



## **Technical Guide**

**Vårgårda UCI Women´s WorldTour WestSweden**

**Road Race**

**Vårgårda, Sweden**

**August 7, 2022**

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## Specific regulations

### 1. Organisation

**Vårgårda UCI Women's WorldTour WestSweden** is organised by Vårgårda Cykelklubb, Box 55, S-447 22 Vårgårda under regulations of the International Cycling Union (UCI) on Sunday August 7, 2022

### 2. Type of event

The event is open for riders of the Women Elite and U23 categories. The event is entered on the UCI Calendar as a UCI Women's WorldTour event.

Points are awarded towards the UCI Road Women WorldTour classification (as per article 2.10.033)

Position	Points	Position	Points
1	400	21	16
2	320	22	16
3	260	23	16
4	220	24	16
5	180	25	16
6	140	26	16
7	120	27	16
8	100	28	16
9	80	29	16
10	68	30	16
11	56	31	8
12	48	32	8
13	40	33	8
14	32	34	8
15	28	35	8
16	24	36	8
17	24	37	8
18	24	38	8
19	24	39	8
20	24	40	8

Points awarded to rider wearing the leaders jersey of the UCI Women's World Tour

Position	Points
1	8

Points are awarded towards the UCI Women's WorldTour secondary classification (as per article 2.13.006) for best young rider, U23.

Position	Points
1	6
2	4
3	2

The team classification is obtained by adding the individual classification points scored by all the riders of the team in the UCI Women's WorldTour individual ranking.

The team classification shall only include UCI Women's Teams.

Points are also awarded towards the Elite and U23 Women's UCI World Ranking (as per article 2.10.017)

Position	Points	Position	Points
1	400	21	16
2	320	22	16
3	260	23	16
4	220	24	16
5	180	25	16
6	140	26	16
7	120	27	16
8	100	28	16
9	80	29	16
10	68	30	16
11	56	31	8
12	48	32	8
13	40	33	8
14	32	34	8
15	28	35	8
16	24	36	8
17	24	37	8
18	24	38	8
19	24	39	8
20	24	40	8

### 3. *Participation*

As per article 2.13.005 the UCI Women's WorldTour events is open to UCI Women's WorldTeams and UCI women's continental teams. In accordance with article 2.1.005 the race is open for a national team from the country of the organizer. The maximum number of teams at the start of a UCI Women's WorldTour event is set at 24 teams.

Teams shall be formed of six riders in accordance with article 2.2.003

### 4. *Race Headquarters*

Race Headquarters are located at **Kyrkogatan 7, Vårgårda.**

Approximately 200 meters after the start/finish

#### **Opening hours:**

Friday, August 5	14.00 - 19.00
Saturday, August 6	07.00 - 18.00
Sunday, August 7	07.00 - 17.00

Team representatives are requested to confirm their starters and collect their race numbers at Race Headquarters, Kyrkogatan 7:

**Sunday, August 7 07.30 – 08.45**

The team managers' meeting, in the presence of the Members of the Commissaires Panel, will be held at the Race Headquarters, Kyrkogatan 7.

**Sunday, August 7 09.00**

## 5. **Radio tour**

Race information will be given over Radio Tour on frequency 168,3625 MHz.

## 6. **Neutral technical support**

The neutral support is handled by the organiser with 3 cars and a motorbike.

## 7. **Finishing time limits**

Any rider finishing in a time exceeding that of the winner by more than 8% shall not be placed. The time limit may, in exceptional circumstances, be increased by the Commissaries Panel in agreement with the organizer.

## 8. **Classifications**

The following classifications will be issued:

- Individual classification by time.
- Individual secondary classification young riders, U23.

## 9. **Prizes**

The following prizes will be awarded:

Ranking	Prize money (€)	Ranking	Prize money (€)
1 <sup>st</sup>	1690	11 <sup>th</sup>	175
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1250	12 <sup>th</sup>	175
3 <sup>rd</sup>	840	13 <sup>th</sup>	175
4 <sup>th</sup>	505	14 <sup>th</sup>	175
5 <sup>th</sup>	425	15 <sup>th</sup>	175
6 <sup>th</sup>	370	16 <sup>th</sup>	130
7 <sup>th</sup>	335	17 <sup>th</sup>	130
8 <sup>th</sup>	290	18 <sup>th</sup>	130
9 <sup>th</sup>	250	19 <sup>th</sup>	130
10 <sup>th</sup>	220	20 <sup>th</sup>	130
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7700</b>

Prize money will be handled via UCI Cycling Price Management CPM

## 10. **Antidoping**

The UCI antidoping regulations are entirely applicable to the event.

