in the round. Pm at center of underarm for BOR.

***Rnd 10:** Knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 2, slcm, knit to end of rnd.

Repeat **Rnd 10** 7 (7, 7, 7, 6, 6, 5, 5) more times.

Rnd 11: Knit to m1, slm1, k2tog, knit to CM, slcm, work following chart 2, slcm, knit until 2 sts rem before m2, ssk, slm2, knit to BOR.*

Repeat *-* 11 (11, 11, 11, 12, 12, 13, 13) more times = 24 (24, 24, 24, 26, 26, 28, 28) sts decreased total.

The sleeve should now measure approx. 16½ (16½, 16½, 16½, 15¾, 15¾, 15, 15) in / 42 (42, 42, 42, 40, 40, 38, 38) cm. Now work the sleeve back and forth.

Continue decreasing on sleeve on RS rows at the same rate as before. Depending on how many rows you have between decrease rows, either the first decrease will be after m1 or the first decrease before m2 will be a row later than before.

Row 1 (RS): Knit to first CM, remove CM, k3/k6 (the number of sts you knit here depends on which part of the cable is on top); turn. The BOR is now at the division of the cable.

On next row, remove rem CM.

Row 2 (WS): Purl across.

Row 3 (RS): Cable and decrease 1 st to left, knit until 4 sts rem, cable and decrease 1 st to right.

Row 4 (WS): Purl across.

Row 5 (RS): Cable and decrease 1 st to left, k2tog, knit until 6 sts rem, ssk, cable and decrease 1 st to right.

Repeat **Rows 4-5** 2 more times. End with **Row 4** and, *at the same time*, remove markers.



The sleeve should now measure approx. 19 (19, 19, 19, 18¼, 18¼, 17¼, 17¼) in / 48 (48, 48, 48, 46, 46, 44, 44) cm.

The rest of the edge is bound off with a 3-st l-cord.
The first 3 sts on the needle are the 3 l-cord sts.

***Row 6:** K2, k2tog tbl.

Row 7: Sl 3 sts from right to left needle.

Repeat **Rows 6-7** once more.

Row 8: K2, k3tog tbl.

Row 9: Sl 3 sts from right to left needle.*

Repeat *-* until 3 sts rem on each needle.

Cut yarn and join l-cord ends with Kitchener st.

Make second sleeve the same way.

HOOD

Beginning at right edge of back neck, pick up and knit 21 (21, 21, 21, 23, 23, 25, 25) sts between the cast-on sts of back neck, and then 1 st in each of the 9 cable sts. Pick up and knit 3 sts for every 4 sts to cast-on sts of center front, pick up and knit 9 (9, 9, 9, 11, 11, 11, 13) sts between the cast-on sts of neck. Pick up and knit 3 sts for every 4 sts to cable and pick up and knit 1 st in each of the 9 cable sts. Pm for BOR. Also place markers on both sides of the center 9 sts of back neck (markers 1 and 2) as well as the center 9 sts of front neck (markers 3 and 4). Count to make sure that you have the same number of sts between the cables and on both sides of the center front.

Rnd 1: Knit to m1, slm1, work following chart 2, slm2, knit to m3, work following chart 2, slm4, knit to end of rnd.

Repeat **Rnd 1** 6 more times.

Now work the hood back and forth. Remove BOR marker when you come to it.

Row 2 (RS): Knit to m1, slm1, work following chart 1 (beginning on chart row 8), slm2, knit to m3, slm3, work following chart, slm4, k5; turn.

Row 3 (WS): DS, purl to m4, remove m4, p3; turn.
The row now begins at center front (where you just turned).

Row 4: Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, k2tog, knit until 3 sts after DS; turn.

Row 5: DS, purl to end of row.

Repeat **Rows 4-5** once more.

Row 6: Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, knit until 3 sts after DS; turn.

Row 7: DS, purl to end of row.

Row 8: Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, knit to m1, M1R, slm1, work following chart, slm2, M1L, knit to m3, remove marker 3, ssk, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Row 9: P9; turn.

Row 10: DS, knit until 6 sts rem, ssk, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Row 11: Purl until 3 sts after DS; turn.

Repeat **Rows 10-11** 2 more times.

Row 12: DS, knit until 4 sts rem, ssk, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Row 13: Purl until 3 sts after DS; turn.

