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Margit

Design: Ditte Lerche

Margit Brandt was a prominent Danish fashion designer, known for her innovative and influential work in the fashion industry.

Brandt's career began in the 1960s when she began designing clothes and accessories that reflected the trends of the time. Her designs were characterized by their bold use of patterns and materials, often combined with classic elegance and a touch of avant-garde.

Throughout her whole career, Margit Brandt contributed significantly to the development of Scandinavian fashion and played a key role in putting Danish design on the global fashion map. Her legacy continues to influence designers and fashion enthusiasts, and her contribution is celebrated in the history of Danish fashion.





Sizes & Measurements

S (M) L (XL)

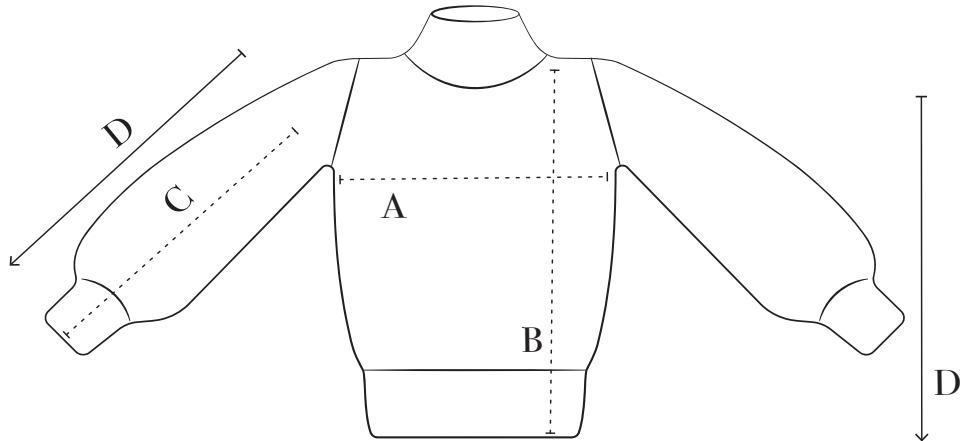
Fits chest circumference
90 (100) 106 (116) cm

Circumference (A)
95 (108) 117 (126) cm

Length (B)
60 (62) 62 (66) cm

Sleeve length (C)
48 (47) 46 (45) cm

Knitting direction(D)



Materials

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Peruvian col. 954 (Light Grey)
500 (550) 600 (650) g
and

Alva col. 401 (Light Grey)
150 (175) 175 (200) g
and

Alva col. 979 (Pebbles)
150 (175) 175 (200) g

The whole piece is worked with 1 strand of Peruvian and 1 strand of each color Alva held together, 3 strands in total.

NEEDLES

6.5 and 7.5 mm circular needles, 40 and 80 cm.

6.5 and 7.5 mm DPNs, for the sleeves

If Magic Loop technique is being used on long circular needles, 40 and 60 cm circular needles and DPNs can be omitted.

Materials

NOTIONS

9 stitch makers (4 red, 4 blue, and 1 black). The colors are so that you can recognize the difference between them.

2 stitch holders

Gauge

13 stitches and 22 rows in stockinette, worked with 1 strand Peruvian and 2 strands of Alva held together on 7.5 mm needles = 10 x 10 cm.

The gauge is measured after washing.

Needle sizes are only a guide.

If you have more stitches per 10 cm, change to bigger needles. If you have less stitches per 10 cm, change to smaller needles. If you reach the width but not the height, it can help to change the needle material, for example from metal to wood, or vice versa.



Technique

ABBREVIATIONS

BOR: beginning of the round

k: knit

p: purl

rnd: round

RS: right side

st(s): stitch(es)

tbl: through the back loop

tog: together

WS: wrong side

tw-rib5 (twisted ribbing worked over 5 stitches)

Right side: k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl

Wrong side: p1tbl, k1, p1tbl, k1, p1tbl

M1R

With the left needle, lift the strand between two stitches from back to front and knit it.

M1R-P

With the left needle, lift the strand between two stitches from back to front and purl it. Seen from the right side, a right-leaning increase is made.

M1L

With the left needle, lift the strand between the two stitches from front to back and knit it through the back loop.

M1L-P

With the left needle, lift the strand between two stitches from front to back and purl it through the back loop. Seen from the right side, a left-leaning increase is made.

pfkb

Increase where the first stitch is a purl and the next stitch is a knit.

Work two times in the same stitch as follows: Purl into the stitch's front leg and knit through the back loop of the same stitch.

kfpb

Increase where the first stitch is a knit and the next stitch is a purl.

Work two times in the same stitch, as follows: Knit into the stitch's front leg and purl through the back loop of the same stitch.