Test will take place at Vårgårda Health Centre, Centrumgatan 2, approximately 400 meters from Start- and Finish area.

## **11. Awards ceremony**

In accordance with article 2.14.008 of the UCI rules, the following riders must attend the official awards ceremony:

- The first 3 riders of the event.
- The individual leader of the UCI Road Women´s World Tour after the event.
- The leader of the best young riders classification

The riders have to be present at the podium not later than 10 minutes after finishing at Murartorget.

After the award ceremony, the winner of the event and the leader of the UCI Women´s WorldTour after the event are required to attend the press conference in the company of the organiser.

## **12. Penalties**

The UCI penalty scale is the only one applicable

# **General information**

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## **1. Hospitals**

- Alingsås Hospital, Södra Ringgatan, phone +46 (0)322 22 60 00
- Medical Center / Vårdcentralen Vårgårda, Centrumgatan 2  
phone +46 (0)10 435 85 00.
- Medical Center / Herrljunga Vårdcentral, Horsbyvägen 16  
phone +46 (0) 513 177 20.
- SOS alarm, phone 112.

## **2. Accommodation**

For teams staying at Grand Hotel Alingsås we refer to the reception or to the race office in Vårgårda. For questions call Grand Hotel Alingsås directly +46 (0) 322 67 01 00. For teams staying at Herrljunga Hotell & Konferens, we refer to the reception or the race office in Vårgårda. For questions call Herrljunga Hotell & Konferens directly +46 (0) 513 222 40. For teams staying at Lumber&Karle, we refer to the reception or the race office in Vårgårda. For questions call Lumber&Karle directly +46 (0)512 709 00.

### 3. *Driving your car*

Security remains the single most important factor for our organisation in all our events. Therefore we urge you all to pay the highest attention and drive carefully both during race and at any other time.

During race it is of course absolutely prohibited to drive in the non-race direction or to deviate from the course if not instructed to do so by police or security staff. Dipped headlights should be switched on during driving. Always use the seat belts.

The organisation applies a zero limit rule for alcohol during driving. Tests might be carried out.

### 4. *Environment*

We all love cycling on all levels and to be able to enjoy it we need a clean and beautiful nature.

The organisation of Postnord UCI WWT Vårgårda WestSweden continues to work in different fora and with different local and regional councils to promote cycling in all its different forms; as the best means of local transport, as recreation for all as well as environmental friendly and the best way to experience the beautiful Swedish nature.

During the World Tour weekend we count on your support;

- Please do not litter anything during the race, for bottles or other items we ask you to use our signposted litter zones.
- Please respect all instructions concerning washing laundry, cleaning of bikes or team cars. Cars **shall** be cleaned at a authorized carwash. There are three in Alingsås and three in Vårgårda.
  - Carwash Sävelund (24h), Pumpgatan 1, Alingsås
  - Carwash Ängabo (24h), Odengatan 2, Alingsås
  - Circle K (24h), Gamla Vänersborgsvägen 11, Alingsås
  - Circle K, (8.00-24.00), Stockholmsvägen 1, Vårgårda
  - Bada Bilen (24h), Wallentinsvägen 1, Vårgårda
  - Hall Carwash (7.00-22.00 H/B max 2,3/2,5m) Wallentinsvägen , Vårgårda

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation and hope you will enjoy our World Cup races and our beautiful landscape for many years on.



## Race information

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### 1. **Course**

The course is described in the enclosed road maps, profiles and calculated passing times. The race starts with 1 lap á 37,7 km, followed by 8 Hägrungalaps á 11 km. Total course 125,7 km. The first long lap contains 3 gravel sections, marked as 1,2 and 3.

### 2. **Team presentation**

All teams will be presented to the public, in order given at latest at Team Managers Meeting, at the podium on Murartorget, Vårgårda (in the start-area). The presentation starts at Sunday 7/8 at 09.45

### 3. **Start**

Start at 11.15

### 4. **Equipment**

All riders have to wear electronic device (chip) to be automatically registered for finish. Information will be given on the team managers meeting and at the registration.

### 5. **Radio communication**

All vehicles following the race must be equipped with working radio communication (Radio Tour) . Radios are distributed at the team managers´ meeting.

After the race, radios must be returned to Race Headquarters, otherwise the team will be charged a cost of SEK 5000/ Euro 545.

Radio Tour will operate on frequency 168,3625 MHz.

The race will also be broadcasted over the local radio network, 97,0 MHz (in Swedish only).

### 6. **Feeding**

Feeding is allowed within the feeding zones and from car according to UCI-regulations. Information will be given at the team managers meeting.

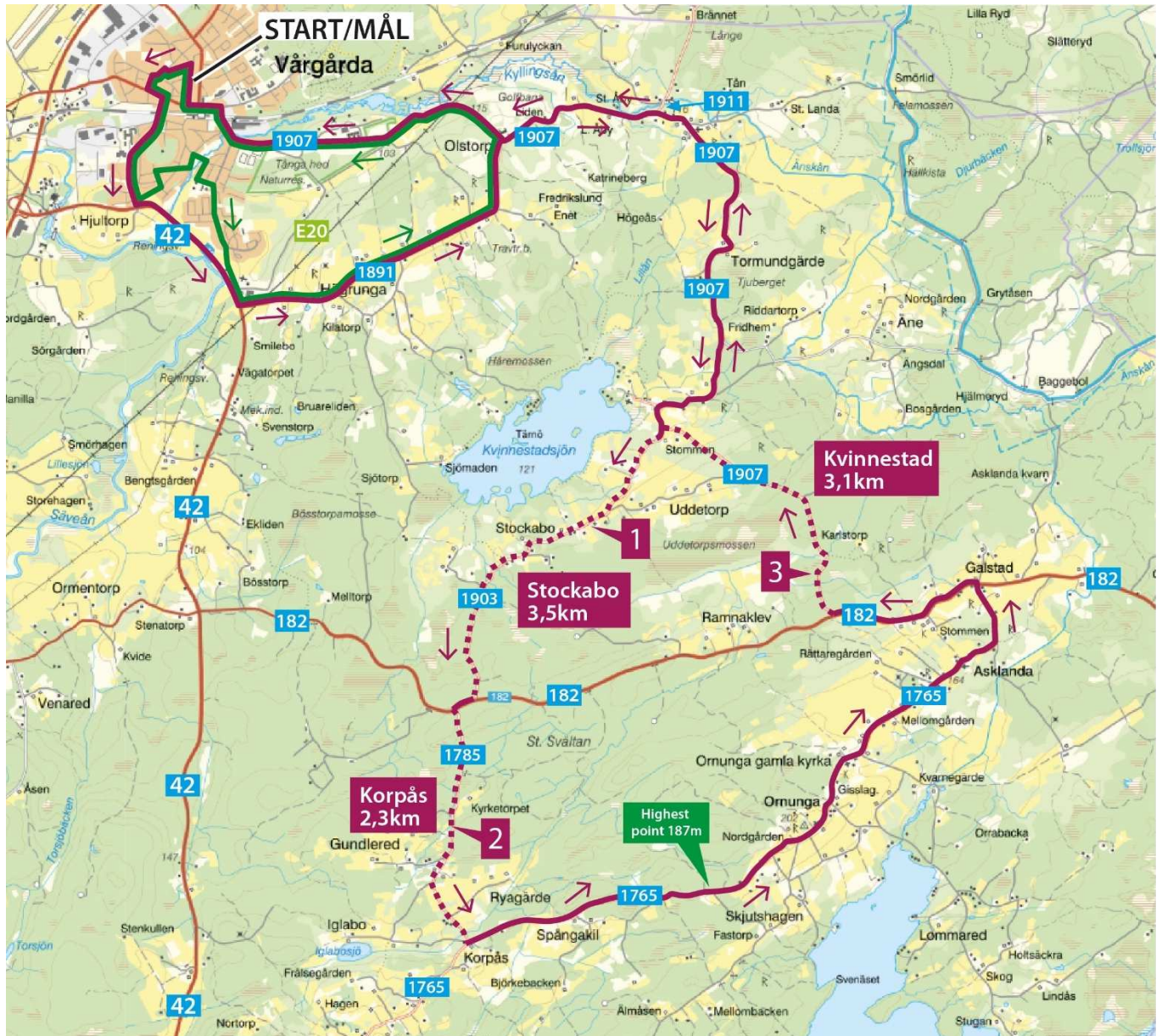
We ask you all to respect the signposted litter zones, provided just before the feeding zones, and at 1km before finishline.





