



FILATI STUDIO No. 3 - Design 3

PANTS



Size 32/34 (36/38 - 40/42 - 44/46 - 48/50 - 52/54)

The information for size 32/34 is in front, for all other sizes separated by dashes within the brackets. If only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. The pants are knitted seamlessly from the top down and have a total length of 106 cm, a waist circumference of 64 (70 - 78 - 86 - 98 - 110) cm, a thigh circumference of 62 (66 - 70 - 75 - 80 - 88) cm and a hip circumference of 90,5 (98 - 108 - 116,5 - 118 - 140) cm. Based on 106 cm total length an inseam length of 4,5 (73,5 - 72,5 - 71,5 - 70,5 - 69,5) cm.

MATERIALS

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80 % Virgin wool Merino, 10 % Polyamide, 10 % Cashmere
Meterage: approx. 320 m / 50 g

- **300 (350 - 400 - 450 - 500 - 600) g** taupe (col 7)
- circular knitting needles no. 4 / 40 and 60 cm
- circular knitting needles no. 4,5 / 40, 60 and 80 cm
- cable needle
- stitch marker
- elastic band 40 mm wide, length according to individual waist measurement

STITCH PATTERNS

Stockinette st: RS-row: k, WS-row: p

Stockinette st in rnds: k all sts

Reverse stockinette st in rnds: p all sts

1x1 rib st in rnds: *k1, p1* rep cont

German short rows with double st (DS):

K the specified number of sts including the last st as usual and turn work. Slip 1 st p-wise, pull the yarn very tightly from under the needle towards your face, and then away from you, pulling the st so that it has two legs - or appears to be a „double“ st. To resolve a DS insert your needle into both legs of the DS, k or p them together according to pattern.

Cable: For each cable 2 sts are increased to 5 sts and later on reduced back to 2 sts. Meanwhile each cable is knitted over those 5 sts but is still given as 2 sts in the instructions.

Create cable: M1L, k1, M1L, k1, M1L = 5 sts.

Work cable: place 1 st on a cable needle and hold in back of work, k4, then k the st of the cable needle

Closing cable: sl 1 st k-wise wyib, k1, pass sl st over, k3tog = 2 sts.

Increases:

Before cable / after 1st marker: pick up the strand right in front of the cable with your left needle tip from behind and k (= M1R).

After cable / after 2nd marker: pick up the strand right after the cable with your left needle tip from the front and ktbl (= M1L).

GAUGE

23 sts and 32 rows in stockinette st with needles no. 4,5 = 10 x 10 cm

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With needles no. 4 cast on 162 (184 - 206 - 226 - 252 - 280) sts, join to work in the rnd and pm for BOR (= center back). Work 4 rnds in 1x1 rib st, 1 rnd in reverse stockinette st and another 4 rnds in 1x1 rib st. Work 1 rnd in stockinette st and evenly increase 20 (16 - 16 - 16 - 16 - 16) sts = 182 (200 - 222 - 242 - 268 - 296) sts.

Pm (= center front) in the middle of the rnd after the 91st (100th - 111st -

121st - 134th - 148th) sts.

Change to needles no. 4,5 and continue in stockinette st. On the 1st rnd create 2 cables from the following sts: 20th + 21st (22nd + 23rd - 22nd + 23rd - 22nd + 23rd - 24th + 25th - 24th + 25th) st in front of and after the center front marker. Continue in stockinette st working all cables and their increases according to instructions: 1x on the 1st rnd and 5x on every 6th rnd. At the same time start working short rows on the 6th rnd measured from end of waistband:

R 6 (RS-row): k 6 (7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 11), turn work.

R 7 (WS-row): DS, p 11 (13 - 15 - 17 - 19 - 21), turn work.

R 8 (RS-row): DS, k up until previous DS, resolve DS, k 6 (7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 11), turn work.

R 9 (WS-row): DS, p up until previous DS, resolve DS, p 6 (7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 11), turn work.