K2tog-l

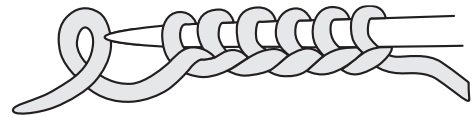
Work the next two stitches as follows: insert the right needle into the 1st stitch, and through the back loop into the second stitch, these two stitches are knit together at the same before slipping off the needle. There is now a left-leaning decrease.

SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

Backwards loop cast on

Make a loop of yarn as follows: place the long tail (with the skein of yarn at the other end), over the thread that is on the needle. Knit through this loop with the right needle from the front and pull tightly so that the ring becomes a stitch.

Repeat this for the desired number of stitches.



Workflow

The sweater is worked from top to bottom in seed stitch (knit st over purl st and purl st over knit st) and with shoulder panels in twisted rib. The sleeves are knitted in extension of the shoulders at the same time as the yoke.

Begin with the shoulder piece, where stitches are increased on both sides of the shoulder panel shaped by stitches in twisted ribbing. At the same time, stitches are cast on both sides to shape the neckline. The piece is then joined in the middle of the front and the final shoulder increases are made. After this, increases are made to shape the sleeve cap. When the height of the armhole is reached, the work is divided, and the sleeves and body are finished separately.

Along the body's side panels, decreases are made to slope the work slightly. The body is then divided, and the wide edge is worked in twisted ribbing separately on the front and back, which forms a high slit.

The sleeves are worked top-down, with increases placed evenly between the upper and lower panels, to form a balloon sleeve. The sleeve ends with decreases and a high cuff in twisted ribbing.

Finally, stitches are worked up along the neck opening and the high collar is worked in twisted ribbing.

Pattern

YOKE

Cast 39 (41) 41 (41) sts onto 7.5 mm circular needles with 1 strand Peruvian and 1 strand of each color Alva held together. Work back and forth.

Dividing round (WS): p1 (front), insert red marker, tw-rib5, insert red marker, work [p1, k1] 13 (14) 14 (14) times, p1 (back), insert red marker, tw-rib5, insert red marker, p1 (front).

Now being increases around the 5 shoulder sts while also casting on new sts towards the neckline on both ends of the needle with backwards loop cast on, as follows:

1st row (RS): Cast on 1 new st and knit it, p1, M1R, slip marker to the right needle, tw-rib5, slip marked to the right needle, M1L, work [p1, k1] to the last st before the next marker, p1, M1R, slip marker to the right needle, tw-rib5, slip marker to the right needle, M1L, p1.

2nd row: Cast on 1 new st and knit it, p1, k1, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] until the last st before the next marker, k1, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, k1, p1, k1.

3rd row: Cast on 1 new st and purl it, k1, p1, k1, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work [p1, k1] until the st before the next marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, p1, k1, p1, k1.

4th row: Cast on 1 new st and purl it, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] until the last st before the next marker, k1, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, k1, p1, k1, p1, k1, p1.

5th row: Cast on 2 new sts and purl them, k1, work [p1, k1] until the last st before the marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work [p1, k1] until the last st before the next marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work [p1, k1] until the last st, p1.

6th row: Cast on 2 new sts and purl them, k1, work [p1, k1] to the marker, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5,

slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] until the last st before the next marker, k1, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] the rest of the row.

7th row: Cast on 2 new sts and purl them, k1, work [p1, k1] until the last st before the marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work [p1, k1] until the last st before the next marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work [p1, k1] until the last st, p1.

8th row: Cast on 2 new sts and purl them, k1, work [p1, k1] to the marker, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] until the last st before the next marker, k1, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] the rest of the row.

9th row: Cast on 3 new sts and work them as k1, p1, k1, work [p1, k1] until the last st before the marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work [p1, k1] until the last st before the next marker, p1, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, [p1, k1] until the last st, p1.

10th row: Cast on 3 new sts and work them as k1, p1, k1, work [p1, k1] to the marker, M1L-P, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] to the marker, M1L, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1R-P, work [k1, p1] to the last st, k1.

From the RS, cast 7 (9) 9 (9) new sts onto the left needle with backwards loop cast on, in extension of the sts already on the needle.

Break the yarn.

Now join the work in the round as follows:

Slip all sts to the second red marker over to the right needle without knitting them, also slip the red marker and the next st onto the right needle.

Insert a black marker (BOR marker) and join the yarn to the RS.

Next rnd: Work seed stitch to the next red marker, M1R, slip the marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work seed stitch to the next red marker, M1R, slip marker, tw-rib5, slip marker, M1L, work the last st in seed stitch.

