

55 Short-sleeved sweater

Size S - M / L - XL

Garment measurements:

Bust 54¼"/60½" (138/154 cm), Length 21¼"/22½" (54/57 cm)

Materials: LANGYARNS REGINA (cotton, baby alpaca, silk, wool) 350/450 g = 7/9 balls of nougat 1093.0015. ADDI knitting needles, size US 4 (3.5mm) and US 6 (4mm).

PATTERN STITCHES

Twisted Rib:

US 4 (3.5mm) needles:

Row 1 (RS): k1 (edge st), k1 tbl, *p1, k1 tbl, rep from * to the last st, k1 (edge st).

Row 2 (WS): k1 (edge st), *p1 tbl, k1, rep from * to the last 2 sts, p1 tbl, k1 (edge st).

Rep rows 1 & 2 for Twisted Rib.

Chart 1a:

US 4 (3.5mm) needles: Pattern transition at **right edge** according to chart 1a.

The chart shows the RS rows and the WS rows.

Work rows 1 – 22.

Chart 1b:

US 4 (3.5mm) needles: Pattern transition at **left edge**, according to chart 1b.

The chart shows the RS rows and the WS rows.

Work rows 1 – 22.

Ridge pattern:

US 6 (4mm) needles: Ridge pattern

Row 1 (RS): k.

Row 2 (WS): p.

Row 3: k.

Row 4: k.

Rep rows 1 – 4.

Stockinette st:

Chart 6 (4mm) needles: Stockinette st = k on RS, p on WS.

Cable:

US 6 (4mm) needles: **Cables**

Cable to the right, over 3 sts: put 2 sts on a cable needle at back of your work, k1, then k2 from cable needle.

Cable to the left, over 3 sts: put 1 st on a cable needle in front of your work, k2, then k1 from cable needle.

Note: Garments knitted with yarn composed of silk should be quite short, as they will tend to stretch with wear, becoming longer.

Gauge: Ridge Pattern, US 6 (4mm) needles:

23 sts = 4" (10 cm), 30 rows = 4" (10 cm).

BACK

Cast on 205/229 sts with US 2.5 (3mm) needles.

Work Twisted Rib and **pattern transition:** Chart Ia at the beginning of the row and Chart Ib at the end of the row.

After 22 rows change to US 6 (4mm) needles, dec as follows: k1 (edge st), 9 sts 2 sts Twisted Rib, Ridge Pattern, k14/18, M1, *k4, M1, rep from * 45/49 times, k15/19, 9 sts 2 sts Twisted Rib, Ridge Pattern, k1 (edge st) - 45/49 sts decreased.

Now continue with 160/180 sts, **arrange pattern** as follows: k1 (edge st), 9 Ridge Pattern, 2 sts Twisted Rib, 136/156 sts Stockinette, 2 sts Twisted Rib, 9 sts Ridge st, k1 (edge st)

At the same time, in the knit section up to the neck work a cable at the beginning and end of every 8th row (= cable over 3 sts), each time shifting the cable 3 sts toward the center. So place the first cables as follows: k1 (edge st), 9 sts Ridge Pattern, 2 sts Twisted Rib, 3 sts Stockinette, Cable over 3 sts (right), 124/144 sts Stockinette, Cable over 3 sts (left), 3 sts Stockinette, 2 sts Twisted Rib, 9 sts Ridge Pattern, k1 (edge st).

Armholes: When back measures 14½" (37 cm) work Stockinette over all sts and place a marker at the beginning and end of the row.

Neck: When back measures 19¼"/20½" (49/52 cm) **arrange pattern** as follows: k1 (edge st), 52/60 sts Stockinette, 54/58 sts Ridge Pattern (starting with row 3), 52/60 sts Stockinette, k1 (edge st).

After 10 rows, loosely bind off 42/48 center sts.

Continue to work each side separately: work 4 more rows, then loosely bind off the remaining 59/66 sts for **shoulder**.

FRONT

Work as for back.

Neck: When front measures 17¾"/19" (45/48 cm) **arrange pattern** as follows: k1 (edge st), 52/60 sts Stockinette, 54/58 sts Ridge Pattern (starting with row 3), 52/60 sts Stockinette, k1 (edge st).

After 10 rows, loosely bind off 42/48 center sts.

Continue to work each side separately: work 18 more rows, then loosely bind off the remaining 59/66 sts for **shoulder**.

SLEEVES

Cast on 106/124 sts with US 4 (3.5mm) needles.

Row 1 (RS): k1 (edge st), k1 tbl, *p1, k1 tbl, rep from * to the last st, k1 (edge st).

Row 2 (WS): k1 (edge st), *p1 tbl, k1, rep from * to the last 2 sts, p1 tbl, k1 (edge st).

Rep rows 1 & 2 until ribbing measures 2³/₄" (7 cm).

Change to US 6 (4mm) needles, begin working Stockinette (k on RS, p on WS) and dec on the first row: k1 (edge st), k2/3, k2tog, *k2, k2tog, rep from * to the last 5/6 sts, k4/5, k1 (edge st) - 25/29 sts decreased.

Continue with 81/95 sts. Work even until sleeve measures 6¹/₄" (16 cm).

Loosely bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Close shoulder seams. Set in sleeve between markers, Sew sleeve and side seams, leaving sides open over the first 2³/₄" (7 cm). Weave in ends. Block as desired.