





LUPIN SWEATER

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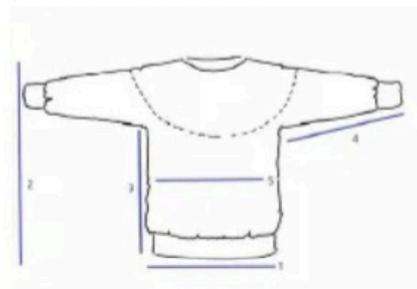
Sizes: S (M) L (XL) 2XL (3XL)

Bust: 100 (106) 114 (122) 130 (137) cm (finished measurement)

Length: 54 (56) 60 (64) 66 (68) cm.

Sleeve length: 42 (44) 44 (44) 44 (42) cm.

The sweater is designed to be worn with 10-20 cm of positive ease in the bust.



- 1 (circumference at hem and bust): 100 (106) 114 (122) 130 (137) cm
- 2 (total length): 54 (56) 60 (64) 66 (68) cm
- 3 (length of body to underarm incl. the dipped hem): 29 (31) 33 (35) 36 (36) cm
- 4 (sleeve length): 42 (44) 44 (44) 44 (42) cm
- 5 (circumference at waist): 100 (106) 114 (122) 130 (137) cm

Yarn

The sweater is made with Spinni and Silk Mohair from Isager Yarn.

Spinni is 100% wool, single ply, 600m/100g, from Isager Yarn

Silk Mohair is 75% Super Kid Mohair and 25% Silk, 212m/25g, from Isager Yarn

Main color:

300 (350) 350 (400) 450 (500) g Spinni, color 6s
125 (125) 150 (150) 175 (175) g Silk Mohair, color E0

The main color is made by holding 2 strands of Spinni and 1 strand of Silk Mohair together.

Pattern color:

All sizes: 25 g Spinni, color 32s
All sizes: 25 g Spinni, color 28s
All sizes: 25 g Spinni, color 33s

The pattern color is made by holding 3 strands of Spinni (one of each color) together.

Gauge

18 sts x 28 rounds = 10 x 10 cm on 4 mm needles over stockinette and pattern.

The swatch must be knitted in the round and washed before measuring.

Needles and notions

Circular needles 3,5 and 4 mm (40 + 80/100 cm)
Double pointed needles 3,5 and 4 mm (or use a long circular needle for magic loop)

Stitch markers or loops of brightly colored yarn

Tapestry needle for weaving in ends

Techniques

German short rows

Knit (or purl) to the turning point and turn your work.

Slip one stitch purlwise, with the yarn in front.

Pull the working yarn up and over the right needle to create a double stitch.

Bring the yarn to the front between the needles and purl on – or leave the yarn in the back and knit on, as the case may be.

Italian bind-off

I recommend that you find a video on youtube if this technique is new to you.

Don't forget the two rounds of double knitting – they do make a difference.

Twisted ribbing

k1 tbl, p1 repeat *-*

Abbreviations

K tbl – knit through the back loop

L.dec. – left leaning decrease – knit two together through the back loops

M1L – left leaning increase – pick up the bar between the stitches from the front and knit it through the back loop

M1R – right leaning increase – pick up the bar between the stitches from the back and knit it

R.dec. – right leaning decrease – knit two together

Notes – before you begin

Read through the entire pattern before you cast on.

Don't forget to make a swatch – especially if you decide to use a different yarn – to make sure that your gauge matches the one in the pattern and is the same over stockinette using one color and following the chart.

LUPIN sweater is knitted from the top down. The neck band is knitted last.

The pattern on the yoke is worked from the chart, and then we make German short rows to raise the back neck for a better fit.

A few raglan increases are made before we separate the body and the sleeves.

With the sleeve stitches on hold the body is worked to desired length before more short rows create the dipped hem in the back. Twisted ribbing and an Italian bind-off finishes the body and the sleeves nicely.

The neckband is made last and matches the other ribbings.

LUPIN SWEATER

The LUPIN sweater is inspired by the beautiful and tall lupin flower – romantic and colorful at the same time.

The yoke is a wild bouquet of flowers, translated into stitches, adorning your shoulders in the most grand and beautiful way.

I wish you happy knitting!

Love,

Yoke

Cast on 80 (84) 90 (90) 94 (94) sts using the main color and the short circular 4 mm needle.

Join in the round, being careful not to twist, and place a marker for the beginning of the round at center back.

Knit through the chart and one the very first round increase 0 (1) 0 (5) 6 (11) sts evenly spaced.

After that first round you have 80 (85) 90 (95) 100 (105) sts.

After the chart you have 224 (238) 252 (266) 280 (294) sts.

We continue around in stockinette using the main color, and now we make German short rows to raise and shape the back neck. Place markers either side of the center 136 (146) 152 (156) 164 (176) sts on the back = 68 (73) 76 (78) 82 (88) sts either side of the marker for the beginning of the round.

Short row 1 (RS): K to the left marker, turn (see Techniques).

Short row 2 (WS): 1 double st, p to the right marker, turn.

Short row 3 (RS): 1 double st, k to 10 sts before the double st from last row, turn.

Short row 4 (WS): 1 double st, p to 10 sts before the double st from last row, turn.

Repeat short rows 3 and 4 3 (3) 3 (4) 4 (4) more times – for a total of 5 (5) 5 (6) 6 (6) turns on each side.

Last short row (RS): 1 double st, knit a full round, knitting the double sts as one st, and stop at the center back marker.

Remove the two markers used for the short rows.

Now we get ready for the raglan increases by knitting a round placing 4 markers after 37-38-74-38-37 m (39-42-77-42-38 sts) 42-42-84-42-42 sts (45-44-89-44-44 sts) 47-46-94-46-47 sts (50-48-99-48-49 sts).

Leave the center back marker! We need it later.

Raglan increases: Knit 1 round. Knit to 1 st before the marker *M1R, K1, slip marker, K1, M1L, knit to 1 st before marker*, repeat *-* to the end of the round.

Make the raglan increases every other round, 2 (3) 3 (4) 4 (5) times total.

You have 240 (262) 276 (298) 312 (334) sts.

Continue around until the sweater measures 22 (23) 25 (26) 27 (28) cm at center front.

Separate at the markers and leave the sleeve sts on hold.

Join the sts for the body and cast on 12 (12) 12 (14) 14 (14) under each sleeve.

Body

You have 180 (190) 204 (222) 232 (246) sts.

Place a marker I the middle of the new sts under each sleeve. You have 2x90 (2x95) 2x102 (2x111) 2x116 (2x123) sts.

Knit around until the body measures 20 (22) 24 (25) 26 (26) cm or desired length from the new sts before the dipped hem.

Now we make short rows across the back to make the dipped hem. Place markers either side of the center 20 sts on the back = 10 sts either side of the center back marker.

Short row 1 (RS): K to the left marker, turn (see Techniques).

Short row 2 (WS): 1 double st, p to the right marker, turn.

Short row 3 (RS): 1 double st, k to the double st from last row, knit the two parts of the double st together, k10, turn.

Short row 4 (WS): 1 double st, p to the double st from last row, p the two parts of the double st together, p10, turn.

Repeat short rows 3 and 4 3 (3) 4 (4) 4 (4) more times – for a total of 5 (5) 6 (6) 6 (6) turns on each side.

Last short row (RS): 1 double st, knit a full round, knitting the double sts as one st, and stop at the center back marker.

Remove the two markers used for the short rows.

Knit to the right marker. Now the round begins and ends here, and you can remove the center back marker.

Change to 3,5 mm needles and purl one round and knit one round. Continue in twisted ribbing (se Techniques) for 7 (7) 7 (8) 8 (8) cm.

Finish with two rounds of double knitting and bind off using the Italian bind-off.

Sleeves

Transfer the sleeve sts to 4 mm DPNs (or use a long circular needle and the magic loop technique). Pick up and knit 12 (12) 12 (14) 14 (14) sts in the from the new sts on the body. You have: 54 (60) 60 (66) 68 (72) sts.

Place a marker in the middle of the new sts to mark the beginning of the round.

Sizes S (M) L: continue straight until the sleeve measures 35 (37) 37 cm or desired length before ribbing.

Sizes (XL) 2XL (3XL): the decreases on the sleeve are made like this: K1, R.dec., knit to one st before the marker, L.dec., K1. Make the decreases every 30th round for a total of (2) 3 (4) times.

You have 62 (62) 64 sts.

Continue straight until the sleeve measures 36 (36) 34 cm or desired length before ribbing.

Change to 3,5 mm needles and purl one round and knit one round. Continue in twisted ribbing (se Techniques) for 7 (7) 7 (8) 8 (8) cm.

Finish with two rounds of double knitting and bind off using the Italian bind-off.

Finish the other sleeve the same way.

Neckband

Pick up and knit 80 (84) 90 (90) 94 (94) from the cast-on using the main color and the short circular 3,5 mm needle. Place a marker at

beginning of round at center back.

Purl one round and knit one round. Continue in twisted ribbing (se Techniques) for 6 (6) 6 (7) 7 (7) cm.

Finish with two rounds of double knitting and bind off using the Italian bind-off.

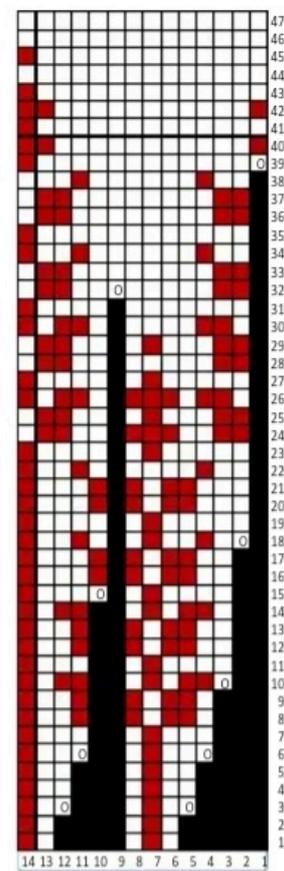
Finishing and washing

Weave in your ends.

Wash the sweater gently (follow the care instructions on the ball band of your chosen yarn) and leave it flat to dry.

It is a good idea to pin the sweater into shape to stabilize the fit as it dries. This minimizes the twisting that can happen when knitting single ply yarn in the round.

CHART



- main color
- pattern color
- M1
- no stitch

Congratulations!

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