

Title (en)

KNITTED ARTICLE HAVING AT LEAST LOCALLY A WEFT-KNITTED STRUCTURE AND KNITTING METHOD

Title (de)

STRICKWARE MIT MINDESTENS LOKAL EINER SCHUSSBINDUNG UND STRICKVERFAHREN

Title (fr)

ARTICLE TRICOTE AYANT AU MOINS LOCALEMENT UNE STRUCTURE TRAMEE ET PROCEDE DE TRICOTAGE

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[origin: WO02086215A1] The invention concerns a method for knitting an article (1) having at least locally a weft-knitted structure, using a knitting machine (2) comprising a carriage and at least a rectilinear needle bed (3; 4), said needle bed including needles actuated by the passage of the carriage, the knitting machine (2) further comprising retaining elements such as knock-over sinkers for maintaining a weft yarn (F) on said needle bed. Said method is characterised in that it comprises the following steps: a) depositing a weft yarn (F) on said needle bed; b) fixing said weft yarn on one or several needles (5) of said needle bed; c) maintaining the weft yarn on said needle bed with said retaining means; d) knitting a fabric course (M, M') on said needle bed while the weft yarn is maintained thereon.

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