



Morran Mittens

Needle size 2,5 mm

Yarn: Hjertegarn, superwash (brown yarn: kauni-leftover). (Recommended needle-size for this yarn 3,5-4 mm, so knitted on 2,5 these mittens become thick and warm - suitable for nordic winters).

Cuff:

Start with brown yarn and cast on 60 sts. Then knit 2 sts and purl 2 sts for 4 rounds, change color and go on with blue yarn k2, p2 for 24 rounds.

Hand:

End of purl - from now on plain knit. Make 2 new sts on this first round as shown in the chart. Knit 10 more rounds, then start color-pattern. I suggest you knit Morran (the dog) white and then - after finishing the mitten - embroider the brown sts. During the two-color knit, cross the threads on the back for every 4-5 sts to avoid long loops inside the mitten.

Starting thumb:

On the 15th round start the thumb by making 2 new sts - repeating this at every 2nd round to increase the mitten (as shown) for the next 10 rounds.

On round 25 put aside the 13 sts on a safety pin or some scrap yarn. Make three new sts and continue knitting - now with the same number of sts as before the thumb. (Finishing thumb later).

Top:

After the hands 50th round (or when you reach the top of your littlefinger) make arrangements to finish the mitten by decreasing number of sts as shown. When you have about 6 sts left, break the yarn and draw the thread through these stitches, pull tight.

Finishing thumb:

Put back the 13 sts on a needle or two, pick up 9 more sts around the rest of "thumb-hole" = 22 sts. Knit 2 or 3 rounds, then change color and continue with brown yarn. Knit approximately 12 rounds. Finally decreasing number of sts by knitting every two sts together, knit one row, then again knitting every two sts together, break the yarn and draw the thread through these last sts, pull tight.

Weave in ends. Embroider brown details onto Morran.

Morran Mittens Left hand

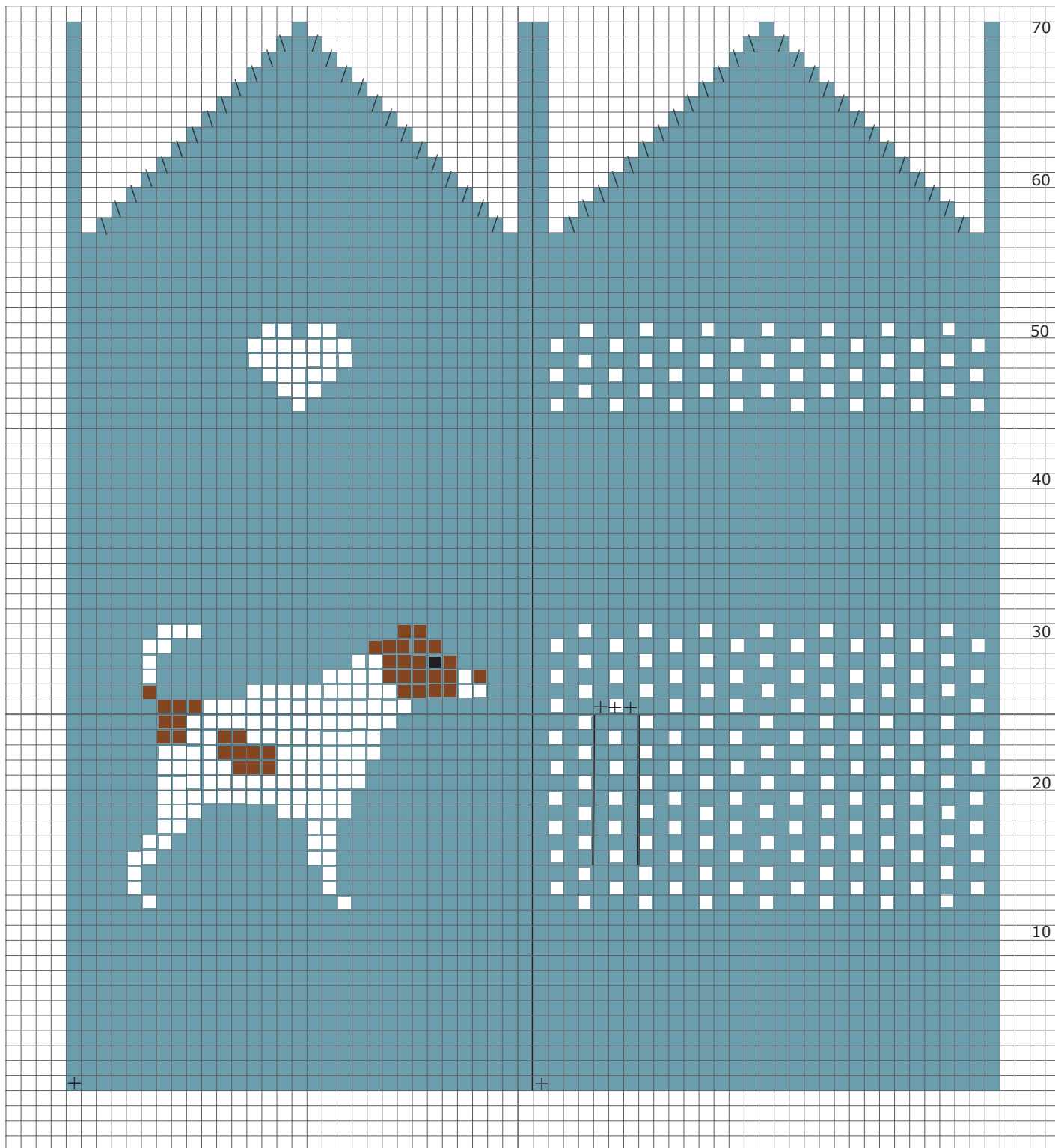
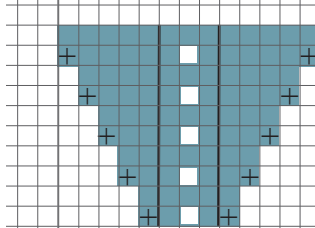