# Maps

## Course, long lap 37,7 km





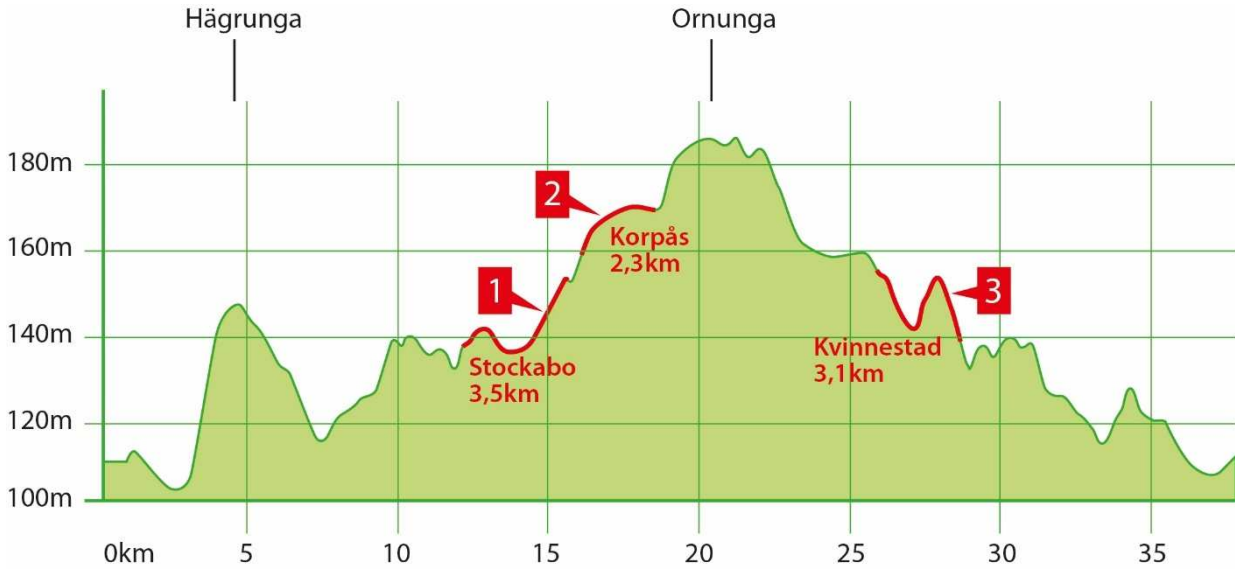
**Course, lap Hägrunga 11 km**



**Course, last 3 km**



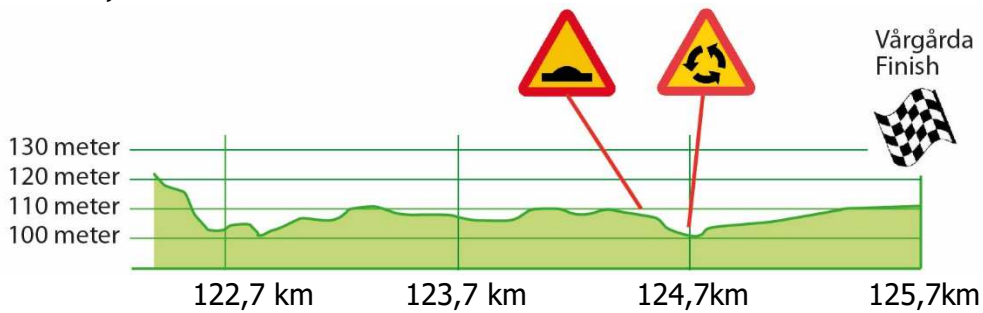
**Profile long lap, 37,7 km**



**Profile lap Hägrunga, 11 km**

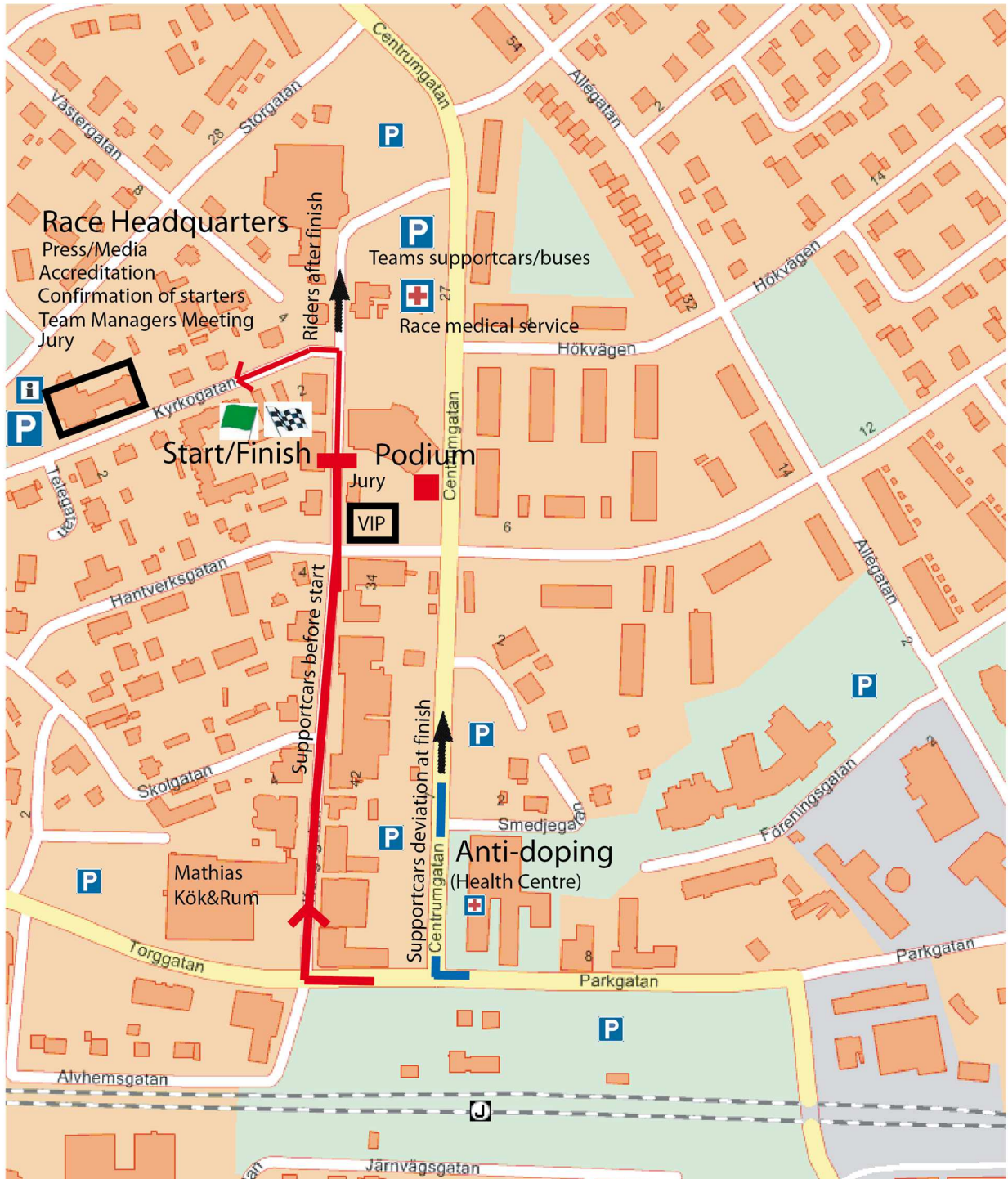


**Profile, last 3 km**





**Start/Finish area Vårgårda**





## Itinerary

Lap			Km	38km/h	40km/h	42km/h	45km/h
Start		Kungsgatan		11:15	11:15	11:15	11:15
Long		Left on Storgatan	0,3	11:15	11:15	11:15	11:15
37,7 km		Left on Nygatan	0,4				
		Left on Torggatan	0,5				
		Right on Kullingsleden	0,7				
		Left into R42	1,8	11:18	11:18	11:18	11:17
		Left into Hägrungabacken	3,2	11:20	11:20	11:20	11:19
		Crossing turn right ->Landa	6,4	11:25	11:25	11:24	11:23
		Keep right -> Kvinnestad	7,9	11:28	11:27	11:27	11:21
		Crossing keep right Into <b>Gravel Section 1 Stockabo</b>	11,9	11:34	11:33	11:32	11:31
		<b>End of Gravel Section 1 3,5 km Right to LV182</b>	15,4	11:40	11:38	11:37	11:36
		Left into <b>Gravel Section 2 Korpås</b>	15,7	11:40	11:39	11:37	11:36
		<b>End of Gravel Section 2 2,3 km Left to Asklanda</b>	18,0	11:43	11:42	11:41	11:39
		Crossing turn Left into LV 182	24,8	11:54	11:52	11:50	11:48
		Right into <b>Gravel section 3 Kvinnestad</b>	26,2	11:56	11:54	11:52	11:50
		<b>End of Gravel section 3 2,7 km</b>	28,9	12:01	11:58	11:56	11:53
		Crossing Landa	32,9	12:07	12:04	12:02	11:59
		Right in to Hägrungalap Olstorp	34,4	12:09	12:06	12:04	12:01
		Speedbumps	36,5	12:12	12:09	12:07	12:04
		Roundabout	36,7	12:12	12:09	12:07	12:04
		<b>Passing Start Finish line</b>	37,7	12:14	12:12	12:09	12:05



