

# TUKUWOOL

## Juntu Light Cardigan

### DESIGNER

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### YARN

3 (3) 3 (3) **4** (4) 4 (4) skeins Tukuwool Fingering 100 % Finnish wool 370 m / 100 g. Photographed in color matcha.

Yardage: 850 (925) 1000 (1050) **1125** (1200) 1300 (1350) m / 930 (1010) 1100 (1150) **1230** (1310) 1420 (1480) yards

### SIZES

1 (2) 3 (4) **5** (6) 7 (8)

This cardigan is designed to have some ease when worn. Choose a size with a bust measurement that is ca. 14,5 cm / 5 ½ in greater than your body measurement.

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

#### *Bust circumference*

102 (108) 113 (120) **124** (129) 140 (144) cm / 40 ½ (42 ½) 44 ½ (47 ¼) **48 ¾** (50 ¾) 55 ¼ (56 ¾) in

#### *Sleeve circumference*

34 (36) 39 (41) **43** (46) 49 (53) cm / 13 ½ (14 ¼) 15 ½ (16 ¼) 17 (18) 19 ¼ (20 ⅞) in

#### *Length from underarm to hem*

31 cm / 12 ¼ in

#### *Length from neckline to hem*

49 (50) 50.5 (51) **51.5** (52) 53 (54) cm / 19 ¼ (19 ¾) 19 ¾ (20) **20 ¼** (20 ½) 21 (21 ¼) in

#### *Sleeve length*

39 cm / 15 ⅜ in

### GAUGE

22 sts x 32 rows = 10 cm x 10 cm / 4 in x 4 in knitted in stockinette stitch with 3.75 mm / US 5 needles (after blocking)

### NEEDLES & NOTIONS

3 mm / US 2.5 circular needles, 80 cm / 32 in  
3.75 mm / US 5 circular needles, 80 cm / 32 in

10 stitch markers total, 2 markers should be easily distinguishable from the others

5 buttons



*Juntu Light Cardigan is a versatile raglan-sleeved basic knit. It is part of Juntu Basic collection designed by Tiina Huhtaniemi.*

## Abbreviations:

s	stitch
sts	stitches
k	knit
p	purl
ds	double stitch
RS	right side
WS	wrong side
pm	place marker on right needle
sm	slip marker from left needle to right needle
mds	make a double stitch: with yarn in front of the work, slip the next stitch purlwise to your right needle, then bring yarn over the right needle and take it to the back of the work. Pull the yarn firmly until the stitch that is being pulled looks like two stitches. (increases by 1 st)
m1r[p]	right-leaning increase: find the yarn "bar" between the stitch you've just knitted and the stitch you're about to knit. Pick it up on the left needle by moving the needle back to front (the left side of the bar is now in front of the needle). Knit [purl] through the front loop. (increases by 1 st)
m1l	left-leaning increase: find the yarn "bar" between the stitch you've just knitted and the stitch you're about to knit. Pick it up on the left needle by moving the needle front to back (the right side of the bar is now in front of the needle). Knit through the back loop. (increases by 1 st)
k2tog	knit 2 stitches together (decreases by 1 st)
ssk	slip 2 stitches knitwise from left needle to right needle, bring left needle into the front loops (the stitches are now on both needles, the left needle is in front), knit stitches together through the back loop by bringing the yarn through both stitches by using the right needle (decreases by 1 st)

*Juntu means a forest trail, so with needles and Tukuwool yarn you can tread your own paths. Once you've knitted the basic pattern, you can easily modify the appearance of the cardigan by playing with different stitch patterns. Try knitting stockinette, seed stitch, or other simple textured stitches, make the ribbing longer, or switch to a different ribbing patterns like 2x2 rib stitch.*

## Instructions

Cast on 144 (146) 146 (156) **152** (158) 156 (156) sts on 3 mm / US 2.5 needles using your preferred cast-on method. Knit \*k1, p1\* rib for 2,5 cm / 1 in. Always slip the last st of the row purlwise with yarn in front and knit the first st of every row.

Knit the first buttonhole and place two edge markers on.

Row 1 (RS): Knit 10 sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, place edge marker to mark the edge of the left button band. Continue working in \*k1, p1\* rib until you have 10 sts remaining and place edge marker to mark the edge of the right button band. Knit 2 sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, bind off 4 sts and knit \*k1, p1\* rib until the end of the round.

