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# Stevns Klint

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The cliff is the boundary between sea and land. There, on the sand-clad banks, the view of the sea is magnificent. The moment fades into the infinity of the sea, and the soft sand reveals the secrets of the sea, washed up through millennia. The relief of the blouse is the image that the sea paints in the wet sand that borders the sea. At first glimpse raw and unpolished, and at the same time so beautiful and delicate.

The blouse can be worn alone or with the Sangstrup Klint Skirt.

# **SIZES**

XS (S) M (L) XL

### **MEASUREMENTS**

Fits chest size: 80-86 (87-94) 95-102

(103-110) 111-120 cm

Chest circumference: 98 (106) 114 (122) 132 cm

Hem width: 78 (84) 90 (96) 105 cm Sleeve length: 49 (50) 51 (52) 52 cm Length: 55 (57) 61 (63) 65 cm

# **GAUGE**

20 sts and 27 rows in stockinette on 4 mm needles

 $= 10 \times 10 \text{ cm}$ 

24 sts and 30 rows according to chart 1 on

3.5 mm needles =  $10 \times 10 \text{ cm}$ .

Both measurements are after washing and blocking. Needle sizes are for guidance only. If you have more sts on 10 cm, change to a larger needle. If you have fewer sts on 10 cm, change to smaller needles.

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# **MATERIALS**

Yarn from Filcolana

550 (600) 650 (700) 750 g **Peruvian** colour 977 (Marzipan)

Circular needles 3.5 and 4 mm, 80-120 cm Double pointed needles 3.5 and 4 mm

8 stitch markers

Thin, transparent elastic knitting string

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# **Technical**

## SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

#### M<sub>1</sub>R

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

#### M<sub>1</sub>L

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

# k2tog

Knit 2 sts together.

#### ssk

Slip 1 st knitwise, k1, pass the slipped st over.

#### cdd

Centered double decrease. Slip 2 sts as if knitting them together, k1, pass the 2 slipped sts over the knitted st. On the first row with raglan decreases the decrease is placed drawing 1 st from the body and 2 sts from the sleeves.

On all consecutive raglan decreases the decrease begins 2 sts before the marker as follows: Slip 2 sts as if knitting them together, remove marker, k1, pass the 2 sts over the knitted st, place marker.

The raglan st is the middle st in the decrease (hence the term centered double decrease), and 1 st will be drawn from the body and 1 st from the sleeve.

**5 st dec:** Decrease st with 5 sts. Slip 3 sts as if knitting them together, k2tog, pass the 3 slipped sts over the knitted st.

# **SPECIAL TECHNIQUES**

#### German short rows

Knit to where the short row should be placed. Turn work and slip st onto right needle with yarn in front. Tug the yarn up and over the needle. This creates a double stitch. Continue working the row as instructed in pattern. On next row work the double sts together (German short rows are worked the same on both right sides and wrong sides).

### **CHARTS**

See page 6.

# Workflow

The model is knit bottom up.

Body and sleeves are knit separately and will be joined in the yoke, which is knit in the round with raglan decreases.

The neck is shaped with German short rows.





# Pattern

#### **BODY**

With 3.5 mm circular needles, cast on 182 (196) 210 (224) 245 sts.

Knit in the round and place a marker at beginning of round.

Knit 3 rounds as follows: knit 1 round, purl 1 round, knit 1 round.

Now knit chart 1 as follows: Repeat the first 4 rounds of chart 10 (10) 10 (11) 11 times in total = 40 (40) 40 (44) 44 rounds totally.

Now knit round 5-21 = 208 (224) 240 (256) 280 sts.

Move the marker 4 sts forward so it's placed right above the tip of the first pattern bow. Place marker 104 (112) 120 (128) 140 sts after first marker.

Change to 4 mm circular needles.

Knit stockinette in the round and make decreases around each marker (where the armholes will be) as follows:

Knit 13 (14) 16 (16) 13 rounds of stockinette.

**Next round:** k1, k2tog, knit to 2 sts before next marker, ssk, k1, k2tog, knit to 2 sts before next marker, ssk.

Knit these 14 (15) 17 (17) 14 rounds 3 (3) 3 (3) 4 times in total.

You now have 196 (212) 228 (244) 264 sts.

