

'Sahara' Crocheted Jumper

in Drops Cotton Merino



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SIZES:

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MATERIALS:

- Drops Cotton Merino (50% Wool, 50% Cotton DK yarn, available in 50g balls):
550-600-650-700-800-850 g colour no 15, mustard
- A 4mm crochet hook
– or the hook size needed to get 18 treble crochets and 9 rows on 10 cm in width and 10 cm in height.

PATTERN:

See diagrams A.1 to A.6. A.6 shows how the pattern starts and finishes when worked in the round.

YOKE:

The piece is worked top down from mid back. Work 156-156-166-171-176-186 chain stitches with hook size 4 mm and Cotton Merino and form them to a ring with 1 slip stitch in the first chain stitch. Work the next round as follows:

1 treble crochet in the 4th chain stitch (= 2 treble crochets), 1 treble crochet in each of the next 2 chain stitches, * skip 1 chain stitch, 1 treble crochet in each of the next 4 chain stitches *, repeat from *-* = 124-124-132-136-140-148 treble crochets (= the right side).

Continue by working the piece back and forth. Every row is worked together at the end of the row with 1 slip stitch in the 3rd chain stitch from the beginning of the row. Turn the piece.

READ CROCHET INFO! Insert 12 markers in the piece from the wrong side as follows: Work 15-15-17-18-19-21 treble crochets **AT THE SAME TIME** increase 1-5-3-3-4-2 treble crochet/s evenly within these stitches – **READ INCREASE TIP**, insert the first marker, * work 4 treble crochets, insert the next marker *, repeat from *-* 1 more time, work 16 treble crochets, insert the next marker, * work 4 treble crochets, insert the next marker *, repeat from *-* 1 more time, work 30-30-34-36-38-42 treble crochets **AT THE SAME TIME** increase 2-10-6-6-8-4 treble crochet evenly within these stitches, insert the next marker, * work 4 treble crochets, insert the next marker *, repeat from *-* 1 more time, work 16 treble crochets, insert the next marker, * work 4 treble crochets, insert the next marker *, repeat from *-* 1 more time, work 15-15-17-18-19-21 treble crochets **AT THE SAME TIME** increase 1-5-3-3-4-2 treble crochet/s evenly within these stitches = 128-144-144-148-156-156 treble crochets.

REMEMBER THE CROCHET TENSION! Turn the piece. On the next row from the right side increase as follows: Increase 1 treble crochet on each side of each marker (= 24 treble crochets increased), repeat the increases every row from the right side in total 3-3-4-6-7-9 times, then increase before each marker (= 12 treble crochets increased), repeat the increase on every row from the right side in total 4-4-4-2-2-0 times = 248-264-288-316-348-372 treble crochets. The piece now measures approx. 17-17-19-19-21-21 cm.

On the next row, work as follows: 35-38-42-47-53-57 treble crochets (= half the back piece), 8 chain stitches (armhole), skip 54-56-60-64-68-72 treble crochets from the previous row (will later be used for the sleeve), 70-76-84-94-106-114 treble crochets **AT THE SAME TIME** increase 1-1-3-1-1-3 treble crochet/s evenly within these stitches (front piece), 8 chain stitches (armhole), skip 54-56-60-64-68-72 treble crochets from the previous row (will later be used for the sleeve) and 35-38-42-47-53-57 treble crochets (= half the back piece) = 157-169-187-205-229-247 treble crochets/chain stitches. The piece is now worked in the round without turning.

CROCHET INFO:

For when the piece is worked back and forth.

On every row with treble crochets, the first treble crochet is replaced by 3 chain stitches.

INCREASE TIP:

Increase 1 treble crochet by working 2 treble crochets in 1 treble crochet/double crochet.

DECREASE TIP:

Work 1 treble crochet, but wait with the last yarn over and pull through, then work the next treble crochet and pull the last yarn over through all 3 loops on the hook – you have now decreased 1 treble crochet.

BODY:

Continue by working the first 2 rounds in A.x (A.1/A.2) as follows – see A.6 for how the rounds start and finish: A.1 in total 25-27-30-33-37-40 times in width, finish with A.2. Work the 3rd round in A.x (= round of treble crochet) and increase 18 treble crochets evenly along the round = 175-187-205-223-247-265 treble crochets. Then work the first 3 rounds in A.y, but A.1 is now worked 28-30-33-36-40-43 times in width. Work the 4th round in A.y (= round of treble crochet) and increase 18 treble crochets evenly along the round = 193-205-223-241-265-283 treble crochets.

