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YARN

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

SIZES S (M) L (XL) XXL

GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Chest measurements approx. 92 (100) 108 (116) 124 cm Full length approx. 62 (64) 66 (68) 70 cm

YARN AMOUNTS

6 (7) 7 (8) 9 balls

COLOUR Pine green 737

SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZES

2.5 and 3.5 mm short and long circular needles and DPNs

KNITTING TENSION

25 sts with stocking st and needle size 3.5 mm = 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, r = row, DPN = double pointed needles, m1r = make one right, m1l = make one left

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BODY

Cast on 230 (250) 270 (290) 310 sts on 2.5 mm circular needles. Work rib in the round with K3, P2 for 8 (8) 9 (9) 10 cm. Change to needle size 3.5 mm and work stocking st. Insert a marker in each side with 115 (125) 135 (145) 155 sts on both the front and back pieces.

When the piece measures 43 (44) 45 (46) 47 cm cast off 6 (8) 10 (12) 14 stitches each side for the armholes = 109 (117) 125 (133) 141 sts on front and back pieces. Each piece is finished separately.

BACK PIECE

Work stocking st back and forth and cast off for the armholes on each side every 2nd row, 3 sts 1 time, 2 sts 1 (2) 2 (2) 3 times, 1 st 1 (1) 2 (3) 2 times = 97 (101) 107 (113) 119 sts. When the piece measures 60 (62) 64 (66) 68 cm, cast off the middle 27 (29) 31 (33) 35 sts for the neck.

Each shoulder is finished separately.

Continue to cast off by the neck every 2nd row, 2,1 sts = 32 (33) 35 (37) 39 shoulder-sts.

Cast off when the piece measures 62 (64) 66 (68) 70 cm. Work the other shoulder in the same way but in reverse.

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FRONT PIECE

Cast off the middle st and finish each shoulder separately. Work stocking st back and forth and cast off for the armhole as on back piece.

At the same time cast off 1 st for the V-neck as follows: Every 2nd row, 10 (11) 12 (13) 14 times then every 4th row 6 times. When all the decreases for neck and armhole are finished there are 32 (33) 35 (37) 39 shoulder-sts.

Cast off when the front piece is the same length as back piece.

Work the other shoulder in the same way but in reverse.

ASSEMBLY

Sew or graft the shoulders seams.

NECKLINE

Knit up round the neck, from the right side, approx. 25 sts

per 10 cm with circular needle size 2.5 mm. Begin and end at bottom of V mid-front.

The stitch-no. should be divisible by 5.

Work back and forth, P1 row (from wrong side), then work rib with K3, P2 (seen from right side) and 1 edge-st on each side. Edge-sts are knitted on all rows.

Cast off when the neck measures 3 cm.

Mid-front, lay the left side of neck over the right side and sew both sides down.

SLEEVE EDGES

Knit up around the armhole approx. 25 sts per 10 cm, with short circular needle size 2.5 mm. Begin and end mid-under sleeve.

The stitch-no. should be divisible by 5.

Work in the round, K 1 round, then rib with K3, P2 for 3 cm. Cast off.

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