

Go handmade quality design in a unique style

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Tencel - your new favourite yarn.

Tencel is a organic sustainable natural material manufactured from wood chips, primarily from beech and eucalyptus. The wood is FSC certified and comes from natural culling of the woods or leftovers from other wood production. Tencel is the most sustainable of materials, made with the most utterly environmental concerns.

The uniqueness of Tencel - soft and mild for the skin. The composition of the fibres' smooth structure from beech and eucalyptus makes Tencel material very pleasant for the skin. It's softer than silk and smoother to the skin than wool and cotton and has also a fantastic absorbent quality.

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YARN USAGE:

Size 3 mths.:

175 g Go Handmade Tencel (Double thread)

Double thread

Size 6 mths.:

225 g Go Handmade Tencel (Double thread)

Buttons

Double pointed knitting needles (DPNs) 3,5 mm Circular knitting needle 3,5 mm

Tension with 3,5 mm (**Double thread**):

26 sts = 10 cm

Yarn lengths are guideline only.

For a nicer edge of the button tape, it is possible to slip the first stitch purl wise with the thread in front of the work - knit this stitch in the next row.

The sleeves can be knitted with double pointed needles or a 80 cm circular needle with magic loop.

ABBREVIATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

St(s) Stitch(es)

r Row(s) k Knit

p2tog Purl 2 sts together.

Buttonhole Worked over the 6 sts of the button tape:

k2, bind off 2, k2.

In the next row, cast on 2 sts above the

2 sts previously bound off.

Cable r 1: {k4, p4}

r 2: {p4, k4}

r 3: same as r 1

r 4: {p4, place 2 sts on auxiliary needle in front of the work. Knit 2sts from right needle, then knit the 2 sts from the aux needle}.

{...} Repeat what is shown in these brackets

to the end of the row

(..) At the end of the line, specifies the number of sts on the needle for both sizes. Size 6 months is in brackets.

Sizes: 3 months (6 months).

CABLED CARDIGAN 3 MONTHS (6 MONTHS)

BACK/FRONT

Cast on 150 (180) sts with double yarn on needle 3,5 and knit 4 r of ribbing – k1, p1.

Start and end each r with k6 for the button tape. Make the first button hole after 4 "(garter stitch) ridges" and the next one after 9 [11] "ridges". Place the button holes on the desired side of the cardigan.

Start cable pattern on the wrong side of the work, increasing by 2 (4) sts for a total of 152 (184) sts. Continue to knit until 14 (17) cm high.

Divide the work into front and back pieces: 40 (48) for each front piece and 72 (88) for the back.

Start with the right front piece.

Knit until the armhole measure 7 (8) cm.

Do not forget the button holes.

UK

Decrease for the neckline every other row as follows: Bind off the 6 sts of the button tape.

Bind off 3×3 sts, 2 sts, 1 st (4 sts, 3 sts, 2 sts, 1 st). 22 (32) sts remain.

The armhole measures 11 (12) cm.

Place the sts on a safety pin and knit the left front piece mirroring the right piece – the last button hole will be placed bevor the last 4 "ridges" of the choses side.

Knit the back piece until 9 (10) cm high. Place the 22 central sts on a safety pin and finish the two sides separately.

For the neck, bind off 2, 1 (1, 0) sts each other row. 22 (32) sts remain.

Place one front onto the back piece facing by right side, knit the sts front and back together, bind off at the same time.

Mirror the procedure with the other front piece.

SLEEVE(S)

Pick up 54 (60) sts on the right side of the armhole. Work in inverted stocking stitch, e.g. the first row is knitted on the wrong side of the work, including 4 sts cable pattern in the centre of the sleeve.

Decrease on each side of the sleeve as follows: p1, p2tog, knit the cables as they appear, until 3 sts are left in this row, p2tog, p1.

Repeat decreases every 1,5 cm, in total 8 (9) times. 38 (42) sts remain on the needle.

When the sleeve is 14 (17) cm long, knit 4 r ribbing k1, p1.

Bind off.

NECKBAND

Pick up 21 st on the right front, knit the 22 st on the back, pick up 21 st on the other front.

Knit 8 rows and cast off loosely on the last row.

FINISH

Sew under the sleeves, sew in the ends and sew on the buttons.

FINAL MEASUREMENTS OF THE CARDIGAN

 Length
 24 (28) cm.

 Circumference
 55 (58) cm.

Good to know

Go handmade's collection is developed and handcrafted by the expert hands of passionate knitters. All are knitted to meet what we find is a medium tightness and what suits the article.

Needle size and tension

Knitters knit very differently: some knit with a needle size 2,0 mm and obtain the same size of design quality as a person who knits with a needle size 4,0 mm. We owe this knowledge to the team of knitters who join us. The key to knit a specific size is a lot about the knitting style/hands/skills, rather than the size of needles. Therefore, we will recommend a range of needle sizes.