Continue knitting stockinette till work measures 36 (37) 39 (40) 42 cm from the cast-on edge, or till desired length.

**Tip:** The hem of the blouse should rest on your hip, use this as an indicator, when you estimate the length of the body.

**Next round:** Bind off 2 (3) 4 (5) 6 sts, knit to 3 (4) 5 (6) 7 sts before next marker, bind off 5 (7) 9 (11) 13 sts, knit to 3 (4) 5 (6) 7 sts before next marker, bind off 3 (4) 5 (6) 7 sts.

You now have 93 (99) 105 (111) 119 sts on back and front respectively. Break yarn and leave the body for now while knitting the sleeves.

#### **SLEEVES**

With 3.5 mm dpns cast on 35 (42) 42 (49) 49 sts. Knit in the round and place a marker at beginning of round.

Knit 3 rounds as follows: knit 1 round, purl 1 round, knit 1 round.



Now knit chart 2 as follows:

Knit the first 4 rounds of chart a total of 4 (4) 4 (5) 5 times = 16 (16) 16 (20) 20 rounds in total. Knit rounds 5-8. Then knit rounds 9-12 a total of 4 times and rounds 13-30 once. You now have knitted a total of 54 (54) 54 (58) 58 rounds and have 50 (60) 60 (70) 70 sts.

Change to 4 mm circular needles.

Knit stockinette in the round. At the same time make increases around the marker as follows: Knit 3 (4) 3 (4) 4 rounds of stockinette.

**Next row:** k1, M1L, knit to marker, M1R. Knit those 4 (5) 4 (5) 5 rounds a total of 18 (16) 19 (15) 16 times = 86 (92) 98 (100) 102 sts.

Continue knitting stockinette without increases, till



work measures 49 (50) 51 (52) 52 cm from cast-on edge or till desired length.

**Next row:** Bind off the first 2 (3) 4 (5) 6 sts and the last 3 (4) 5 (6) 7 sts for armhole.

You now have 81 (85) 89 (89) 89 sts. Break yarn and leave work to rest, while knitting the second sleeve accordingly.

#### YOKE

Connect all pieces on 4 mm circular needles by placing the sleeve sts adjacent to the body over the bound off sts.

Place a marker at each transition where body meets sleeves. You now have 348 (368) 388 (400) 416 sts. Beginning of round is placed at transition from back to left sleeve.



Now knit stockinette in the round, while making raglan decreases around each marker as follows: Knit to 1 st before beginning of round.

**Next round:** \*cdd, knit to 2 sts before next marker, cdd\*, knit to 1 st before next marker. Repeat from \* to \*.

You have now decreased 8 sts, and at each raglan decrease you have decreased 1 st from body and 1 st from sleeve = 77 (81) 85 (85) 85 sts on each sleeve and 91 (97) 103 (109) 117 sts on front and back respectively plus a total of 4 raglan sts.

Repeat raglan decreases on every 2nd round as follows: **1st round:** Knit stockinette to 2 sts before beginning of round

**2nd round:** \*cdd, knit to 2 sts before next marker\*. Repeat from \* to \* 3 times more, knit remaining sts. Repeat these 2 rounds a total of 24 (26) 28 (30) 30 times. **ATTHE SAME TIME** knit German short rows over neck sts on the second last round, as follows: **1st short row (RS):** Knit to 7 sts before beginning of round, turn work.

**2nd short row (WS):** Make a German short row (GSR), purl to 6 sts before marker between back and right sleeve, turn work.

#### Only sizes L and XL

**3rd short row (RS):** Make a GSR, knit to 6 sts before last GSR, turn work.

**4th short row (WS):** Make a GSR, purl to 6 sts before last GSR, turn work.

# All sizes

After last GSR, knit one GSR, knit to beginning of round.

**Next row:** Knit row with raglan decreases as described above. You now have 25 (27) 29 (31) 31 raglan decreases at around each marker.

Adjust the raglan markers' position so they are included into the sleeve sts. You now have 31 (31) 31 (27) 27 sts on each sleeve incl. raglan sts, plus 43 (45) 47 (49) 57 sts on front and back respectively.