Now work the first 2 rounds in A.z. Then repeat the next 2 rounds in A.z until the piece measures approx. 25-28-30-30-33-33 cm – adjust after the last of the 2 rounds. Then work the 2 last rounds in A.z – **AT THE SAME TIME** on the last round (= round of treble crochet) increase 6 treble crochets evenly along the round = 199-211-229-247-271-289 treble crochets. Then work the first 3 rounds in A.y, but A.1 is now worked 32-34-37-40-44-47 times in width. Work the 4th round in A.y (= round of treble crochet) and increase 6-6-12-6-6-12 treble crochets evenly along the round = 205-217-241-253-277-301 treble crochets.

Continue by working the next 5 rounds as follows: A.3, A.4 in total 16-17-19-20-22-24 times in width, finish with A.5. Then work A.y as follows: A.1 in total 33-35-39-41-45-49 times in width, finish with A.2. Then work the last round in A.3-A.5 as follows: A.3, A.4 in total 16-17-19-20-22-24 times in width, finish with A.5. Cut and fasten the strand.

SLEEVE:**THE PIECE IS NOW MEASURED FROM HERE!**

The sleeve is worked in the round top down - see A.6 for how the rounds start and finish. Start to work mid under the sleeve as follows: Work 1 double crochet in the 5th chain stitch of the 8 chain stitches worked in the armhole of the body. Work 3 chain stitches (= 1 treble crochet). Continue to work 1 treble crochet in each of the next 3 chain stitches. Then work 1 treble crochet in each treble crochet over the sleeve **AT THE SAME TIME** decrease 1-3-1-5-3-1 treble crochets/s evenly within these stitches – **READ DECREASE TIP**, before working 1 treble crochet in each of the 4 remaining chain stitches under the sleeve = 61-61-67-67-73-79 treble crochets.

Continue by working the first 2 rounds in A.x as follows: A.1 in total 9-9-10-10-11-12 times in width, finish with A.2. Work the 3rd round in A.x (= treble crochet round) and decrease 6 treble crochets evenly along the round = 55-55-61-61-67-73 treble crochets.

Then work A.y 1 time in height, but A.1 is now worked 8-8-9-9-10-11 times in width.

Now work the first 2 rounds in A.z (A.1/A.2). Then repeat the next 2 rounds in A.z until the piece measures approx. 25-25-25-25-25-25 cm – adjust after the last of these 2 rounds. Then work the last 2 rounds in A.z – **AT THE SAME TIME** on the last round, (= treble crochet round) decrease 6-6-6-6-6-6 treble crochets evenly along the round = 49-49-

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55-55-61-67 treble crochets. Then work A.y, but A.1 is now worked 7-7-8-8-9-10 times in width. Then work the last round in A.3 and A.5 as follows: A.3 in total 7-7-8-8-9-10 times in width, finish with A.5. Cut and fasten the strand. The sleeve measures approx. 33-33-33-33-33-33 cm. Work the other sleeve in the same way.

NECKLINE:

Work a border along the neckline, use hook size 4 mm and Cotton Merino. Start mid back from the right side, work trebles in the chain stitches with trebles in them (i.e. do not work in the chain stitches that were shipped) = 124-124-132-136-140-148 treble crochets - AT THE SAMETIME decrease 27-27-29-33-31-33 treble crochets evenly along these treble crochets = 97-97-103-103-109-115 treble crochets. Then work the last round in A.3 and A.5 as follows: Work A.3 in total 15-15-16-16-17-18 times in width, finish with A.5. Cut and fasten the strand.

DIAGRAMS:

