



THE COLOR EVOLUTION



SWEATER AND CAP

MATERIALS

Rozena by Laines du Nord: 25g balls in the following colors and quantities: 4 balls x col. 3203 (pink), 3 balls x col. 3207 (camel), 3 balls x col. 3206 (orange), 3 balls x col. 3011 (brown)

Interchangeable circular needles size US10/6mm and US11/8mm points, 32"/80cm cable.

Short points circular needles size US10/6mm and US11/8mm points, 16"/40cm cable.

Waste yarn

St wires with caps

St marker

Darning needle

Scissors

Tape measure

GAUGE

16 sts and 24 rows = 4"/10cm square in stocking st. using size US11/8mm knitting needles, measured after blocking.

ABBREVIATIONS

RS = right side of work

WS = wrong side of work

SM = st marker

SMB = st marker of the beginning of the round

st. / sts. = st / sts

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).

stitch. / stitches. = st / sts

r. = row / rows

k-tbl = knit through back loop

k2tog = knit 2 sts together

p2tog = purl 2 sts together

rep. = repeat / repeating

p = purl

cont. = continue / continuing

follow. = follow / following

NOTES

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.

SIZES: S (M-L)

MEASURES OF GARMENT

Size shown by the picture: S

Chest circumference: 36"/92cm

Total height: 21½"/55cm

Height from undersleeve: 13"/33cm

Circumference of top part of sleeve: 14"/36cm

Length from undersleeve: 18"/46cm

Sts USED

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

German short rows

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

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

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

Bind off tubular st using darning needle

INSTRUCTIONS

SWEATER

COLLAR (tubular cast-on)

Using waste yarn and size US10/6mm points with 16"/40cm cable, cast-on 92 (100-108) sts. and close in round, making sure the sts 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 US11/8mm points and 32"/80cm 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 st, 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 st, 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 Sts FOR SLEEVE SHAPING

Size S: k34 with pink col., remove the SM, k1, leave next 58 sts. onto a st 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 st 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 st 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 st 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 st 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 st 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 sts 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 US11/8mm points and 16"/40cm 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 US10/6mm 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.

PATTERN OF CAP

Single size (one ball in pink col.)

Using circular needles with size US11/8mm points, 16"/40cm 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.