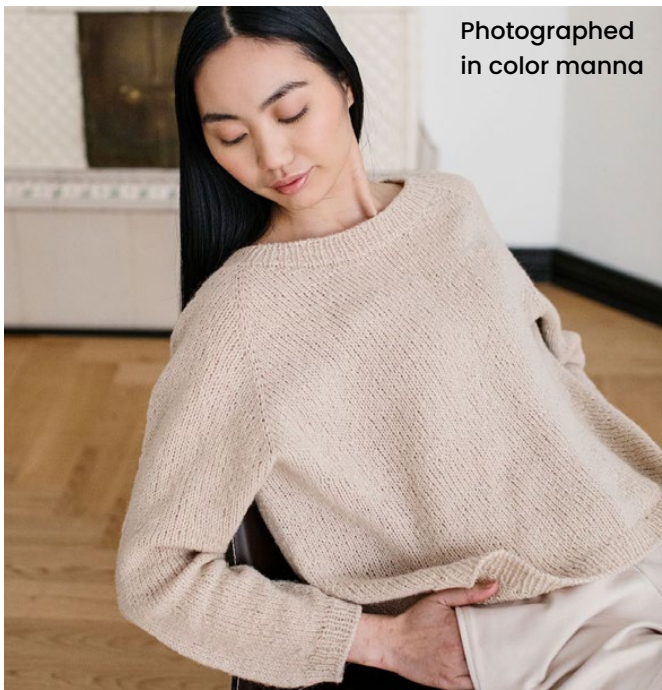




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Juntu basic raglan sweater

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YARN

3 (3) 4 (4) **4** (4) 5 (5) skeins; 285 (300) 322 (345) 363 (384) 426 (457) g Tukuwool DK 100 % Finnish wool 250 m / 100 g
Yardage: 713 (750) 804 (863) 908 (961) 1065 (1143) m / 780 (820) 880 (945) 995 (1050) 1165 (1250) yards

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SIZES

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

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust circumference

99 (104) 108 (115) **120** (125) 136,5 (144) cm / 39 (41) 42 ½ (45 ¼) **47 ¼** (49 ¼) 53 ¾ (56 ¾) in

Sleeve circumference

33 (35) 37,5 (40) **42** (45) 49,5 (53) cm / 13 (13 ¾) 14 ¾ (15 ¾) **16 ½** (17 ¾) 19 ½ (20 7/8) in

Length from armpit to hem

31 cm / 12 ¼ in

Full length

49 (50) 50,5 (51) **51,5** (52) 53 (54) cm / 19 ¼ (19 ¾) 19 7/8 (20) **20 ¼** (20 ½) 20 7/8 (21 ¼) in

Sleeve length

39 cm / 15 ¾ in

GAUGE

17 sts x 28 rows

NEEDLES & NOTIONS

4 mm / US 6 circular needles, 80 cm / 32 in

5 mm / US 8 circular needles, 80 cm / 32 in

9 stitch markers total, 1 marker should be easily distinguishable from the others

Juntu is an easy and relaxed basic sweater. It's knitted top-down in one piece with raglan sleeves making it suitable even for beginner knitters. The yoke is shaped with a few short rows.

The Juntu sweaters are shown in size 5 and worn with 30 cm / 12" positive ease. Recommended to be worn with 10-30 cm / 4-12" positive ease at bust.

Abbreviations:

s	stitch
sts	stitches
k	knit
p	purl
pm	place marker
sm	slip marker
mbs	make a double stitch
m1r	make one right - with the left needle, pick up the strand between the last stitch knit and the next stitch from back to front and knit into the front of this stitch
m1l	make one left - with the right needle, pick up the strand between the last stitch knit and the next stitch from back to front and knit into the back of this stitch
ssk	slip, slip, knit 2 stitches together through the back loops (left-leaning decrease, 1 sts decreased)
k2	tog knit 2 stitches together (right-leaning decrease, 1 sts decreased)

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 sweater 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 96 (96) 96 (108) **108** (108) 120 (120) sts on 4 mm / US 6 circular needles using your preferred cast-on method. Join in the round and be careful not to twist the stitches. Work *k1, p1* rib for 4 cm / 1 ½ in. Change to 5 mm / US 8 needles.

While knitting the first round you'll place the 9 stitch markers on: 8 markers for the raglan increases and 1 for marking the beginning of the round (we'll call this marker "round marker"). The round marker should preferably be easily distinguishable from the other markers for clarity.

