SESIA®

IVORY SWEATER

Ivory-coloured sweater with short sleeves, a wide, softly draped neckline and refined cable detailing, for a clean and timeless style.

COLOUR PALETTE AND YARN

SCOTLAND
100% EXTRAFINE MERINO WOOL

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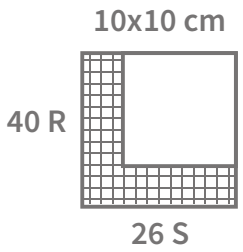
DIFFICULTY: INTERMEDIATE

SIZE: 8/10

GAUGE AND FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Worked in stockinette stitch with 3.5 mm needles



MEASUREMENTS:

Size shown in photo: 40/42
Body width: 52 cm
Total length: 46 cm
Length from lower edge to armhole: 31 cm
Armhole depth: 15 cm
Front neckline depth: 3.5 cm
Neckline width: 36 cm
Shoulder width: 8 cm
Sleeve length: 32.5 cm
Sleeve width: 15 cm (after sewing the underarm seam)

ABBREVIATIONS:

RS = right side of work
WS = wrong side of work
SM = stitch marker
st/sts = stitch/stitches
row/rows = row/rows
cast on = cast on
total height = total height
col. = colour
K = knit
M1 = increase (with the tip of the right-hand needle, lift the horizontal strand between the stitch on the right-hand needle and the stitch on the left-hand needle; place the strand onto the left-hand needle, twisting it, and knit it)
bind off = bind off the sts using the standard lift-over method
work = work
rep = repeat
P = purl
next = next
selvedge st = edge stitch (slip the first st of each row without working it; work the last st of each row as indicated)

MATERIALS

SCOTLAND by SESIA 50 g., 5 yarn balls col. 0080
STRAIGHT NEEDLES: 3 mm and 3.5 mm
CIRCULAR NEEDLES: 3 mm needle tips with an 80 cm cable
OTHER: Tapestry needle, stitch markers, scissors, tape measure, 1 cable needle

STITCHES

Italian cast-on
Tubular knitting
K1, P1 rib:
Row 1: (K1, P1), rep to end of row.
Row 2 and all following rows: Work the sts as they appear, knitting the knit sts and purling the purl sts.
Cable pattern: Worked over a multiple of 36 sts, following the chart. Rep Rows 1–34 until the indicated length is reached.
16-stitch left cross: Place 8 sts on a cable needle and hold in front of work, knit the next 8 sts, then knit the 8 sts from the cable needle.

INSTRUCTIONS

NOTE: The garment consists of 4 pieces: front, back and 2 sleeves, worked separately and joined at the end. The neckband is worked in the round around the neckline edge. To make the work easier, place a stitch marker at the beginning of the first round and slip it at the end of each following round as you work.

BACK:

Using 3 mm needles and the Italian cast-on method, cast on 130 sts. For the lower band, work 4 rows in tubular stitch, then 14 rows in K1, P1 rib, measuring 4 cm in total.
Change to 3.5 mm needles and continue in the cable pattern following the chart, setting the sts as follows: 1 selvedge st, P2, (K16 for the first cable in the chart, P2, K16 for the second cable in the chart), rep from * to * 3 times in total, P2, K16 for the first cable in the chart, 1 selvedge st.
Continue as established until 126 rows have been completed, measuring 44.5 cm in total. On the next RS row, continuing in pattern, bind off the centre 80 sts for the neckline. Continue working each side separately, binding off 2 sts at each neck edge every other row twice.

FRONT:

Work as for the back until the piece measures 42.5 cm in total. On the next RS row, continuing in pattern, bind off the centre 66 sts for the neckline. Continue working each side separately, binding off at each neck edge every other row as follows: 3 sts once, 2 sts once, then 1 st 6 times.
Continue on the remaining 21 sts until the piece measures 46 cm in total, then bind off the sts for both shoulders.

SHORT SLEEVE (MAKE 2):

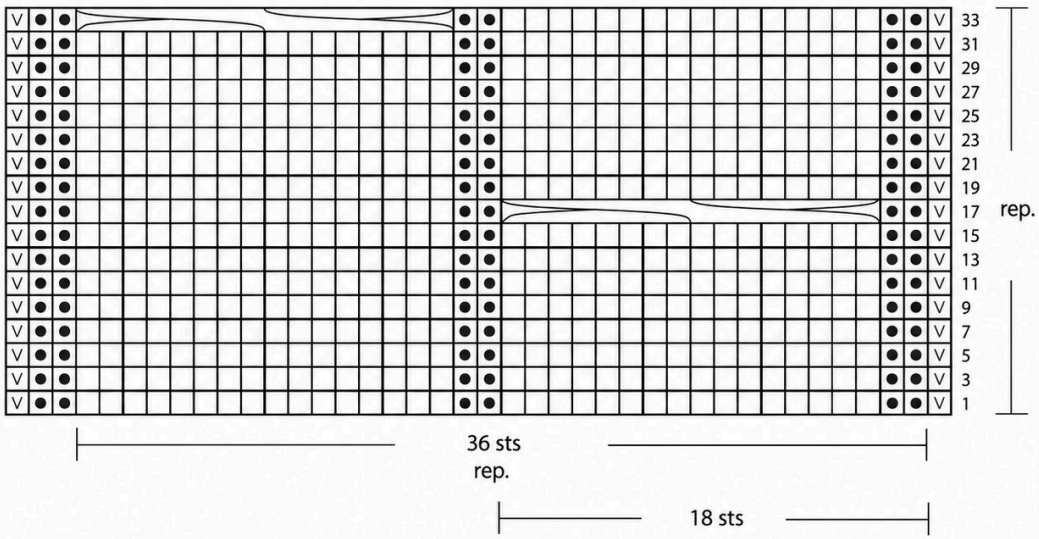
Using 3 mm needles and the Italian cast-on method, cast on 76 sts. For the cuff, work 4 rows in tubular stitch, then 14 rows in K1, P1 rib, measuring 4 cm in total.
Change to 3.5 mm needles and continue in the cable pattern following the chart, setting the sts as follows: 1 selvedge st, P2, (K16 for the first cable in the chart, P2, K16 for the second cable in the chart, P2) twice, 1 selvedge st.
Continue as established until the sleeve measures 30 cm in total, then bind off all sts. Make the second sleeve in the same way.

ASSEMBLY AND FINISHING:

Block the back, front and sleeves to the specified measurements.
Place the front and back together with RS facing and sew the shoulder seams. Sew the side seams for 31 cm, leaving the upper 15 cm open for the armholes.
With the work on the WS, sew the sleeve side edges together to form the underarm seams. Sew the upper edge of each sleeve around the

corresponding armhole, matching the centre of the sleeve to the shoulder seam.
ROLLED NECKBAND:
Using 3.5 mm circular needle tips with an 80 cm cable, pick up 180 sts evenly around the back and front neckline. Join to work in the round and place a marker to indicate the beginning of the round.
Round 1: Knit all sts.
Round 2: Knit, increasing 18 sts evenly around. [198 sts]
Rounds 3–11: Knit every round.
Round 12: Bind off all sts.
The finished neckband will naturally roll towards the RS. Weave in all yarn ends and lightly steam the neckband.

Cable pattern



Legend
□ 1 knit
● 1 purl
V 1 selvedge st

16 sts cross to the left (place 8 sts on a cable needle and hold in front of work, knit the next 8 sts, then knit the 8 sts from the cable needle).

Odd-numbered rows (RS) are read from right to left.
In even-numbered rows (WS), not shown in the chart, work the sts as they appear.

NOTE: