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• ACCESSORY				
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(YARN TENSION UNIT)	A - R			
CAST-ON COMB		a		
STITCH MEASURE SCALE Used with the knit leader (option)				
CROCHET HOOK	TAPEST	RYNEEDLE	CLAW V	VEIGHT (6 pcs)
LATCHET TOOL	SPARE	NEEDLE		0
TRANSFER TOOL		ON THREAD		RUSH
	TABLE	CLAMP	OIL	
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OPERATION PANEL





SETTING-UP THE KNITTING MACHINE





REPLACING YOUR MACHINE INTO THE CARRYING CASE



- 12 Loosen the knobs and remove the sinker plate assembly from the K carriage.
- (13) Put the sinker plate assembly in the case and fix it by the spring.





- 14 Fix the wheel brushes.

(15) Insert the carriage lock in the hole at the left of the machine and lock the carriage. Then fold down the carriage handle.

- Remove the table clamps and put them in the accessory box with the other parts.
- (17) Close the lid of the accessory box.





18 Hold the upper case and close it. Then lock the two catches on either side of the handle.



Do not store your machine in the following conditions. • In direct or strong sunlight. • Close to a hot object such as a heater. • In humid or dusty places.

BEFORE STARTING TO KNIT



Use the cam buttons according to the pattern you want.



Do not operate the K carriage if you have depressed both middle buttons (upper & lower) plus either the tuck button, or the part buttons.

CHANGE KNOB



The cam buttons are automatically released when you set the change knob to N.

TENSION DIAL

This dial is graduated from 0 to 10, each space being subdivided into three parts.

The size of stitch is adjusted by the tension setting on the carriage tension dial. Odenotes the tightest tension (i.e. the smallest stitch) and 10 is the loosest tension (i.e. the largest stitch).

Adjust the dial according to the thickness of the yarn.



YARN	RECOMMENDED TENSION DIAL SETTING
Thick yarn	0-4
Chunky yarn	4-8
Very chunky yarn	8-10
* Very chunky yarn	4-7

As there are so many different types of yarn, it is impossible for us to tell you which tension dial number you should use. You must decide for yourself which is correct for your yarn by working sample swatches. Use the information above as a rough guide only.

 For very chunky yarns, you may use every other needle for easy carriage operation.



NEEDLE POSITIONS -

On both sides of the needle bed there are the letters A, B, D, and E. A -- Non-working position

- B -- Working position. Used for general knitting purposes.
- D -- Upper working position. Selected needles are brought to this position in pattern knitting by the K carriage.
- E -- Holding position. Used for shaping e.g. necklines, shoulders, darts.
- When you pack your machine away, always return the needles to A position.





CLAW WEIGHT -

These are used to help your knitting hang properly and to prevent it from lifting up while you work.

 Hang claw weights onto your cast-on comb so that your knitting hangs evenly.



 If the edges of your knitting do not lie smoothly, hang claw weights on both edges of the actual knitting.



Rehang the weights every 20 rows or so.

ROW COUNTER -

The row counter shows the number of rows that have been knitted with the K carriage. When you want to set the number back to 000 again, turn the knobs in the direction of the arrows.



 When using the row counter, do not forget to set the right side tripper into working position.

working position



END NEEDLE SELECTION MECHANISM OF THE K CARRIAGE

Set the end needle selection of the K carriage to ON or OFF. Each setting works on the end needle as follows:

· This mechanism works only when the change knob is set to KC.



HOW TO OPERATE YOUR KNITTING MACHINE

STOCKING STITCH (Plain Knitting)

Stocking stitch is the most basic and simplest stitch in machine knitting. Practice this until you can do it correctly.

1. THREADING THE YARN



See page 97 to prepare the yarn.



Pass the yarn from the ball through the rear yarn guide sliding the yarn through the eyelet.



5 Varn clip

Clip the yarn under the yarn clip.



Pass the yarn under the pin and between the two discs from behind. Hold the yarn as shown above, and pull it towards you so that the yarn goes under the pin.



Thread the yarn into the eyelet of the take-up spring.



When you start knitting, set the wax from the accessory box on the wax stand.

The wax will help the yarn to slide more smoothly.

• Set the arrow mark according to the thickness of the yarn.





2. HOW TO CAST ON WITH A FINISHED EDGE



Set the K carriage as shown above.



Move the K carriage across the needle bed a few times to align the needles, ending with the K carriage on the right.



Using the flat side of the 1/1 needle pusher, bring forward needles to B position (the same number of needles on either side of the center mark 0).



Open yarn feeder A by pushing the yarn feeder lever to the left.



Take the yarn from the yarn clip and thread it into yarn feeder A.



Still holding the yarn end gently, slowly move the K carriage to the left. Once you feel the needles catch the yarn, you can release the yarn end.



Keeping hold of the end of the yarn with your hand, close the yarn feeder lever.



Adjust the end needle to B position.



Take the cast-on comb out of the case and choose the length according to the number of needles (see page 11).
 Hold the cast-on comb as shown with the hooks facing the machine.



Hook the cast-on comb over the loops and let it hang down. Give the comb a gentle pull downwards.



Keeping the comb horizontal, hang on the claw weight.



Pull the yarn through the hook towards you as illustrated.



Hook the loose yarn end under the yarn clip on the front of the connecting plate.



Move the K carriage to the right, holding the yarn as shown so that no loops are formed.



3. STOCKING STITCH



Continue moving the K carriage back and forth. This type of knitting is called "stocking stitch".

Rubber Wheels

Use these if the yarn (e.g. cotton, acrylic) doesn't knit properly



- These are set in working position as follows:
- (1) Remove the sinker plate assembly from the K carriage, and turn it over.

(2) Place your thumb onto one of the rubber wheels and slide the wheel forward.

- Do the same for the other rubber wheel.
- Reverse the above action to return the rubber wheels to non-working position.

Plain & purl sides of your knitting

• You can use whichever side you prefer as the right (face) side when you sew up your garment.





4. HOW TO REMOVE YOUR KNITTING FROM THE MACHINE



Remove the claw weights and take the yarn out of yarn feeder A.



To release the knitting, move the empty K carriage slowly, at the same time supporting the knitting with your other hand.



Secure the yarn by hooking it into the slot at the edge of your machine.



As the knitting has not been finished off and the stitches are open loops, it will unravel easily.

PROGRAM

HOW TO PROGRAM

WHAT IS A PROGRAM?

 PROGRAM means telling the computer what functions you want the knitting machine to perform. Built into the computer memory are 288 different stitch pattern designs, so in order to knit one of them, you must tell the computer.

Should you want to design your own stitch pattern, you must store this in the memory of the computer. (You can also delete this information when it is no longer needed). Take time to learn the functions of the computer and you will enjoy your kintting machine to the full.

PATTERN PROGRAM

When you want the machine to knit a particular stitch pattern, you must enter this information by using the Pattern Program.



This is used to know where to change colour of yarn, etc.

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PROGRAM
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When you want to enter your own stitch pattern design, use the INPUT Key. (You can also delete it).

CHECK PROGRAM	
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Use the CHECK Program to ensure you have entered all the information correctly.



PATTERN PROGRAM

HOW TO SELECT THE PATTERN

You will have, with your machine the special pattern book. This pattern book shows in full colour the 288 beautiful stitch pattern designs which are built into the memory of the computer. Choose your design and enter the number into the computer.

Let's say for example you would like to knit the "CLOVER" stitch pattern design.

You should simply enter 77.

You may want to knit this fairisle design in more than two colours.

Should this be the case, refer to the back section of the pattern book. Where all the designs are clearly shown by graph, giving width and length of one pattern repeat, and showing where the yarn changes appear.

 If you want to knit your own stitch pattern design, you must learn "HOW TO STORE YOUR OWN PATTERNS" (see page 50).

SELECTORS

There are two "SELECTOR" on the panel. You have to decide which one you want to use.

SELECTOR I



SELECTOR II

A number of pattern repeats specifically positioned. (Refer to page 25.)









stitches, the center needle is automatically placed on G1.



The program for all over patterning is completed when you have entered the pattern number and the position of the left end needle for one stitch pattern repeat.

HOW TO PROGRAM (PATTERN PROGRAM)



Before entering your program

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(1)Switch on the power. INDICATION OF THE OPERATION PANEL 0 0 STITCH 0 0 READY N/O 90 0 0 0 O PATTERN NO P READY 0 C ROW Start to enter your program when this O QUANTITY 00 SAVE D ON/OFF 0 C **O** POSITION lamp is lit. 0 0 XEC 0 0 O *** MEMO When the power is turned on, the ready lamp lights up. Any information displayed on the panel relates to before the power was turned off. 2 Ensure that all the variation lamps are out. CHEC 0 0 11100 VARIATION 0 ** 0 * Ň 0 0 0 * OX OK (Should any of the variation lamp be lit, they can be turned off by pushing them.

PATTERN PROGRAM



 The following example uses stitch design, 77 from the pattern book.





If you want to return to the beginning of a program, turn off the power. When the power is switched on again the ready
lamp is lit and you may start at the beginning again.



ALL OVER PATTERNING USE SELECTOR I (Pattern B)



The pattern repeat does not have to be over the center of the needle bed. You can change its position and move it to either the right or the left.

PATTERN POSITION



Needles to the left of the needle bed are represented by yellow (Y) and to the right by green (G).

When the yellow and green lamps are flashing, you should first push either the yellow key or the green key (yellow if you want a yellow (left) needle number or green if you want a green (right) needle number). Then enter the needle number.



The program for all over patterning is completed when you have entered the pattern number and the position of the left end needle for one stitch pattern repeat.

HOW TO PROGRAM (PATTERN PROGRAM)

Example) Change the pattern position to yellow 15 from yellow 10.



Before entering your program



PATTERN PROGRAM



INDICATION OF THE OPERATION PANEL

 For all over patterning, you should push selector I.



- If you want to check what has been programmed in, you can do so by repeatedly pressing the step key. The program will be displayed step by step in the order in which you entered it. (See page 33.)
- To knit the pattern see page 65.



MULTIPLE PATTERN MOTIF

What are "Multiple Pattern Motifs"?



- Using Selector II you can have various combinations of single and multiple pattern repeat motifs.
- Enter the number of pattern and the pattern position for each motif.



• The motifs are numbered according to the order in which you enter them, i.e. first, second, third, etc.

PATTERN PROGRAM

Selector II is used for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 pattern motifs.



The program for multiple pattern motifs is completed when you have entered the pattern number, the number of pattern repeats in each motif and the position of the motifs.



