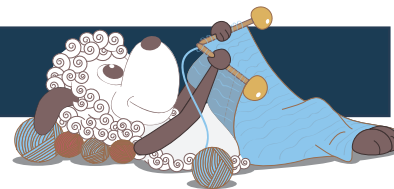


Skagen - a classic fisherman's sweater



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"Skagen" is part of Filcolana's "Colours of the Scandinavian Summer" collection. For this collection our team of designers have found inspiration in the incredible Scandinavian light and colours in the works of the Skagen Painters.

With inspiration from the blue of the sea and the sky, Filcolana's Pernilla in the shade Fisherman's Blue was the ideal choice for an oversize fisherman's sweater design. The pattern consists of knits and purls, as well as a small cable, and is inspired by classic Guernsey sweaters. The design is perfect for both men and women.

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Materials

450 (500) 550 (600) g Pernilla by Filcolana in colour 818 (Fisherman's Blue)
3,5 mm circular needle, 60-80 cm and 40 cm for neck edge

Sizes

S (M) L (XL)

Measurements

Body, chest: 80-88 (89-96) 97-104 (105-112) cm
Sweater, chest: 110 (118) 126 (134) cm
Sleeve length: 44 cm (all sizes)
Total length: 67 (69) 71 (73) cm

Gauge

23 sts and 35 rows measured over the centre panel of the pattern = 10 x 10 cm



Moss stitch

Row 1: *k1, p1*, repeat from * to *.

Row 2: Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts.

Row 3: *p1, k1*, repeat from * to *.

Row 4: Knit the knit sts and purl the purl sts.

Directions for knitting

The design is worked back and forth on a circular needle – front and back are worked separately. The shoulder seams are knitted together and then stitches are picked up along the armholes and the sleeves are worked from the top down. The chart is worked in the centre with moss stitch on either side. At the end the neck edge is worked.

Back

Cast on 129 (141) 153 (165) sts on a 3,5 mm and work 2 rows of stockinette stitch, beginning with a WS row.

Continue in k1, p1 ribbing for 6 cm. End on a RS row. Next row (WS): P 9 (15) 21 (27), work set-up row of chart, p 9 (15) 21 (27). There are now 141 (153) 165 (177) sts on the needle.

Next row (RS): Work 9 (15) 21 (27) sts of moss stitch, work row 1 of charted pattern, 9 (15) 21 (27) sts of moss stitch.

Continue in pattern with moss stitch over the 9 (15) 21 (27) sts on either side and repeating Row 1-16 of the chart until the work measures 47 (48) 49 (50) cm.

Bind off 8 sts at the beginning of the next 2 rows for the armholes.

Work straight in pattern until the armholes measure



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18 (19) 20 (21) cm. Bind off the centre 29 (33) 37 (41) sts and finish each side separately. Bind off 2 sts at the neck edge at the beginning of the row a total of 2 times, then 1 stitch 1 time. Work straight across the remaining 45 (49) 53 (57) sts until the armholes measures 20 (21) 22 (23) cm. Slip the sts for the first shoulder to a stitch holder and finish the second shoulder in the same way as the first, only mirror reversed.

Front

Cast up and work as the back until the armholes measure 9 (10) 11 (12) cm. Bind off the centre 15 (19) 23 (27) sts and finish each side separately. Decrease 1 stitch at the neck edge every other row a total of 10 times.

Work straight across the remaining 45 (49) 53 (57) sts until the armholes measures 20 (21) 22 (23) cm. Slip the sts for the first shoulder to a stitch holder and finish the second shoulder in the same way as the first, only mirror reversed.

Place front and back right sides together and bind off each shoulder together using the 3-needle bind-off technique.

Sleeve

Pick up and knit 101 (107) 113 (119) sts from the RS along the first armhole edge (approx. 2 sts for every 3 rows). Work back and forth, beginning with row 15 of the pattern (WS) – count the sts and place the chart at the centre of the row, so the centre of the chart aligns with the shoulder “seam” – and work chart row 15.-1. Then repeat row 16.-1. At the same time working a decrease at either end of the 12th row, then every 6th row, a total of 19 times. There are now 61 (67) 73 (79) sts on the needle. Work straight in pattern until sleeve measures 37 cm,



or 7 cm shorter than desired total sleeve length. End on a WS row.

Knit 1 row, while at the same time decreasing 2 sts over each cable (a total of 4 sts). There are now 57 (63) 69 (75) sts on the needle.

Work 6,5 cm of k1, p1 ribbing, then 1 row of stockinette stitch. Bind off.

Neck edge

Pick up and knit sts along the neck edge from the RS on a 40 cm long circular needle. Pick up 1 stitch in every bound off stitch, but only 2 sts over each cable. Along the slanted and vertical edges, pick up and knit approx. 3 sts for every 4 rows for an approx. total of 116 (124) 132 (136) sts (total number of sts must be divisible by 2).

Work 6 cm of k1, p1 ribbing. Knit 1 round. Bind off.

Finishing

Sew the bound off armhole sts to the top of the sleeve edge on either side. Then sew the side and sleeve seams on either side as one long seam.

Weave in all ends.

Gently rinse the work, put it through a (dry) spin cycle and lay it on a flat surface to dry.



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 Knit on RS, purl on WS
 purl on RS, knit on WS

slip 2 sts to cable needle, hold to back, K2, K2 from cable needle
 slip 2 sts to cable needle, hold to front, K2, K2 from cable needle

M1 p (lift the bar between the sts onto the left needle and purl into the back of it)