Repeat the last rnd 0 (2) 3 (3) more times.



Increases are now made 11 (13) 14 (14) times in total and there are 49 (55) 57 (57) sts for the back and front.

1st rnd: *Work seed stitch to the red marker, insert a blue marker on the right needle, M1R, slip the red marker, tw-rib5, slip the red marker, M1L, insert a blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

2nd rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, M1R, slip the red marker, tw-rib5, slip the red marker, M1L, p1, slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

3rd rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, M1R, slip the red marker, tw-rib5, slip the red marker, M1L, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker * repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

4th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, M1R, slip the red marker, tw-rib5, slip the red marker, M1L, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

5th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, tw-rib5, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker * repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

The entire width for the yoke is met and there are 15 (17) 18 (18) increases in total.

There are now 57 (63) 65 (65) sts for the front and back, and 5 shoulder sts on each side, in between the red markers.

Now move the increases over to the other side of the red markers, so that the increases form new sts and the sleeves, seed stitch is established, as follows:

6th rnd *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, M1R, tw-rib5, M1L, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

7th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, pfb, tw-rib5, kfpb, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1,



slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

8th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, p2, tw-rib5, p2, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

9th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, pfb, p1, tw-rib5, p1, kfpb, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

10th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, p1, k1, p1, tw-rib5, p1, k1, p1, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.



11th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, pfb, p2, tw-rib5, p2, kfb, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

12th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, p2, k1, p1, tw-rib5, p1, k1, p2, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

13th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, pfb, k1, p2, tw-rib5, p2, k1, kfb, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

14th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, p1, work seed stitch to 1 st before the tw-rib5, p1, tw-rib5, p1, work seed stitch to 1 st before the red marker, p1, slip the marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

15th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker,

pfb, work seed stitch to 1 st before the tw-rib5, p1, tw-rib5, p1, work seed stitch until 1 st before the red marker, kfb, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

16th rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, p1, work , seed stitch to 1 st before the tw-rib5, p1, tw-rib5, p1, work seed stitch to 1 st before the red marker, p1, slip the marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

Repeat the rnds 15 and 16, until there are 49 (49) 45 (43) sleeve sts in between the red markers. Finish on a rnd without increases.

Only sizes M, L and XL

Next rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, M1R, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, pfb, work seed stitch to 1 st before the tw-rib5, p1, tw-rib5, p1, work seed stitch to 1 st before the red marker, kfb, slip the red marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker, M1L*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.





Next rnd *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, slip the red marker, p1, work seed stitch to 1 st before the tw-rib5, p1, tw-rib5, p1, work seed stitch to 1 st before the red marker, p1, slip the marker, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last sts in seed stitch.

Work these 2 rnds – (0) 2 (5) more times.

All sizes

Next rnd: *Work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip the marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, remove the red marker, p1, slip all 47 (49) 49 (53) sts (up to 1 st before the next red marker) onto a stitch holder, cast on 3 sts with backwards loop cast on, remove the next red marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1, slip the blue marker*, repeat from * to *, work the last st(s) in seed stitch.

There are now 124 (140) 152 (164) sts for the body.

Next rnd: *work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, work (p1, k1tbl) until 1 st before the next blue marker, p1, slip marker *, repeat from * to *, work the last st in seed stitch.

Repeat this rnd until the piece measures 8 cm from the armhole.

Next rnd (decreasing rnd): *Work seed stitch to 2 sts before the blue marker, knit or purl the next 2 sts together (depending on how it fits into the seed stitch pattern), slip marker, work (p1, k1tbl) until 1 st before the next blue marker, p1 * slip marker, purl or knit the next 2 sts together (depending on how it fits into the seed stitch pattern), repeat from * to *, until the blue marker, remove the marker, slip the next st, remove the BOR marker, pull the slipped st back to the left needle, insert the BOR marker onto the right needle and knit or purl the next 2 sts together (depending on how it fits into the seed stitch pattern).

There are now 4 decreased and the rnd begins immediately after the side panel on the left side.

Work 8 cm in seed stitch as well as the side panels in twisted rib as sts indicate.

Next rnd (decreasing rnd): Knit or purl the first 2 sts together (depending on how it fits into the seed stitch pattern), *work seed stitch to 2 sts before the blue marker, knit or purl the next 2 sts together (depending on how it fits into the seed stitch pattern), slip marker,

work (p1, k1tbl) until 1 st before the next blue marker, p1 * slip marker, knit or purl the next two 2 sts together (depending on how it fits into the seed stitch pattern), repeat from * to * the rest of the rnd.

Work 8 cm in seed stitch and the side panels in twisted rib as sts indicate.

