



NO 7
PANTS

Pants w/tieband at waist
Instruction: Liv Stangeland

Sizes:

(2) 4 (6) 8 (10-12) yrs

Measurements:

Waist: (50) 54 (58) 61 (65) cm

Leg length: (34) 40 (50) 58 (65-70) cm

All measurements are for the finished garment = personal body measurements + movement allowance. The measurements are all according to given tension.

Yarn:

SISU (80 % wool, 20 % nylon, 50 g = 175 m)

Alternative yarn:

MINI ALPAKKA, MANDARIN PETIT,
ALPAKKA SILKE, TYNN MERINOULL,
BABYULL LANETT

NOTE: If alternative yarn is chosen be sure to check the yardage on label. The image of garment might change by using alternative yarn.

Yarn required:

Dk.green #8063/Dusty lt.green #9041: (3)
3 (4) 4 (5) balls

Notions:

Cotton ribbon and elastic band in suitable length for waist

Suggested knitting needles:

Circular and double pointed 2.5 mm and 3 mm

Needle sizes are only suggestions. If your knitting shows tighter tension, use thicker needles, for looser tension use thinner needle.

Tension:

27 sts St-st with 3 mm ndls = 10 cm

GSR = German Short Rows:

After each turning always sl first st p-wise with yarn in front of work, lead yarn over right ndl, pull yarn firmly at the back until 2 loops on ndl. The 2 loops count as 1 stitch. When working rows/rnds with loops, work loops tog to 1 st.

Beg at waist.

With 2.5 mm circular ndl cast on (136) 146 (156) 166 (176) sts. Join and work 2 cm St-st in rnds for facing, and p 1 rnd (= folding rnd).

All further measurements from this rnd. Change to 3 mm circular ndl and work 3 rnds St-st.

Insert marker around the 2 middle front and the 2 middle back sts = (66) 71 (76) 81 (86) sts between markers.

Work holes for band at front in this manner:

Work until 6 sts before middle front marker, k2tog, 1 yo, k10, 1 yo, k2tog, work to end of rnd.

Cont until work meas 2 cm from folding rnd.

Work extra height at back with **GSR** in this manner: Beg 6 sts before middle back marker, work 14 sts, turn, work 7 sts more for each turning until a total of (4) 4 (5) 5 (6) times at each side of marker.

Cont in rnds over all sts until work meas (14) 15 (16) 17 (18) cm, meas at middle front from folding rnd.

Inc 1 st at each side of markers at back and front = 4 sts inc.

Rep inc on alt rnds a total of (5) 6 (7) 8 (9) times = (156) 170 (184) 198 (212) sts.

Divide work between the 2 marked sts at back and front, and work each leg separately.

Leg:

= (78) 85 (92) 99 (106) sts.

Change to 3 mm double pointed ndls, cont St-st in rnds, **at the same time** adjust number of sts to (78) 86 (92) 100 (106) on first rnd.

Insert marker at inside of leg.

Dec 1 st at each side of marker as follows: k2tog before marker, and k2tog tbl after marker.

Rep dec approx every (1½) 1½ (2) 2 (2) cm a total of (15) 19 (20) 24 (25) times = (48) 48 (52) 52 (56) sts. Cont until leg meas (24) 30 (40) 48 (55-60) cm, or 10 cm before suitable length. Change to 2.5 mm circular ndl and work 10 cm ribbing k1, p1 in rnds.

Cast off rib-wise.

Work other leg in the same manner.

Finishing:

Fold facing to WS and sew loosely with hidden sts, but leave a small opening for the bands.

Pass elastic band and cotton ribbon through waistband and close opening.

