## SLIPOVER

**Size** 36/38 (40/42 - 44/46)
The information for size 40/42 and 44/46 is in brackets. If only one information is given, it applies to all sizes.

**Material:** Lana Grossa **"Ecopuno"** (72% cotton, 17% virgin wool (merino), 11% alpaca (baby), running length 215 m/50 g), **100 (150 - 150) g** in pearl beige **(col. 66)**, **50 (100 - 100) g** in reseda green **(col. 20)**, **50 (50 - 100) g** in gray beige **(col. 93)**, **50 g** each in lobster **(col. 90)**, light blue **(col. 13)**, and saffron yellow **(col. 216)**; size 3 and 4 knitting needles, 1 each of size 3 circular needles, 40 and 60 cm long.

**Selvage st:** On every row: Knit first and last st. Note: Work always this selv st!
**Rib pattern:** k1, p1 alt.
**Basic pattern:** Number of stitches divisible by 3 + 2 selv sts
1st row (= WS): selv st, * p 2, yo, repeat from *, end with 1 selv st.
2nd row (= RS): selv st, k all sts, selv st. 3rd row: selv st, p all sts, selv st. 4th row: selv st, k all sts, selv st. 5th row: selv st, p all sts, selv st. 6th row: selv st, * k 2tog, k 1, repeat from *, end with 1 selv st. Repeat rows 1-6.
**Stripe sequence A:** * 12 rows in reseda green, 6 rows in pearl beige, 6 rows in lobster, 6 rows in saffron yellow, 6 rows in lobster, 12 rows in pearl beige, 6 rows in light blue, 6 rows in pearl beige, 12 rows in grey beige, 6 rows in pearl beige, repeat from *.
**Stripe sequence B:** 2 rounds in pearl beige, 2 rounds in reseda green, 2 rounds in pearl beige, 2 rounds in light blue, 2 rounds in pearl beige and 4 rounds in grey beige.
Note: The color change always takes place in the 1st row (= WS row) of the basic pattern.

**Gauge:** 25 sts and 34 rows in the basic pattern with size 4 needles = 10 x 10 cm.

**Back:** Cast on 142 (152 - 160) ss in gray beige using size 3 needles and work in rib pattern in rows, beginning with 1 WS row. After 5 rows in pearl beige, continue in rib pattern. After 6 cm = 23 rows from the cast-on, incr 1 (0 - 1) st in the last row. = 143 (152 - 161) sts. Then, in pearl beige, work the 6th row of the basic pattern (= RS row) once using size 4 needles. Then continue in the basic pattern and stripe sequence A, beginning with 1 WS row in reseda green. After 26 cm = 89 rows from the cuff, cast off 3 sts on each side for the armholes. Then, on every other row, cast off 1x 2 sts and 8x 1 st = 117 (126 - 135) sts. After 21 (22 - 23) cm = 72 (74 - 78) rows from the beginning of the armhole, cast off 1x 3 sts on each side for the shoulder slant, then cast off 9x 3 sts (4 x 3 sts and 5x 4 sts - 9x 4 sts) on each side every other row = 57 (56 - 57) sts. At the same time as the 6th shoulder decrease, cast off the middle 39 (38 - 39) sts for the neckline and finish each side separately. For the neckline, cast off 1x 5 sts and 1x 4 sts on every other row. This uses up all sts. Finish the second side in the opposite direction.
**Front:** Work as for the back, but for the V-neck, after 5 (6 - 7) cm = 18 (20 - 24) rows from the beginning of the armhole, incr 1 st in the center of the work on the last WS row (only for sizes 40/42). On the next RS row, work to the middle, place the center st on a stitch holder, and finish the right side first.

For the V-neck, on the 3rd row from the division, cast off 1 st at the right edge, then cast off 15x 1 st and 6x 2 sts in every other row = 30 (35 - 39) sts. Continue knitting without decr. At the same time work the shoulder slant as for the back. Work the left side in the opposite direction.
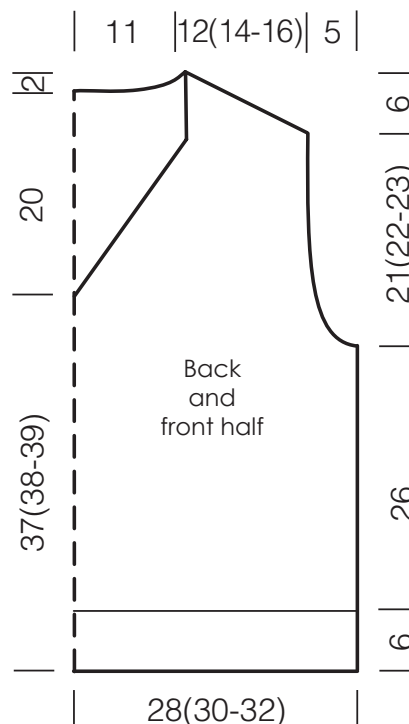**Finishing:** Block the pieces, moisten them, and let them dry. Close the shoulder and side seams.
For the V-neck band in pearl beige, using the long circular knitting needle size 3, start at the left shoulder seam and pick up 68 sts up to the center st that was previously placed on a stitch holder. Pick up the center st, pick up 68 sts from the second side of the V-neck, and pick up 57 sts from the back neckline edge = 194 sts.
Knit the rib pattern in rnds in stripe sequence B, starting with k1 so k the center st. In each rd, k the center st together with the st before and after it, slipping the first 2 sts together, k the following sts, and pass the 2 slipped sts over.
After 3.5 cm = 14 rnds of band height, cast off all sts in gray beige as they appear.
For the cuffs, pick up 128 (132-136) sts from each armhole edge using a size 3 short circular needle in pearl beige and knit in the rd in rib pattern using stripe sequence B. After 3.5 cm = 14 rnds, cast off all sts in gray beige. Weave in all ends within the same color.

| 11 | 12(14-16) | 5 |

| 2 | | |
| 20 | | 6 |
| | | 21(22-23) |

Back and front half

37(38-39)

26

6

28(30-32)

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## GAUGE SWATCH

Before you begin knitting…

…make a gauge swatch. Use the recommended needles, yarns and pattern stitch for your gauge swatch. It should measure approx. 12 cm x 12 cm. Cast on and bind off rows, as well as selvage stitches should not be included in the measurement. Pin your swatch and block it as you would the finished pieces of the garment. Count stitches and rows over 10 cm. If your gauge swatch is too small, switch to larger needles. If your gauge swatch is too big, switch to smaller needles.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**beg =** begin(ning) · **ch =** chain · **cont =** continue · **dec =** decreas(e)(ing) · **inc =** increas(e)(ing) · **k =** knit · **kwise =** as if to knit · **meas =** measures · **M1L =** lift strand between sts from front to back and knit this strand through the back loop · **M1R =** lift strand between sts from the back and knit this strand through the front loop · **patt =** pattern · **pm =** place marker · **p =** purl · **pwise =** as if to purl · **rem =** remain(ing) · **rep =** repeat(s) · **rev St st =** reverse stockinette stitch · **rnd(s) =** round(s) · **RS =** right side · **sc =** single crochet · **skp =** slip 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 1 stitch, pass slipped stitch over knitted stitch · **sk2p =** slip 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over knitted stitch · **s2kp =** slip 2 stitches as if to knit, k 1 stitch, pass slipped stitches over knitted stitch · **sl =** slip · **st(s) =** stitch(es) · **St st =** stockinette stitch · **tbl =** through the back loop · **tog =** together · **wyib =** with yarn in back of work · **wyif =** with yarn in front of work · **WS =** wrong side · **yo(s) =** yarn over(s)