

STRIPED SWEATER AND CAP

DIFFICULTY = Hard

YARN = 25 grams balls as foll.: 4 balls x col. 3203 (pink), 3 balls x col. 3207 (camel), 3 balls x col. 3206 (orange), 3 balls x col. 3011 (brown) of [ROZENA](#) by LAINES DU NORD

INTERCHANGEABLE CIRCULAR NEEDLES: size 6- and 8-mm points, 80 cm cable.

SHORT POINTS CIRCULAR NEEDLES = size 6- and 8-mm points, 40 cm cable.

OTHERS = waste yarn, stitch wires with caps, stitch marker, darning needle, scissors, tape measure



Work the sweater top down. Use the tubular technique for collar cast-on, sleeves and body bind off. Work the sleeves around the armholes.

The instructions below refer to sizes S (M-L), so number before the brackets refers to size S, while numbers into the brackets refer to size M and L.

SAMPLE

16 stitches and 24 rows = 10 x 10 cm in stocking st. using size 8 mm knitting needles, measured after blocking. If needed, change size of knitting needles.

POINTS USED

Tubular stitch. Rib 2/2 in round. Rib 4/4. Stocking stitch in round.

German short rows

1st r.: slip 1st st. k-wise with yo (double stitch), knit as far as indicated.

2nd r.: slip 1st st. p-wise with yo (double stitch), purl as far as indicated.

Across next rows, work the double stitch like a single stitch.

Bind off tubular stitch using darning needle

ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work

WS = wrong side of work

SM = stitch marker

SMb = stitch marker of the beginning of the round

st. / sts. = stitch / stitches

col. = color

k = knit

M1-r: increase to the right (using left needle, lift the yarn between right and left needle from back to front, then knit).

M1-l: increase to the left (using left needle, lift the yarn between right and left needle from front to back, then knit through the back loop).

st. / sts. = stitch / stitches

r. = row / rows

k-tbl = knit through back loop

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

p2tog = purl 2 stitches together

rep. = repeat / repeating

p = purl

cont. = continue / continuing

foll. = follow / following

MEASURES

SIZES S (M-L)

MEASURES OF GARMENT

Size shown by the picture: S

Chest circumference: 92 cm

Total height: 55 cm

Height from undersleeve: 33 cm

Circumference of top part of sleeve: 36 cm

Length from undersleeve: 46 cm

PROCEDURE

SWEATER

COLLAR (tubular cast-on)

Using waste yarn and size 6 mm points with 40 cm cable, cast-on 92 (100-108) sts. and close in round, making sure the stitches facing the same direction. Place one SMb.

Using pink color work 2 rounds in tubular st.:

1st round: (k1, slip 1 p-wise) rep. until the end of round.

2nd round: (slip 1 k-wise, p1) rep. until the end of round.

3rd round: * k1, hang next st. in back, k1, purl the st. you have hung, p1 *, rep. from * to * until the end of round.

Cont. working 30 rounds rib 2/2.

YOKE

Using size 8 mm points and 80 cm cable, knit 1 round placing the SM as foll.:

Repetition round: k17 (18-19), 1 SM, k2, 1 SM, k8 (10-12), 1 SM, k2, 1 SM, k34 (36-38), 1 SM, k2, 1 SM, k8 (10-12), 1 SM, k2, 1 SM, k17 (18-19).

Continue with short needles technique:

1st r.: knit until 2 sts. from 1st SM, turn.

2nd r.: purl until SMb, move the SMb, purl until 2 sts. from 1st SM, turn.

3rd r.: knit until SMb, move the SMb, knit until next SM, move the SM, k2, move the SM, knit until next SM, move the SM, k2, move the SM, k2, turn.

4th r.: purl until SMb, move the SMb, purl until next SM, move the SM, p1, move the SM, purl until next SM, move the SM, p1, move the SM, p1, turn.

5th r.: knit until SM, * M1-r, move the SM, k2, move the SM, M1-s *, knit until next MP, rep. from * to *, knit until SMb, move the SMb, knit until next SM, rep. from * to *, knit until next SM, rep. from * to *, knit until double stitch, k1, turn.

6th r.: purl until double st. (moving all SM), p1, turn.

7th r.: * knit until next SM, move the SM, k2, move the SM, M1-s, knit until next SM, M1-r, move the SM, k2 *, rep. from * to * until SMb, move the SMb, rep. from * to *, knit until double stitch, k1, turn.

8th r.: purl until double st. (moving all SM), p1, turn.

9th r.: like 5th r., end with k2

10th r.: like 6th r., end with p2.

11th r.: like 7th r., end with k4.

12th r.: like 8th r., end with p4.

After working the short rows, restart working in round.

1st round: knit until SM, * M1-r, move the SM, k2, move the SM, M1-s *, knit until next SM, rep. from * to *, knit until SMb, remove the SMb, knit until next SM, rep. from * to *, knit until next SM, rep. from * to *, knit until the center of front and place the SMb.

2nd round: knit until SMb.

3rd round: * knit until next MP, move the SM, k2, move the SM, M1-s, knit until next MP, M1-r, move the SM, k2, move the SM *, rep. from * to *, knit until SMb.

4th round: knit until SMb.