MOTIFS - ONE PATTERN REPEAT AS A SINGLE MOTIF <USE SELECTOR II>

Motif with single pattern repeat



Pattern Position

10

20 stitches

Original pattern position (yellow 10) which was placed

automatically by the computer



needle bed.

Ex.

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The following example uses stitch pattern 77 from the pattern . book.





The programming of both the above patterns is identical, so proceed as follows:

Before entering your program

(1)Switch on the power. When the power is turned on, the ready lamp lights up. Any information displayed on the panel relates to before the power was turned off.

Ensure that all the variation lamps are out.

Should any of the variation lamps be lit, they can be turned off by pushing them.

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PATTERN PROGRAM







MOTIFS-TWO PATTERN REPEATS AS MOTIF 1 AND ONE PATTERN REPEAT AS MOTIF 2

<USE SELECTOR II>

Motif with multiple pattern repeats



Ensure that all the variation lamps are out.



INDICATION OF THE OPERATION PANEL

Before entering your program

Switch on the power.

off by pushing them.

the power was turned off.

(1)

(2)

1234567890 When the power is turned on the ready lamp lights up. CHECK INPUT MEMO Any information displayed on the panel relates to before 00 0 С 1110 VARIATION O × ONN Should any of the variation lamps be lit, then can be turned 0% 0 Ň 0 % OX OKRC (

PATTERN PROGRAM



-Pattern position for the 1st motif uuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuuu Enter the number of pattern repeats in the first 2 patterns STEP 3 motif. 0 0 (1)0 0 Push the step key. STITCH O READY ON/OF 00 LOAD O PATTERN NO QUANTITY 0 o C ROW OO OUANTITY STEP SAVE O POSITION 0 0 0 П XEC 1 *** MEMO SELECTOR This indicates that you are programming the When the quantity lamp is lit, the computer first motif. wants to know how many pattern repeats there are in the first motif. 0 0 Enter 2. 0 0 STITCH O READY ON/OF QUANTITY 00 LOAD O PATTERN NO 0 0 C ROW O QUANTITY 00 SAVE POSITION 1 0 O 0 Pattern repeats entered by you 0 11 1 XEC *** This indicates that you SELECTOR MEMO are programming the first motif. Enter the pattern position for first motif. STEP 4 Needles to the left of the needle bed are referred to as yellow (Y). 6 0 0 0 0 STITCH O READY Push the step key. DN/OF 00 O PATTERN NO 0 P POSITION ROW O QUANTITY 00 STEP SAVE POSITION 00 0 1 Needle number п 1 EXEC O N 14 14 MEMO SELECTOR This indicates that you The position lamp is lit. The yellow lamp and are programming the display indicate that yellow 20 (Y20) will be the first motif left end needle for the first motif. (Pattern will be centered over 0 on the needle bed.) The computer automatically sets the 2 Push the CE key to clear 0 0 STITCH O READY pattern position for the 1st motif so N/OF 00 the display and enter yel-LOAD ۲ O PATTERN NO that it is centered. 00 ROW OO low 35 (Y35) as the new O QUANTITY You can move this motif to one side SAVE left end needle position. POSITION 0 by changing the pattern position C 00 CE yellow when the position lamp is lit. 11 1 XEC) (**** SELECTOR MEMO Pattern position for 2nd motif <green 20> LUUUUUUUU LULUULUUUUUUUUUU Enter the number of pattern repeats in the second **STEP 5** motif. D 0 Push the step key. 0 STITCH O READY ON/OF 1 0 O 10 O PATTERN NO ____ 0 C 0 ROW 1 pattern O QUANTITY-0 0 STEP 00 SAVE O POSITION 00 0 QUANTITY 11 EXEC N 14 14 SELECTOR MEMO 2 When the quantity lamp is lit, the computer This indicates that you wants to know how many pattern repeats are programming the there are in the second motif. second motif.



The program will be displayed step by step in the order in which you entered it. (See page 33.)

HOW TO CHECK AND CORRECT YOUR PATTERN PROGRAM

If you repeatedly push the step key, the program is displayed step by step in the order in which you entered it. In this way you can check and correct your program.

h If there is no pattern programmed into the computer, you cannot proceed on to the next stage even if you push the step key.



 When you are correcting the pattern number or entering the same pattern number again, the position of the pattern repeat is automatically placed over the center of the needle bed.

INDICATION OF THE OPERATION PANEL

When you correct the pattern number with the selector at I, the number is also corrected on selector II and the program erased automatically from the computer.

Even if you decide to alter memo information for patterns from the pattern book, it will appear again in its original form when you correct the pattern number or enter that number again.

 When you are correcting the pattern number or entering the same pattern number again, the row number in the display goes back to the first row of the pattern.

- When you correct the pattern number or enter the same pattern number again, the program previously entered for selector II is erased from the computer.
 - At the same time, the pattern number is also corrected on selector I and the position of the pattern repeat is automatically placed over the center of the needle bed.

Even if you decide to alter memo information for patterns from the pattern book, it will appear again in its original form when you correct the pattern number or enter that number again.


 When you are correcting the number of patterns for the 1st motif, the pattern position (first end needle) will automatically place the 1st motif over the center of the needle bed.

The display will show the new pattern position.

The pattern position of motifs 2 to 6 will not change even if you correct the number of patterns.

- Push the step key and go on to the pattern position for the motif for which you have just entered the new number of patterns.
- When you are correcting the pattern number or entering the same pattern number again, the row number in the display goes back to the first row of the pattern.

HOW TO USE THE VARIATION KEYS



- You can have fun making lots of different pattern combinations with the variation keys.
- They are set when the ready lamp is lit.
- The variation lamp will be lit when the key is operative. The pattern is then varied according to whichever keys you have pushed. •





Pattern using selector I

. When using the pattern position which is placed automatically by the computer ...







When using a pattern position placed by yourself ...



Pattern using selector II.

When you use the mirror image key, the computer makes patterns alternately the "right" way and "reverse" way round, beginning from the right of the pattern position.





For 2 to 6 motifs, the computer makes the patterns the same way as explained above.



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from the right of the pattern position.



The double width pattern is placed to the right of your selected position.

Pattern using selector II

The example uses 2 motifs.

When using the pattern position for the first motif which is placed automatically by the computer ...





This applies for all the motif patterns.





Pattern

- All the patterns shown in the KRC instruction manual are also memorised in the computer, so you should select the
 pattern you require from the pattern book. (The punchcards that come with the KRC are not used.)
- You can knit fairisle rib pattern using the pattern number of fairisle and single motif patterns built in the computer with KRC key on.

Pattern Program

- Push the KRC key and check the lamp is lit.
- You can use another variation key at the same time as the KRC key if you wish.
- You can use the KRC key to make single motifs in conjunction with selector II. (Please disregard the instruction on page 17 of the KRC instruction manual).

Pattern Knitting

- Refer to your KRC instruction manual and set up the ribber and KRC onto your machine.
- Refer to your KRC instruction manual and thread up main and contrast yarns.
 - Button 1 main yarn, 2/3/4 contrast yarns.
- Fit the knitting bar on the main bed.
- 4) Set the end needle selection mechanism to OFF (See page 12).
- Arrange the needles for full needle rib and knit 10 rows with the main yarn in full needle rib. Place the K carriage outside the lefthand turn mark.
- O Program the pattern.
- Set the change knob to KC.
 -) Move the K carriage across the needle bed from left to right using the main yarn, so that the needles have been selected.

- Set the K carriage and the KR carriage as shown in the illustration.
- Move the carriages to the left until you hear a "Click". Now push the changer button according to the number shown in the memo display.
- (1) Knit two rows.
- Continue knitting. When the carriages are at the lefthand side, push the changer button according to the number shown in the memo display.
- Push the changer button after you hear the "Click".
- For correction of mistake, refer to page 90.

HOW TO CHANGE A VARIATION KEY WHILE YOU ARE KNITTING IN PATTERN

The variation keys can be changed whenever you wish, even if you are in the middle of a pattern.

— How to change the reverse, double width, mirror image or negative keys.

	 Change the variation key one row before you want the pattern to be altered. Change the program in this way anywhere on the pattern to create differrent effects. 		
 Ex. Change the reverse key for each pattern as f This example was knitted using the pattern book fairisle pattern no. 18. 	VARIATION		
000 # 000 000 00 00 00 00 000 000 0000 0000 0000			
	(a) O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O		

How to knit.

(1) Program pattern (a) as follows:



Look at the diagram for the pattern in the pattern book, and make a note of the number of the row before that on which you want to change the pattern.



In our example, the pattern would be changed on row 1 (i.e. the first row of the next pattern repeat), so one row before the final pattern row would be row 32.

> You can use the memo display to memorize the row number for the change.
> Use the memo program to indicate the 32nd row in the memo display. (Refer to page 46.)

Knit pattern (a) in fairisle. You can continue knitting until the memorized number (Row 32) flashes on and off in the display.

A Now change the variation key (or the pattern program).



When you operate the K carriage for the next row, the needles are selected for the first row of pattern (b). Continue to knit until the memorized number (Row 32) flashes on and off again in the display.



Now change the variation key (or the pattern program) again.



When you operate the K carriage for the next row, the needles are selected for the first row of pattern (a).



LIST OF VARIATION KEYS

Use the appropri	1920 1 21 2	2	3	4	5	6	7
	REVERSE	MIRROR IMAGE	DOUBLE WIDTH	DOUBLE LENGTH	UPSIDE DOWN	NEGATIVE	KRC
FAIRISLE PATTERN	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TUCK STITCH PATTERN	0	Δ *1		Δ *2	0	Δ *3	_
SKIP STITCH PATTERN	0	0	0	0	0	Δ *3	
WEAVING PATTERN	0	Δ *4	Δ *4	0	0	0	
THREAD LACE PATTERN	0	Δ *5	Δ *5	0	0	_	_
PLATED TUCK STITCH PATTERN	0	Δ *1	_		0	Δ *3	
FAIRISLE RIB	0	0	0	0	0	0	Ο,

Ise the appropriate variation key to knit the patterns marked "O" in the columns below.

*1 — Don't use the mirror image key for a pattern which has more than 2 tuck stitches at the point where the patterns join. (See page 55 tuck stitch patterns).

*2 — Use the double length key according to the remarks on page 55 under tuck stitch patterns.

*3 — You knit tuck stitch, plated tuck stitch and skip stitch patterns from the pattern book without using the negative key.

*4 — Don't use the mirror image key or the double width key for patterns which have more than 4 selected needles at the point where the patterns join. (See page 55 under weaving pattern).

*5 — Don't use the mirror image key or the double width key for patterns which have more than 3 selected needles at the point where the patterns join. (See page 55 under thread lace pattern).

*6 — Always use the KRC key when you knit fairisle rib.

MEMO PROGRAM



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You can program the memo with information for pattern knitting, and this will be shown in the memo display while you knit.

- · You can also easily enter, delete and modify the memo information.
- Use the keys 1 9 and the yellow and green keys to enter this information.

- Memo information for the pattern in the pattern book that you have modified or deleted will revert back to their original form when you enter the same pattern number again.
- Memo information of your original pattern will remain until you modify or delete them.

HOW TO PROGRAM THE "MEMO PROGRAM".

)ENTERING THE MEMO INFORMATION

- You can enter extra information or modify the information already entered for a programmed pattern.
- Advance the row number in the display until you reach the row for which you want to enter or modify information. Do this by pushing either the up or down key, and then enter the new information.



 Program the pattern. (The following example is worked with the selector on I.)





MEMO INFORMATION THE PATTERNS IN THE PATTERN BOOK

- Please refer to the diagrams on the back pages of your pattern book.
- The memo information is shown on the left side of the diagrams and it also appears in the memo display.



FAIRISLE RIB

- For fairisle pattern the memo information is used as follows: —
- Memo information on odd numbered rows distinguishes between different coloured contrast yarns for two rows.
- Memo information on even numbered rows distinguishes between different coloured main yarns for two rows.

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Knit the first and 2nd rows	1			-		
with main yarn no. 2.	NG			+	- 1	61920
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Knit the first and 2nd rows	4					
with the contrast yarn no. 3.	2		E NX			+

- When there is no memo information on the pattern data: —
- Knit with only one main yarn and one contrast yarn.
- The number 1 in the memo display tells you to knit with the main yarn, and the number 2 tells you to knit with the contrast yarn.



- When the memo information is on the odd row only: —
 Knit with only one main yarn but several contrast yarns.
- The number 1 in the memo display tells you to knit with the main yarn, and the other numbers distinguish between the contrast yarns. memo row



- When the memo information is on both the odd numbered rows and even numbered rows —
- Knit with several main yarns and several contrast yarns.
- · The numbers in the memo display indicates which



HOW TO PROGRAM YOUR OWN PATTERNS



- You can enter and store your own switch patterns in the computer by using the input program.
- This facility allows you to both enter and delete patterns of your own design.



How large is the memory for your own patterns?

You can store a maximum of approx. 254,600 stitches (about 50 pages on the design sheet) or a maximum of 98 patterns.

This number varies according to the number of stitches (horizontal direction) of the pattern.

A pattern can be from 1 to 200 stitches. (But on the machine, only 112 (except yellow 57 and green 57) stitches can be knit.) The maximum number of rows available to you is calculated automatically by the computer when you enter the number of stitches you want for the pattern. You don't have to use all the rows indicated as available however. The computer will give each of your own patterns a number (from 901 — 998). You are advised to use this same number for your own reference, to avoid any confusion.

HOW TO PROGRAM (INPUT PROGRAM)



If the pattern has large area, it takes 3—4 seconds until the display changes for next step.



When the display shows the row number ...
 Push the stitch key. The display changes to show the stitch number.

(3) Enter the pattern data for the 3rd row.



- 1 Push the up key to advance the row number.
- Follow the indication on the display and enter the pattern data for the 3rd row with the and keys in the same way as you did for the first and 2nd rows, according to your drawing.





The order in whit	ch the pattern	n numbers appear	in the	input	program.
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The lowest vacant pattern number appears in the display.



GUIDELINES WHEN MAKING YOUR OWN PATTERNS When designing your own stitch patterns, please bear the following points in mind.

	STITCHES	ROWS
CONTRACTOR OF	You can't have two tuck stitches together.	 thick yarn Do not pull up the stitches more than 4 rows.
TUCK STITCH PATTERN MULT-COLOUR TUCK STITCH PATTERN		
Tuck Stitch Stocking Stitch		 chunky yarn Do not pull up the stitches more than 2 rows.
and and		
	You can't have two tuck stitches together.	You can only pull up the stitch one row.
PLATED TUCK STITCH PATTERN (Tuck Stitch)		
WEAVING PATTERN	Don't weave the yarn more than 3 stitches.	
THREAD LACE PATTERN	Don't select more than 2 needles to D position.	
Selected to D position	 thick yarn	ne row. ne row.
FAIRISLE RIB	 In order to use the KRC key, make the pattern in the pattern with even rows, and change the yarn on th 	e same way as for ordinary single bed fairisle. Make the ne even rows using the KRC.
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HOW TO CHECK THE PROGRAM FOR YOUR OWN PATTERNS CHECK You can check the pattern number, stitches, rows and pattern data for your own patterns stored in the computer. You can also change the pattern data. HOW TO CHECK YOUR PROGRAM HOW TO CHECK THE PATTERN NUMBERS YOU HAVE STORED IN THE COMPUTER. When you push the down key, the display shows the pattern numbers in order, beginning with the last one stored in the computer. 1 Ex. The example shown supposes you stored patterns in the following order. Last pattern number stored First pattern number stored -905 > 903 --> 902 -> 901 When the ready lamp is lit, push the check key. (The ready lamp goes off.) 0 0 STITCI CHECK PATTERN NO Last pattern number stored. (Lamp lit) Push the down key 0 PATTERN NO 2nd from last pattern number stored. As you push the down key, the display shows the pattern numbers in the order they were entered, starting with the final number (e.g., 904-902-901-905). Push the check key after you have checked the pattern number. STI 00 CHECK READY 0 0 0 (Lamp off) The ready lamp is lit and the program check complete. The display and the memo display show the previous pattern program as it was before you began your program check at step ① CHECK THE PATTERN DATA YOU HAVE STORED IN THE COMPUTER (1) Check the pattern data with the data lamp. 4 8 9 0 (2) Check the pattern data with the buzzer..... (Ex. This example was knitted using pattern no.901. DESIGN You begin the same for both method 1 and method 2. rows 5 stitches -> When the ready lamp is lit, push the check key. (The ready lamp goes off.) CHECK PATTERN NO. (Lamp lit)

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The display shows the last pattern number. To display the pattern number you want to check, push the down key.



What to do when you find a mistake in the middle of a program.

- · Using the right or left key, move along the row so that the number is in the display. You can change the stitch programmed for the number with the or the key. Example: Change the pattern data for the 3rd stitch.
- (1)Push the right key to advance the number in the display to the 3rd stitch.



- 🜲 Even if you push the data key, the number in the display is not changed. Use the up, down, left and right keys to move around the pattern.
- The indication in the display is changed when you push the up, down, left or right keys. (Pattern data for the number indicated in the display can be changed with the) or



Method 2: How to check the pattern data using the buzzer.

Push the buzzer key and the buzzer will make a sound according to the pattern data for the row, from the number in the display to the end of the row.

- Sound of the buzzer
- ----- Pi! Pi! (2 short notes) -- Pee! (One long note) 5 stitches →
- How to check the pattern data. Push the buzzer key and you will hear the sound "Pi!". Then the buzzer will make sounds according to the pattern data.



(4)	How to check the first row. ① Push the step key.
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	from the first stitch of the first row.
	2 Push the buzzer key. The buzzer now makes a series of appropriate sounds to enable you to check the pattern data.
6	How to check the 2nd row.
	 Push the up key to advance the row number. O O
	The buzzer will make a sound according to the pattern data from the first stitch of the 2nd row.
	Push the buzzer key. The buzzer now makes a series of appropriate sounds to enable you to check the pattern data.
6	Continue checking the pattern data for the 3rd to 6th row by repeating the steps above.
Ø	When you have finished checking the data, push the check key.
	CHECK ROVU BBB READY
	The ready lamp is lit and the program check is completed.
*	The display and the memo display show the previous pattern program as it was before you began your program check at step ①.
F	What to do if you find a mistake in the middle of your program.
	① Push the buzzer key to stop the sound. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 STITCH O O 1 Check with the data lamps and your
	Image:
	Push the left key to move the indication in the display back to the stitch you want to change.
	(Exmaple: 3rd stitch)
	 You can now change the pattern data which is indicated in the display.
	Enter the correct pattern data for the 3rd stitch.
	• O Data lamp no.3 goes off.
	(You can change the 3rd stitch.) (You can change the 3rd stitch.) (You can change the appropriate sounds beginning with the stitch number in the display.
	Peel Peel Peel
	 You can change the indication in the display by pushing the up, down, right or left keys (see page 58).
	 Move the number in the display to the particular position you want to check, so that you need only check the pattern data for that part.
	 Push the buzzer key if you want to stop the sound of the buzzer.
	The program check can be finished at any time.
	① — While you are checking the pattern data with the buzzer, use the buzzer key to stop the sound.

O — To finish the program check, turn off the check key.

SPECIAL PROGRAM

How to begin knitting the pattern from row 1 when the display indicates another row number

Needle selection for the first row will be done by pushing the start key.



THE FUNCTION OF THE START KEY

When you push the start key, even if the display indicates any other row number in the pattern, it will change to row 1. Needle selection will also be according to the first row of your pattern.

HOW TO GET BACK TO ROW 1

When you want to begin a new piece of knitting, but haven't changed the pattern number, (e.g. if you are making the parts of a garment) the display will show the number for the row you last knitted in pattern. To get back to the first row of your pattern, push the start key and the number in the display will revert to 1.





How to knit

1 Program the pattern as follows and knit the 1st pattern.





HOW TO BEGIN KNITTING MIDWAY THROUGH A PATTERN

You don't always have to start your pattern on row 1. Advance the number in the display to the row where you want to begin by
pushing the up or down key.



How to program



Continue patterm knittign in the normal way.

What to do when using the double length key or KRC key.

The computer arranges the pattern data as follows, depending upon the setting of the variation key. The indication of the row number in the display is different when you use the double length or the KRC key.



 When neither the double length nor KRC key is in use; the row number in the dispaly changes every row.



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CARTRIDGE (OPTIONAL ACCESSORY)

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CAUTION ·

Do not insert or remove the cartridge to/from the slot with the power switch on.

- Do not touch the metal part of the bottom of the cartridge with the fingers or metal.
- Do not get the cartridge wet.
- Do not drop the cartridge or put something on it.
- Do not leave the cartridge in a hot or humid place.

MEMORY CAPACITY

Memory capacity of this cartridge is as big as that of the knitting machine memory.

SAVING AND LOADING

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This cartridge works with the pattern programming device and you can create

you can load it to the knitting machine time and time again.

SAVING AND LOADING

Turn off the power switch of the knitting machine.

Open the lid of the cartridge slot to the left of the operation panel. Insert the cartridge into the slot.

Turn on the power switch of the knitting machine.





When using the pattern programming device....

the pattern on the TV screen.

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PATTERN KNITTING

FAIRISLE PATTERN (SELECTOR I)

• <ex.> pattern no. 58



pattern knitting

Prepare two yarns (main yarn and contrast yarn).



Thread the main yarn into the right yarn tension unit (see mean page 13).



Set the end needle selection mechanism to ON (see page 12).



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Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark. Hang the claw weights evenly along the cast-on comb.



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PATTERN NO.

POSITION

Program your pattern (see page 19).



Thread the contrast yarn into the left yarn tension unit.



Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark.
You only need to operate the K carriage once across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



Set the change knob to KC.



The needles are selected. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



Push the upper MC button.



Holding the yarn end with your hand, move the K carriage from right to left.



Thread the contrast yarn into the yarn feeder B — there is no need to open the yarn feeder lever when you do so.



The number 2 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the second row of the pattern. Move the K carriage to the right and then to the left. You are now knitting in fairisle pattern.

Rehang the claw weight every 10 rows or so.

You can either continue:

Repeat steps 12 - 13.

Or finish pattern knitting ...



Set the change knob to N. The cam button will be released automatically.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Peel". Finish the row and knit one more row. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display. You have now knitted one complete pattern in length.

While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row. When you are using more than two different colour yarns, watch the number in the memo display and change yarns as it indicates.

If there are any rows where you use only the main yarn (i.e. no contrast colour). ... -

The end needles only will be selected to D position. When this happens, you should do the following:-

<ex.> pattern no. 77





1. Bring the end needles back to B position.



 Take the contrast yarn out of feeder B and hook it around the notch at the end of your machine. Then continue knitting with the main yarn only, bringing the end needles back to B position on each row.



 When the needles are selected across the row again for the pattern, rethread the contrast yarn into feeder B and knit the row, holding the contrast yarn as shown so that no loops form at the edges.

FAIRISLE PATTERN (SELECTOR II)

Let's knit one-point motif in fairisle.

<ex.> pattern no. 77.



Prepare sufficient balls of yarn according to the pattern data.





The stitches at the edges of one-point motif need to be bound in with the rest of the knitting, so that there are no holes. To do this, use length of stranded main yarn called "finishing yarn".

pattern knitting



Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit (see page 13).



Set the end needle selection mechanism to OFF (see page 12).



Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark. Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Program your pattern (see page 27).


Thread the contrast yarn into the left yarn tension unit, including the sub take-up spring.



Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark.
You only need to operate the K carriage once across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



Push the upper MC button.



Make sure the contrast yarn goes under the concavity in the sinker plate.



Set the change knob to KC.



The needles are selected. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



Thread the contrast yarn into yarn feeder B — there is no need to open the yarn feeder lever when you do so. Move the K carriage from right to left.



Fold a separate piece of finishing yarn in half, and place it over the needle adjacent to the last selected needle at the left.



Holding the end of the finishing yarn, move the K carriage to the right.



Wrap the finishing yarn around the hook of the needle adjacent to the first selected needle, and pull down gently at every row.



Take one end of the finishing yarn under the selected needles, and wrap it from right to left round the needle adjacent to the last selected needle on the right. (See illustration.) Holding the end of the finishing yarn, move the K carriage from right to left.



Continue knitting pulling the contrast yarn upwards slightly. Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.



When the yarn no. in the memo display changes, change the contrast yarn in the yarn tension unit and the yarn feeder B.



Set the change knob to N. The cam button will be automatically released. Take out the contrast yarn.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Pee!". If you are operating the K carriage from right to left when you hear the sound, finish that row and knit one more row. The number 1 flashes on and off in the display.

While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row.

TUCK STITCH PATTERN

<ex.> pattern no. 101



pattern knitting

(see page 13).



Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit



nto the Set the end needle selection in unit mechanism to ON (see page 12).





Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.

Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Program your pattern (see page 19).



Set the change knob to KC. Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark.

You only need to operate the K carriage across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



Remove the sinker plate assembly from the K carriage and turn it over. Put the rubber wheels into working position @ as shown. Attach the sinker plate assembly back on the K carriage again.



The needles are selected. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



Push both tuck buttons at the same time.



Remove the wheel brushes from the case.



Locate the small pin on the sinker plate into the hole of wheel brush, then tighten screw.

Fix the other brush on the right-hand side.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Pee!". If you are operating the K carriage from right to left when you hear the sound, finish the row and knit one more row.

Number 1 flashes on and off in the display. You have now knitted one complete pattern in length.

- You can either continue: Repeat steps ⁽¹⁾ — ⁽¹⁾.
- Or finish pattern knitting ...



③ Set the change knob to N. The cam buttons will be released automatically.



Place the rubber wheels in nonworking position.



Put the wheel brush (L) into the U-shaped slot on left of the sinker plate and insert the screw into hole on left of T mark.



Move the K carriage back and forth.

You are now knitting in tuck stitch pattern. The number in the display tells you the row number you are going to knit next. Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.

- You may not tuck up more than 2 rows according to the thickness or material of the yarn (see "TUCK STITCH PATTERN" on page 55).
- While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row.



Remove the wheel brushes and put them back in the case.

OPEN TUCK STITCH PATTERN

<ex.> pattern no. 130



pattern knitting



Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit (see page 13).



Set the end needle selection mechanism to OFF (see page 12).



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PATTERN NO

POSITION

Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.

Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Program your pattern (see page 19).



Transfer the stitch marked with \bigcirc in the diagram in the pattern book to the adjacent needle. Bring back the empty needle to A position.



Set the change knob to KC.

- Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark.
- You only need to operate the K carriage once across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



The needles are selected. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.

Bring the end needles forward to D position if they are not already in this position.

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Follow the steps \bigcirc — 1 on pages 70—71. Do not forget the end needles must always be in D position.



MULTI-COLOUR TUCK STITCH PATTERN

This pattern is worked the same as tuck stitch pattern, except the yarn is changed according to the yarn number in the memo display.

<ex.>pattern no. 145



pattern knitting



Thread the yarn 1 into the righthand tension unit and the yarn 2 into the lefthand one. Follow the steps @- @ of tuck stitch pattern (see pages 70-71).



Take yarn 1 out of yarn feeder A.

If you slide the K carriage slightly to the right, the yarn can be removed easily. Hook the yarn 1 around the notch at the end of your machine.



Take the yarn 2 out of yarn feeder A and hook it around the notch at the end of your machine.

Hook the yarn 1 around the notch at the right end of your machine and the yarn 2 around the notch at the left end.





Move the K carriage back and forth until the number 2 appears in the memo display. Number 3 in the display and number 2 in the memo display tell you to knit the third row with yarn 2.



Thread yarn 2 into yarn feeder A and continue knitting until number 1 appears in the memo display.



Continue knitting, changing the yarns according to the number in the memo display. (When you change the yarns, take care not to cross them over each other.)

Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.

SKIP STITCH PATTERN

ex.> pattern no. 174







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Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit (see page 13).

Set the end needle selection mechanism to ON (see page 12).



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Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.

Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



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PATTERN NO

POSITION

Program your pattern (see page 19).



Set the change knob to KC.

Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark.
 You only need to operate the K carriage once across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



Push both part buttons at the same time.



The needles are selected.

Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



Move the K carriage back and forth. You are knitting in skip stitch pattern. The number in the display tells you the row you are going to knit next.

Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Pee!". If you are operating the K carriage from right to left when you hear the sound, finish that row and knit one more row. The number 1 flashes on and off in the display.

- You can either continue:
- Repeat steps 🛞 🗐 .
- Or finish pattern knitting ...



Set the change knob to N. The cam buttons will be automatically released.

While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row.

MULTI COLOUR SKIP STITCH PATTERN

This pattern is worked the same as skip stitch pattern, except the yarn is changed according to the numbers in the memo display.

ex.> pattern no. 201



pattern knitting



Thread the yarn 1 into the righthand yarn tension unit and the yarn 2 into the lefthand one. Follow the steps \bigcirc - \bigcirc of skip stitch pattern (see page 74).



Take yarn 1 out of yarn feeder A. If you slide the K carriage slightly to the right the yarn can be removed easily. Hook yarn 1 around the notch at the end of your machine.



Move the K carriage back and forth until the number 2 appears in the memo display. Number 3 in the display and number 2 in the memo display tell you to knit the third row with yarn 2.



Thread yarn 2 into yarn feeder A and continue knitting until number 1 appears in the memo display.



Take the yarn 2 out of yarn feeder A and hook it around the notch at the end of your machine.

Hook the yarn 1 around the notch at the right end of your machine and the yarn 2 around the notch at the left end.



Continue knitting, changing the yarns according to the number in the memo display. (When you change the yarns, take care not to cross them over each other.)

Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.

WEAVING PATTERN

<ex.> pattern no. 267



pattern knitting

This example requires two types of yarn — the main yarn and the weaving yarn. A better effect will result if you choose a weaving yarn that is thicker than the main yarn.



Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit (see page 13).



Set the end needle selection mechanism to ON (see page 12).



Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.

Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Program your pattern (see page 19).



Thread the weaving yarn into the lefthand yarn tension unit. Adjust the tension disc as shown according to the weaving yarn.



The needles are selected. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



Put the wheel brush (L) into the left oval opening in the sinker plate and insert the screw.



Hold the end of the weaving yarn with your hand, and thread it into the weaving yarn guide on the left side of the K carriage. Then move the K carriage across the needle bed.

Release the yarn end after knitting one row.



Set the change knob to KC.

Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark. A You only need to operate the K carriage once across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



Remove the wheel brushes from the case.



Locate the pin on the sinker plate into the hole of the wheel brush, and tighten screw.

Fit the second brush on right.



Remove the weaving yarn from the left weaving yarn guide by moving the K carriage slightly to the left. Pass the weaving yarn under the K carriage to the righthand side. Number 2 in the display tells you to knit the second row of the

pattern.



Move the K carriage to the right, pulling the main yarn upwards slightly — ensure that the weaving yarn is in the right weaving yarn guide.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Pee!". If you are operating the K carriage from right to left when you hear the sound, finish that row and knit one more row. The number 1 flashes on and off in the display.



Continue knitting at the same time placing the weaving yarn into the left or right weaving yarn guide according to the direction of the K carriage, and pulling the main yarn upwards slightly.

- Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.
- You can either continue: Repeat steps ① — ①
- Or finish pattern knitting ...





① Set the change knob to N.

Remove the wheel brushes, and replace into case.

While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row.

WHEN USING MORE THAN TWO WEAVING YARNS ...