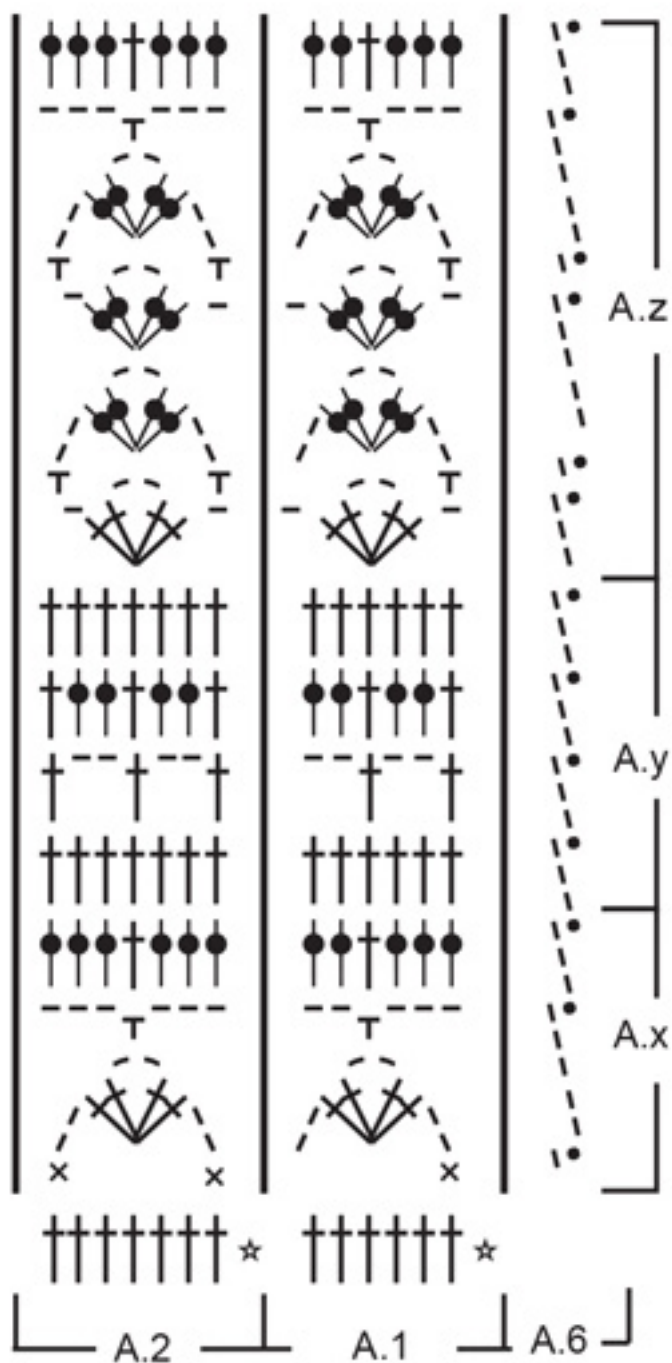
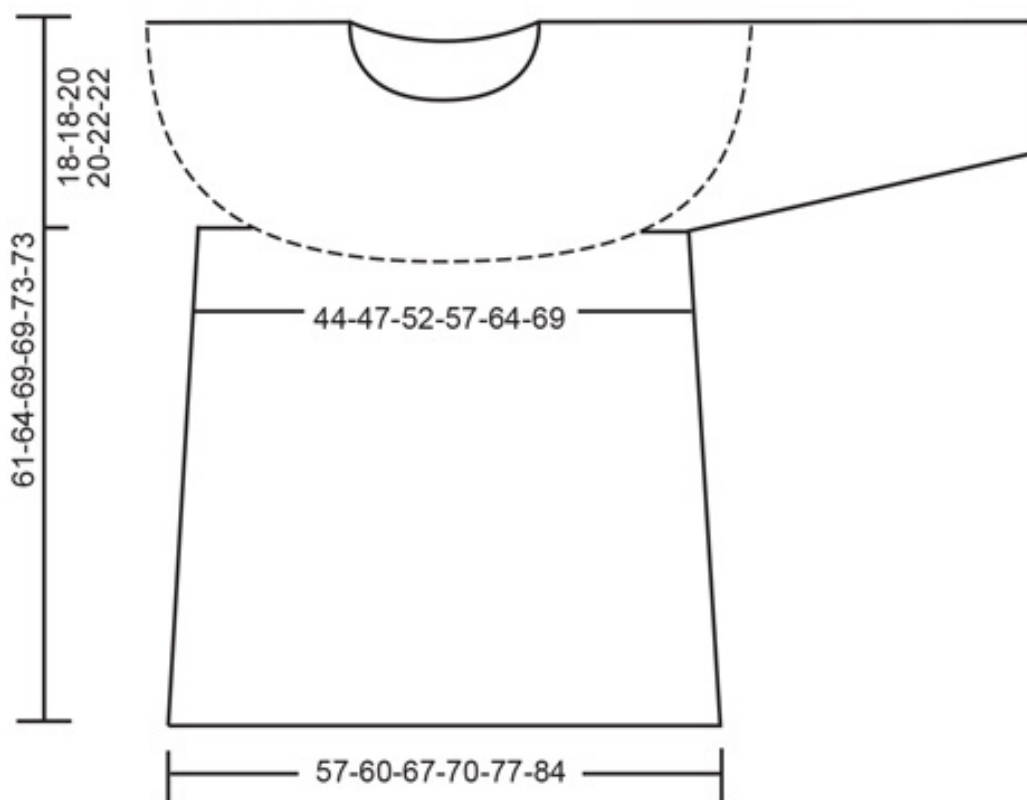
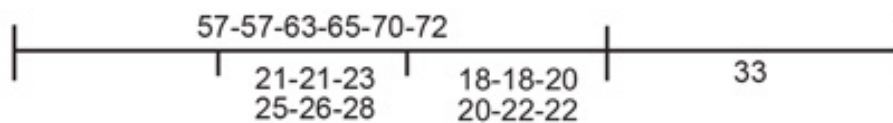
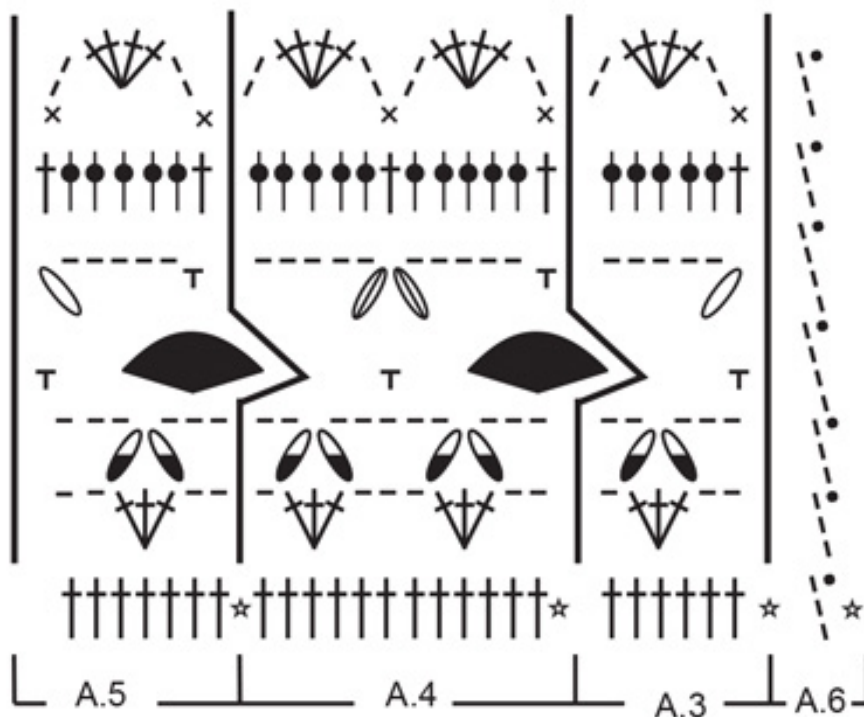