5th round: * knit until next SM, M1-s, move the SM, k2, move the SM, M1-r *, rep. from * to * 4 times, knit until SMb.

6th round: knit until SMb.

Rep. from round 3 to round 6 until round 20 (24-28), then rep. the rounds 5 and 6 until round 40 (44-48). [after working this part with the increases there are 256 (292-328) sts.]

Remove the SMb you have placed at center of front.

DIVIDE THE STITCHES FOR SLEEVE SHAPING

Size S: k34 with **pink** col., remove the SM, k1, leave next 58 sts. onto a stitch wire (place the caps at the ends) for first sleeve, with **camel** col. cast-on 2 sts. for undersleeve, place the SMb in the center of these 2 sts. then, always with **camel** col., knit 1 68 1, remove the SM, leave next 58 sts. onto a stitch wire for second sleeve, cast-on 2 sts. for undersleeve, place 1 SM in the middle of these 2 sts. to mark the side, k1, remove the SM, knit until SMb.

Size M: k38 with **pink** col., remove the SM, k1, leave next 68 sts. onto a stitch wire for first sleeve, with **camel** col. cast-on 2 sts. for the undersleeve, place the SMb in the middle of these 2 sts. then, always with **camel** col., knit 1 76 1, remove the SM, leave 68 sts. onto a stitch wire for second sleeve, cast-on 2 sts. for the undersleeve, place 1 SM in the middle of these 2 sts. to mark the side, k1, remove the SM, knit until SMb.

Size L: k42 with **pink** col., remove the SM, k1, leave next 78 sts. onto a stitch wire for first sleeve, with **camel** col. cast-on 2 sts. for the undersleeve, place the SMb in the middle of these 2 sts. then, always with **camel** col., knit 1 84 1, remove the SM, leave next 78 sts. onto a stitch wire for second sleeve, cast-on 2 sts. for the undersleeve, place 1 SM in the middle of these 2 sts. to mark the side, k1, remove the SM, knit until SMb.

BODY

Continue working the stitches of front, back and undersleeves.

From round 1 to round 26 (28-30): using **camel** col., knit until SMb.

From round 27 (29-31) to round 52 (56-60): using **orange** col., knit until SMb.

From round 53 (57-61) to round 68 (76-80): using **brown** col., knit until SMb.

Lower band

Rib 2/2, using size 6 mm needle and brown col.

From 1st to 16th round: (k2, p2) until SMb.

Complete the band working 2 r. in tubular st. as foll.:

17th round: (k1, slip 1 p-wise) rep. until the end of round.

18th round: (k1, slip 1 p-wise) rep. until the end of round.

Bind off all sts. in graft st. using the darning needle.

SLEEVES

Using size 8 mm points and 40 cm cable, pick-up 56 (68-78) sts. you have left and 2 sts. you have cast-on for undersleeve, place 1 SMb in the middle of these 2 sts. and work in stocking st. in round.

From 1st to 26th round: with **camel** col., knit until SMb.

From 27th to 30th round: with **orange** col., knit until SMb.

From 31st to 34th round: with **brown** col., knit until SMb.

From 35th to 38th round: with **pink** col., knit until SMb.

From 39th to 42nd round: with **camel** col., knit until SMb.

Rep. the sequence from 27th to 42nd round 3 times more, until round 86. At the same time, on both sides of SMb, decr. 1 st. every 8 (6-5 rounds), until there are 44 (44-48) sts.

Band (cuff)

Using size 6 mm needles, work rib 2/2 as foll.:

Round 0: using **orange** col., knit until SMb.

From round 1 to round 10 (12-14): using **orange** col. work (k2, p2) until SMb.

From round 11 to round 19 (21-23): using **brown** col. work (k2, p2) until SMb.

Across next round work in tubular st. as foll.:

Round 20 (22-24): * k1, hang next st. in front, p1, knit the st. you have hung, p1 *, rep. from * to * until the end of round.

Round 21 (23-25): (k1, slip 1 p-wise) rep. until the end of round.

Round 22 (24-26): (slip 1 k-wise, p1) rep. until the end of round.

Bind off all sts. in graft st. using the darning needle.

Work the second sleeve as given for first one.

FINISHING

Hide the ends. Wet and block. Wear!

PATTERN OF CAP

Single size (one ball in pink col.)

Using circular needles with size 8 mm points, 40 cm cable and pink col., cast-on 112 sts. and close in round, then place 1 SMB.

Rib 4/4.

1st round: (k4, p4) 14 times.

Rep. 1st round until completion of 50 rounds, then decrease as foll.:

Round with decreases: (k4, p1, p2tog, k1) 14 times. [98 sts.]

Knit 3 rounds.

Round with decreases: (k4, p1, p2tog) 14 times. [84 sts.]

Knit 3 rounds.

Round with decreases: (k4, p2tog) 14 times. [70 sts.]

Knit 1 round.

Round with decreases: (k1, k2tog, k1, p1) 14 times. [56 sts.]

Knit 1 round.

Round with decreases: (k1, k2tog, p1) 14 times. [42 sts.]

Knit 1 round.

FINISHING

Cut the yarn leaving a long tail. Thread the darning needle and pass it through rem. 42 sts., unthread the circular needles, pull yarn and tighten, then fix the sts. and hide the ends.

PHOTOGALLERY