Row 2 (WS): Knit \*k1, p1\* rib for 4 sts, cast on 4 sts, knit in \*k1, p1\* rib until the end of the round (slip markers are you come to them).

Continue knitting \*k1, p1\* rib for another 1.5 cm /  $\frac{3}{8}$  in and finish with a RS row. Change to 3.75 mm / US 5 needles.

Knit a buttonhole 4 more times every 11 (11) 11 (11.5) 11.5 (11.5) 12 (12) cm / 4  $\frac{1}{4}$  (4  $\frac{1}{4}$ ) 4  $\frac{1}{4}$  (4  $\frac{1}{2}$ ) 4  $\frac{1}{2}$  (4  $\frac{1}{2}$ ) 4  $\frac{3}{4}$  (4  $\frac{3}{4}$ ) in.

## Raglan increases

Once the rib is finished, the body of the cardigan is knitted in stockinette stitch while the \*k1, p1\* rib for the button band is maintained on both edges, over the first and last 10 sts. You'll first knit one increase row, after which you'll knit 2 preparatory raglan rows, during which you'll place on 8 markers for the raglan increases.

Increase row (WS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, \*p15 (31) 31 (11) **6** (4) 3 (3), m1rp\*, repeat \*-\* until you have 4 (2) 2 (4) 0 (10) 10 (10) sts remaining before the edge marker, knit until edge marker, sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib. You now have 152 (150) 150 (168) **174** (190) 198 (198) sts on the needles.

Preparatory raglan row 1 (RS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, k24 (23) 23 (27) **27** (29) 31 (31), pm, k1, pm, k16 (16) 16 (18) 20 (24) 24 (24), pm, k1, pm, k48 (47) 47 (54) **55** (59) 63 (63), pm, k1, pm, k16 (16) 16 (18) **20** (24) 24 (24), pm, k1, pm, k24

(24) 24 (27) **28** (29) 32 (32), sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib. (8 sts added)

Preparatory raglan row 2 (WS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, \*purl until the next marker, sm, p1, sm\* and repeat \*-\* 3 more times, purl until the edge marker, sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

In the following rounds you'll be working short rows in order to shape and raise the neckline in the back of the sweater. **You'll be simultaneously working the raglan increases, so pay close attention to the increases and markers.**

Short row 1 (RS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, \*knit until the next marker, mlr, sm, k1, sm, ml1\*, repeat \*-\* 3 more times, k2, turn the work. (8 sts added)

Short row 2 (WS): mds, \*purl until the next marker, sm, p1, sm\* and repeat \*-\* 3 more times, p2, turn the work.

Short row 3 (RS): mds, \*knit until the next marker, mlr, sm, k1, sm, ml1\*, repeat \*-\* 3 more times, knit until the ds, knit the ds (as one st), k2, turn the work. (8 sts added)

Short row 4 (WS): mds, \*purl until the next marker, sm, p1, sm\* and repeat \*-\* 3 more times, purl until the ds, purl the ds (as one st), p2, turn the work.

Repeat short rows 3–4 for two more times.

Short row 9 (RS): mds, \*knit until the next marker, mlr, sm, k1, sm, ml1\*, repeat \*-\* 3 more times, knit until the ds, knit the ds (as one st), k3, turn the work. (8 sts added)

Short row 10 (WS): mds, \*purl until the next marker, sm, p1, sm\* and repeat \*-\* 3 more times, purl until the ds, purl the ds (as one st), p3, turn the work.

Short row 11 (RS): mds, \*knit until the next marker, mlr, sm, k1, sm, ml1\*, repeat \*-\* 3 more times, knit until the ds, knit the ds (as one st), k3, turn the work. (8 sts added)

Short row 12 (WS): mds, \*purl until the next marker, sm, p1, sm\* and repeat \*-\* 3 more times, purl until the edge marker, sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

You've now completed the short rows. You now have 200 (198) 198 (216) **222** (238) 246 (246) sts on the needles.

Continue knitting stockinette while maintaining the \*k1, p1\* rib on both edges. On row 1 remember to knit the ds from short row 12 as one st. Remember to knit a buttonhole 4 more times every 11 (11) 11 (11.5) 11.5 (11.5) 12 (12) cm / 4 ¼ (4 ¼) 4 ¼ (4 ½) 4 ½ (4 ½) 4 ¾ (4 ¾) in.

