

# Pattern

## Stripe Raglan Sweater - Women & Plus size

### YARN USAGE

Total divided into 3 colours

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M:	550 g
L:	600 g
XL:	650 g

Circular and  
double pointed needles:  
2,5 and 3,0 mm  
Gauge:  
27 sts x 35 rounds/10 cm



Knitted in Go handmade's Soft Bamboo "double"  
- the yarn contains all of 70% of bamboo, which  
gives the yarn the softest experience. Comfortable  
to the skin, it makes it also very child-friendly.  
The texture is silky with a beautiful drape:  
70% Bamboo/23% Cotton/7% Acrylic, 50 g/115 m.



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## SWEATER'S FINAL MEASUREMENT

Sizes: XS (S) M (L) XL

Chest	84 (88) 98 (108) 116 cm.
Full length	56 (60) 61 (64) 68 cm.
Sleeve length	38 (40) 42 (45) 47 cm.

## ABBREVIATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

st(s)	Stitch(es)
N	Needle(s)
r	Round(s) / Row(s)
k	Knit
p	Purl
ktbl	Knit through the back loop.
M	Stitch marker
k2tog	Decrease: knit 2 sts together.
PSSO	Slip 1 st loosely, k1, pass sl st over.
k2tog tbl	Decrease: Knit 2 sts together through the back loop of the 2 sts (can be replaced by k2tog)
(..)	Indicates number for the 5 sizes: XS (S) M (L) XL.

## Soft Bamboo "double"



### - a Bamboo yarn out of the ordinary

The yarn contains all of 70% of bamboo, which gives the yarn the softest experience and a special lightness. Comfortable to the skin, it makes it also very child-friendly. The texture is silky with a beautiful drape.

**Bamboo and environment** - Bamboo is the fastest growing plant in the world and thus a great source of sustainable production. Bamboo releases more oxygen than any other plant and grows without the use of pesticides. 23% cotton and 7% acrylic help to stabilize the soft bamboo and give the thread a good shape retention. Machine washable.

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## RAGLAN SWEATER WITH STRIPES

SIZES: XS (S) M (L) XL

### STRIPED SWEATER - 3 COLOURS

Colour 1: **12,5 (13) 13,5 (14) 15** cm.

Colour 2: **18,5 (20) 20 (21) 22,5** cm.

Colour 3: **15 cm - on 7 cm close for armhole  
(16 cm - on 7 cm close for armhole)**

**16,5 cm - on 8,5 cm close for armhole**

**(17,5 cm - on 10 cm close for armhole)**

**18,5 cm - on 9,5 cm close for armhole.**

Colour 1: **10 (11) 11 (11,5) 12** cm.

*The Sweater is worked on circular knitting needles, from the bottom up.*

### BACK AND FRONT

Cast on **228 (240) 268 (296) 316** sts on 2,5 mm N with Colour 1.

Knit in rib stitch - k2, p2 - in total **18 (18) 18 (20) 20** r.

Change to 3,0 mm N and place a M at the beginning of the r as well as after

**114 (120) 134 (148) 158** sts.

Knit stripes as directed.

The work now measures approx.

**38 (40) 42 (45) 47** cm incl. ribbing.

For armhole bind off 5 sts on each side of M (all sizes).

In total **208 (220) 248 (276) 296** sts.

*Set work aside.*

### SLEEVES

Cast on **56 (60) 68 (72) 72** sts on 2,5 mm DPNs in Colour 1.

Knit in rib stitch - k2, p2 - in total **18 (18) 18 (20) 20** r.

Change to 3,0 mm N and place a M at the beginning of the r.

Knit stripes as directed - AT THE SAME TIME

increase every **7th (7th) 7th (7th) 7th** r

- in total **15 (17) 16 (17) 19** times by knitting as follows: k1, pick up 1 st from the front through the previous row and ktbl.

Knit until last st, pick up 1 st through the previous row on the back and k, k1.

The work now measures approx.

**38 (40) 42 (45) 47** cm incl. ribbing.

For armhole bind off 5 sts on each side of M (all sizes).

In total **76 (84) 90 (96) 100** sts.

Set work aside and knit the second sleeve.

## YOKE

Gather the parts together knitting k2tog at the meeting points.

Continue the stripes as directed.

In total **356 (384) 424 (464) 492** sts.

A marker (M) is placed before and after each k2tog forming a center st for each raglan part.

The round begins between the back and a sleeve.

Knit **3 (3) 1 (1) 1** r stockinette st and continue with raglan decreases every 2nd r, by working PSSO after the central st and k2tog before the central st.

Repeat decreases in total **26 (28) 30 (32) 34** times - altogether **148 (160) 184 (208) 220** sts.

Knit 1 r.

On the following r, decrease evenly to

**140 (144) 156 (174) 180** sts.

## NECKLINE

The work now measures approx.

**52,5 (56) 57 (60) 64** cm

Change to 2,5 mm N and continue with Colour 1.

Knit 1 r and then ribbing - k2, p2

- in total **16 (16) 20 (20) 20** r.

Bind off.

## FINISHING

Sew together under the sleeves.

Weave in all ends.



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# Good to know

## Needle Size & Tension

Knitters knit very differently: some knit with a needle size 2,0 mm and obtain the same size of design quality as a person who knits with a needle size 4,0 mm. We owe this knowledge to the team of knitters who join us.

The key to knit a specific size is a lot about the knitting style/hands/skills, rather than the size of needles.

Therefore, we will recommend a range of needle sizes.



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