Work the decreasing rnd 1 more time.

Work seed stitch and the side panels until the body measures 28 (28) 28 (30) cm, measured on the side where seed stitch and the panel meet.

Stay on 7.5 mm needles.

Now divide the work and work the ribbing edge back and forth, as follows:

Ribbing edge- back

Break the yarn, remove BOR marker and move the rnd's first 6 sts back to the left needle without knitting them.

Place the yarn to the RS of the moved sts, lift the strand in between the last st of the rnd and the first st up onto the left needle onto the left needle, and knit it through the back loop = 1 new edge st.

Next row (RS): *k1tbl, p1 * repeat from * to *, until the blue marker, remove the marker and work 6 sts in twisted ribbing, k1.

Next row: Slip the first st purl-wise with the yarn in front of the work, * p1tbl, k1 *, repeat from * to * the rest of the row.

Next row: Slip the first st purl-wise with the yarn in front of the work, * k1tbl, p1 *, repeat from * to * until 2 sts remain, k1tbl, k1.

Repeat these 2 rows until the ribbing measures 11 cm, and finish with a WS row.

Bind off with a stretchy ribbing bind-off, as follows:

Binding off row (RS): slip 1 st knit-wise, k1, pull the slipped st over the knitted st, *yarn over, p1, pull the yarn over across the purled st, from here pull the knit st over the purl st, k1, pull the purl st over the last knit st*, repeat from * to * until the last 2 sts remain, k2tog-l, bind off the last st.

Ribbing edge- front

Join the yarn to the front piece's resting sts on the RS, lift the strand in between the last st of the back's ribbing and the first st on the left needle up onto the left needle and knit it through the back loop = 1 new edge st.

Work the ribbing edge the same as the back.



SLEEVES

Move the sleeve sts back to 7.5 mm needles, join the yarn to the sts and work seed stitch until 1 st before the tw-rib5, insert red marker, p1, tw-rib5, p1, insert red marker, work seed stitch the rest of the row, insert blue marker, pick up 1 st before the 3 new body sts, pick 1 st up in each of the 3 new sts, and pick 1 st up after the 3 sts = 52 (54) 54 (58) sts.

Insert a BOR marker and join in the rnd.

Next rnd: Work seed stitch to the red marker, slip marker, p1, tw-rib5, p1, slip marker, work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1.

Work a total of 10 rnds this way.

11th rnd (increasing rnd): M1L, work seed stitch to the red marker, slip marker, p1, tw-rib5, p1, slip marker, work seed stitch to the blue marker, M1R, slip marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1.

Work 10 rnds straight up, the new sts are worked into the seed stitch pattern accordingly.

22nd rnd (increasing rnd): Work seed stitch to the red marker, M1R, slip marker, p1, tw-rib5, p1, slip marker, M1L, work seed stitch to the blue marker, slip

marker, p1, k1tbl, p1, k1tbl, p1.

Work these 22 rnds a total of 3 times. Work the first 11 rnds once more.

Increases are made 3 times in total along the sleeve's upper panel and 4 times along the lower panel = 66 (68) 68 (72) sts.

Continue straight down until the sleeve measures 40 (39) 38 (37) cm from the armhole, measured along the seed stitch at the lower panel.

Next rnd: Work [k3tog] 1 (2) 2 (0) times, *k2tog*, repeat from * to *, until the red marker, remove marker, p1, tw-rib5, p1, remove marker, repeat from * to *, until 3 (6) 6 (0) sts before the blue marker, [k3tog] 1 (2) 2 (0) times, remove the marker, work twisted ribbing the rest of the rnd = 38 (38) 38 (42) sts.

Change to 6.5 mm needles.

Ribbing edge

Work twisted ribbing (k1tbl, p1) until the ribbing edge measures 8 cm.

Bind off with stretchy ribbing bind off, as was done for the body.

COLLAR

With 6.5 mm needles and 1 strand of each yarn type/color held together, pick sts up along the RS of the neck opening, as follows:

Begin with the back's right side, right after the tw-rib5, and pick up 27 (29) 29 (29) sts along the neck over to the next tw-rib5, pick 1 st up in each of the 5 sts, pick up 33 (35) 35 (35) sts along the front piece to the tw-rib5, pick 1 st up in each of the 5 sts = 70 (74) 74 (74) sts.

Insert a BOR marker and join in the rnd.

Work twisted ribbing (p1, k1tbl) until the collar measures 9 cm.

Bind off with stretchy ribbing bind off as was done for the body.

FINISHING

Weave in all loose ends.

Wash the sweater according to the label's instructions and leave it to dry flat on a towel.

