

LOFOTEN MEN'S JUMPER

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DESIGN

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YARN

LERKE 53 % merino wool, 47 % Egyptian cotton, 50 grams = approx. 115 metres

SIZES

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

MEASUREMENTS

Upper body approx. (94) 101 (109) 116 (123) 130 cm Full length approx. (63) 65 (67) 69 (73) 75 cm Sleeve length approx. (43) 44 (45) 47 (48) 49 cm

YARN REQUIREMENTS

Colour 1 (6) 7 (8) 9 (10) 11 balls Colour 2 (1) 1 (1) 2 (2) 2 balls Colour 3 (2) 2 (2) 2 (3) 3 balls Colour 4 (1) 1 (1) 2 (2) 2 balls

COLOURS

Colour 1 Espresso 8156 Colour 2 Camel 2641

Colour 3 Unbleached White 0020

Colour 4 Blue Jeans 8138

SUGGESTED NEEDLES

3 mm and 3.5 mm long and short circular needles and DPNs

GAUGE

22 sts x 29 R of stocking st, 27 R colourwork = $10 \times 10 \text{ cm}$

Alternative yarn: ALPAKKA FORTE CLASSIC, NATURAL LANOLIN WOOL

Check your gauge 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 YOUR SIZE

- 1. Measure a knitted garment that fits you.
- 2. Compare your measurements with those in the pattern.
- 3. Select your size based on the upper body measurements.
- 4. Body and sleeves may be worked longer or shorter as desired.

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit, p = purl, st = stitch, R = round/row,
 DPN = double pointed needles, k2tog = knit 2 together,
 m = marker, PM = place marker, RS/WS = right/wrong side



FRONT AND BACK PIECES

Cast on (208) 224 (240) 256 (272) 288 sts with colour 1 on 3 mm circular needles. Work rib in the round with K1, P1 for 4 cm in all sizes. K 1 round. Change to 3.5 mm needles. Work diagram $\bf A$. Continue working stocking stitch with colour 1 until your work measures (41) 42 (43) 44 (46) 47 cm. PM through the first st and st no. (105) 113 (121) 129 (137) 145 = side marker stitches (SM). Work diagram $\bf B$, but on R 4 divide for front and back pieces by casting off SM sts + 7 sts on each side of each SM = 15 sts cast off on each side.

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You will now have (89) 97 (105) 113 (121) (129) sts left for front and back pieces. Lay to one side and work the sleeves.

= Colour 2= Colour 3

Repeat

The middle of the sleeve

= Colour 4

SLEEVES

Using 3 mm DPNs and colour 1, cast on (46) 48 (50) 52 (54) 56 sts. Work rib (K1, P1) in the round for 4 cm. K 1 round. Change to 3.5 mm needles. Work diagram $\bf A$. Count outwards from the arrow in the diagram to determine your starting point. Increase 1 st on each side of each SM every 1.5 cm. When you have finished the diagram, continue with stocking stitch using colour 1. Work the increases a total of (21) 22 (23) 24 (25) 26 times = (88) 92 (96) 100 (104) 108 sts. When the sleeve is approx. 1.5 cm shorter than the final measurement, work diagram $\bf B$. Count outwards from the arrow in the diagram to determine your starting point. On R 4, cast off the SM sts + 7 sts on each side = 15 sts under each sleeve with (73) 77 (81) 85 (89) 93 sts remaining. Lay to one side and work the other sleeve in the same way.

RAGLAN DECREASES

order: Back piece, one sleeve, front piece, other sleeve = (324) 348 (372) 396 (420) 444 sts in total. PM in the transitions between sleeves and front and back pieces = transition markers (TM) for raglan decreases. Continue with diagram **B** and decrease for raglan on every other R as follows: K2tog tbl before each TM and K2tog after each TM = 8 sts decreased per R. Continue working these decreases on every other R for a total of (19) 21 (23) 25 (27) 29 times NOTE! When you have finished diagram B, continue working stocking stitch with colour 1 = (51) 55 (59) 63 (67) 71 sts left on the front piece. Cast off the middle (15) 17 (19) 21 (23) 25 sts on the front piece for the neckline. Work up until the yarn change and cut yarn. Begin centre front. Continue with stocking stitch, working flat and the raglan decreases as before, while also casting off for the neckline at the beginning of each R: 2,2,2,1,1,1,1 sts for all sizes = in total (26) 28 (30) 32 (34) 36 raglan decreases.

Place all the pieces onto one set of circular needles in this

HIGH NECK

Place all remaining sts onto 3 mm needles and pick up sts around the neckline with colour 1, approx. 11 sts per 5 cm (st count must be divisible by 2) = 1 R of K sts. Work a rib (K1, P1) in the round for 3 cm.

Change to 3.5 mm needles and continue with rib (K1, P1) until the neckline measures (14) 14 (15) 15 (16) 16 cm. Loosely cast off with K and P sts. Fold the neck down to the RS.

SHORT NECK

Pick up sts as described for the high neck option and work a K1, P1 rib in the round, using 3 mm needles, for (7) 7 (8) 8 (9) 9 cm. Loosely cast off with K and P sts. Fold the neck double to the WS and sew down loosely. Join underarm seams.

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