



MESH CARDIGAN

DG 452-06 | ØKO BOMULL



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DESIGN

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YARN

ØKO BOMULL 100 % organic cotton,
50 grams = approx.100 metres

Alternative yarns: LERKE, MERINO 22

SIZES

2 (4) 6 (8) 10 (12) years

NOTE! See GARMENT MEASUREMENTS to find the right size

GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Chest size approx. 62 (66) 69 (77) 80 (87) cm

Full length measured mid-back approx. 32 (36) 40 (44) 48 (52) cm

Sleeve-length approx. 24 (27) 33 (36) 38 (40) cm

YARN AMOUNTS

5 (6) 7 (8) 9 (11) balls

COLOUR

Flax 303

SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZES

3 mm and 4 mm long circular needles and DPNs
2.5 and 4 mm short circular needles

ACCESSORIES

7 buttons

KNITTING TENSION

22 sts x 30 rounds of pattern on 4 mm needles= 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.

ABBREVIATIONS

K = knit, P = purl, st. = stitch, y/o = yarn over,
DPN = double pointed needles, tbl = through back loop

For the skirt pattern, see DG 454-02



The edge-sts are knitted on all rows. Make your yarn changes at the sides, so they are less visible.

FRONT AND BACK PIECES

Cast on 136 (144) 152 (168) 176 (192) sts on 3 mm needles. Work rib back and forth for 5 (5) 5 (6) 6 (6) cm as follows: (Row 1 = wrong side) Work 1 edge st, *P2, K2*, repeat from *-*, finish with P2 and 1 edge-st. Finish with a row from the wrong side. Change to 4 mm needles. K 1 row, **at the same time** as 2 sts are decreased evenly spread = 134 (142) 150 (166) 174 (190) sts. Place a marker in each side with 68 (72) 76 (84) 88 (96) sts on the back piece and 33 (35) 37 (41) 43 (47) sts on each front piece. Work pattern according to the diagram, inside 1 edge-st on each side. **NOTE!** On rows following y/os, P the first y/o and P the second y/o tbl. When the piece measures approx. 18 (22) 25 (28) 31 (34) cm, cast off 8 (8) 8 (8) 12 (12) sts on each side for the armholes (= 4 (4) 4 (4) 6 (6) sts on each side of the markers) = 60 (64) 68 (76) 76 (84) sts on the back piece and 29 (31) 33 (37) 37 (41) sts on each front piece. **NOTE!** Finish after row 2 in the diagram.

SLEEVES

Cast on 32 (32) 36 (36) 40 (40) sts on 3 mm needles. Work 5 (5) 5 (6) 6 (6) cm rib in the round (K2, P2). Change to 4 mm needles. Work 1 round stocking st, **at the same time** as you increase 4 (8) 8 (8) 8 (12) sts evenly spaced = 36 (40) 44 (44) 48 (52) sts. Place a marker around the first and last sts = marker-sts. Work pattern according to the diagram. Count outwards from middle of sleeve to determine where the diagram should begin.

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When the sleeve measures 7 (7) 7 (8) 8 (8) cm, increase 1 st on each side of the marker-sts. The increased stitches are worked into the pattern. **NOTE!** It is best to increase on a round of stocking st. Repeat the increases every 2.5 (4) 6 (4.5) 5 (6) cm a total of 6 (5) 4 (6) 6 (5) times = 48 (50) 52 (56) 60 (62) sts. Work until the sleeve measures 24 (27) 33 (36) 38 (40) cm or to desired length. Finish on the same round as on the body. **At the same time**, on the last round cast off 8 (8) 8 (8) 12 (12) sts mid-under sleeve (= marker-sts + 3 (3) 3 (3) 5 (5) sts on each side) = 40 (42) 44 (48) 48 (50) sts.

YOKE

Place the right front piece, right sleeve, back piece, left sleeve and left front piece on the same 4 mm circular needles = 198 (210) 222 (246) 246 (266) sts. Place a marker in each transition. Continue according to the diagram. **At the same** on row 2, decrease for raglan as follows:

Before the markers: K2 together tbl.

After the markers: K2 together.

From the wrong side, P2 together before the markers and P2 together tbl after the markers.