First round:

Place round marker, knit 18 (18) 18 (20) **20** (20) 22 (22) (half of the back), place marker, k1, pm, k10

(10) 10 (12) **12** (12) 14 (14), pm, k1, pm, k36 (36) 36 (40) **40** (40) 44 (44), pm, k1, pm, k10 (10) 10 (12) **12** (12) 14 (14), pm, k1, pm, k18 (18) 18 (20) **20** (20) 22 (22).

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 until next marker, m1r, slip marker, k1, sm, m1l*. Repeat *-* one more time, k2, turn the work. (4 sts added)

Short row 2 (WS): make a double stitch, purl until round marker, sm, *purl until next marker, m1lp, sm, p1, sm, m1rp*. Repeat *-* one more time, p2, turn the work. (4 sts added)

Short row 3 (RS): mbs, knit until round marker, *knit until next marker, m1r, sm, k1, sm, m1l*. Repeat *-* one more time. Knit until the ds, knit the ds (as one st), k2, turn the work. (4 sts added)

Short row 4 (WS): mbs, purl until round marker, sm, *purl until next marker, m1lp, sm, p1, sm, m1rp*. Repeat *-* one more time. Purl until the ds, purl the ds (as one st), p2, turn the work. (4 sts added)

Repeat rows 3–4 for two more times.

Short row 9 (RS): mbs, knit until round marker, *knit until next marker, m1r, sm, k1, sm, m1l*. Repeat *-* one more time. Knit until the ds, knit the ds, k3, turn the work. (4 sts added)

Short row 10 (WS): mbs, purl until round marker, sm, *purl until next marker, m1lp, sm, p1, sm, m1rp*. Repeat *-* one more time. Purl until the ds, purl the ds, p3, turn the work. (4 sts added)

Repeat rows 9–10 one more time.

Knit until the round marker. You now have 144 (144) 144 (156) **156** (156) 168 (168) sts on the needles.

Continue by knitting in the round and add raglan increases as follows:

Row 1: *knit until the next marker, m1r, sm, k1, sm, m1l*. Repeat *-* 3 more times. Knit until the round marker. (8 sts added)

Row 2: knit in the round.

Repeat rows 1–2 for 14 (15) 16 (17) **19** (20) 22 (24) more times. You now have 264 (272) 280 (300) **316** (324) 352 (368) sts on the needles.

Knit in the round until the work measures 18 (19) 19,5 (20) **20,5** (21) 22 (23) cm / 7 (7 ½) 7 ¾ (7 ⅞) 8 (8 ¼) 8 ⅝ (9) in or your desired length.

Body

Separate the body and the sleeves:

*Knit until the next marker, remove marker, knit the raglan st, rm. Move the sts remaining before your next marker on a spare cable or yarn. Cast on 4 (6) 8 (8) **8** (10) 12 (14) sts, rm, knit the raglan st, rm.* Repeat *-*.

The body now has 168 (176) 184 (196) **204** (212) 232 (244) sts. For each sleeve you have 52 (54) 56 (60) **64** (66) 72 (76) sts waiting on cable/yarn.

Continue knitting in the round until the body measures 27 cm / 10 ½ in, or until you're 4 cm / 1 ½ in away from your desired full length. Change to 4 mm / US 6 needles. Work *k1, p1* rib for 4 cm / 1 ½ in. Bind off.

Sleeves

Pick up your 52 (54) 56 (60) **64** (66) 72 (76) sleeve stitches from the cable/yarn and place them on 5 mm / US 8 needles. Pick up and knit 2 (3) 4 (4) **4** (5) 6 (7) sts from the underarm, knit 52 (54) 56 (60) **64** (66) 72 (76) sts, pick up and knit 2 (3) 4 (4) **4** (5) 6 (7) sts from the underarm. You now have 56 (60) 64 (68) **72** (76) 84 (90) sts on your needles.

Rows 1–5: knit in the round.

Row 6: k1, k2tog, knit in the round until you have 3 sts remaining in the round, ssk, k1.
(2 sts decreased)

Repeat rows 1–6 for 5 (6) 7 (7) **9** (9) 11 (12) more times. You now have 44 (46) 48 (52) **52** (56) 60 (64) sts on your needles. Continue knitting in the round without decreases until the sleeve measures 35 cm / 13 ¾ in, or until you're 4 cm / 1 ½ in away from your desired sleeve length. Change to 4 mm / US 6 needles and work *k1, p1* rib for 4 cm / 1 ½ in. Bind off.

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