



Youth Judah Zipped Cardigan



MATERIALS AND INFO

Size: 3, 4 (5, 6) 7, 8, (9, 10) 11, 12 (13, 14)

Materials: Approximately 3, 4 (4, 5) 5, 5 (6, 6) 7, 7 (7, 8) balls of [KnitPick Upcycle Alpaca Blend Worsted in Latte \(219y/100g\)](#), 15, 15 (16, 17) 18 19 (20, 20) 21, 21 (23, 25) inch separating zipper, yarn needle, stitch markers
Needle Size: 7(US) 4.5mm straight needle 6(US) 4mm 24in circular needle
Gauge (tension): 20sts & 35 rows to make 10cm square, using size 7(US) 4.5mm needles

Chest Measurement: 55, 57 (59, 61) 64, 67 (70, 73) 76, 79 (82, 90) cm

METHOD

This pattern is for a drop sleeve style that is worked flat from the bottom up with 10cm of ease. The main body is knit in a broken rib pattern while the edges are worked in a 1x1 rib pattern.

BROKEN RIB PATTERN

Row 1(right side row) - knit across

Row 2 - (k1, p1) across

1X1 RIB PATTERN

Row 1 (right side row) - (k1, p1) across

Row 2 - knit all the knit stitches, purl all the purl stitches.



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BACK

Cast on 74, 76 (78, 80) 84, 86 (90, 94) 96, 100 (104, 112) sts using the cast on of your choice.

Work 4 cms of 1x1 rib.

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Work in broken rib pattern until your work measures 23, 24 (25.5, 27) 28, 29.5 (30.5, 32) 33, 34 (35.5, 38.5) cm measured from the cast-on edge. Place markers on each end of the row to mark armhole.

Continue working in broken rib pattern until work measures 35, 37 (39, 41) 43, 45 (47, 49) 51, 53 (55, 60) cms from cast on edge ending after completing a wrong side row.

SHOULDERS

Bind off 8, 8 (8, 8) 9, 9 (9, 10) 10, 10 (11, 11) sts at the beginning of the next 2 rows.

Bind off 8, 8 (8, 8) 9, 9 (9, 10) 10, 10 (11, 11) sts then work in broken rib pattern until you have 11, 12 (12, 13) 12, 12 (14, 13) 13, 15 (14, 16) sts on your right needle. Put remaining sts on a stitch holder.

Turn and bind off 3 sts, work to end of row.

Turn and bind off the remaining 8, 9 (9, 10) 9, 9 (11, 10) 10, 12 (11, 13) sts.

With right side facing rejoin yarn to the sts on the st holder.

Bind off the first 20, 20 (22, 22) 24, 26 (26, 28) 30, 30 (32, 36) sts, then work the remaining 19, 20 (20, 21) 21, 21 (23, 23) 23, 25 (25, 27) sts in broken rib pattern already established.

Turn and bind off the first 8, 8 (8, 8) 9, 9 (9, 10) 10, 10 (11, 11) sts, work in broken rib pattern across.

Turn and bind off 3 sts, work to end of row in broken rib pattern.

Bind off the remaining 8, 9 (9, 10) 9, 9 (11, 10) 10, 12 (11, 13) sts.

LEFT FRONT

Cast on 36, 37 (38, 39) 41, 42 (44, 46) 47, 49 (51, 55) sts using the same cast on as the back

Work 4 cms of 1x1 rib.

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Continue working in broken rib pattern until work measures 32, 34 (36, 39) 39.5, 42.5 (43.5, 45) 47, 48.5 (50, 55) cms from cast on edge ending after completing a right side row.

