

from Booklet #285

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Free Pattern

skill level: Intermediate

Shown in size Small

sizes

Directions are for women's size X-Small. Changes for sizes Small, Medium, Large, 1X and 2X are in parentheses.

finished measurements

Bust (closed) – 32(36-40-44-48-52)"

Length – 20(20-21-22-23-24)"

materials

3(3-4-4-4-5) hanks **BERROCO INDIGO** (100 grs) or 3(3-3-4-4-5) hanks **BERROCO FIORA** (100 grs); originally shown in Berroco Linen Jeans (discontinued)

Straight knitting needles, sizes 6 (4.00 mm) and 8 (5.00 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

29" Length circular knitting needle, size 6 (4.25 mm)

Crochet hook, size 4.50 mm (G)

One 1" button

GAUGE

18 sts = 4"; 24 rows = 4" in Pat St on larger needles

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GAUGE



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PATTERN STITCH (Multiple of 4 sts + 2)

Row 1 (RS): K2, * sl 2 WYIF, k2, rep from * across.

Row 2: P2, * sl 2 WYIB, p2, rep from * across.

Row 3: K2, * k2, wrapping yarn around needle twice for each st, k2, rep from * across.

Row 4: Purl, dropping all extra wraps.

Rep these 4 rows for Pat St.

BACK

With smaller straight needles, cast on 82(90-102-114-122-130) sts.

Ribbing: Row 1 (RS): K2, * p2, k2, rep from * across.

Row 2: P2, * k2, p2, rep from * across. Rep these 2 rows until piece measures 1½" from beg, end on RS. Change to larger needles and p the next row, dec 8(8-12-12-12-12) sts across – 74(82-90-102-110-118) sts. Work even in Pat St until piece measures 2(2-2½-3-3½-4)" from beg, end on WS. Dec 1 st each side on next row, then every 2" twice more – 68(76-84-96-104-112) sts. Work even until piece measures 8(8-8½-9-9½-10)" from beg, end on WS. Inc 1 st each side on next row, then every 1½" twice more – 74(82-90-102-110-118) sts. Work even until piece measures 12(12-12½-13-13½-14)" from beg, end on WS.

Shape Armholes: Bind off 5(6-7-8-9-10) sts at beg of the next 2 rows – 64(70-76-86-92-98) sts. Dec 1 st each side every RS row 5(6-7-9-10-11) times – 54(58-62-68-72-76) sts. Work even until armholes measure 7(7-7½-8-8½-9)", end on WS.

Shape Shoulders: Bind off 3(3-5-6-6-6) sts at beg of the next 2 rows, then 3(4-4-5-6-7) sts at beg of the next 4 rows. Bind off remaining 36 sts for back neck.



LEFT FRONT

With smaller straight needles, cast on 38(42-50-54-58-62) sts. Work in ribbing same as back for 1½", end on RS. Change to larger needles and p the next row, dec 4(4-8-8-8-4) sts across – 34(38-42-46-50-58) sts. Work even in Pat St until piece measures 2(2-2½-3-3½-4)" from beg, end on WS. Dec 1 st at beg of the next row, then at same edge every 2" twice more – 31(35-39-43-47-55) sts. Work even until piece measures 8(8-8½-9-9½-10)" from beg, end on WS. Inc 1 st at beg of the next row, then at same edge every 1½" twice more. AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures 10½(10½-11-11½-12-12½)" from beg, end on WS.

Shape Neck: Continuing to work incs at side, dec 1 st end of next RS row, every RS row 5(5-4-0-0-3) times more, then every 4th row 9(9-10-12-12-13) times. AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures 12(12-12½-13-13½-14)" from beg, shape armhole same as back. When all neck and armhole decs have been completed, work even on 9(11-13-16-18-20) sts until armhole measures 7(7-7½-8-8½-9)", end on WS. Bind off 3(3-5-6-6-6) sts at armhole edge once, then 3(4-4-5-6-7) sts twice for shoulder.

RIGHT FRONT

Work to correspond to left front, reversing all shaping. Work side decs and incs at end of RS rows. Work neck decs at beg of RS rows. Bind off for armhole and shoulder on WS rows. Work armhole decs at end of RS rows.

SLEEVES

With smaller straight needles, cast on 62(62-66-70-78-82) sts. Work in ribbing same as back for $\frac{3}{4}$ ", end on RS. Change to larger needles and p the next row, dec 8 sts across – 54(54-58-62-70-74) sts. Work even in Pat St until sleeve measures $1\frac{1}{4}$ " from beg, end on WS.