Lap			Km	38km/h	40km/h	42km/h	45km/h
1st		Feeding zone	37,9	12:15	12:12	12:09	12:15
Hägrunga		Left on Storgatan	0,3				
11 km		Left on Nygatan	0,4				
		Left on Torggatan	0,5				
		Right on Kullingsleden	0,7				
		Left and immediately right into Drottninggatan	39,4	12:17	12:13	12:11	12:07
		Left into Bergsgatan	39,6	12:17	12:13	12:11	12:07
		Left into Hedåsgatan	39,8	12:18	12:15	12:12	12:08
		Narrow bridge	40,4	12:19	12:16	12:13	12:09
		Speedbump – narrow passage	41,1	12:15	12:12	12:09	12:05
		Roundabout	41,3	12:15	12:12	12:09	12:05
		Left into Hägrunga climb	42,0	12:21	12:18	12:15	12:11
		Feeding zone	42,3	12:21	12:18	12:15	12:11
		Red barn on the right	44,5	12:25	12:22	12:19	12:14
		Crossing keep left	45,1	12:26	12:23	12:20	12:15
		Narrow passage	45,2	12:26	12:23	12:20	12:15
		Speedbumps	47,5	12:30	12:26	12:23	12:18
		Roundabout	47,7	12:30	12:26	12:23	12:18
1		Passing Finish line after 1 Hägrunga lap	48,7	12:32	12:28	12:25	12:20
2		Passing Finish line after 2 Hägrunga laps	59,7	12:49	12:44	12:40	12:34
3		Passing Finish line after 3 Hägrunga laps	70,7	13:06	13:01	12:56	12:49
4		Passing Finish line after 4 Hägrunga laps	81,7	13:23	13:18	13:12	13:04
5		Passing Finish line after 5 Hägrunga laps	92,7	13:39	13:34	13:27	13:19
6		Passing Finish line after 6 Hägrunga laps	103,7	13:57	13:50	13:43	13:33
7		Passing Finish line after 7 Hägrunga laps	114,7	14:14	14:07	13:59	13:47
8		Passing Finish line after 8 Hägrunga laps	125,7	14:33	14:23	14:14	14:03
		<b>FINISH</b>					



## Event schedule, WorldTour weekend Vårgårda 2022

	ACTIVITY	TIME	REQUIRED TO ATTEND	PLACE
Friday August 5	Cyclo Tourism event Motionsloppet Scandinavia	17.00		Vårgårda Murartorget
	Inauguration of Vårgårda World Tour Weekend	19.00		Vårgårda Murartorget

Saturday August 6	License control Team Time Trial	08.30-09.45	Jury (Race Mgmt)	Race Headquarters Vårgårda
	Team Managers Meeting Team Time Trial	10.00	Race Mgmt Jury	
	Commissaries meeting TTT and RR	10.30	Jury Race Mgmt	
	Information for chauffeurs and moto pilots Team Time Trial And Road Race	10.45	Race Mgmt Security Manager Chauffeurs Moto pilots	
	Security briefing Team Time Trial and Road Race	11.15	Race Mgmt (Jury) Security Manager Police	
	Bike Pre-check	12.00-14.30		Vårgårda Murartorget
	Information antidoping Team Time Trial	TBD by DCO	Antidoping officers Chaperons	Vårgårda Vårdcentral
	Start first team Team Time Trial	15.10		Vårgårda Murartorget
	Price Ceremony	Ca 17.00		Vårgårda Murartorget
	Party for WorldTour Sponsors, Officials and Volunteers	From 19.00		Vårgårda Murartorget

Sunday August 5	License control Road Race	07.30-08.45	Jury (Race Mgmt)	Race Headquarters Vårgårda
	Team Managers meeting Road Race	09.00	Race Mgmt Jury	Race Headquarters Vårgårda
	Information antidoping Road Race	TBD by DCO	Antidoping officers Chaperons	Vårgårda Vårdcentral
	Team presentation	09.45		Vårgårda Murartorget
	Start Road race	11.15		Vårgårda Murartorget
	Price Ceremony	Ca 15.00		Vårgårda Murartorget

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