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# NORWAY CHESS RAGLAN JUMPER

DG 466-01 | ALPAKKA FORTE



  
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### DESIGN

Norway Chess by House of Yarn

### YARN

ALPAKKA FORTE 80 % alpaca, 20 % nylon,  
50 grams = approx. 133 metres

### SIZES

S (M) L (XL) XXL

*The garment has an oversized fit. Please choose size according to the measurements table.*

### GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Chest measurements approx. 108 (115) 123 (131) 146 cm

Full length approx. 54 (55) 55 (57) 57 cm

Sleeve-length approx. 45 cm or to desired length

### YARN AMOUNTS

Colour 1 6 (6) 7 (7) 8 balls

Colour 2 4 (5) 5 (6) 6 balls

Colour 3 1 ball in all sizes

### COLOURS

Colour 1 Light pink 743

Colour 2 Mottled indigo 708

Colour 3 White 717

### SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZES

2.5 and 3 mm long and short circular needles and DPNs

### KNITTING TENSION

26 sts x 28 rows/rounds stocking st and pattern with 3 mm needles = 10 x 10 cm

**Check your knitting tension by working a swatch.**

**Count the number of sts per 10 cm; if you have more sts than suggested, change to a larger needle size. If you have fewer sts, change to a smaller needle size.**

### FIND THE RIGHT SIZE

1. Measure a garment that fits you.
2. Compare the measurements with the pattern.
3. Choose your size from the chest measurements.
4. Body and sleeves can be worked longer or shorter as needed.

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### ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit, P = purl, st. = stitch, y/o = yarn over,

DPN = double pointed needles, tbl = through back loop



*For men's pattern, see DG 466-01 on [houseofyarn.no](http://houseofyarn.no)*

### BODY

Cast on 320 (344) 368 (392) 436 sts with colour 1 on 2.5 mm needles. Work rib in the round (K2, P2) for 6 cm. Change to 3 mm needles and knit 1 round, **at the same time** as you increase 40 (44) 48 (52) 56 sts evenly spaced = 280 (300) 320 (340) 380 sts. Place a marker around 1 st in each side, with 139 (149) 159 (169) 189 sts on both the front and back pieces. Continue with stocking st and work according to diagram **A**. Begin at the arrow for your size (first st = first marker-st). When the piece measures approx. 28 (28) 28 (29) 30 cm, cast off 23 sts on each side for the armholes (= marker-st + 11 sts on each side) = 117 (127) 137 (147) 167 sts on both the front and back pieces. **NOTE!** Finish with a complete "chess square" in the diagram. Leave sts on needle and work the sleeves.

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## SLEEVES

Cast on 52 (56) 60 (64) 68 sts with colour 1 on 2.5 mm needles. Work rib in the round (K2, P2) for 6 cm. Change to 3 mm needles and knit 1 round, **at the same time** as you increase 12 (14) 14 (16) 18 sts evenly spaced = 64 (70) 74 (80) 86 sts. Place a marker around the first st = marker-st. Work stocking st and pattern according to diagram **A**. Count outwards from middle of sleeve to determine where the diagram should begin. Marker-st is always purled using the colour which fits the pattern best. When the sleeve measures 8 cm, increase 1 st on each side of the marker-st. Repeat this increase every 1.5 cm a total of 25 times = 114 (120) 124 (130) 136 sts. When the sleeve measures approx. 45cm, cast off 23 sts under the sleeve (= marker-st and 11 sts on each side) = 91 (97) 101 (107) 113 sts. **NOTE!** Finish with a complete "chess square" in the diagram. Lay the piece to one side and work the other sleeve.

## YOKE

Place left sleeve, front piece, right sleeve and back piece on 3 mm needles = 416 (448) 476 (508) 560 sts. Place a marker around the first and last sts on both the front and back pieces = 4 marker-sts which are always purled with the background colour in use each time. Work stocking st according to diagram **B**. Count outwards from mid-front, mid-back and middle of sleeves to determine where to begin the diagram on each section. When diagram **B** is finished, work according to diagram **A**.

**At the same time** on round 2 after the join, decrease for raglan by K2 together tbl before each marker-st and K2 together after each marker-st.

Repeat the raglan decreases every 2nd round another 24 (25) 24 (22) 20 times, then every round 0 (0) 3 (8) 14 times. **At the same time**, on the last round, place 19 (21) 21 (25) 27 sts mid-front on a st holder for the neckline = 197 (219) 231 (235) 253 sts. Work to end of round, cut the yarn and move the beginning of the round to one side of the neckline. Continue back and forth and cast off for the neckline on both sides 3,2 sts, then 1 st until the raglan decreases are finished. **At the same time**, continue to decrease for raglan every 2nd row 2 (0) 0 (0) 0 times, then every row 10 (14) 14 (16) 18 times.

**NOTE!** From the wrong side, decrease for raglan by P2 together before the marker-sts and P2 together tbl after the marker-sts. Marker-sts are knitted from the wrong side.

## NECK

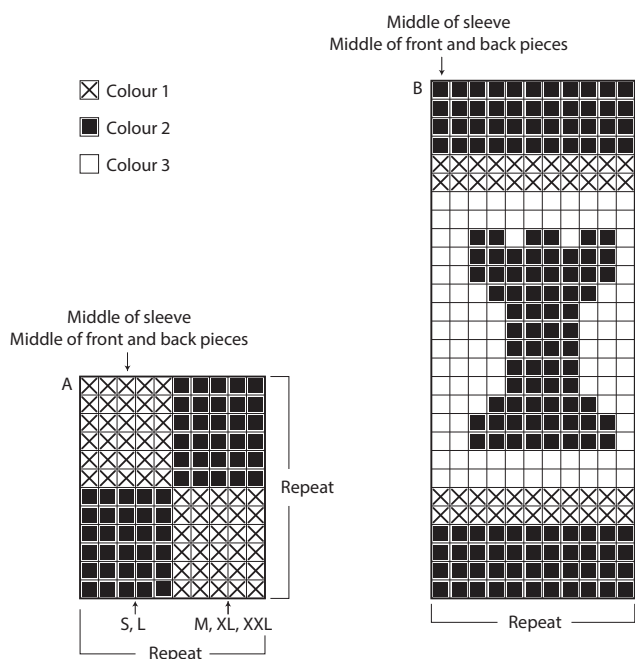
Pick up approx. 13 sts per 5 cm around the neckline (including the sts on needle/st holder), with colour 1 on 2.5 mm needles. St count should be divisible by 4. Work 1 round of stocking st, then rib for 8 cm (K2, P2). Loosely cast off with K and P.

## ASSEMBLY

Sew together the openings under the sleeves. Fold the neck double to the inside and sew down with loose stitches.

## DIAGRAM

- ☒ Colour 1
- Colour 2
- Colour 3



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