Row 14: DS, knit to end of row.

Row 15: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 3 sts rem, sl 3 wyf.

Row 16: Knit to m1, sl m1, work following chart, slm2, knit to end of row.

Row 17: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 3 sts rem, sl 3 wyf.

Row 18: Knit to m1, M1R, slm1, work following chart, slm2, M1L, knit to end of row.

Row 19: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 3 sts rem, sl 3 wyf.

Repeat **Rows 16-19** 7 more times. You have increased 8 times on each side of the back neck cable.

Continue repeating **Rows 16-17** until hood measures 10¼ in / 26 cm down center back.

Now you will begin decreasing at center back of the hood. The decreases are made by joining the outermost sts of the cable with the sts outside of it. You need to place your markers around the strand between sts and move them at regular intervals. If you are on a cable row for decreasing, you'll need to move the sts before you make the decrease.

Cable cross with decreases means that, on a cable crossing row, you first move the sts to be able to cross the cable following the chart and then k2tog with the st before the cable and the first st of the cable, work the center 7 sts of the cable and then ssk with the last st of cable with the st after the cable.

On rows without a cable crossing, k2tog joining the st before the cable and first st of the cable, k7, and then



ssk joining the last st of cable and the st after the cable.

Row 20: Knit until 1 st before marker 1, cable cross with decreases, knit to end of row.

Row 21: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 3 sts rem, sl 3 wyf.

Row 22: Knit to m1, slm1, work following chart, slm1, knit to end of row.

Row 23: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 3 sts rem, sl 3 wyf.

Repeat **Rows 20-23** once more and then **Rows 20-21** 5 more times.

Row 24: Cable and decrease 1 st to the left, knit until 1 st before m1, **cable cross with decreases**, knit until 4 sts rem, cable and decrease 1 st to the right.

Row 25: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 3 sts rem, sl 3 wyf.

Repeat **Rows 24-25** once more and then work **Row 24**.

Row 26: Sl 3 wyf, purl until 1 st before cable, ssp, p7, p2tog; turn.

Now you will close the top of the hood. On the purl rows, decrease at the beginning of the cable with ssp and decrease at the end of a cable with p2tog.

Row 27 (RS): Sl 1 st from right to left needle, cable cross with decreases; turn.

Row 28 (WS): Sl 1 st from right to left needle, ssp, p7, p2tog; turn.

Repeat **Rows 27-28** until 3 sts rem on each side of cable. You will sew these 3 sts together with cable sts.

First you need to decrease 3 sts on the cable: depending on which side of the chart you are on, join the 3 outer sts to lean either right or left.

If you are joining the first 6 sts of the cable, the st order is 4, 1, 5, 3, 6, 3. The sts are then joined in pairs with k2tog.

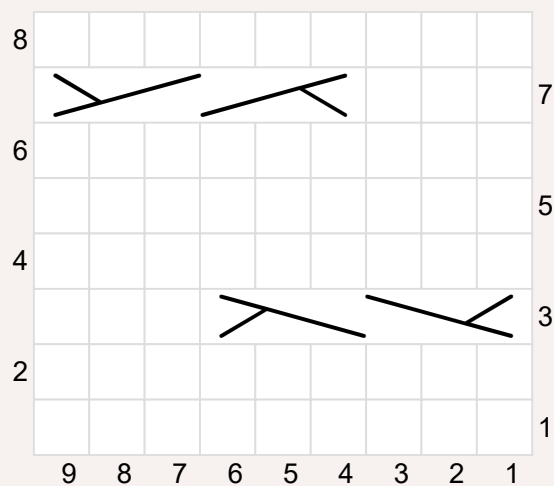
If you are joining the last 6 sts of the cable, the st order is 4, 7, 5, 8, 6, 9. The sts are then joined in pairs with ssk.

Now you can join the 3 sts to the right with the I-cord on the right side of the hood and the 3 sts to the left with the I-cord on the left side of the hood. Join with Kitchener st.