Change the weaving yarns according to the number in the memo display. There are two ways to weaves — one is to change the yarn in the yarn tension unit, and the other is to lay the weaving yarn across the needles by hand.

Second method ...

Lay the weaving yarn across the selected needles, beginning from the same side as the K carriage, as illustrated.



HOW TO KNIT SOME ROWS WITH THE MAIN YARN ONLY

This example was knitted using pattern no. 257.



- When the number appears in the memo display, you should knit using the weaving yarn.
- When there is no number in the memo display, knit without the weaving yarn.

THREAD LACE PATTERN (SELECTOR I)

ex.> pattern no. 240



 Before starting pattern knitting You can knit this pattern by using a combination of thick yarn and very fine yarn.

Use thick yarn as the main yarn, and very fine yarn in a similar colour to the main yarn, for the contrast.



APPROXIMATE TENSION CHART

combination of the yarn		tension dial
thick yarn	very fine yarn	1~5
chunky yarn	very fine yarn	5~9

pattern knitting



Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit (see page 13).



Set the end needle selection mechanism to OFF (see page 12).





Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage outside the left turn mark. Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.

Program your pattern (see page 19).



Thread the very fine contrast yarn into the lefthand yarn tension unit.

Adjust the tension disc to the thickness of the contrast yarn.

G KC turn mark

Set the change knob to KC.

- Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark. You only need to operate the K carriage once across the
- turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



The needles are selected. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



If an end needle is in D position, bring it back to B position.



Knit a row with the K carriage, at the same time holding the yarn end with your hand.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Pee!". If you are operating the K carriage from right to left when you hear the sound, finish the row and knit one more row.

Number 1 flashes on and off in the display. You have now knitted one complete pattern in length.



Push both upper and lower buttons (L) at the same time. Set the tension dial using the tension chart on page 79 as a guide.



Thread the contrast yarn into yarn feeder B- there is no need to open the yarn feeder lever when you do so.



Continue knitting, remembering to bring the selected end needle back to B position (see step $\textcircled{\sc 9}$).

- Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.
- Move the K carriage slowly.
- You can either continue: Repeat steps 12 - 13
- Or finish pattern knitting ...



Set the change knob to N. The cam buttons will be released automatically.

While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row.

THREAD LACE PATTERN (SELECTOR II)

<ex.> pattern no. 212





pattern knitting .

The contrast yarn is knitted in with the main yarn throughout thread lace knitting. So if you knit areas in stocking stitch only, you should use main and contrast yarns together so that these areas will match those in thread lace pattern.



Thread the main yarn into the righthand yarn tension unit (see page 13).



Set the end needle selection mechanism to OFF (see page 12).



Knit a few rows in stocking stitch. Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Program your pattern (see page 27).



Thread the very fine contrast yarn into the lefthand yarn tension unit.

Adjust the tension disc to the thickness of the contrast yarn.



Thread the contrast yarn into yarn feeder B — there is no need to open the yarn feeder lever when you do so.



Push both upper and lower buttons (L) at the same time. Set the tension dial using the tension chart on page 79 as a guide.



Knit a row with the K carriage, at the same time holding the yarn end with your hand.



Continue knitting until you want to begin thread lace knitting. Place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.



Set the change knob to KC.

Move the K carriage from left to right across the left turn mark.
 You only need to operate the K carriage once across the turn mark when you start pattern knitting.



The needles are selected.

Number 1 flashes on and off in the display to tell you to knit the first row of the pattern.



Knit in pattern until you hear the sound "Peel". If you are operating the K carriage from right to left when you hear the sound, finish the row and knit one more row. Number 1 flashes on and off in the display.



Push both upper and lower buttons (L) at the same time, and continue knitting until you want to finish.



Move the K carriage back and forth. You are now knitting in thread lace pattern. The number in the display tells you the row you are going to knit next.

Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.



Set the change knob to N. The cam buttons will be released automatically.



Slide the cam button release lever to the right to release the cam buttons.

While knitting in pattern, you must take the K carriage past the center of the machine (green 1 needle) on every row.

PLATING

With the plating yarn feeder, you can use two yarns to knit a reversible fabric, with one colour on the right side and the other on the wrong side. The main yarn will be on the front (plain) side of the knitting and the plating yarn will be on the reverse (purl) side.

The setting for the K carriage is the same as for stocking stitch.





Front (Plain)

Reverse (Purl)



Thread the yarns into the yarn tension unit as shown.



Pass the plating yarn behind the main yarn.



Make sure the two yarns are not crossed.

combinatio	on of the yarns	tension dia
medium	medium	2~ 6
medium	thick	4~ 8
thick	thick	6~10
chunky	medium	6~10



Thread the main yarn into the yarn feeder A. Knit a few rows in stocking stitch and place the K carriage on the right side of the machine. Move the K carriage outside the gate pegs. Rehang the claw weights onto the edge of the knitting.



Thread the plating yarn in the plating yarn feeder. **A** Pull down the yarn by using the latchet tool.



Hold the end of the plating yarn with your left hand, and move the K carriage to the left. Once the needles have caught the yarn, you can release the yarn end. Continue knitting in this way. You are now knitting plating.

Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.

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Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.

PLATED TUCK STITCH PATTERN

This is knitted the same as tuck stitch pattern, using the plating yarn feeder.

ex.> pattern no. 153



pattern knitting



Thread the yarns as shown above.



After knitting several rows in plating, place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.

Hang the claw weights onto the edge of the knitting.



Continue knitting, following instructions for tuck stitch pattern (see steps ② — ⓓ on pages 70—71). ♣ Rehang the claw weights every 10 rows or so.





Set the end needle selection mechanism to ON (see page 12).



Program your pattern (see page 19).

You may not knit plated tuck according to the thickness or the material of the yarn.

USEFUL HINTS

PROBLEMS DURING KNITTING

•WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU CANNOT KNIT STOCKING STITCH SMOOTHLY

1. When the needles do not catch the yarn properly



- Is the yarn correctly located in the yarn feeder A?
- Is the yarn feeder lever closed?



- Is the change knob set to N?
- Has any cam button been pushed in?

2. When the K carriage is hard to push back and forth)

- Make sure that the tension dial and tension disc are adjusted according to the thickness of your yarn. (tension dial — see page 10, tension disc — see page 13).
- Make sure that the machine is not damaged or dirty (see the rearside of the K carriage also).
- If the machine needs oiling or cleaning, (see page 119).
- Make sure you have threaded the yarn correctly into the yarn tension unit (see page 13).
- Make sure the yarn is flowing freely from the cone or ball.
- Make sure the wheel brushes are rotating freely. If there is yarn wrapped around these, you must remove it.



Is the K carriage set correctly on the needle bed?



Is the sinker plate assembly joined correctly to the K carriage?



- 3. When stitches are not formed correctly
- Is the needle bent? If so, change it for a new one (see page 118).
- Place the rubber wheels into working position (see page 16).

4. How to pick up a dropped stitch

· Repairing a dropped stitch

Insert the transfer tool into the stitch on the row below the dropped stitch. Remake the dropped stitch as illustrated.





· Repairing a stitch that has dropped several rows

Use the latchet tool from behind, and hook up the bottom sitch. Remake the dropped stitches row by row. On the final row, transfer the stitch from the latchet tool to a transfer tool, and replace it onto the needle.









WHAT TO DO IF YOU MAKE MISTAKES AS YOU KNIT STOCKING STITCH AND PLATING

1. If the K carriage should jam

• Do not attempt to move the K carriage by force. Proceed as follows:



Take the yarn out of the yarn feeder.



Loosen the knobs and remove the sinker plate assembly.



Untangle any yarn that has become wrapped around the wheels.



Lift up the K carriage towards you and remove it from the needle bed.



Return the change knob to N.



Set the change knob to CR to release the K carriage from the machine.



Screw the sinker plate assembly back onto the K carriage.



Slide the K carriage across onto the needle bed and check it is placed correctly.



Using your transfer tool, replace any stitches that are on the stems of the needles back into the hooks, so that they will not drop off. (The following steps illustrate this technique.)





Pull the yarn sideways slightly so that it becomes tight in the needle hooks.



Now pull the yarn in an upwards direction to unravel the knitting. The stitches are undone and those from the row below will slip into the needle hooks. work a few stitches at a time and repeat steps (1) and (1) across the row.



After unravelling a row check that all the stitches are in the needle hooks.

Using the flat side of the needle pusher, align the needles in B position.



Wind back the row counter and knit leader (if used) by the number of rows you have unravelled.

You do not need to count the last row if the tripper did not operate e.g. if you made the mistake before the K carriage had passed the triggers.



If the yarn is now on the opposite side of the knitting to the K carriage, you can move the K carriage across the needles without knitting as follows:



Thread up the yarn into the yarn feeder A.

Put the row counter and/or knit leader trippers back in operation.

2. If you want to unravel some knitting.



Pull down the loose unravelled yarn from behind the rear yarn guide.

 \clubsuit To unravel several rows of knitting, repeat steps $\, rak{10} \, - \, rak{10} \,$.

- (1) Make sure all the needles are in B position.
- (2) Push both part buttons.
- (3) If you are using the row counter or the knit leader, set their trippers to non working position.
- (4) Move the K carriage across to the other side of the needle bed.
- (5) Cancel both part buttons by sliding the cam button release lever.



Continue knitting with the K carriage, pulling the yarn slightly on the first row to remove any slackness.

If you wish to unravel a row or rows of knitting, for example if you find you have knitted too many, follow steps 🔞 — 🔞 above.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU MAKE MISTAKES AS YOU KNIT PATTERN KNITTING

- 1. If the K carriage should jam
- · Do not attempt to move the K carriage by force. Proceed as follows:



Push the CR key. The ready lamp flashes on and off.



Loosen the knobs and remove the sinker plate assembly.



Take the yarn out of the yarn feeder.



Set the change knob to CR to release the K carriage from the machine.



Lift up the K carriage towards you and remove it from the needle bed. Set the change knob to N.



If some needles have slipped back down, pull the needle towards you using the transfer tool.



Screw the sinker plate assembly back onto the K carriage.



Using your transfer tool, replace any stitches that are on the stems of the needles back into the hooks, so that they will not drop off. (Refer to step \bigcirc (1) — (5) on page 88.)





When all stitches are safely in the hooks of the needles, align all needles in B position using the flat edge of the needle pusher.



Enter the number of rows you have unravelled and push the CR key. The ready lamp is lit and the row number you are going to knit appears in the display.

- Don't forget to wind back the row counter and knit leader (if used) by the number of rows you have unravelled.
- You don't need to count the last row if the tripper didn't operate e.g. if you made the mistake before the K carriage had passed the triggers.



