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# COLORBLOCK SWEATER

Sweater in two colors Instruction: Anette Hellstrøm Olsen

#### Sizes:

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

#### Measurements:

Bust: (89) 95 (101) 107 (113) 119 cm Length: Ca (56) 57 (58) 60 (62) 63 cm Sleeve length: 46 cm, or suitable length

All measurements are for the finished garment = personal body measurements + movement allowance. The measurements are all according to given tension.

## Yarn:

ALPAKKA SILKE (70 % baby alpaca, 30 % mulberry silk, 50 g = 200 m)

## Alternative yarn:

MINI ALPAKKA, MANDARIN PETIT, SISU, TYNN MERINOULL, BABYULL LANETT

Note: If alternative yarn is chosen be sure to check the yardage on label. The image of garment might change by using alternate yarn.

## Yarn required:

Burnt tawny #2544: (3) 3 (4) 4 (4) 5 balls

Natural #1002: (3) 3 (3) 3 (3) 4 balls

# Suggested knitting needles:

Circular and double pointed ndls 2.5 mm and 3 mm

Needle sizes are only suggestions. If your knitting shows tighter tension, use thicker needles, for looser tension use thinner needle.

#### Tension:

27 sts St-st with 3 mm ndls = 10 cm

# **Back and front:**

With natural and 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (270) 288 (306) 324 (342) 360 sts. Join and work 3 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds.

Change to 3 mm circ ndl, k 1 rnd while **dec** as follows:

\*k7, k2tog\*, rep from \*-\* in the rnd = (240) 256 (272) 288 (304) 320 sts. Insert marker at each side with (120) 128 (136) 144 (152) 160 sts for each part.

Cont St-st until work meas (17) 18 (19) 19 (20) 21 cm.

Change to burnt tawny and cont St-st until work meas (37) 37 (38) 40 (40) 40 cm.

Cast off (10) 12 (14) 16 (18) 18 sts at each side for armholes (= (5) 6 (7) 8 (9) 9 sts at each side of markers).

Put garment aside and work sleeves.

#### Sleeves:

With natural and 2.5 mm double pointed ndls cast on (52) 54 (56) 58 (60) 62 sts. Work 3 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds.

Change to 3 mm double pointed ndls, and insert marker on first and last st on rnd.

Work St-st and inc 1 st at each side of markers [= pick up yarn between 2 sts and k tbl this new st].

Rep inc every (2,5) 2,5 (2,5) 2 (2) 2 cm, and change to burnt tawny when work meas 27 cm. Cont inc as before until (82) 84 (86) 92 (96) 102 sts on rnd.

Cont until sleeve meas 47 cm, or suitable length.

Cast off (10) 12 (14) 16 (18) 18 center underarm sts.

Put aside and work other sleeve the same.

# Raglan:

Transfer sleeve sts to the circular 3 mm garment ndl, placing one sleeve above each armhole cast-off = (364) 376 (388) 408 (424) 452 sts.

Insert marker at each junction. Rnd beg at a junction on the back.

Cont in burnt tawny as follows:

\*Work 1 rnd St-st.

**1st raglan dec:** Dec for raglan on next rnd as follows: Before each marker: k2tog tbl. After each marker: k2tog = 8 sts dec.

Work 1 rnd without dec.

2nd raglan dec: Dec on sleeve sts only and in the same manner = 4 sts dec\*.

Rep dec from \*-\* until (24) 24 (24) 24 (20) 20 times over sleeve sts, and (12) 12 (12) 12 (10) 10 times over sts for back and front = (220) 232 (244) 264 (304) 332 sts.

Rep **1st raglan dec** (= 8 sts dec) on alt rnds (4) 5 (6) 8 (13) 16 times = (188) 192 (196) 200 (200) 204 sts.

Transfer the (22) 24 (26) 28 (28) 30 center front sts to a spare ndl for neck. Cut yarn and beg again at neck.

Work back and forth and rep 1st raglan dec on alt rows 5 times more, at the same time cast off for neck 4 sts at beg of every row = 20 sts cast off for neck at each side.

Cast off rem sts.

# Finishing:

Sew underarm openings.

# Neckband:

Transfer sts from spare ndl to 2.5 mm circ ndl and with burnt tawny knit up to approx (156) 156 (160) 160 (164) 168 sts on rnd, [included sts from spare ndl]. Number of sts a multiple of 2. Work 2 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds Cast off rib-wise.