NOTE! You will now decrease differently on the sleeves and on the front and back pieces. See your size for the correct decreases.

NOTE! When there are not enough sts to K2 together and make a y/o, K the sts.

2 and 4 years: Repeat the raglan decreases on the sleeves every 2nd row, another 13 (14) times. **At the same time** on the first 3 (5) rows, repeat the raglan decreases on the front and back pieces on each row. There are 126 (126) stitches left.

6 years: Repeat the raglan decreases on the sleeves every 2nd row, another 13 times. **At the same time**, on the first 3 rows, repeat the raglan decreases on the front and back pieces on each row. Then decrease on the sleeves every 2nd row another 2 times, **at the same time** as you decrease on the front and back pieces every row 3 times. There are 130 sts left.

8 years: Repeat the raglan decreases on the sleeves every 2nd row another 16 times. **At the same time**, on the first 7 rows, repeat the raglan decreases on the front and back pieces on each row. There are 146 sts left.

10 years: Repeat the raglan decreases on the sleeves every 2nd row, 15 more times. **At the same time**, on the first 3 rows, repeat the raglan decreases on the front and back pieces on each row. Then decrease on the sleeves every 2nd row another 3 times, **at the same time** as you decrease on the front and back pieces every row, 5 times. There are 134 sts left.

12 years: Repeat the raglan decreases on the sleeves every 4th round, another 2 times. **At the same time**, on the first

7 rows, repeat the raglan decreases on the front and back pieces on each row. Then decrease only on the sleeves every 2nd row, 13 times. Continue to decrease on the sleeves every 2nd row another 3 times, **at the same time** as you decrease on the front and back pieces every row, 5 times. There are 138 sts left.

All sizes: NOTE! Read the next section carefully, as decreases are now worked differently on the sleeves and on front and back pieces, at the same time as you decrease for the neckline.

Continue decreasing for raglan on the **front and back pieces** every row, another 13 (12) 12 (13) 12 (12) times. **At the same time**, continue to decrease for raglan on the sleeves every 2nd row 2 (2) 2 (0) 0 (0) times, then every row 0 (0) 0 (3) 0 (0) times. **At the same time** cast off for the neckline at the beginning of each row, 8,2 (8,2) 8,2,2 (9,2,2) 10,2,2 (10,2,2) sts on each side, then 1 st on each side until the raglan decreases are finished on the front and back pieces. Leave the stitches on the needle.

ASSEMBLY

Sew together the openings under the sleeves.

LEFT FRONT EDGE

Use 3 mm needles and pick up approx. 10 – 11 sts per 5 cm, inside the edge-st along the left front piece. St count should be divisible by 4. Work 2 cm of rib back and forth as follows: (Row 1 = wrong side). Work 1 edge-st, *P2, K2*, repeat from *..*, end with P2 and 1 edge-st. Cast off with K and P. Place markers for 6 buttons along the edge. **NOTE!** The 7th button is on the neck.

RIGHT FRONT EDGE

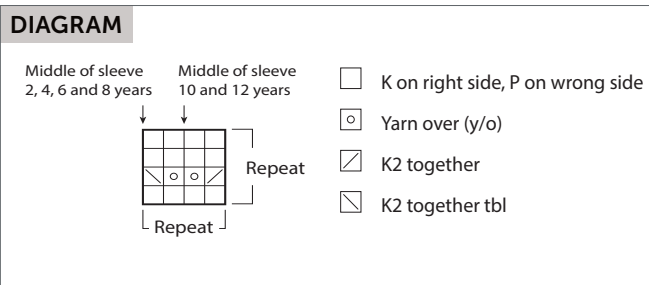
Is worked in the same way as the left front edge but work the buttonholes, corresponding with the markers, when the edge measures 1 cm.

Buttonholes: Work 2 sts together, 2 y/os, work 2 sts together. K or P sts together depending on where they fit into the rib. On the next row, K1, K1 tbl or P1, P1 tbl in the yarn overs.

NECK

Work the sts onto 2.5 mm needles, **at the same time** as you knit up 10 – 11 sts per 5 cm along the cast-off edges and front edges. St count should be divisible by 4. Work 3 cm rib (K2, P2). Cast off with K and P. Remember the last buttonhole.

Sew on the buttons.



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