Move the K carriage across the needle bed to the same side as the yarn. The needles are selected for the pattern.

If you are using the row counter or the knit leader, set their trippers to non-working position.



Thread up the yarn into feeder.

If you are using contrast yarn or weaving yarn, don't forget to thread this up as well.

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Unravel the row. (Refer to steps 0 - 0 on pages 88-89.)

If you have unravelled several rows of knitting, remember the number of rows you have unravelled. Even if you stopped the last row in the middle, you must still count this as one row.



Place the K carriage at the opposite end of the needle bed to the yarn. (If the yarn is on the same side as the K carriage, refer to page 89 for how to pass the carriage across the needles without knitting.) Push both part buttons and set the change knob to KC.



Push the cam buttons according to the pattern.



Continue knitting with the K carriage, pulling the yarn slightly on the first row to remove any slackness.

If you are using the row counter or the knit leader, set their trippers to non-working position.

2. If you want to unravel some knitting (when the K carriage has gone past the end of the knitting)

) Begin by unravelling the rows. (Refer to steps 0 - 0 on pages 88–89.)

Now follow steps 0 - 0 on page 91. (Before you enter the number of unravelled rows in step 0, you should clear the number in the display with the CE key.)

3. If the selected needles are pushed back by mistake

Bring all the needles back to B position and take the yarn out of the yarn feeder.

Push the CE key. Enter O and push the CR key.

Follow steps 🔞 — 🔞 on page 91.

WHAT TO DO IF THE NEEDLES ARE SELECTED INCORRECTLY.

Check the following points:

- Make sure that you have programmed the pattern correctly.
- Make sure you have set the K carriage correctly and that you began with it outside a turn mark on the starting row of the pattern.
- Make sure the K carriage passed the center of the machine (needle green 1) on every row. If the carriage is returned
 without passing the center of the needle bed, the same needle selection will appear again. If this is what you have done
 wrong, correct the needle selection as follows:
 - (1) Place all selected needles in B position.
 - (2) Push both part buttons and take the K carriage across to the other side of the needle bed. (The K carriage must pass the center of the machine.)
 - (3) Place any selected needles in B position.
 - (4) Take the K carriage across the needle bed again, this time to get the correct needle selection.
 - (5) Push the cam buttons according to your pattern, check the yarn in the yarn feeder and continue knitting.

WHAT TO DO IF THE NEEDLES ARE NOT SELECTED AND REMAIN AT B POSITION.

Check the following points:

- Make sure you have set the K carriage correctly and that you began with it outside a turn mark on the starting row of the
 pattern.
- Make sure that the ready lamp is lit. If it isn't, check whether the program is finished or not.
- Should the selector different? Check whether the pattern is made when selector II is on.
- When you began to pattern knit again after moving the K carriage outside the turn mark, did the K carriage pass the turn mark after setting the change knob to KC?

If the K carriage didn't pass the turn mark, correct this as follows:

- (1) Unravel the knitting down to a correct row.
- (2) Place the K carriage outside the turn mark on the opposite side of the needle bed to the yarn end.
- (3) Set the change knob to KC and push both part buttons.
- (4) Move the K carriage from outside the turn mark across the needle bed to select the needles.

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU HAVE ENTERED THE WRONG NUMBER FOR THE ROWS YOU HAVE UNRAVELLED.

- The number you have entered is smaller than the correct figure. (e.g. You have unravelled 4 rows, but entered the number as 3 and then pushed the CR key.)
 - Work out the number of rows you are short, and turn back the number indicated in the display by pushing the down key. In the example, you are one row short, so take the number back by one row using the down key.

If you are using the upside down key, use the up key to turn back the number.

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Now follow the instructions on page 91 steps (2) — (6).

- The number you have entered is larger than the correct figure. (e.g. You have unravelled 2 rows, but entered the number as 4 and then pushed the CR key.)
 - Work out the number of rows you have too many, and advance the number indicated in the display by pushing the up key. In the example, you have 2 rows extra, so advance the number forward by two rows using the up key.

If you are using the upside down key, use the down key to advance the number.

Now follow the instructions on page 91 steps $\textcircled{0}{2}$ — $\textcircled{1}{6}$.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU CANNOT REMEMBER HOW MANY ROWS YOU HAVE UNRAVELLED.

When the ready lamp is flashing on and off, push the CE key. (The ready lamp is lit.)

Set the change knob to N and push both part buttons.

Examine the swatch to find which row should be knitted next. (When using the KRC key, refer to 🔘 .)

Now follow the instructions according to the setting of the variation keys.

When the double length key and KRC key are not in use A



1 Move the K carriage to the opposite side of the needle bed to the yarn end, and place it outside the turn mark.

- Push the up or down key until the display shows the number you want for the next row to be knitted.
- Set the change knob to KC
- ④ Move the K carriage across the needle bed to select the needles
- Push the cam button(s) according to the pattern, check the yarn in the yarn feeder and continue to knit.
- B When using the double length key



- When you knit double length patterns each row is knitted twice. Check whether your next row is the first or the second row of the double length pattern.
- The steps are the same as for A (when the double length and KRC keys are not in use). However, please bear the following points in mind when

you reach step (2)

 When you push the up or down key, the same number will appear in the display twice. If the row you want is the first row of the double length pattern use the number the first time it appears. If the row you want is the second row, then use the number the second time it appears.

When using the KRC key or KRC key and the double 0 length key



- ① Unravel your knitting until the main yarn end is at the right of the swatch.
- 2 Place the KR carriage at the right side of the ribber bed. (If the KR carriage is on the left side of the machine, remove it from the needle bed and place it at the right.) Place the K carriage outside the left turn mark.
- 3 Check the contrast colour stitches to find out which row number should be knitted next.
- 4 Push the up or down key until the display shows the number you want for the next row to be knitted.
 - NOTE: When you are using the double length key, the same number will appear in the display four times. Use the number the first time it appears, regardless of whether the double length key is on or off
- 6 Set the change knob to KC and move the K carriage across the needle bed to select the needles.
- 6 Connect the K and KR carriages check the yarn in the yarn feeder and continue to knit.

WHAT TO DO IF THE ELECTRIC POWER IS CUT OFF WHILE YOU ARE KNITTING.

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- If the power is cut off while stitches are actually being A knitted with the K carriage.
 - Move the K carriage to outside the turn mark on the side towards which it has moved. Set the change knob to N.
 - Turn on the power.

Push the CR key. (The ready lamp flashes on and off.)

- Unravel the knitting down to a row of correct pattern knitting.
- Place the K carriage at the opposite side of the needle bed to the yarn end. Push both part buttons and move the K carriage across the needle bed from outside the turn mark, to select the needles.

Push the CE key. (The ready lamp is lit.)



Push the cam buttons according to your pattern. Check the yarn in the yarn feeder and continue knitting.

If the power is cut off when the K carriage is clear of the B knitting.



Move the K carriage across the turn mark and continue knitting.

SHOULD YOU PUSH THE CR KEY BY MISTAKE ...

Push the CE key. (The ready lamp stops flashing.)

SHOULD YOU TURN ON THE M LAMP BY MISTAKE ...

Push the C key. (The M lamp goes off).

WHAT TO DO WHEN THE LETTER E IS FLASHING ON AND OFF IN THE MEMO DISPLAY.

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Push the CE key to clear the display.

Enter the correct figure.

In the following cases, the E will flash on and off in the memo display.

- When you enter an unmemorized pattern number.
- When you enter a pattern position higher than yellow 799 or green 100. When you are programming your own pattern and enter a stitch number
- above 200 or a row number higher than can be knitted.When you push the CR key without moving the K carriage after a
- When you push the CR key without moving the K carriage after a correction.

HOW TO CORRECT MISTAKES IN THE INPUT PROGRAM WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU USE THE AND KEYS INCORRECTLY

Using the left key and the down key, proceed to the position where you want to make the correction. The pattern data from the stitch indicated in the display is deleted.

Enter the correct pattern data from the stitch indicated in the display.

 WHAT TO DO IF THERE IS AN INSUFFICIENT NUMBER OR THERE ARE NO ROWS LEFT FOR YOUR OWN PATTERN PROGRAM.

You can enter your own pattern after you have deleted one or more patterns memorized in the computer.

Push the input key to stop the pattern input program (the input lamp goes out).

Check back and find a pattern which has more than the number of stitches you require to make up the shortfall for the new pattern.

- If you cannot find a pattern with sufficient stitches for your requirements, then you will have to delete more than one pattern.
- To find out how to check the memorized pattern, see "CHECK THE PATTERN DATA YOU HAVE STORED YOURSELF" on page 56.
- Push the input key. (The ready lamp goes off.)
- The display shows the number which is used for the new pattern.
- Push the CE key to clear the display and enter the number of the pattern you want to delete, then push the C key.
 The number in the display together with all the pattern data for that number has been deleted from the computer.
 When you want to delete more than one pattern, enter the pattern number you want to delete, then push the C key.

Push the input key after you have deleted the pattern. (The input lamp is off).

) Enter your own pattern program by referring to page 51.

WHAT TO DO WHEN THE DISPLAY DOESN'T INDICATE THE PATTERN NUMBER, EVEN IF THE INPUT KEY IS TURNED ON.

• It means that the memory capacity is completely full. You will have to delete some of the memorized patterns before you can program fresh patterns.

Check back and find a pattern which has more than the number of stitches you require to make up the shortfall for the new pattern.

If you can't find the pattern you want to delete from the computer, look for it with the CHECK routine for your own patterns on page 56.



Enter the pattern number that you want to delete, and push the C key. When you want to delete more than one pattern, repeat this step.

Push the input key after you have deleted the pattern. (The input lamp is off). Enter your own pattern program by referring to page 51.

WHAT TO DO IF THE ELECTRIC POWER IS CUT OFF WHILE YOU ARE ENTERING PATTERN DATA.

When the electric power is cut off while you are using the input program, follow the instructions according to the step you
have reached.



WHEN USING THE CARTRIDGE

WHAT TO DO WHEN THE SAVE LAMP IS NOT LIT EVEN IF THE SAVE KEY IS PUSHED

CAUSE 1

The cartridge which was used for another model is inserted.

- If you insert the cartridge by mistake.... Turn off the power switch and change the cartridge to the correct one. Turn on the power switch and start programming again.
- If you want to use the cartridge for this machine.... When you are using the stitch pattern cartridge II or III, delete all the data stored in the cartridge to use it with this machine.
 - ① Enter 888.
 - Push the step key. All the data stored in the cartridge is deleted and you can use the cartridge with this machine.

