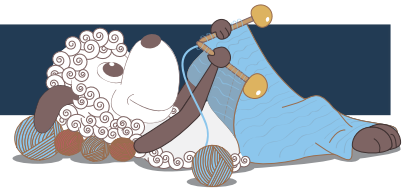


Aricia - a lightweight T-shirt with a lace pattern



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Aricia is a lightweight T-shirt worked seamlessly top-down in the round with raglan shaping. Inspired by classic vintage garments, this feminine sweater features elbow-length sleeves and diamond-shaped lace pattern on the hem.

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Materials

150 (200) 200 (200) 250 (250) 300 (350) g Merci fra Filcolana i fv. 611 (Honeydew)
3,5 mm and 4 mm circular needles, 60 and 100 cm
3,5 mm and 4 mm double-pointed needles
4 stitch markers
Stitch holder or scrap yarn

Sizes

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

Measurements

Body, chest: 81 (86) 91 (96) 101 (111) 122 (132) cm
Sweater, chest: 80 (85) 90 (95) 100 (110) 120 (130) cm
Total length: 54 (56) 58 (58) 62 (65) 68 (71) cm
Sleeve length: 16 (16) 17 (17) 18 (18) 19 (19) cm
The pullover is designed to be worn with 0-2 cm of positive ease

Gauge

24 sts and 29 rows in stockinette stitch on 4 mm needles after blocking = 10 x 10 cm.

Special abbreviations

M1L: from the front, lift the horizontal strand between stitches with the left needle and knit through the back loop.

M1R: from the back, lift the horizontal strand bet-



ween stitches with the left needle and knit through the front loop.

BOR: beginning of the round.

m: marker.

pm: place marker.

sm: slip marker.

sl1, k2tog, pssso: slip 1 stitch, knit 2 sts together, pass the slipped stitch over

(k5) cluster: insert right needle between 5th and 6th (yo made on previous round) sts on left needle, pull the working yarn through as if to knit a stitch and place this new stitch in front of the sts on the left needle, knit this new stitch together with the 1st stitch on the left needle, then knit the next 4 sts.

Special techniques

German Short Rows

- on a knit row: Knit to the stitch specified in the pattern and turn work to the purl side. With yarn in front, slip the first stitch to the right hand needle as if to purl, then bring yarn over the top of the needle to the back of the work and pull tight. This will distort the stitch and makes it look like a doubled stitch (DS). Bring yarn to front between the needles and begin purling keeping a tighter tension for a few first sts.

- on a purl row: Purl to the stitch specified in the pattern and turn work to the knit side. Bring yarn to the front between the needles. Slip the first stitch to the right hand needle as if to purl, then bring yarn over the top of the needle to the back of the work and pull tight. This will distort the stitch and makes it look like a doubled stitch (DS). Begin knitting keeping a tighter tension for a few first sts.

- picking up doubled stitches: Work each doubled stitch like a single stitch: knit through both legs of the DS on a knit row (as a knit 2 together) and purl through both legs of the DS on a purl row (as a purl 2 together).

Directions for knitting

This pullover is knitted from the top down, completely seamlessly with neckline shaped using German Short Rows and classic raglan sleeves. First, the yoke is knit to the underarms, then the stitches for the sleeves are placed on stitch holders and the body is worked to the hem. Once the body is complete, the sleeves are finished.

Yoke

Using 3,5 mm needles and a long tail cast-on method, cast on 90 (94) 98 (102) 106 (118) 126 (134) sts. Join to work in round being careful not to twist and place marker for BOR (center back).

Rounds 1 and 2: Knit.

Round 3: K15 (16) 16 (17) 17 (19) 20 (21), pm, k12 (12) 14 (14) 16 (18) 20 (22), pm, k36 (38) 38 (40) 40 (44) 46 (48), pm, k12 (12) 14 (14) 16 (18) 20 (22), pm, k15 (16) 16 (17) 17 (19) 20 (21), sm (BOR).



There are now 30 (32) 32 (34) 34 (38) 40 (42) sts on the back, 36 (38) 38 (40) 40 (44) 46 (48) sts on the front and 12 (12) 14 (14) 16 (18) 20 (22) sts on each sleeve.

Change to 4 mm needles.

Short Row Neckline Shaping

Row 1 (RS): K to m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k3, turn. [2 sts increased]

Row 2 (WS): DS, p to BOR, sm, p to next m, sm, p4, turn.

Row 3: DS, k to 1 st before m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to BOR, sm, k to next m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to DS, knit DS, k3, turn. [4 sts increased]

Row 4: DS, p to DS, purl DS, p3, turn.

Rows 5 and 6: Repeat Rows 3 and 4. [4 sts increased]

Row 7: DS, k to 1 st before m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to BOR, k to next m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k2, turn. [6 sts increased]

Row 8: DS, p to DS, purl DS, purl to next m, sm, p2, turn.

