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Seaweed

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If you have ever dipped your toes in the water's edge along the Danish coasts, you probably know the feeling of the soft seaweed on your legs and feet. This slipover is just as soft. Knitted in Arwetta and Tilia, it is both light and yet warm enough for an evening stroll along the beach on a cool summer evening.

SIZES

XS (S) M (L) XL (2XL) 3XL

MEASUREMENTS

Fits chest sizes: Approx. 82 (90) 96 (106) 116 (126) 136 cm

Chest circumference: 103 (111) 120 (129) 137 (146) 154 cm

Length: 55 (55) 57 (57) 59 (59) 61 cm

GAUGE

21 sts and 23 rows in cable pattern using 5.5 mm needles = 10 x 10 cm.

The knitting swatch is measured after washing and blocking.

Needle sizes are for guidance only. If you have more sts per 10 cm, change to a larger needle. If you have fewer sts per 10 cm, change to smaller needles.

MATERIALS

Yarn from Filcolana

Colour A (main colour):

200 (200) 250 (250) 300 (300) 350 g **Tilia** colour 105 (Slate Green) and

200 (200) 250 (250) 300 (300) 350 g **Arwetta** colour 105 (Slate Green)

Colour B:

25 g (all sizes) **Tilia** colour 365 (Calendula) and

50 g (all sizes) **Arwetta** colour 362 (Autumn Leaves)

Colour C:

25 g (all sizes) **Tilia** colour 196 (French Vanilla) and

50 g (all sizes) **Arwetta** colour 196 (French Vanilla)

Circular needles 4 mm, 40 cm and 5.5 mm, 40, 60, and 80 cm. If magic loop technique is used, the 40 and 60 cm needles can be omitted.

Cable needle

Stitch markers or contrast coloured thread



Technical

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

M1L:

From the front, lift the horizontal strand between stitches with the left needle and knit through the back loop (1 st increase).

M1R:

From the back, lift the horizontal strand between the two stitches with the left needle and knit through the front loop (1 st increase).

Sl1p:

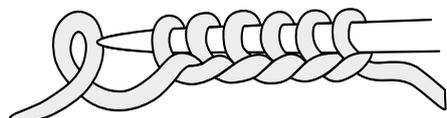
Slip 1 st purlwise.

SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

Backward loop cast on

Form a loop with the yarn, so the end attached to the skein of yarn is in front of the end attached to the sts on the needle, insert the right needle through the front of the loop and pull tight so the loop becomes a stitch around the needle.

Repeat until you have the desired number of stitches.



Workflow

Each colour is knitted with 1 strand of Arwetta and 2 strands of Tilia held together.

The sweater is knitted in the round from top to bottom.

After knitting the shoulder, divide the work and knit the front piece and back piece separately, to below the armhole, after which the parts are reassembled and the body is finished.



Pattern

TURTLENECK

With 5.5 mm circular needles cast on 90 sts and 1 strand of Arwetta and 2 strands of Tilia in colour B held together.

Continue in the round and place a marker at beginning of round.

Knit cable pattern like this:

1st round: *p2, yo, sl1p, p2, k4*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

2nd round: *p2, knit the yo from previous row and the next st together knitwise, p2, k4*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

3rd round: *p2, yo, sl1p, p2, slip 2 sts onto cable needle in front of work, k2, knit the 2 sts off cable needle*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

4th round: *p2, knit the yo from previous row and the next st together knitwise, p2, k4*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

Repeat rounds 1-4 an additional 4 times.

Break colour B.

Continue with colour C and repeat the cable pattern rounds 1-4 twice, on last round divide work as follows:

28th round: Knit 4th cable pattern round like this: Follow pattern over 2 sts, k1 and mark this st (shoulder st), follow pattern over 44, k1 and mark this st (shoulder st), follow pattern over remaining st.

Break colour C.

YOKE

Join colour A to work.

Next row: *Knit pattern to marked shoulder st, M1R, knit shoulder st, M1L*, repeat from * to * over all entire round.

Repeat this round while adding the new sts into the pattern as you go along, until you have increased 29 (29) 38 (38) 47 (47) 56 sts on each side of the

shoulder sts = 206 (206) 242 (242) 278 (278)
314 sts on your needles.

Now work is divided into a front and a back piece like this:

Follow pattern to first shoulder st, bind off this st, follow pattern to next shoulder st, bind off this st, knit pattern over remaining sts.

Break yarn.

Remove marker at beginning of round and slide all sts from the marker to the first bound off st to the right side of the circular needle without knitting them.

You now have 102 (102) 120 (120) 138 (138) 156 sts on the back and the front respectively.

The cable pattern is knitted flat like this:

1st row (RS): k1, yo, sl1p, *p2, k4, p2, yo, sl1p*, repeat from * to * to last st, k1.

2nd row: k1, purl the yo st from previous row and the next st together, *k2, p4, k2, purl the yo st from previous row and the next st together*, repeat from * to * to last st, k1.

3rd row: k1, yo, sl1p, *p2, slip 2 sts onto cable needle in front of work, k2, knit the 2 sts off cable needle, p2,





yo, sl1p*, repeat from * to * to last st, k1.

4th row: k1, purl the yo st from previous row and the next st together, *k2, p4, k2, purl the yo st from previous row and the next st together*, repeat from * to * to last st, k1.

BACK

Sizes XS and S only

Join yarn and from right side knit 3rd row of the cable pattern.

Sizes M and L only

Turn work to wrong side, join yarn and knit 4th row of the cable pattern.

Sizes XL and 2XL only

Join yarn and from right side knit 1st row of the cable pattern.

Sizes 3XL only

Turn work to wrong side, join yarn and knit the 2nd row of the cable pattern.

All sizes

Continue cable pattern and work 50 (50) 53 (53) 52 (52) 51 rows in total, last row is a wrong side row.

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Break yarn and leave the back for now while knitting the front piece.



FRONT

Knit the front piece like the back to #.

Do not break yarn but turn work to right side.

BODY

Follow cable pattern over the front sts, cast on 6 (15) 6 (15) 6 (15) 6 sts using backward loop cast on (see special techniques), follow cable pattern over the back sts, place a BOR (beginning of round) marker, cast on 6 (15) 6 (15) 6 (15) 6 sts using the MIT technique = 216 (234) 252 (270) 288 (306) 324 sts.

Continue knitting cable pattern in the round, starting with 2nd cable pattern round:

1st round: *p1, yo, sl1p, p2, k4, p1*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

2nd round: *p1, knit the yo from previous round and the next st together knitwise, p2, k4, p1*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

3rd round: *p1, yo, sl1p, p2, slip 2 sts onto cable needle in front of work, k2, knit the 2 sts off cable needle, p1*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

4th round: *p1, knit the yo from previous round and the next st together knitwise, p2, k4, p1*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

Continue until body measures 55 (55) 57 (57) 59 (59) 61 cm from top of the shoulder, finish with a 4th cable pattern round.

Bind off as sts indicate.

SLEEVE EDGE

From the right side, starting from the armpit and with 4 mm needles, pick up 92 sts along the armhole, place a marker and knit ribbing (k1, p1) in the round until the rib measures 8 cm.

Bind off loosely in rib.

Knit the second sleeve edge accordingly.

FINISHING

Weave in all loose ends.

Fold the rib inwards to the wrong side and sew the bind off-edge onto the wrong side.

Soak and wash the slipover according to the washing instructions on the label and lay it flat to dry on a towel.