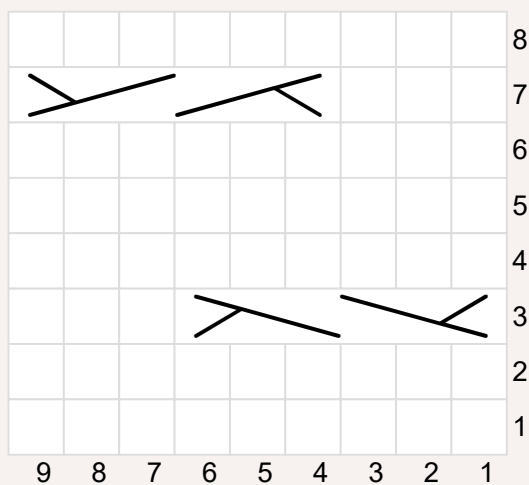
Weave in all ends neatly on WS. Dampen garment, preferably from a spray bottle. Gently squeeze out excess water by rolling hoodie in a towel. Lay hoodie flat to dry, patted out to finished measurements.

FINISHING

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2



Place 3 sts on a cable needle and hold in front of work, k3 and then k3 from cable needle.



Place 3 sts on a cable needle and hold in back of work, k3 and then k3 from cable needle.





Tips & shortcuts

TO AVOID QUESTIONS

Before you begin knitting, read through the pattern.

STITCH COUNT

Always knit or crochet a gauge swatch as recommended in the pattern. If your stitch count doesn't match the gauge given in the pattern, try again with larger or smaller needles or hook. If your gauge doesn't match that in the pattern, your item will not be the correct size or shape.

HIGHLIGHT

Highlight the size you will knit or crochet throughout the pattern to make it easier to follow the instructions.

CHARTS

It will be easier to follow a chart if you mark your row with a ruler and magnetic board or sticky note.

EASE

The amount of ease included in our garments varies depending on the type and shape of the garment. To determine the right size, we recommend that you first measure your body. Then you can calculate the garment size depending on how much ease you want the garment to have. The schematics for each piece show all the garment measurements.

TWO-COLOR STRANDED KNITTING

When knitting more than 3-4 stitches of the same color, twist the color strands around each other on the wrong side to avoid long strands or "floats" on the back. If the yarns need to be twisted on several rows/rounds, make sure you do not stack the twists in the same place to prevent the yarns from showing through on the right side.

TIPS FÖR HAND DYED YARN

Make sure you have enough yarn to complete your project. The colors may vary from time to time. To get a smooth color mix, you can alternate between two skeins: knit two rows from one and two rows from another skein.

Abbreviations

alt = alternately, **approx.** = approximately, **beg** = begin, **bl** = back loop, **BOR** = beginning of row/round, **cc** = contrasting color, **col** = color, **cont** = continue, **dec** = decrease, **EOR** = end of row/round, **fl** = front loop, **inc** = increase, **m** = marker, **mm** = millimeters, **mc** = main color, **patt** = pattern, **pm** = place marker, **rep** = repeat, **md(s)** = round/rounds, **RM** = remove marker, **RS** = right side, **sl** = slip, **sl m** = slip marker, **st(s)** = stitches, **tog** = together, **WS** = wrong side, **yo** = yarn over

KNITTING

BO = bind off, **cn** = cable needle, **CO** = cast on, **dpn(s)** = double-pointed needles, **g st** = garter stitch, **k1f&b** = knit in front and back loop of same stitch, **k** = knit (stitch), **k2tog** = knit two stitches together, **kw** = knitwise, **LH** = left hand needle, **p** = purl (stitch), **pw** = purlwise, **RH** = right hand needle, **ssk** = slip, slip, knit, **St st** = stockinette/stocking stitch, **wyib** = with yarn in back, **wyif** = with yarn in front

CROCHETING

ch = chain stitch, **dc** = double crochet, **dtr** = double treble crochet, **hdc** = half double crochet, **htr** = half treble crochet, **sc** = single crochet, **sl st** = slip stitch, **tr** = treble crochet, **tr tr** = triple treble crochet

Difficulty

Beginner: Anyone with no experience knitting/crocheting. Easy techniques and clear explanations.

Adventurous Beginner: For a beginner ready to take the next step. Clear explanations so you can try some new techniques.

Intermediate: Anyone who has knitted/crocheted for a while but who wants a challenge. More advanced techniques and two steps occur at the same time.

Experienced: For experienced knitters/crocheters who have already tried many techniques and methods. Advanced/uncommon techniques and several steps occur simultaneously.