Row 9: DS, k to m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to BOR, sm, k to next m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to DS, knit DS, k3, turn. [8 sts increased].

Row 10: DS, p to DS, purl DS, p3, turn.

Rows 11 and 12: Repeat Rows 9 and 10. [8 sts increased]

Row 13: DS, k to m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to BOR, sm, k to

next m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to DS, knit DS, k4, turn. [8 sts increased].

Row 14: DS, p to DS, purl DS, p4, turn.

Row 15: DS, k to m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, k to BOR, sm. [4 sts increased]

There are now 44 (46) 46 (48) 48 (52) 54 (56) sts on the back, 44 (46) 46 (48) 48 (52) 54 (56) sts on the front and 23 (23) 25 (25) 27 (29) 31 (33) sts on each sleeve.

Yoke Shaping

Continue working in the round.

Round 1: * K to m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L*, repeat from * to * one more time. [8 sts increased]

Rounds 2 and 4: Work sts as they appear.

Round 3: * K to m, M1R, sm, k to next m, sm, M1L*, repeat from * to * one more time. [4 sts increased]

Repeat the last four rounds 5 (5) 7 (9) 9 (9) 9 (9) more times.

There are now 68 (70) 78 (88) 88 (92) 94 (96) sts on the back, 68 (70) 78 (88) 88 (92) 94 (96) sts on the front and 35 (35) 41 (45) 47 (49) 51 (53) sts on each sleeve.

Next Round 1: * K to m, M1R, sm, k1, M1L, k to 1 st before next m, M1R, k1, sm, M1L, repeat from * to * one more time. [8 sts increased]

Next Round 2: Work sts as they appear.

Repeat last two rounds 12 (14) 13 (9) 12 (16) 19 (22) more times.

There are now 94 (100) 106 (108) 114 (126) 134 (142) sts on the back, 94 (100) 106 (108) 114 (126) 134 (142) sts on the front and 61 (65) 69 (65) 73 (83) 91 (99) sts on each sleeve.

Divide the sts for body and sleeves on the next

round: Knit to m, sm, cast on 2 (2) 2 (6) 6 (6) 10 (14) sts for underarm, place sleeve sts on holder, remove m, knit to next m, remove m, cast on 2 (2) 2 (6) 6 (6) 10 (14) sts for underarm, place sleeve sts on holder, remove m, knit to BOR, remove m, knit to next m, sm (this will be new BOR).

There are now 192 (204) 216 (228) 240 (264) 288 (312) sts on the body.

Body

Continue working body sts in stockinette stitch until the work measures approx. 20 (20) 21 (21) 22 (23) 24 (25) cm from where the sts were divided for sleeves and body or approx. 12 cm before desired total length.

Now work lace hem:

Round 1: *K1, yo, k4, sl1, k2tog, pssso, k4, yo, repeat from * to * to end.

Round 2: Knit.

Round 3: *K2, yo, k3, sl1, k2tog, pssso, k3, yo, k1, repeat from * to * to end.

Round 4: Knit.

Round 5: *K3, yo, k2, sl1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yo, k2, repeat from * to * to end.

Round 6: *K4, (k5) cluster, k3, repeat from * to * to end. Remove marker for BOR, k6, place marker for BOR.

Repeat Rounds 1 – 6 six more times.

Work 3 rounds in stockinette stitch and bind off all sts knitwise.

Sleeves

Slip sleeve sts to 4 mm double-pointed needles and re-join the yarn before underarm sts. Pick up and knit first 1 (1) 1 (3) 3 (3) 5 (7) underarm sts, place marker, pick up and knit remaining 1 (1) 1 (3) 3 (3) 5 (7) underarm sts, knit across sleeve sts, then knit to m, sm (this will be BOR).

There are now a total 63 (67) 71 (71) 79 (89) 101 (113) sts.

Knit 10 rounds in stockinette stitch.

Decrease round: Ssk, knit to 3 sts before BOR, k2tog, k1, sm (BOR). [2 sts decreased]

Continue in stockinette stitch working a decrease round every 8th round 3 more times.

There are now 55 (59) 63 (63) 71 (81) 93 (105) sts.

Work in stockinette stitch until sleeve measures approx. 14 (14) 15 (15) 16 (16) 17 (17) cm from underarm, or to approx. 2 cm before desired total length.

Change to 3,5 mm needles.

Round 1: [K2tog, yo] to last st, k1, sm (BOR).

Round 2 to 4: Knit.

Bind off all sts knitwise.

Chart

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⋈ s1-k2tog-pssso

5 (k5) cluster

Finishing

Weave in all ends. Wash the finished top according to the instructions on the yarn label. Lay it on a flat surface to dry.