Change to 3.5 mm circular needle. Change to dpns when necessary:

#### Only size XS

K2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have decreased 16 sts on first sleeve). K4, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k3, cdd, k3, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k4 (you have decreased 18 sts on the front). Knit as described on first sleeve, k2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2, cdd, k1, ssk, k2, cdd, k2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have decreased 21 st on the back)



You now have 15 sts on each sleeve and 25 sts on the front and 22 sts on the back = 77 sts in total.

### Only size S

K2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have decreased 16 sts on first sleeve). K2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2, cdd, k2, ssk, k3, cdd, k2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have now decreased 21 sts on the front). Knit as described on first sleeve, k2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2, cdd, k2, cdd, k2, cdd, k2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have now decreased 22 sts on the back).

You now have 15 sts on each sleeve and 24 sts on the front and 23 sts on the back = 77 sts in total.

# Only size M

K2, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have now decreased 16 sts on first sleeve). K3, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k3, cdd, k3, cdd, k3, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k3 (you have now decreased 20 sts on the front). Knit as described on first sleeve, knit back sts as front.

You now have 15 sts on each sleeve, 27 sts on front and 27 sts on back = 84 sts in total.

# Only size L

K2, 5 st dec, k2, cdd, k3, cdd, k2, 5 st dec, k2 (you have now decreased 12 sts on first sleeve). K3, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k2, cdd, k2, cdd, k2, cdd, k2, 5 st dec, k3, 5 st dec, k3 (you have now decreased 22 sts on the front). Knit as described on first sleeve, knit back as front

You now have 15 sts on each sleeve, 27 sts on front and 27 sts on back = 84 sts in total.

# Only size XL

K2, 5 st dec, k1, cdd, k1, cdd, k1, 5 st dec, k2 (you have now decreased 14 sts on first sleeve). K4, 5 st dec, k4 (you have decreased 24 sts on the front). Knit second sleeve as described on first sleeve, k3, 5 st dec, k3 (you have now decreased 25 sts on the back).

You now have 13 sts on each sleeve, 33 sts on front and 32 sts on back = 91 sts in total.

# All sizes

# **NECKLINE**

The neckline is knit as a direct continuation of the yoke as follows:

Remove all markers except the beginning of round marker.

Purl 1 round, knit 1 round.

Knit chart 3 as follows:

Repeat the first 4 rounds of chart 4 times in total (= 16 rows in total), knit round 5-10. Bind off with purl sts on next round.

**Tip!** If your bind off is tight, change to a larger needle when binding off.

#### **FINISHING**

Weave in all loose ends and mend the holes under the armholes with Kitchener stitch.

Sew an elastic string into the neckline casing for it to fall nicely around the neck. You can also sew an elastic string into the transition between the yoke and the neckline to prevent the neckline stretching after wear and tear.

Wash the blouse according to the washing instructions on the label. Lay to dry flat and stretch to right measurements if necessary.



# Charts are worked from right to left.

Chart 1

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Chart 2

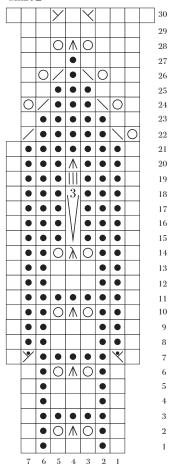


Chart 3												
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- Knit on RS, purl on WS
- Purl on RS, knit on WS
- Yarn over
- $\Lambda$  Slip 2 sts as if to ktog, k1, pass the 2 slipped sts over the knitted st
- | \lambda | Slip 1 purl st (with yarn in front) as if to knit, slip 1 st as if to knit (with yarn in front), slip the 2 sts onto left needle again by inserting left needle in the 2 sts from right to left, purl the 3 sts together
- Knit the 3 new sts
- From the front, lift the horizontal strand between stitches with the left needle and knit through the back loop.
- From the back, lift the horizontal strand between stitches with the left needle and knit through the front loop
- / Knit 2 sts together
- Slip 1 st knitwise, k1, pass the slipped st over.
- With the left needle pick up the strand between the 2 sts, from back to front. Purl through the front loop.
- $\bigvee$  With the left needle pick up the strand between 2 sts from front to back. Purl though the back loop.
- This symbol is worked over 4 rows:

Rows 1-3 purl all sts.

4th row: With right needle knit in st 3 rows below, pull yarn through st, make a yarn over, knit a new st in same st. Adjust all 3 loops to same length and let st of left hand needle