

MOHAIR JUMPER

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Sizes: S, M, L, XL, XXL

Measurements: chest 96-104-112-120-128 cm, length 60-62-64-67-67 cm.

Yarn: Esito loop mohair (70 % MW, 26 % WO, 4 % PA, appr. 240 g = appr. 480 m) 200-200-240-280-330 g Light blue (318) and Alize Angora Gold Simli Batik (75 % PAN, 10 % WO, 10 % MV, 5 % PES, 100 g = 500 m) 100-100-130-160-200 g Blue (1899).

Needles: circular needle 60 cm, sizes 6 and 8 (US 10 and 11)

1x1 rib stitch: Knit according to instructions.

Stockinette stitch in the round: Knit all rows.

Flat stockinette stitch: Knit on right side, purl on wrong side.

Gauge: 10,5 st and 14 rows = 10 cm finished stockinette.

Bottom part of the front and back pieces: First, knit the slit on the front piece. Cast 57-61-65-69-73 st on the smaller needle. Knit 1x1 rib stitch for 3 rows.

Row 1 (ws): k1, *p1 tbl, k1*, repeat *-*, p1 tbl, k1.

Row 2: k1, *k1 tbl, p1*, repeat *-*, k1 tbl, k1. Then, repeat row 1. Switch to larger needle. At both ends, knit 2 st garter stitch (knit on all rows, lift 1st stitch without knitting) and stockinette with the rest of sts for 10 rows. Cut yarn. Slit on back piece: Knit as front slit but do not cut yarn. Close into round: knit back piece sts, continue with front piece sts and at ends of pieces knit last st together with 1st st of next piece. Mark sides = 2 x 56-60-64-68-72 st. When the work measures 15 cm, begin side decreases.

Row 1: *k1, skp, when 3 st remain in front of second marker k2tog, k1*, repeat *-*. Repeat decreases when work measures 25 cm and 33 cm = 2 x 50-54-58-62-66 s. Begin decreases for armholes when the work measures 39-41-41-43-43 cm. Mark the last knit row both front and back.

Row 1: Dec 3 st, knit until 3 st remain in front of marker, dec 6 st, knit to end of row. Knit front piece first.

Front piece: On next row (ws) cast off 3 st from armhole side of piece. Then, dec 0-0-0-1-1 x 2 st and 3-4-5-4-5 x 1 st on every other row = 38-40-42-44-46 st. When the armhole measures 16-16-18-20-20 rows, begin neckline. Mark the middle 6 st. **Row 1:** knit until marker, cast off 6 st, knit until end of row. Knit right shoulder first. Cast off 2 x 2 st ja 2 x 1 st on every other row = 10-11-12-13-14 st. When the armhole measures 26-26-28-30-30 rows = 19-19-20,5-22-22 cm, cast off 1 x 5-6-6-6-7 st and 1x 5-5-6-7-7 st from the shoulder side on every other row. Knit left shoulder in mirror image.

Back piece: Continue knitting with the appropriate colour. Knit ws first making decreases as on front piece. When armhole measures 26 rows, begin neckline and shoulder. Mark 10 st from the middle for neckline. **Row 1:** Cast off 5-6-6-6-7 st from shoulder, knit until marker, cast off 10 st, knit to end of row.

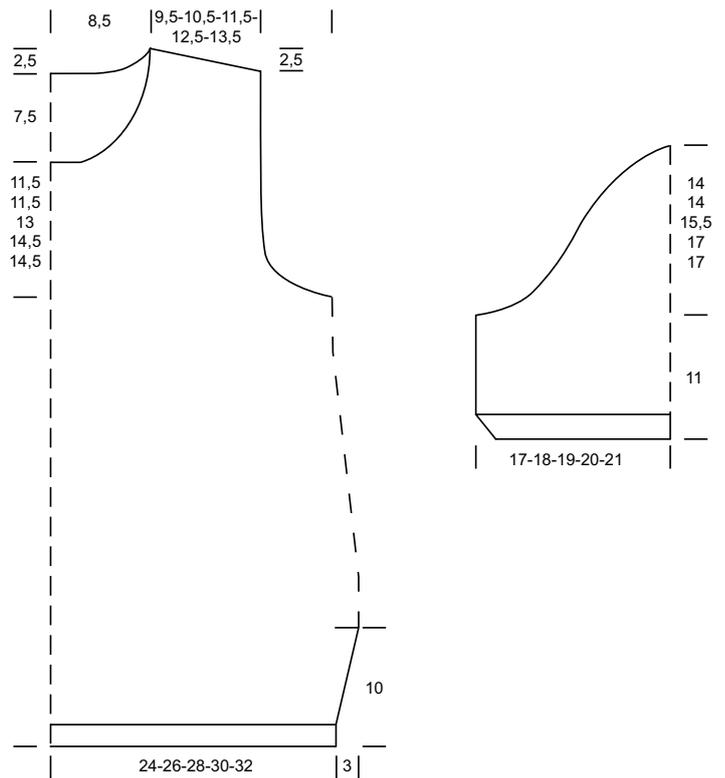


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Row 2: Cast off from shoulder as on row 1, knit to end of row. Cast off 1x 4 st from neck side on every other row and cast off the rest of sts from shoulder side. Knit other shoulder in mirror image.

Sleeve: Cast 37-39-41-43-45 st on smaller needle and knit rib stitch as on front piece. Switch to larger needle and knit 12 rows stockinette. Dec 1 x 3 st, 1 x 2-3-3-3-3 st, 0-0-0-0-1 x 2 st, 7-7-8-9-8 x 1 st, 1 x 2 st on every other row and cast off the remaining 9 st all at once. Knit other sleeve the same way.

Finishing: Steam the pieces from the wrong side and stretch lengthwise. Sew shoulder seams. Lift sts from neck to larger needle, knit 1 row, purl 1 row, cast off. Sew shoulder seams and fasten sleeves to body. Finish off yarns and steam the jumper from the wrong side.



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