Repeat rows 8+9 until 96 (112 - 128 - 144 - 160 - 176) sts are reached on the 21st rnd. Now continue working over all sts and in the rnd whilst finishing increasing on the front cables and at the same time start increasing in the back. Therefore pm 18 (21 - 21 - 21 - 23 - 23) sts in front and after BOR.

Increase as described in the instructions: 1x on the 1st rnd and 9x on every 6th rnd = 214 (232 - 254 - 274 - 300 - 328) sts.

Crotch: In 20 (21 - 22 - 23 - 24 - 25) cm height (measured from end of waistband on center back) start increasing for the crotch. Therefore increase 1 st in front of and after BOR. Work increases another 3x on every 6th rnd, 3x on every 4th rnd and 3x on every other rnd.

At the same time when working the 4th increase rnd: start increasing on center front as well. Repeat center front increases another 6x on every other rnd and continue working without increases.

After the last increase rnd separate work at the center front and back and continue both sides working in rows instead of rnds.

On every other row additionally cast on 2x 2 sts, 1x 3 sts and 1x 4 sts on center back and 2x 2 sts and 1x 3 sts on center front = 142 (151 - 162 - 172 - 185 - 202). Work other side in the opposite way.

Legs: Join sts to work in the rnd, place BOR and continue working in stockinette st including all cables. In 106 cm height (measured from top of waistband whilst hanging) or in desired length work 1 rnd in reverse stockinette st and close cables. For the hem work 4 rnds in stockinette st and loosely bind off all sts.

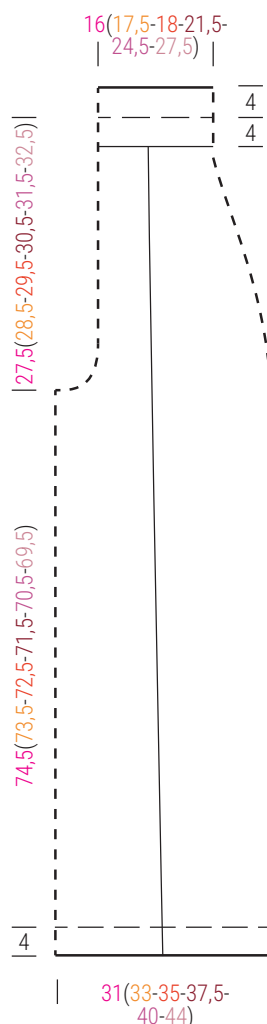
Finishing: Close crotch seam. Moisten, block and let pants air dry. Fold the waistband inward at the crease line. Sew on but leave a few cm open and cut yarn leaving a longer tail. Cut elastic band according to individual waist measurement or desired length, insert into the tunnel, sew ends together and close opening. Fold leg hems inward at the crease line. Sew on loosely and invisibly.

Note

In the total st count each cable counts as 2 sts.

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Tip

The legs can be knitted longer or shorter depending on your taste and individual measurements. It's worth trying on the pants in between to find the perfect length.

ABBREVIATIONS

st(s) = stitch(es)

sl = slip

rnd(s) = round(s)

pm = place marker

BOR = beginning of round

rep cont = repeat continuously

RS = right side

WS = wrong side

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 together

p = purl

p2tog = purl 2 together

tbl = through the back loop

wyif = with yarn in front

wyib = with yarn in back

col = color

MC = main color

CC = contrast color

yo = yarn over

ch = chain

sl st = slip stitch

sc = single crochet

dc = double crochet

hdc = half double crochet

GAUGE SWATCH

Create a gauge swatch! To do so knit a 12 x 12 cm piece in the given stitch pattern of your chosen design. Then count stitches and rows within a 10 x 10 cm area. In case there are fewer stitches or rows than stated in the instructions: Knit more tightly or use smaller needles (half to a whole needle size smaller). If you count more stitches or rows: Try knitting more loosely or use larger needles.

Note: Knitting results will vary. The gauge information on the yarn's band is based on plain stockinette stitch and should not be considered definitive.

For a perfect piece making a gauge swatch in the given stitch pattern is essential so your desired design will not only look beautiful but also fit well!