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INTRODUCTION

When we think of winter in our homeland of Sweden there are some immediate associations that come to mind. As the seasons change from cool, crisp autumn to the cold and dark of winter, Scandinavians are particularly good at easing this transition with clothing, interiors and food that bring warmth and light. We wanted to share some of these wonderful traditions, designs and activities with you – but of course with the signature modern twist that we at MillaMia bring to all things knitted.

In this book you will find a mix of knitting projects to see you through the winter season. Indulge in kitting yourself out for the first fall of snow, make clothes that the kids can wear for the festive season and create interior projects that will bring warmth both literally and visually. You will also find that we have added a couple of 'bonus' projects – sharing a couple of our favourite festive recipes along with some wonderful paper projects that are perfect for any yarn enthusiast.

SNOW STORM COWL

SKILL LEVEL BEGINNER / IMPROVING



SIZES / MEASUREMENTS

One size measuring 64cm/25¼in around by 22cm/8¾in high.

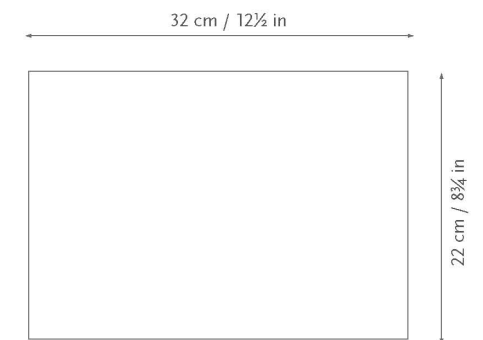
MATERIALS

Four 50g/1¾oz balls of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Forget me not (120) (M).
One ball of Snow (124) (C).
Pair of 3.25mm (US 3) knitting needles.

TENSION / GAUGE

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

ALTERNATIVE COLOURWAYS





LINDGREN MITTENS

SKILL LEVEL IMPROVING

SIZES

To fit age 1–2 2–3 3–4 years

MATERIALS

Heart mittens

One 50g/1¾oz ball of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Scarlet (140) (M).
One ball of Snow (124) (C).

Snowflake mittens

One 50g/1¾oz ball of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Seaside (161) (M).
One ball of Snow (124) (C).

Stripe garter stitch mittens

One 50g/1¾oz ball of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in each of
Forget me not (120) (M) and Putty Grey (121) (C).

Plain garter stitch mittens

One 50g/1¾oz ball of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Berry (163).

All versions

Pair of 3.25mm (US 3) knitting needles.
Set of 3.25mm (US 3) double pointed needles.

TENSION / GAUGE

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using
3.25mm (US 3) needles.

25 sts and 50 rows to 10cm/4in square over g-st using
3.25mm (US 3) needles.

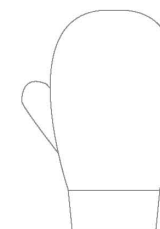
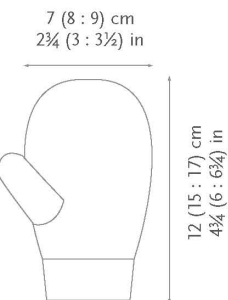
HINTS AND TIPS

These are a great gift for any little ones in your family. The blunt, loose shape makes them nice and easy to slip on and the i-cord helps stop them from dropping off. Note that the thumbs on these sweet mittens are in stocking stitch for all versions.

ABBREVIATIONS

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ALTERNATIVE COLOURWAYS



DANIEL CARDIGAN

SKILL LEVEL EXPERIENCED

SIZES / MEASUREMENTS

To fit bust/chest	87–92	97–102	107–112	117–122	cm
	34–36	38–40	42–44	46–48	in

ACTUAL MEASUREMENTS

Bust/chest	96	106	116	125	cm
	38	41¾	45¾	49	in
Length to shoulder	65	67	69	71	cm
	25½	26½	27¼	28	in

Sleeve length (woman’s version) 46cm/18in for all sizes

Sleeve length (man’s version) 50cm/19¾in for all sizes

MATERIALS

15(17:19:21) 50g/1¾oz balls of MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino in Midnight (101) (M).
Two balls of Snow (124) (C).
Pair each of 3mm (US 2) and 3.25mm (US 3) knitting needles.
8 buttons approx 12mm/½in in diameter.

TENSION / GAUGE

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 3.25mm(US 3) needles.

HINTS AND TIPS

Wear as a relaxed-fit, boyfriend-style cardigan for women and as an on-trend Fair Isle piece for men.

ABBREVIATIONS

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ALTERNATIVE COLOURWAYS

Storm Midnight
102

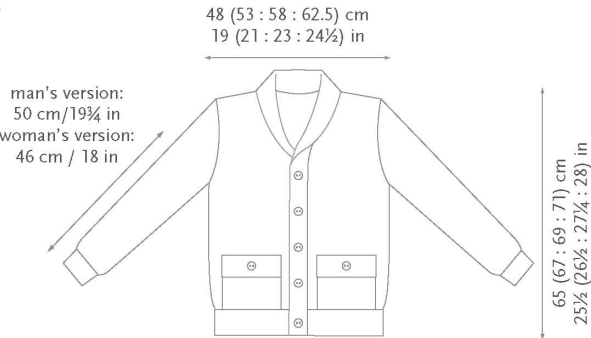
101

Putty Grey
121

Snow
124

Claret
104

Storm
102



A BOYFRIEND CARDIGAN

CAN SOMETIMES BE WORN BY THE BOYFRIEND, TOO!

MINI CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

SKILL LEVEL IMPROVING

SIZES / MEASUREMENTS

Approx 11cm/4¼in long by 7cm/2¾in wide at the top.

MATERIALS

One 50g/1¾oz ball of MillaMia Naturally Soft merino in each of Snow (124) (M) and Scarlet (140) (C).
Pair each of 2.75mm (US 2) and 3.25mm (US 3) knitting needles.

TENSION / GAUGE

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm/4in square over st st using 3.25mm (US 3) needles.

HINTS AND TIPS

These five little stockings are small enough to be used as tree decorations yet still stylish enough to be hung on their own on a mantelpiece or similar. Experiment with modern colour combinations to tone these to your own design scheme for Christmas. These stockings are knitted flat and then seamed to finish.

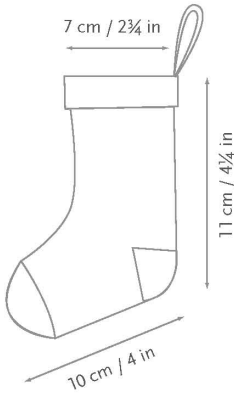
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ALTERNATIVE COLOURWAYS

Putty Grey 121Storm 102Moss 103Snow 124

Midnight Fuchsia 101Fawn 160Snow 124



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