NECK

Next row - Bind off 8, 8 (9, 9) 10, 10 (10, 11) 12, 12 (10, 12) sts, work to end of row [28, 29 (29, 30) 31, 32 (34, 35) 35, 37 (41, 43) sts]



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Decrease 1 sts at the neck edge of the next 2, 2 (2, 2) 2, 3 (3, 3) 3, 3 (5, 5) rows.
[26, 27 (27, 28) 29, 29 (31, 32) 32, 34 (35, 38) sts]

Decrease 1 sts at neck edge on right side only 2, 2 (2, 2) 2, 2 (2, 2) 2, 2 (3, 3) times
[24, 25 (25, 26) 27, 27 (29, 30) 30, 32 (33, 33) sts]

Continue in broken rib pattern until work measures 35, 37 (39, 41) 43, 45 (47, 49)
51, 53 (55, 60) cms from cast on edge, ending after completing a wrong side row

SHOULDERS

Bind off 8, 8 (8, 8) 9, 9 (9, 10) 10, 10 (11, 11) sts, work to end of row

Work the next row without shaping

Bind off 8, 8 (8, 8) 9, 9 (9, 10) 10, 10 (11, 11) sts, work to end of row

Work the next row without shaping

Bind off remaining 8, 9 (9, 10) 8, 9 (11, 10) 10, 12 (11, 13) sts

RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 36, 37 (38, 39) 41, 42 (44, 46) 47, 49 (51, 55) sts using the same cast on as the back

Work 4 cms of 1x1 rib.

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SLEEVES (MAKE 2)

Cast on now 38, 38 (38, 38) 44, 46 (46, 48) 48, 48 (46, 52) sts
Work 4 cms of 1x1 rib.

Work 4 rows of broken rib pattern.

Increase rows - inc 1 st at each end of next and each following 4th row 6, 9 (10, 10) 6, 7 (11, 8) 11, 15 (17, 23) times, then every 6th row 4, 3 (3, 4) 7, 7 (5, 8) 7, 5 (4, 1) times to 60, 64 (66, 68) 72, 76 (80, 82) 86, 90 (94, 102) sts.

Continue working in broken rib pattern until your work measures 24, 26.5 (28, 29) 28, 29.5 (31.5, 33) 34.5, 38 (39, 40.5) cms or length desired (I like to make a sweater fit longer by adding extra length to the sleeve so the cuff can be folded over as seen in model images), finishing after completing a wrong side row.
Bind off all sts evenly.

NECK

Join both shoulder seams, using yarn on a tapestry/yarn needle.

With right side facing pick up and knit 8, 8 (9, 9) 10, 10 (10, 11) 12, 12 (10, 12) sts along right from bind off edge, 9, 11 (11, 11) 11, 12 (12, 12) 14, 14 (16, 16) sts up right front of neck, 26, 26 (28, 28) 30, 32 (32, 34) 36, 36 (38, 42) sts from back neck, 9, 11 (11, 11) 11, 12 (12, 12) 14, 14 (16, 16) sts up left front and side of neck, 8, 8 (9, 9) 10, 10 (10, 11) 12, 12 (10, 12) sts along left from bind off edge.
[60, 64 (68, 68) 72, 76 (76, 80) 88, 88 (90, 98) sts]

Work 10, 10 (10, 10) 13, 13 (13, 13) 15, 15 (15, 15) cms of 1x1 rib.

Bind off all sts in pattern. Fold over (toward the wrong side) the neck and sew it down.

FRONT BANDS (REPEAT FOR BOTH BANDS)

Pick up 1 stitch for each row along front and neck using the size 6 circular needle.

Cast on 7 sts, turn (wrong side now facing) work 1x1 ribbing for 6sts starting with purl, purl together the last cast on band stitch with the first picked up stitch. Turn, knit together the next picked up stitch with the first cast on band stitch. Continue in this pattern until all picked up stitches have been worked.

I have a short on youtube to show I how I did this BUT I am left handed so it may appear backwards to you. It will give you a better idea of how to do this if you haven't made an applied band though. You can find it [here](#).

Bind off in established rib pattern.

FINISHING



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Sew the sleeves on, side seams and sleeve seams. I prefer to use the mattress stitch because it almost appears seamless. Weave in all ends. Sew the separating zipper on. I like to use blocking wires to hold my work flat as I baste my zipper on. It helps keep the zipper from being wavy.



ABBREVIATIONS

K - knit

PM - place marker

K2tog - knit 2 stitches together

ST - stitch

SSK - slip, slip, knit the slipped sts together

P - purl

INC - increase

YO - yarn over

STS - stitches