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Tyra Lundgren was the first female artist at the Kosta Boda glassworks in Sweden's Kingdom of Crystal between Växjö and Kalmar. Tyra joined the glassworks in 1935 and paved the way for other female designers and artists in the field of glass production. This short sweater features ribbed cuffs in the colour of the glowing molten glass shaped by the glassblowers.

SIZES

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

MEASUREMENTS

Fits chest sizes: (82-90) 90-96 (96-105) 105-110
(110-120) 120-126 cm

Chest: (102) 110 (116) 121 (130) 138 cm.

Length, measured at center of the back, including neckband: (48) 49 (50) 51 (52) 52 cm

Sleeve length: (32) 32 (32) 32 (30) 30 cm

GAUGE

14.5 sts and 22 rounds in stockinette using 6 mm needles = 10 x 10 cm

15 sts and 25 rows in rib using 5 mm needles = 10 x 10 cm.

The gauge is measured after washing.

Needle sizes are for guidance only.

If you have more stitches on 10 cm, change to a larger needle. If you have fewer stitches on 10 cm, change to smaller needles.

MATERIALS

Yarn from Filcolana

Colour A (main colour):

(300) 300 (350) 350 (400) 400 g **Peruvian** in col.

281 (Rime Frost) and

(75) 75 (75) 100 (100) 100 g **Tilia** in col 348

(Rainy Day)

Colour B

50 g **Peruvian** in col. 803 (Rust melange) and

25 g **Tilia** in col. 350 (Burnt Sienna)

Colour C

25 g **Paia** in col. 704 (Peach Shimmer)

Each colour A and B are worked using 1 strand of Peruvian and 1 strand of Tilia held together, colour C is worked using 3 strands of the same colour.

6 mm circular needles, 60 and 80-100 cm

5 mm circular needles, 40 cm

5 mm double pointed needles

5 stitch markers and 1 stitch holder or string





Techniques

ABBREVIATIONS

st(s): stitch(es)

r: row(s)

k: knit

p: purl

RS: right side

WS: wrong side

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).

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).

M1RP - Right slanted increase as seen on RS

With the left needle pick up the strand between the 2 sts, from back to front. Purl through the front loop.

M1PL - Left slanted increase as seen on RS

With the left needle pick up the strand between 2 sts from front to back. Purl through the back loop.

Left leaning decrease

Work the next 2 sts like this: Knit the 1st st without slipping the st off the needle, work the 2nd st through the back loop, slip both sts off the needle. You now have a slightly left leaning decrease.

SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

Short row stitch

Slip 1st 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.

Knit with 3 strands from the same skein

Pull a long tail of yarn from the skein, fold the strand so that the yarn is doubled, hold onto the strands at the end where the tail is (i.e., the end that is not connected), and fold the yarn once again, so it is now tripled. Attach the yarn to your work and begin knitting with the tripled yarn. As the bottom of the loop approaches the needle, pull the yarn from the skein through the loop, creating a new long loop. Be careful not to pull the entire skein of yarn through the loop, only the thread is pulled through.

Workflow

The sweater is worked top-down.

First, German short rows are worked to heighten the neck and ensure a better fit. At the same time, increases are made on both sides of the shoulder sts.

Yarn overs are worked between the shoulder sts, which are slipped on next round. This is done to allow the shoulder sts to stretch better in height, preventing them from wrinkling the finished shoulder.

Once the specified width and stitch count are reached, the work is divided into the front and the back, and both are finished separately.

Then sts are picked up for the sleeves, which are then worked top-down and finished with a long sleeve ribbing.

Finally, sts are picked up along the neckline, and the collar is worked.



Pattern

SHOULDERS

With 6 mm circular needles cast on (76) 80 (80) 80 (84) 88 sts using 1 strand of each quality in colour A (main colour) held together, and at the same time divide the sts like this:

Cast on (18) 19 (19) 19 (20) 21 sts (half the back), place marker, 2 sts (shoulder sts), place marker, (36) 38 (38) 38 (40) 42 sts (front), place marker, 2 sts (shoulder sts), place marker, (18) 19 (19) 19 (20) 21 sts (half the back) = (76) 80 (80) 80 (84) 88 sts.

Place start marker and join round.

Now work short rows and increases on each side of the shoulder sts, like this:

1st short row (RS): Knit 19 sts (half the back), M1R, slip shoulder marker to right-hand needle, k2 (shoulder sts), slip shoulder marker to right-hand needle, M1L, k2, turn work.

2nd short row (WS): Work a GSR, purl to shoulder marker, M1RP, slip shoulder marker, p2, slip shoulder marker, M1LP, purl to next shoulder marker, M1RP,

slip shoulder marker, p2, slip shoulder marker, M1LP, p2, turn work.

3rd short row: Work a GSR, *knit to shoulder sts, M1R, slip shoulder marker, k1, yarn over, k1, slip shoulder marker, M1L*, repeat from * to * once, knit to the short row from previous row, knit this st, k1, turn work.

4th short row: Work a GSR, *purl to shoulder marker, M1RP, slip shoulder marker, p1, slip the yarn over off needle, p1, slip shoulder marker, M1LP*, repeat from * to * once, purl to short row from previous row, purl this st, p1, turn work.

Repeat 3rd and 4th row another 4 times.

Repeat 3rd and 4th short row one more time, this time knitting 2 sts after the short row from the previous row before turning.

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Last short row (RS): Work a CSR, knit to shoulder sts, M1R, slip shoulder marker, k1, yarn over, k1, slip shoulder marker, M1L, knit to start marker.

