

# CLASSIC UNISEX ICELANDER

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### **DESIGN**

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### YARN

OLDER 100 % wool, 50 grams = approx. 95 metres

### **SIZES**

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

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## **GARMENT MEASUREMENTS**

Chest measurements approx. 84 (93) 98 (107) 116 (124) 133 (142) cm

Full length, measured mid-back, approx. 60 (62) 64 (66) 68 (70) 72 (74) cm

Sleeve-length women approx. 49 cm or desired length Sleeve-length men approx. 54 cm or desired length

# YARN AMOUNTS

Colour 1 8 (9) 10 (11) 12 (13) 14 (15) balls Colour 2 3 (3) 4 (4) 4 (5) 5 (6) balls

### **COLOURS**

Colour 1 Latte mottled beige 425

Colour 2 White 400

# **SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZES**

 $4.5~\mathrm{mm}$  and  $5~\mathrm{mm}$  long and short circular needles and DPNs

# **KNITTING TENSION**

18 sts x 22 rows/rounds and colourwork on 5 mm needles =  $10 \times 10 \text{ cm}$ 

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



Work the sleeves first.

### **SLEEVES**

Cast on 40 (44) 48 (48) 52 (52) 56 (56) sts with colour 1 on 4.5 mm needles

Work rib (K2, P2) in the round as follows: Work 6 rounds with colour 1, 2 rounds with colour 2, 1 round with colour 1, 2 rounds with colour 2, change to colour 1 and work until the sleeve measures 7 cm. Place a marker around the first and last sts =marker-sts, which are always knitted with colour 1. Change to 5 mm needles, continue with stocking st and work according to the diagram. Count outwards from middle of sleeve to determine where the diagram should begin. When the sleeve measures 8 cm, increase 1 st on each side of the marker-sts. Repeat the increases every 3.5 (3.5) 4 (3) 3 (3) 3 (2.5) cm a total of 11 (11) 10 (12) 12 (13) 13 (15) times = 62 (66) 68 (72) 76 (78) 82 (86) sts.

Work until the sleeve measures 49 cm (women) / 54 cm (men) or to desired length. On the last round, cast off 12 sts under the sleeve (= marker-sts + 5 sts on each side) = 50 (54) 56 (60) 64 (66) 70 (74) sts. Leave the sts on the needle and work the other sleeve.

Measure 30 (31) 32 (35) 36 (39) 40 (42) cm down in the knitting direction from the last round and place a marker. This is a reference point for where the diagram begins on the body.

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# middle of sleeve Colour 1 Colour 2 Repeat X XXL XXXL XXXL Repeat

### **BODY**

Cast on 152 (168) 176 (192) 208 (224) 240 (256) sts with colour 1 on 4.5 mm needles. Work 7 cm rib in the same way as on the sleeves. Place a marker in each side with 76 (84) 88 (96) 104 (112) 120 (128) sts on both the front and back pieces. Change to 5 mm needles, continue with stocking st and work according to the diagram. Begin at the arrow for your chosen size, by the marker-st on each side. *Use the reference marker on the sleeve to determine which row in the diagram to start with.* You can adjust this to start with the closest row in the diagram worked just with colour 1. When the piece measures approx. 37 (38) 39 (42) 43 (46) 47 (49) cm, cast off 12 sts on each side for the armholes (= 6 sts on each side of each marker) = 64 (72) 76 (84) 92 (100) 108 (116) sts on both the front and back pieces. **NOTE!** Finish with the same round as on the sleeves.

# YOKE

Place the left sleeve, front piece, right sleeve and back piece on 5 mm circular needles = 228 (252) 264 (288) 312 (332) 356 (380) sts.

Place a marker around the first and last sts on both the front and back pieces = marker-sts which are always purled with colour 1. Continue in the round with stocking st and work according to the diagram on each piece as before. On round 2, decrease for raglan as follows:

Before each marker: Work as far as 2 sts before each marker, slip 1 st knit-wise, slip the next st knit-wise, place the 2 sts back on the left needle and K2 together in the back loops. After each marker: K2 together after each marker. Repeat the raglan decreases every 4th round another 2 (0) 0 (0) 0 (0) 0 (0) times, every 2nd round 16 (21) 22 (20) 19 (18) 16 (13) times, then every round 0 (0) 0 (4) 8 (10) 16 (22) times. Decrease with the colour which fits the pattern best.

At the same time, when you have decreased for raglan a total of 14 (17) 18 (18) 19 (19) 22 (24) times, cast off the

a total of 14 (17) 18 (18) 19 (19) 22 (24) times, cast off the middle 12 (14) 16 (16) 18 (20) 22 (24) sts on the front piece for the neckline. Continue back and forth with stocking st and continue casting off for the neckline at the beginning of each row on each side 3,2 sts, then 1 st until the raglan decreases are finished on the back piece.

**NOTE!** When decreasing for raglan on the wrong side, P2 together before each marker and P2 together tbl after each marker. The marker-sts are knitted.

### **ASSEMBLY**

Sew the openings under the sleeves.

## **NECK**

Work the sts from the yoke with colour 1 onto 4.5 mm needles, **at the same time** as you pick up 8-9 sts per 5 cm around the neckline = approx. 80 - 96 sts. St count must be divisible by 4. Work 7 cm rib (K2, P2) in the round. Loosely cast off.

Fold the neck double to the inside and sew down with loose stitches.

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