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Lille Stribe

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This small set, consisting of a blouse and trousers, is inspired by Noack's beautiful piece "Birds Perspective." The artwork reveals a mesmerizing miniature world, that exists unnoticed around our feet. In Noack's piece, we are given a unique glimpse into the hidden beauty of nature, which is often overlooked in our busy daily lives.





Sizes & Measurements

**3 months/62 cl (6 months/68 cl) 1 year/80 cl
(2 years/92 cl)**

BLOUSE

Fits chest circumference

45-49 (50-52) 53-55 (56-59) cm

Circumference (A)

49 (52) 56 (61) cm

Length (B)

25 (28) 30 (33) cm

Sleeve length (C)

15 (17) 19 (22) cm

TROUSERS

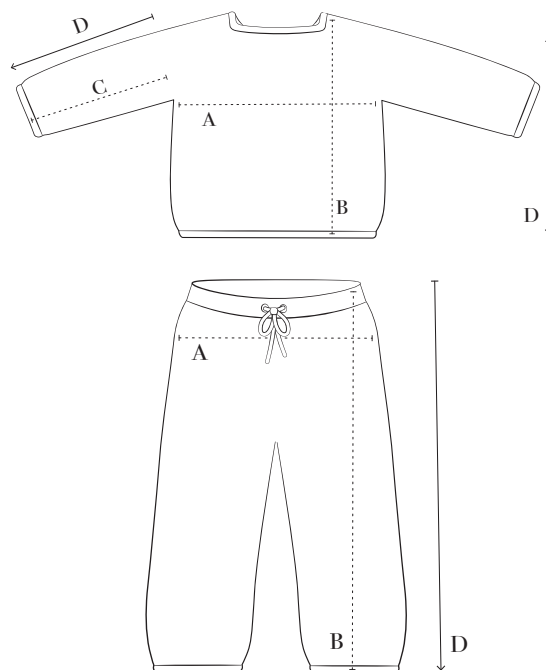
Waist circumference (A)

41 (46) 50 (54) cm

Length of leg (inseam) (B)

18 (22) 27 (33) cm

Knitting direction (D)



Materials

YARN FROM FILCOLANA

BLOUSE

Colour A

Arwetta colour 142 (Periwinkle)

50 (50) 50 (100) g

Colour B

Arwetta colour 101 (Natural White)

50 (50) 50 (100) g

Colour C

Arwetta colour 380 (Coral Sunset)

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NEEDLES

Circular needles 2.5 mm and 3 mm, 40-60 cm

Double pointed needles (DPN's) 2.5 mm and 3 mm
(can be replaced by long circular needle if using magic loop).

Crochet hook 3 mm.

EXTRAS

5 Stitch markers

2 Stitch holders

2 Safety pins

1 Button for the blouse.

Gauge

28 sts and 36 rows worked in stockinette on 3 mm
needle = 10 x 10 cm.

Gauge is measured after washing.

Needle sizes are for guidance only.

Technique

ABBREVIATIONS

k: knit

p: purl

st(s): stitch(es)

RS: right side

WS: wrong side

tog: together

SKP

Slip 1 st knit wise, k1, pass slipped st over.

M1L (Left slanted increase)

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

M1R (Right slanted increase)

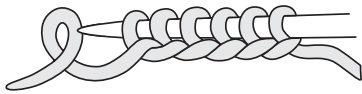
From the back, lift the horizontal strand between the two stitches with the left needle and knit through the front loop (1 st increase).

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.



Short row stitch

Slip 1 st onto right-hand needle with yarn in front.

Tug the yarn up and over the right-hand needle (away from yourself). This creates a double stitch. Continue working the row as instructed in the pattern. On next row work the double sts together as either k2tog or p2tog depending on what the stitches indicate.

This technique is called German Short Rows.

Workflow

Lille Stribe **blouse** is knitted from the top down.

The upper part of the yoke is worked back and forth to create a neat slit at the back of the neck.

The work is then joined in the round, and raglan increases are worked down over the yoke to the armholes. Here, the work is divided into body and sleeves, and each part is finished separately.

Lille Stribe **trousers** are similarly knitted from the top down.

First, the waistband is worked, which is sewn securely to the wrong side of the work. Then the trousers are knitted, incorporating short rows over the stitches at the back to ensure a good fit over the little bottom.