DIAGRAM EXPLANATIONS:

- = slip stitch
- - = chain stitch
- × = double crochet in stitch
- T = double crochet around the chain-space
- † = treble crochet in stitch
- ‡ = treble crochet around the chain stitch/chain-space
- ☞ = work 1 double treble crochet around the first chain-space, but wait with the last yarn over and pull through, work 1 double treble crochet around the next chain-space and pull the last yarn over through all 3 loops on the hook
- ☛ = around the chain-space work as follows: Work 1 triple treble crochet, 4 double treble crochets, 5 chain stitches, 4 double treble crochets and 1 triple treble crochet
- ☞☞ = work 1 double treble crochet in each of the first 3 double treble crochets, but wait with the last yarn over and pull through on all 3 double treble crochets, skip the next 5 stitches, work 1 double treble crochet in each of the next 2 double treble crochets, but wait with the last yarn over and pull through on both of these double treble crochets, work 1 double treble crochet in the next double treble crochet and pull the last yarn over through all 7 loops on the hook
- = work in the 3 double treble crochets innermost towards the chain-space as follows: work 1 double treble crochet in each of the first 2 double treble crochets, but wait with the last yarn over and pull through on both of these double treble crochets, work 1 double treble crochet in the next double treble crochet and pull the last yarn over through all 4 loops on the hook
- ★ = row/round is already worked, start on the next row/round

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