CAUSE 2

Data of your original pattern saved in the cartridge is damaged for some reason. Delete the damaged data using the above step B. You can use the cartridge again.

WHAT TO DO WHEN AN ERROR MESSAGE APPEARS IN THE MEMO DISPLAY

CAUSE 1	The cartridge is not inserted into the slot securely. Turn off the power switch of the knitting machine and insert the cartridge into the slot securely. Then, start the program again.
CAUSE 2	You have entered the page no. which is not stored in the cartridge. Push the CE key to clear "E" and enter the correct no.
CAUSE 3	Data of your original pattern saved in the cartridge is damaged for some reason. You can use this cartridge after deleting the damaged data. Push the CE key. Enter 888 and push the step key. All the data stored in the cartridge is deleted and you can use the cartridge again.
CAUSE 4	Design system cartridge is inserted. Turn off the power switch and change the cartridge to the correct one. Turn on the power switch and start programming again.

USING THE KNIT LEADER (option)

Set up the knit leader to the knitting machine referring to the knit leader instruction manual.

When using the knit leader, set the knit leader trippers (both right and left) to the working position.

KNITTING A TENSION SWATCH

- To knit a garment to the correct size of your pattern you need to know the size of the stitch.
- Before you start knitting, you should make a sample tension swatch and from it measure the length of 30 rows and 20 stitches.



Set the row counter number 000. Set the trippers (right) to working position.



Re-thread the main yarn and knit 15 rows.

The row counter is 027.



Knit 15 rows again in main yarn. The row counter is 042.

HOW TO MEASURE THE SWATCH





Bring forward 40 needles (20 needles on either side of center mark) to B position, and knit ten rows in main yarn.



Bring forward both 11th needle on either side of center 0 to E position. Hook a short piece of contrast yarn onto the 2 needles.



Remove the main yarn and knit 2 rows with contrast colour yarn.

- The row counter is 012.
- Cut the contrast yarn and hook it to the yarn clip of the yarn tension unit.



Bring back the two needles to make stitches.



Remove the main yarn and knit 2 rows with contrast colour yarn. The row counter is 044.



Re-thread the main yarn and knit 10 rows. The row counter is 054. Remove the swatch from the knitting machine.

- After pressing the swatch according to yarn label, set the regulators.
- ① Measure the height of 30 rows (between rows knitted in contrast colour).
- @ Measure the width of 20 stitches (between the 2 contrast colour stitches).
- ③ Select the correct stitch scale. (See KL instruction book.)
 - Stitch measure scales attached with the knitting machine are for 80mm 211mm (for 20 stitches).



PREPARING YOUR YARN

 When you are new to machine knitting, you are advised to start with new yarn. Choose one that is smooth and of reasonably good quality.

Avoid hairy and harsh, poorquality yarns as they are difficult to knit.

 These yarns are suitable for use without rewinding. ♣ Pull the yarn from the center of a ball yarn. Use the yarn from the outside of a coned yarn.
These yarns should be rewound using a Skein Holder and a Yarn Winder.

Both the Skein Holder and Yarn Winder can be purchased separately.



Rewinding the yarn





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Yarn pulled from the center of a rewound ball should come out freely without lifting the ball from the table.

If the yarn does not flow freely, pull some yarn out of the center of the ball.

HOW TO USE THE TRANSFER TOOL

- Use when you decrease, increase, transfer stitches, etc.
- How to hold the transfer tool.



Holding the transfer tool in line with the needle, use it to push the needle back so that the stitch slips onto the transfer tool.



Lift the transfer tool slightly so that the stitch slides off into the hook of the needle. Then remove the transfer tool. One stitch has been transferred.

HOW TO USE THE LATCHET TOOL

- Use when you make ribbing, pick up dropped stitches, etc.
- How to hold the latchet tool



· Making Rib by hand



Transferring Stitch



Place the eye of a single transfer tool over the needle hook, and pull the needle towards you until the stitch passes behind the latch.



Lift the transfer tool together with the stitch, and place it onto the adjacent needle.



Bring the needle for your first "purl" stitch forward to E position by hand.

Take the needle back to A position so that the stitch drops off the needle.



With the latchet tool hook the bottom stitch where the ribbing will begin.



Hold the knitting firmly with your other hand. Push the latchet tool forward to put the bottom stitch behind the latch.



The latch closes with this new stitch in the hook. Gently slip the old stitch off the end of the latchet tool. A purl stitch has been formed.



Using the tip of your latchet tool, ladder the stitch down to within a few rows of the point where you want to start the ribbing.



Push down with the latchet tool so that the last few stitches drop.



Catch the next horizontal bar above with the hook of the latchet tool. Pull the latchet tool towards you.



Continue in this way until you reach the top, then hook the last stitch onto the needle as shown.

HOW TO INCREASE STITCHES

Increasing one stitch

Simple method

The K carriage and yarn are at the side where you wish to increase the stitch.



On the K carriage side, bring one edge needle forward from A to B position.



Knit one row to the left. The empty needle picks up the yarn.



Knit one row to the right. The new stitch knits.

Fully fashioned method The K carriage can be at either end of the needlebed.



Using the 1×2 transfer tool, move two stitches out by one needle, so that the third needle from the edge becomes empty.

Pick up the loop as shown using the transfer tool.



Place this loop onto the empty needle and continue to knit.

Increasing several stitches

The K carriage and yarn are at the side where you wish to increase the stitches.



On the K carriage side, bring the needles to be increased forward from A position to E position.



The needles in E position have knitted.



Wind the yarn loosely around the stem of each needle as shown.



Pull the needles containing the new stitches to E position again, and knit one row. (This helps them to knit properly).



Pull up any loose yarn with your hand, and knit one row.



Knit two or three more rows in the same manner as step (5), then continue knitting normally.

HOW TO DECREASE STITCHES

• Decreasing one stitch. Simple method





Remove one stitch at the edge onto your transfer tool.



Place the transfer tool onto the hook of the adjacent inside needle, and transfer the stitch.



Return the empty needle to A position.

Fully fashioned method



Remove two stitches at the edge using a 2 eyed transfer tool.



Place the transfer tool onto the hooks of the adjacent inside needles, and transfer the stitches.



Return the empty needle to A position.

Decreasing several stitches

The K carriage and yarn are at the side where you wish to decrease the stitches.



On the K carriage side transfer the end stitch onto the adjacent inside needle.



Manually push the needle back so that a single stitch is formed.



Bring this needle forward so that the two stitches are behind the latch.



Return the empty needle to A position.



Loop the yarn around the needle hook in front of the latch as illustrated.



Repeat steps ① — ⑤ , but on the last stitch work step ① only. NOTE: Take care not to make the stitches too tight.

PARTIAL KNITTING

Decreasing stitches using the Holding Position (H.P)

• When working decreases for shoulders, neck opening etc., set the holding cam lever on the K carriage to H.





Set the holding cam lever to H and the cam buttons and change knob according to the pattern.



On the opposite side to the K carriage, bring the needles you want to decrease forward to E position.



Knit one row. The needles in B position (B and D position in the case of pattern knitting) have been knitted and those in E position have not been knitted.



Wrap the yarn by passing it under the stem of the first needle in E position as shown.



Pull up any loose yarn with your hand and knit one row. The yarn is wrapped around the end needle in holding position as shown above.



Continue moving needles to be decreased into E position, repeating step (3) — (5) .

After partial knitting is complete, return the holding cam lever to N.
Increasing stitches from the Holding Position (H.P)

• When working increases (for example the hemline of a skirt), set the holding cam lever to H.

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Set the holding cam lever to H and the cam buttons and change knob according to the pattern.



Knit one row. The needles in B position (B and D position in the case of pattern knitting) have been knitted, and the yarn has passed over those in E position. Wrap the yarn under the stem of the first needle in E position. (In the case of pattern knitting, refer to step ④ on page 104.)



The yarn is wrapped around the end needle in holding position as shown above.



- Knit one row and the needles you brought to D position will have been knitted.
- 2) Repeat steps ③ ⑥.
 - After partial knitting is complete, return the holding cam lever to N.



On the opposite side to the K carriage, bring forward to E position those needles that you do not want to knit.



Pull up any loose yarn with your hand and knit one row.



Manually push the needles to be increased from E to D position.

For pattern knitting, put the appropriate needles to B position according to the pattern. When you return these needles from D to B position, place the stitches into the needle hooks using the transfer tool.

HOW TO SHAPE A ROUND NECKLINE

STOCKING STITCH AND PLATING

The following example begins with the yarn and K carriage at the left.

Reverse the instructions (e.g. read left for right) if beginning with yarn and K carriage at the right.





Using the flat side of the 1 x 1 needle pusher, bring the needles for parts (2) and (3) forward to E position. These needles will not knit.



Bring needles from part (2) to B position at the same time replacing the stitches into the needle hooks.



Now only the needles for part (3) are left in E position.



On the K carriage, set the holding cam lever to H.



Knit part (1) according to your pattern, and return needles to A position.



Waste knit part (2) and remove this from machine. Return needles to A position.



Set the holding cam lever on teh K carriage to N.



Knit part (3) according to your pattern.

PATTERN KNITTING

The following example begins with the yarn and K carriage at the left. Reverse the instructions (e.g. read left for right) if beginning with yarn and K carriage at the right.

Part (2)



On the K carriage, set the holding cam lever to H. Using the flat side of the 1×1 needle pusher, bring the needles for parts (2) and (3) forward to E position. These needles will not knit.



Set the change knob to N.



The neckline shaping has now been completed.



Push the M key. (M lamp is lit.)

You should push the M key when the row number in the display is flashing on and off, and before operating the K carriage for the next row. If you have operated the K carriage, use the down key to put the row number back by one row, and then push the M key.



Knit part (1) according to your pattern, and return needles to A position



Bring needles from part (2) to B position at the same time replacing the stitches into the needle hooks.



Waste knit part (2) and remove this from machine. Return needles to A position.



Place the K carriage outside the right turn mark. Push in both part buttons at the same time. Set the change

knob to KC.



Move the K carriage from right to left across the right turn mark.

The needles are selected according to the pattern row memorised by the M key.



The neckline shaping has now been completed.



M Key



Now only the needles for part (3) are left in E position. Bring these to B position the same as you did for part (2).



Push the M key. (M lamp light off.)



Push the cam buttons according to pattern. Knit part (3) according to your pattern.

The computer memorises all the data (which needles have been selected, pattern program, the position of the variation keys etc.) in operation on the row at the moment you turn on the M lamp.