The work is divided, and each leg is finished separately.





Pattern

NECKBAND

Cast on 82 (82) 88 (94) sts with long tail cast on, using circular needle 2.5 mm and colour C, make sure to have an end of approx. 30 cm left over from the cast on, this is used for crocheting the bridle.

Work back and forth on the circular needle, first row is from WS.

Work 5 rounds of stockinette (knit on RS and purl on WS). The last row is from WS.

Break colour C and join colour A to work.

Change to 3 mm circular needle.

YOKE

Continue in stripes and begin raglan increases as follows:

1st row (RS): K15 (15) 16 (17) (right side of back), insert marker on right-hand needle, k11 (11) 12 (13) (right sleeve), insert marker on right-hand needle, k30 (30) 32 (34) (front), insert marker on right-hand needle, k11 (11) 12 (13) (left sleeve), insert marker on right-hand needle, k15 (15) 16 (17) (left side of back).

2nd row: Purl to end of row.

Join colour B to work.

3rd row: Work with colour B as follows: *knit to 1 st before the marker, M1R, k1, slip the marker to right-hand needle, k1, M1R*, repeat from * to * 3 times more, knit to end of row.

4th row: Purl with colour B, to end of row.

Change to colour A.

5th row: Work as on 3rd row, using colour A.

6th row: Purl to end of row, using colour A.

Work 3rd – 6th row as described above, until a total of 16 rows in stripes has been worked. Last row is from WS.

Join to a round as follows:

Next row (RS): Work as on the 5th row, do not turn work at the end of row.

Insert a beginning of round marker and join to a round.

Continuing in stockinette, working stripes and raglan increases as established, until a total of 18 (20) 21 (23) raglan increases = 226 (242) 256 (278) sts.

Now there are 66 (70) 74 (80) sts on front and back and 47 (51) 54 (59) sts on each sleeve.



Divide into body and sleeves as follows:

Next round: *Knit the 33(35) 37 (40) sts on the right side of back, to the marker, remove marker and slip the 47 (51) 54 (59) sts for right sleeve onto a stitch holder, remove marker and cast on 3 (3) 5 (5) sts using the backward loop cast on technique, knit 66 (70) 74 (80) sts of the front to marker, remove marker and slip the 47 (51) 54 (59) sts for left sleeve onto a stitch holder, cast on 3 (3) 5 (5) sts and knit the remaining 33(35) 37 (40) sts.

There are now 138 (146) 158 (170) sts on the body.

BODY

Continue working stripes to work measures 24 (27) 29 (32) cm from top of shoulder, end with 2 rounds of colour A.

Break both colour A and B.

Change to 2.5 mm needle.

Join colour C to work and work a decreasing round as follows:

Next round: *K8, k2tog*, repeat from * to * to the last 8 (6) 8 (0) sts, knit to end of round = 125 (132) 143 (153) sts.

Turn work to the WS.

Next round: 1 short row st, knit to end of round.

Knit 3 more rounds.

Bind off all sts knit wise, not too firm, on the next round.

SLEEVES

Slip the 47 (51) 54 (59) sleeve sts to a 3 mm needle. Use the colour that matches the stripe pattern and pick up and knit 4 (4) 6 (6) new sts along the RS of the bottom of the armhole (1 st more than cast on for the body), AT THE SAME TIME insert a beginning of round marker between the 2 centre sts = 51 (55) 60 (65) sts.

Knit 9 (11) 13 (15) rounds in stripe pattern.

Next round (decreasing round): K1, SKP, knit to the last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Work these 10 (12) 14 (16) rounds a total of 4 times = 43 (47) 52 (57) sts.

Continue working in stockinette and stripes, to sleeve measures 14 (16) 18 (21) cm from armhole. End with 2 rounds of colour A.

Break both colour A and B.

Change to 2.5 mm needle.

Join colour C to work and work a decreasing round as follows:

Next round: *K4, k2tog*, repeat from * to * to the last 1 (5) 4 (3) sts, knit to end of round = 36 (40) 44 (48) sts.

Turn work to the WS.

Next round: 1 short row st, knit to end of round.

Knit 3 more rounds.

Bind off all sts knit wise, not too firm, on the next round.

Work the other sleeve the same way.

BRIDLE

Using the long tail end from the cast on at neck and crochet hook 3 mm, make a chain of 10-12 chain st.



