



Viking - Sweater

No. 2004-201-7346

Materials

5 (5, 6, 7) skeins of Alpaca Bris col. 327

Circular knitting needle 31.5 inches (80 cm)
/ US size 6 (4 mm) and US size 8 (5 mm)

Stitch markers

Stitch holder

Cable needle: circular needle 31.5 inches
(80 cm)

Yarn quality

Alpaca Bris, Viking Garn

60% Baby Alpaca, 11% Merino wool, 29%
Nylon/ 1.8 oz. (50 g) = 164 yards (150
meter)

Knitting gauge

17 stitches and 29 rounds/rows
on 4 inches (10 cm) in pattern

Buy the yarn here:

<http://shop.hobbii.com/viking-sweater>

Hashtags for social media

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Sizes

S (M, L, XL)

Measurements

Width: 17.3 (18.9, 20.5, 22) inches (44 (48,
52, 56) cm)

Length: 20.9 (20.9, 20.9, 20.9) inches (53
(53, 53, 53) cm)

Pattern information

The blouse is knitted down-up with a
discreet moss stitch pattern.

Divide at armholes and the back and the
front are knitted separately.

The sleeves are knitted separately and
joined onto the sweater by sewing.

Techniques:

You can find videos of the techniques used
in the pattern here:

German Short Row -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Bz7YhiXuA8&list=PL_gKGVkKbA2IIG4JRf7swzsRINnCdQ6PD&index=10&t=15s

Magic Loop -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FtLallfMHMg&list=PL_gKGVkKbA2IIG4JRf7swzsRINnCdQ6PD&index=2&t=0s



Happy knitting!

Body

Rib edge

Cast on 148 (164, 176, 188) stitches on US needle size 6 (4 mm) and knit in the round.

knit 2, purl 2, repeat from * to * around until the edge measures 1.96 inches (5 cm).

Place a marker at the beginning of the round.

Body with pattern

Switch to US needle size 8 (5 mm) and work 3 rounds of stockinette stitches as you increase with 1 stitch on the 1st round = 149 (165, 177, 189) stitches.

Pattern

1. round: *knit 1, purl 1*, repeat around.

2. and 3. round: purl over knit stitches and knit over purl stitches.

Note: having an odd number of stitches, you “simply” knit 3 rounds: knit 1, purl 1.

4. - 12. round: stockinette stitches.

Repeat these 12 rounds.

Knit pattern until your work measures 14.9 (14.6, 14.2, 13.8) inches (38 (37, 36, 35) cm).

Decrease with 1 stitch on the last round = 148 (164, 176, 188) stitches.

Here, you divide your work = 74 (82, 88, 94) stitches for the back and the front.

The back

Knit pattern over the 74 (82, 88, 94) stitches of the back until the armhole measures 5.9 (6.3, 6.7, 7.1) inches (15 (16, 17, 18) cm). End with 4 rounds of stockinette stitches. Your work should measure: 20.9 inches (53 cm).

Place all the stitches on hold on a cable needle (the extra circular needle).

The front piece

Knitted just like the back until your work measures 16.5 (16.5, 16.9, 16.9) inches (42 (42, 43, 43) cm). End with a purl side round after 3-4 rounds of stockinette stitches.

Neckline:

Left side

Continue in pattern.

1. row, right side (RS): knit 30 (33, 35, 37) stitches, turn and let the remaining stitches stay on hold.

2. row, wrong side (WS): bind off 3 stitches and knit the rest of the row.

3. row, RS: pattern

4. row, WS: bind off 2 stitches and knit the rest of the row.

5. row, RS: pattern

6. row, WS: bind off 2 stitches and knit the rest of the row

7. row, RS: pattern

8. row, WS: bind off 1 stitch and knit the rest of the row.

9. row, RS: pattern

10. row, WS: bind off 1 stitch and knit the rest of the row = 21 (24, 26, 28) remaining stitches for the left shoulder.

Knit straight up until your work measures 20.9 inches (53 cm). This is the shoulder, place a marker in the side seams.

Knit 0.8 inches (2 cm) straight up as you increase with 1 stitch in the neck 3 times on every 2nd row/needle = 24 (27, 29, 31) stitches. End with a WS row.

Right side

Place the next 14 (16, 18, 20) stitches on a stitch holder and knit over the remaining 30 (33, 35, 37) stitches.

Continue in pattern.

1. row, RS: bind off 3 stitches and knit the rest of the row.

3. row, WS: pattern.

4. row, RS: bind off 2 stitches and knit the rest of the row.

5. row, WS: pattern.

6. row, RS: bind off 2 stitches and knit the rest of the row.

7. row, WS: pattern.

8. row, RS: bind off 1 stitch and knit the rest of the row.

9. row, WS: pattern

10. row, RS: bind off 1 stitch and knit the rest of the row = 21 (24, 26, 28) remaining stitches for the right shoulder.

Knit straight up until your work measures 20.9 inches (53 cm) (all sizes).

This is the shoulder, place a marker in the side seam.

Knit straight up for 0.8 inches (2 cm) as you increase with 1 stitch in the neck 3 times every 2nd row = 24 (27, 29, 31) stitches. End with a RS row.

3-needle-bind-off of the shoulder stitches

Place the back and front piece together (RS against RS).

From the side seam (using an extra knitting needle) knit 1 stitch from each side together knitwise, knit one more stitch from each side together knitwise and bind off. Repeat the bind off until all stitches on the shoulder are bound off. Fasten off and pull the yarn through the stitch.

Note: The 3-needle-bind-off is placed 0.8 inches (2 cm) down the back.

Neck

Place the last 26 (28, 30, 32) stitches in the middle of the back on a stitch holder.

Sleeves

Rib edge / cuff

Cast on 40 (40, 44, 44) stitches on US needle size 6 (4 mm) and knit in the round.

knit 2, purl 2, repeat from * to * around until the edge measures 1.96 inches (5 cm).

Place a marker at the beginning of the round.

Sleeves with pattern

Switch to circular needle US size 8 (5 mm) and knit in the round using the magic loop technique.

On the 1st round increase with 1 stitch = 41 (41, 45, 45) stitches. Place a marker at the beginning of the round.

Work 2 rounds of stockinette stitches.

From here on, you knit pattern and increases

Knit until 1 stitch before the beginning of the round, increase with 1 stitch (by picking up the loop and knitting it through the back loop), knit 2, increase 1.
From here on, you increase every 8th round until you have 57 (61, 65, 69) stitches.
Knit straight up until your work measures 17.7 inches (45 cm).

Shape the sleeve cap like this:

Knit back and forth on the circular needle using German Short Rows.

Knit until 8 stitches before the marker at the beginning of the round, turn with a turning stitch, Work purl stitches all the way back until 8 stitches before the marker at the beginning of the round, turn using a turning stitch,

knit until 16 stitches before the marker at the beginning of the round, turn using a turning stitch,

Work purl stitches all the way back until 16 stitches before the marker at the beginning of the round, turn using a turning stitch,

knit until the beginning of the round,(the turning stitches are knitted as 1 stitch), don't turn, but bind off knitwise (the turning stitches are knitted as 1 stitch) until all stitches are bound off.

Knit the other sleeve the same way.

Assembly

Sew the sleeves onto the sweater using kitchener stitches. The middle of the sleeve and the marker at the shoulder should be placed against one another.

Neckband

Knit up stitches from the RS and knit the stitches from the stitch holders = approx. 84 - 92 stitches.

Knit rib: knit 2, purl 2.

Knit 0.4-0.8 inches (1-2 cm). Bind off loosely.