Chart showing **hand** and **starting thumb** (**cuff** and **finishing thumb** described in the text only).

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Morran Mittens Right hand

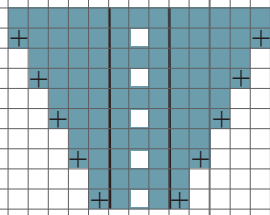
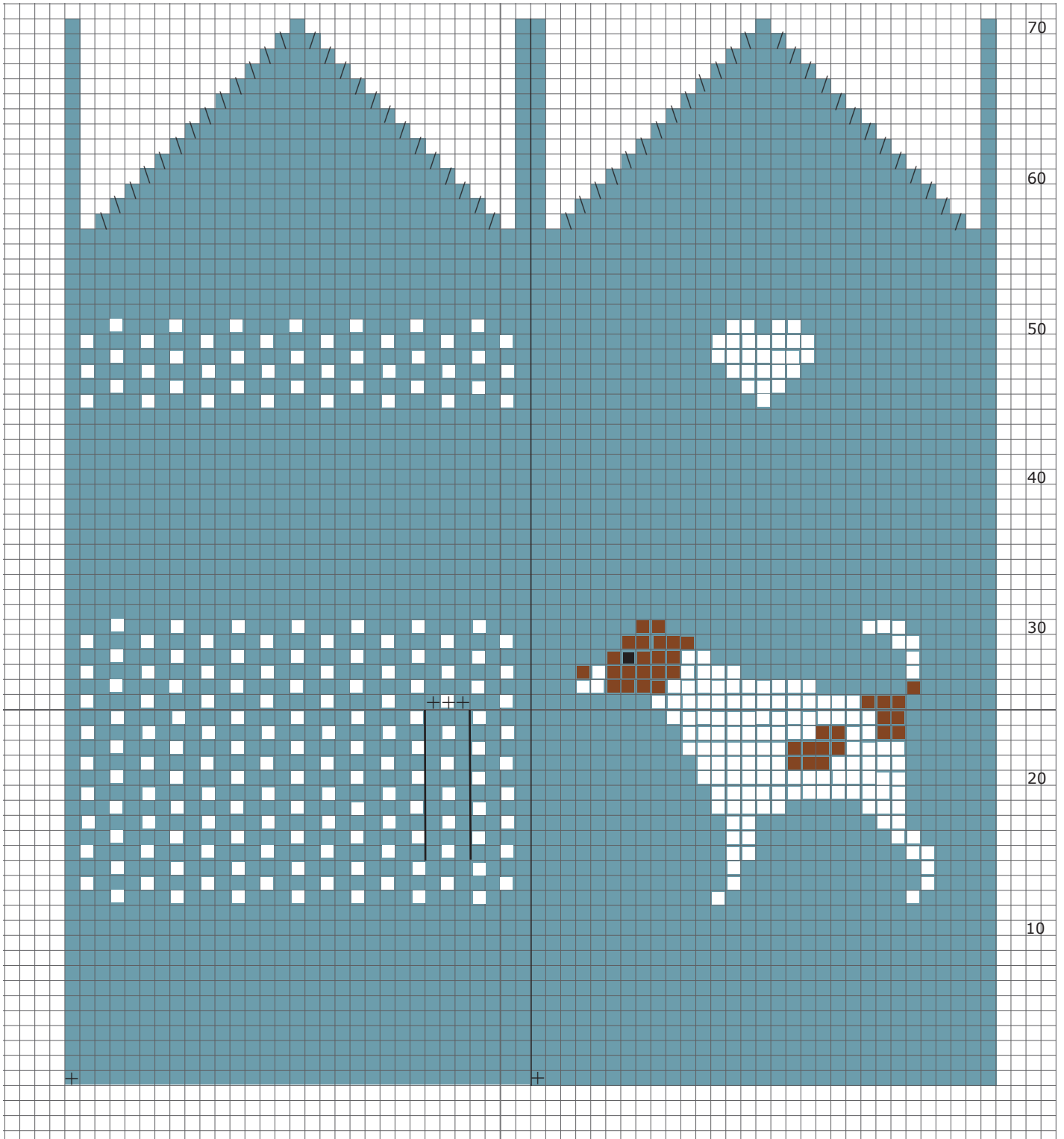


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