The short rows are now completed, continue in the round while working the wrapped short row sts from the previous row like this:

Next round (RS): *Knit to shoulder marker, M1R, slip shoulder marker, k1, yarn over, k1, move shoulder marker, M1L*, knit to the wrapped short row st from previous row, knit this st, knit to 1 st before next short row, knit this st and the short row st together like this: Insert right-hand needle into next st and through the back loop of the 1st leg of the short row, pull yarn through both sts and gently slide the sts off the needle while holding onto the back leg of the wrapped st to prevent it from slipping off, knit the back leg of the wrapped st, knit to shoulder marker, M1R, move shoulder marker, k1, drop the yarn over, k1, move shoulder marker, M1L, knit to start marker.

Continue in stockinette and increase on both sides of the shoulder sts as before. On every 2nd round, make a yarn over to create a wrap between the shoulder sts. This wrap will be dropped on the following round.



Note that the yarn overs on the shoulders are no longer worked on the same round; on one shoulder, make a yarn over, and on the other shoulder, drop the yarn over off the needle.

Continue like this, till you have increased (31) 33 (35) 37 (39) 41 times in total, and you have (98) 104 (108) 112 (118) 124 sts on the front and the back respectively plus 2 sts on each shoulder = (200) 212 (220) 228 (240) 252 sts in total.

Next round: *Knit to 1st shoulder marker, do not increase, remove marker, and bind off the 2 shoulder sts, remove next shoulder marker*, repeat from * to * one more time, knit to start marker.

You are now at the center of the back.

Break yarn and remove the start marker, slip the (49) 52 (54) 56 (59) 62 back sts to the left of the circular needles, join yarn to the RS of work, you are now ready to knit all the back sts.

Let the front sts rest on the needle or a stitch holder. The remaining sts are knitted back and forth.

BACK

Now work decreases on every 4th row like this:

1st row (RS): K1, M1L, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

2nd row: Purl all sts.

3rd row: Knit all sts.

4th row: Work as 2nd row.

Repeat these 4 rows 11 times more, till you have (74) 80 (84) 88 (94) 100 sts left.

Knit another (2) 2 (2) 2 (2) 4 rows without decreases and **AT THE SAME TIME**, on last WS row, work a (1) 0 (1) 2 (1) 0 st increase using the M1LP technique.

You now have (75) 80 (85) 90 (95) 100 sts on your needles.

Change to 5 mm needles.

Ribbing

1st row (RS): K1, *k1, p1, k1, p2*, repeat from * to *, to last 4 sts, k1, p1, k2.



2nd row: P1, *p1, k1, p1, k2*, repeat from * to * to last 4 sts, p1, k1, p2.

Repeat these 2 rows, until the ribbing measures 8 cm, finish with a WS row.

On next right-side row, bind off sts as pattern indicates – when you have 2 purl sts after one another, purl these 2 sts together before binding off.

FRONT

Join yarn to WS of the resting sts and purl these sts. Work the front as the back, only this time the ribbing should be 4 cm.

Finishing

Sew the side seams together like this:
From the shoulder sts measure (24) 25 (25) 25 (26) 26 cm down the back and the front. Place a marker in the edging. Hold the seams together using pins, and sew the side seams together using mattress sts, from the top of the ribbing to the markers.

SLEEVES

Starting at the bottom of the armhole, with 6 mm needles and 1 strand of each quality in color A, pick up (30) 32 (32) 32 (34) 34 sts along the RS of the armhole up to the shoulder sts, pick up 1 st in each shoulder st, and pick up (30) 32 (32) 32 (34) 34 sts along the other side of the armhole = (62) 66 (66) 66 (70) 70 sts in total. Place a start marker and join round.

The sleeve is knitted in rounds.

Knit (6) 4 (4) 4 (3) 3 rounds in stockinette.

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

Repeat these (7) 5 (5) 5 (4) 4 rounds until there are 50 sts left and the sleeve measures (20) 20 (20) 20 (18.5) 18 cm from the picked up sts.

Only size XS

Next round: *k3, k2tog*, repeat from * to * over all sts = 40 sts.

Only sizes S, ML, XL and 2XL

Next round: *k8, k2tog*, repeat from * to * over all sts = 45 sts.

All sizes

Break yarn.

Change to 5 mm needle.

Ribbing

Join 1 strand of each quality in colour B held together to work and knit 1 round.

Next round: *k1, p1, k1, p2*, repeat from * to * over all sts.

Work 4 rounds in rib using colour B.

Change to 3 strands of colour C (Paia) and knit 4 rounds of rib.

Continue in rib till you have 3 stripes with colour C (Paia) and 4 stripes with colour B. Bind off sts as on the ribbing edge of the body.

Knit the 2nd sleeve the same way.

NECKBAND

From the RS of the right shoulder sts, with 5 mm





needles and 1 strand of each quality in colour A held together, pick up 1 st in each shoulder st, (35) 38 (38) 38 (41) 43 sts along the back, 1 st in each shoulder st and (36) 38 (38) 38 (40) 43 sts along the front = (75) 80 (80) 80 (85) 90 sts in total.

Place a start marker and join round.

Next round: P2, *k1, p1, k1, p2*, repeat from * to * to last 3 sts, k1, p1, k1.

Repeat this round until the neckband measures 3 cm. Bind off the same way as with the other ribbing edges.

FINISHING

Weave in all loose ends.

Wash the blouse according to the washing instructions on the labels and lay it flat to dry on a towel.