Break the yarn and pull the end through the st. Weave in the end at the neckband, at the first chain st.
Sew in the button on the opposite side of the neckband.

TROUSERS

Waistband

Cast on 116 (128) 140 (152) sts on 2.5 mm circular needle and colour C, **AT THE SAME TIME**, insert a marker on right hand needle after the first 58 (64) 70 (76) sts (= centre front). Cast on the remaining sts and insert a beginning of round marker on right hand needle (= centre back) and join to a round.

Knit 9 rounds, purl 1 round (fold line) and knit 4 more rounds.

Next round: Knit to 5 sts before the centre front marker, *k2tog, yarn over twice, SKP*, k2, repeat from * to *, once more, knit to end of round.

Next round: Knit to end of round, work k1, k1tbk in each yarn over.

Knit 3 rounds.

Use an extra circular needle and pick 1 st in every st of the cast on row, to end of round.

Hold the left tip of this needle parallel with the needle holding the live sts and hold both needles in your left hand.

Work the sts together as follows:

Knit the first st on both needles together as to k2tog, repeat from * to * to end of round.
Break colour C.

Change to 3 mm needle and join colour A, to work.

TROUSERS

Now work short rows back and forth on the needle, as follows:

1st short row (RS): K18 (19) 20 (21) turn work.

2nd short row: 1 short row st, p 35 (37) 39 (41), turn work.

3rd short row: 1 short row st, knit to the beginning of round marker, change to colour B and knit to 5 sts after the short row st from the previous row, turn work.

4th short row: 1 short row st, purl to 5 sts after the short row st on the previous row, turn work.

5th short row: 1 short row st, knit to beginning of round marker, change to colour A and knit to 5 sts after the short row st on the previous row, turn work.

6th short row: 1 short row st, purl to 5 sts after the short row st from the previous row, turn work.

Repeat 3rd – 6th short row once more.

Last short row (RS): 1 short row st, knit to beginning of round marker.





Continue working stockinette and stripes with 2 rounds of each colour, to work measures 12 (13) 14 (15) cm at centre front.

Next round (increase round): *K1, M1R, knit to 1 st before the marker, M1R, k1*, repeat from * to * once more. 4 sts are increased.

Repeat this increase round on every 3rd round, 4 times more.

A total of 20 sts are increased = 136 (148) 160 (172) sts on the needle.

Now divide work and work each leg separately, as follows:

Next round: K1, slip this st to a safety pin, remove the beginning of round marker from right hand needle, and slip the last st on the round to the same safety pin, knit to 1 st after the centre front marker, slip the last 2 knitted sts to another safety pin, at the same time remove the marker, knit to the first safety pin.

Slip the sts between the first and the second safety pin, to a stitch holder and leave the sts to rest while

LEG

Insert a beginning of round marker on the right-hand needle and join the 66 (72) 78 (84) sts on the needle to a round. The round begins on the inseam of the leg. Work stockinette in the round and continue the stripe pattern as established.

Knit 13 rounds.

Next round (decrease round): K1, SKP, knit to the last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Repeat this decrease round on every 8th round 5 times more = 54 (60) 66 (72) sts.

Continue straight in stripes to the leg measures 17 (21) 26 (32) cm at the inseam.

Break colour A and B.

Change to 2.5 mm needle.

Hem

Join colour C to work and work a decreasing round as follows:

Next round: *K4, k2tog*, repeat from * to * to end of round = 45 (50) 55 (60) sts.

Turn work to the WS.

Next round: 1 short row st, knit to end of round.

Knit 3 more rounds.

Bind off all sts knit wise, not too firm, on the next round.

Work the other leg the same way.

I-cord

Cast on 3 sts on double pointed needle (DPN) 2.5 mm and colour C. Do not turn work, slide the sts back to the needle tip, preparing to knit from the RS again.

*Pull the yarn tight at the back of the sts, k3, slide the sts back to the needle tip, repeat from * to *, to I-cord measures approx. 60 (64) 68 (72) cm.

Break the yarn and pull the end through the sts. Insert a safety pin at the end of the I-cord and pull it through the waistband casing.

FINISHING

Sew the sts on the safety pins together using Kitchener sts.

Weave in all ends.

Wash the blouse and the trousers according to the





instructions on the ball band and leave to dry flat on a towel.