Knit the raglan increases as follows:

Row 1 (RS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, \*knit until the next marker, mlr, sm, k1, sm, ml1\*, repeat \*-\* 3 more times, knit until the edge marker, sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib. (8 sts added)

Row 2 (WS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, purl all the way until the edge marker (slip markers as you come to them), sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

Repeat rows 1–2 for 16 (18) 17 (15) 16 (19) 19 (19) times. You now have 336 (350) 342 (344) **358** (398) 406 (398) sts on the needles.

Continue by knitting the raglan increases on every 4 rows as follows:

Row 1 (RS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, \*knit until the next marker, mlr, sm, k1, sm, ml1\*, repeat \*-\* 3 more times, knit until the edge marker, sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib. (8 sts added)

Row 2 (WS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, purl all the way until the edge marker (slip markers as you come to them), sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

Row 3 (RS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, knit all the way until the edge marker (slip markers as you come to them), sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

Row 4 (WS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, purl all the way until the edge marker (slip markers as you come to them), sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

Repeat rows 1–4 for 0 (0) 1 (2) **2** (1) 2 (3) times. You now have 344 (358) 358 (368) **382** (414) 430 (438) sts on the needles and you've knitted 24 (26) **26** (25) 26 (28) 29 (30) raglan increase rounds.

As you continue, maintain the \*k1, p1\* rib over the button band sts but knit stockinette in between. Work until the piece measures 19,5 (21) 21,5 (21,5) **22** (23) 24 (24,5) / 7 ¾ (8 ¼) 8 ½ (8 ½) 8 ⅝ (9) 9 ½ (9 ¾) in, or the desired length. Finish with a WS row.

## Body

On the next row, separate the sleeves from the body.

Row 1 (RS): knit the 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib, sm, \*knit until the next marker, remove marker, k1, remove marker and move the 64 (68) 68 (68) **72** (80) 82 (84) sts remaining before your next marker on a spare yarn or cable. Cast on 10 (12) 18 (22) **22** (20) 26 (28) sts, remove marker, k1, remove marker\*. Repeat \*-\* one more time and knit until

you have 10 sts remaining, sm, knit the remaining 10 button band sts in \*k1, p1\* rib.

The body has 236 (246) 258 (276) **282** (294) 318 (326) sts in total and for each sleeve you have 64 (68) 68 (68) **72** (80) 82 (84) sts waiting on yarn/cable.

Continue knitting the body in stockinette while maintaining the \*k1, p1\* rib over the 10 button band sts on each edge. Remember to knit a buttonhole 4 more times every 11 (11) 11 (11.5) 11.5 (11.5) 12 (12) cm / 4 ¼ (4 ¼) 4 ¼ (4 ½) 4 ½ (4 ½) 4 ¾ (4 ¾) in. Work until the body measures 27 cm / 10 ½ in at the centre front including the rib, or until you're 4 cm / 1 ½ in away from the desired full length. Change to 3 mm / US 2.5 needles and knit \*k1, p1\* rib for 4 cm / 1 ½ in. Bind off.

## Sleeves

Pick up the 64 (68) 68 (68) **72** (80) 82 (84) sts from your spare yarn and place them on 3.75 mm / US 5 needles. Pick up and knit 5 (6) 9 (11) **11** (10) 13 (16) sts from the underarm, k64 (68) 68 (68) **72** (80) 82 (84), pick up and knit 5 (6) 9 (11) **11** (10) 13 (16) sts. You now have 74 (80) 86 (90) **94** (100) 108 (116) sts on the needles.

Knit the sleeve decreases:

Rows 1–9: knit in the round

Row 10: k1, k2tog, knit in the round until you have 3 sts remaining, ssk, k1. (2 sts decreased)

Repeat rows 1–10 for 8 (10) 11 (11) 12 (12) 12 (12) more times. You now have 56 (58) 62 (66) **68** (74) 82 (90) sts on the needles. Continue knitting in the round without the decreases until the sleeve measures 40 cm / 15 ¾ in, or until you're 4 cm / 1 ½ in away from the desired sleeve length. Change to 3 mm / US 2.5 needles and knit \*k1, p1\* rib for 4 cm / 1 ½ in. Bind off.