- When you subsequently turn the M lamp off, that data is recalled, and your machine then has the same settings as when you turned the M lamp on.
- Step 10 selects this row ready for knitting so that you rejoin the pattern where you left it at step 1
- When the M key is in operation, the information being memorised can be deleted if you decide you won't need it. To cancel the M key memory, push the C key after making sure that the ready lamp is lit. The M lamp will go off.

HOW TO SHAPE A V-NECKLINE

TAKING PART OF THE KNITTING OFF ONTO WASTE YARN

 When using the holding position to divide your knitting (e.g. for a V-neck) or if you are working with lightcoloured yarn, the stitches in holding position may become soiled. To prevent this, take these stitches off onto waste yarn instead of using the holding position.

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position.



PATTERN KNITTING STOCKING STITCH AND PLATING Push the M key. (The M lamp is lit.) Bring forward the needles into E position for the part you want to knit first. Set the change knob to N. Set the holding cam lever to H. Take part of the knitting off onto waste yarn. (Refer to (1) — (5) in the left column.) Remove the main yarn from the yarn feeder A and hook it around the edge of the machine. Return the needles in E position to B position. Use transfer tool to replace stitches into hooks. Thread the waste varn into the yarn feeder A and knit about 10 rows. Remove the waste yarn and knit 1 Place the K carriage outside the turn mark at the row with the yarn feeder empty to release the opposite side to the yarn end. Set the change knob to KC. Push both part buttons. Return the empty needles to A position. Set the holding cam lever to N. Move the K carriage across to the main yarn end and Push the M key. (The M lamp light goes off.) thread main yarn into the yarn feeder. Move the K carriage across the turn mark. Set the holding cam lever to N. Push the M key. (The M lamp is lit.) Knit the first part of the V neck. Replace stitches from waste knitting back onto the Push the cam button according to the pattern. needles using a transfer tool, and put needles in B Thread the main yarn into the yarn feeder and knit the first part of the neck and shoulder. Knit the second part of the V neck. Set the change knob to N. Place the K carriage outside the turn mark at the opposite side to the first part of the neck and shoulder. Replace stitches from waste knitting back onto the needles using the transfer tool and place the needles in B position. Push the M key. (The M lamp light goes off.) Set the change knob to KC and push both part buttons. Move the K carriage across the turn mark. Set the cam buttons according to pattern. Thread up the yarn into the yarn feeder and complete the second part of the neck and shoulder, reversing shapings.

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HOW TO CAST ON WITH A FINISHED EDGE (Closed edge cast on)

USING THE WHEEL BRUSH





Place the K carriage at the right. Using the flat side of the 1/1 needle pusher, bring the needles forward to B position.



Using 1/1 needle pusher, bring forward every other needle to E position.



Thread the yarn into the yarn feeder A. Holding the end of the yarn with your hand, lay the yarn over the selected needles as shown. Hold the end of the yarn as shown in the figure.



Release yarn which was held in left hand, and remove the wheel brushes.



- Set the K carriage as shown above.
- Set the wheel brushes referring to steps on page 77.



Pulling the yarn down gently with the left hand, move the K carriage to knit slowly with right hand. Continue to hold the end of yarn with left hand for a few rows.

'E' WRAP METHOD

With this method you will achieve a thin, elastic edge so it is suitable for any type of knitting.





Place the K carriage at the right. Using the flat side of the 1/1 needle pusher, bring the needles forward to E position.



Beginning at the left, and working from left to right, wind the yarn around the needles in an anticlockwise direction. Do not wind the yarn too tight.



- Take the cast-on comb out of the case and choose the length according to the number of needles. (Refer to page 11.)
- (2) Hold the cast-on comb as shown with the hooks facing the machine.



Hook the loose yarn end under the yarn clip from the front.



The loops should be behind the latches as shown.



Pull the yarn through the edge hook. Hang the cast-on comb over the loops and gently pull it downwards. Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Set the K carriage as shown above.







Move the K carriage to the left, holding the yarn as shown so that no loops are formed.

USING THE LATCHET TOOL

• With this method you will achieve a firm edge which is not very elastic.





Place the K carriage at the right. Using the flat side of the 1/1 needle pusher bring the needles forward to E position.



Thread the yarn into the yarn tension unit. Now make a chain stitch using the latchet tool as shown.



Keeping the yarn in the hook of the latchet tool, pull the yarn down through the chain loop, and slip the loop off the latchet tool. This makes one stitch.



With the loop behind the latch, insert the latchet tool between the first and second needles on the left. Catch the y_{ϵ} n with the latchet tool.



Repeat this across the needles until you reach the last needle.



When you get to the last needle, transfer the loop from the latchet tool into the needle hook.



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- (3) Hang the claw weight evenly along the cast-on comb.



Set the K carriage as shown above.



Thread the yarn into yarn feeder A.



Move the K carriage to the left, holding the yarn as shown so that no loops are formed.

WASTE KNITTING (CASTING-ON)

• Waste knitting is the term used to describe knitting that will be removed when the garment is completed, or to enable you to carry out the next step.



Waste yarn is a smooth yarn in a different colour to that of the main yarn.



Thread the cast-on thread into yarn feeder A. Hold the end as shown and knit one row. Remove cast-on thread from yarn feeder A.



Knit several rows.



If you pull out the cast-on thread, the waste knitting will drop away.



Knit about 10 rows in stocking stitch using waste yarn ending with the K carriage at the right of the needle bed. Remove waste yarn from yarn feeder and cut the yarn.



Thread the main yarn into yarn feeder A.



One row has been knitted with the cast-on thread and this separates the waste knitting from the main knitting.

BACKSTITCH CASTING OFF (Binding off)

USING THE TAPESTRY NEEDLE

- With this method you will achieve a thin, elastic edge so it is suitable for any type of knitting.
 - The yarn is on the lefthand side. Take yarn out of the yarn feeder and cut it leaving a length three times the width of the knitting.

<Ending with K carriage on the left>





Thread yarn end into a tapestry needle. From the back, pass needle through the first stitch at the left (1).

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From the front, insert the needle in through the second stitch (2) and back out through the first stitch (1).



Continue in this way until you reach the righthand edge of the knitting.

<Ending with K carriage on the right>





From the front, insert the needle in through the third stitch (3) and back out through the second stitch (2).



The casting off (binding off) is now completed and you can remove the knitting from the machine. If you find it easier, you can remove the stitches a few at a time whilst you work, so that you can place your lefthand behind the knitting.

CHAIN STITCH CAST OFF (Binding off)

USING THE LATCHET TOOL

• With this method you will achieve a firm edge which is not very elastic.





Knit the final row from right to left. Loosen the tension dial for this row (e.g. if main tension is say 4—6, knit the final row at tension 9—10).



Bring the needles forward to E position. Gently bring the knitting towards you, taking care not to drop any stitches.



Put the stitch behind the latch of the latchet tool.



Draw the second stitch through the first stitch, letting the first stitch slip off over the hook.

Take care not to drop any of the other stitches from off the needles while you work.



Beginning at the righthand edge, hook the first stitch onto the latchet tool.



Now hook the second stitch with the latchet tool, keeping this stitch in the hook.



Repeat this until you reach the last stitch. Now hook the yarn end with the latchet tool as shown, and pull this through the last stitch.

HOW TO MAKE A HEM

PLAIN HEM





Knit several rows with waste yarn and then knit one row with the cast-on thread. (Refer to page 112.)



Working in stocking stitch, knit the number of rows required for double the depth of the hem (e.g. if hem is to be folded under 2.5 cms (1'') then knit 5 cms (2'').



After you have picked up all the stitches, bring the needles forward to E position.



When you have knitted several rows you can pull out the cast-on thread. The waste knitting will fall away.



Using your transfer tool, pick up the first stitch of the row above the cast-on thread. Continue picking up stitches across the row.

(Note: there will be one less stitch to be picked up than there are needles).



Knit one row with the K carriage. Continue knitting in stocking stitch.

1 x 1 ELASTIC HEM

(This type of hem is also referred to as "Mock Ribbing" or "Continental Ribbing"





Using the flat side of the 1/1 needle pusher, bring forward the required number of needles to B position.



With the 1/1 needle pusher take every other needle back to A position.



With the flat side of the 1/1 needle pusher, bring the needles in A position forward to B position.



When all the stitches have been picked up, bring the needles forward to E position. Knit one row.



Knit several rows with waste yarn, then one row with the cast-on thread. With main yarn, working in stocking stitch, knit the number of rows required for double the length of the hem.



Pick up the stitches in the same way as for the plain hem, and hook them onto the empty needles.



After you have knitted several rows, pull out the cast-on thread. The waste yarn drops away.

CABLE STITCH PATTERN



 Cables are made by crossing two sets of stitches using two transfer tools.

The following example uses two 3-eyed transfer tools.



Transfer 3 stitches onto both 3-eyed transfer tools as shown.



Knit until you reach the point for your first cable crossover. Drop one stitch on eigher side of the cable pattern stitches.



Transfer the stitches marked (A) to position 1.



Transfer the stitches marked (B) to position 2.



Allow the stitches on either side of the cable which you dropped in Step ①, to ladder down, and using the latchet tool reform them into purl stitches.

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Needles that are bent, broken or damaged will cause . problems during knitting. If you experience dropped or badly knitted stitches you should check the needles and replace any faulty ones immediately. In an emergency if you have no spare needles, use one from the extreme edge of the needle bed.



Push the sponge bar with the handle of the Crochet Hook.

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Push the faulty needle forward to E position as far as it will go.



Press down at the hook end so that the shank end of the needle is raised clear of the needle bed.



Catch hold of the shank end and lift the faulty needle out from the needle bed.



With the latch open, insert the new needle as shown.



Return needle to A position.



Push the sponge bar back.



If you need to replace a needle whilst ÷ you have knitting on the machine transfer the stitch from the faulty needle onto an adjacent needle. Replace the stitch after you have completed the replacement.





Wipe the metal parts with an oily cloth and clean plastic parts with a soft cloth and mild, neutral detergent.



Remove the K carriages from the needle bed and brush away any dust or fluff. Check that the brushes are free from fluff or strands of yarn, and than they revolve smoothly.



Arrange all needles in B position and clean the butts, rear and front rails as shown, using an oily cloth.



Do not put oil directly onto the machine.



Do not use alcohol, benzin, thinners or petrol.

Should the K carriage feel heavy to operate, you should clean and lubricate the areas indicated above, using an oily cloth. If you regularly clean and lightly oil your machine it will make knitting easier and help to prevent excessive wear.

When you come to use your machine again after you have stored it for a while, knit 20—30 rows with waste yarn to clean away any dirty oil.