Shape Cap: Bind off 5(6-7-8-9-10) sts at beg of the next 2 rows – 44(42-44-46-52-54) sts. Dec 1 st each side every RS row 15(14-12-10-10-8) times, then every 4th row 0(0-1-2-2-3) times, end on WS. Bind off remaining 14(14-18-22-28-32) sts.

FINISHING

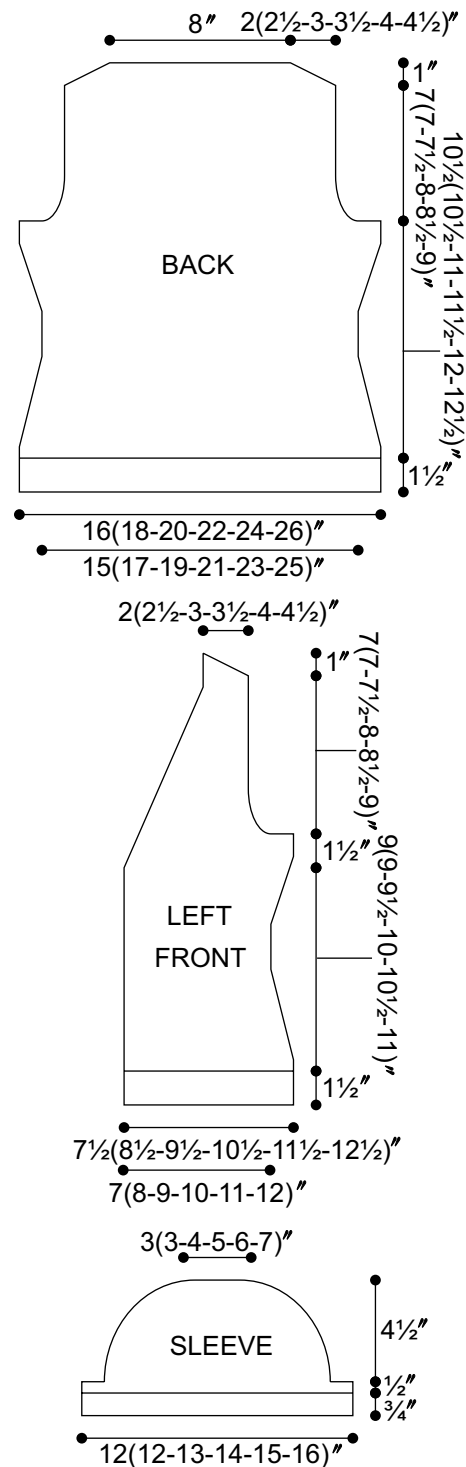
Sew shoulder seams.

Front/Neckband: With RS facing, using circular needle, beg at lower right front, pick up and k51(51-53-55-57-59) sts along right front edge to beg of neck, 46(46-48-50-52-54) sts along right front neck edge, 35 sts across back neck edge, 46(46-48-50-52-54) sts along left front neck edge, then 51(51-53-55-57-59) sts along left front edge – 229(229-237-245-253-261) sts.

Row 1 (WS): P1, * k1, p1, rep from * across.

Row 2: K1, * p1, k1, rep from * across. Rep these 2 rows until band measures $1\frac{1}{4}$ ", end on WS. Bind off in ribbing.

Buttonloop: With RS facing, using crochet hook, join yarn with a sl st in 1st row of front/neckband on left front at beg of neck shaping. Make a chain 2" long and join with a sl st in base of chain. Fasten off. Sew on button. Sew in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.



ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

Knit

beg: beginning

CC: contrasting color

cdd (centered double decrease): Slip 2 together, knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over.

cn: cable needle

cont: continue

dec: decrease

dpn: double pointed needles

est: established

inc: increase

K: knit

k tbl: knit through the back loop(s)

k2tog: Knit 2 stitches together

k3tog: Knit 3 stitches together

LH: left hand

MC: main color

M1: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).

M1L: Work as for M1.

M1p: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).

M1pL: Work as for M1p.

M1pR: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).

M1R: Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).

p: purl

p tbl: purl through the back loop(s)

pat(s): pattern(s)

pm: place marker

pssso: pass slip stitch over knit stitch

p2tog: purl 2 stitches together

p2sso: pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch

p3tog: purl 3 stitches together

rem: remaining

rep: repeat

RH: right hand

rnd(s): round(s)

RS: right side

sl: slip

sm: slip marker

SSK: Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.

SSP: Slip 2 stitches knitwise, transfer these 2 stitches back to left hand needle, purl 2 together through the back loops.

st(s): stitch(es)

TBL: through back loop(s)

tog: together

WS: wrong side

wyib: with yarn in back

wyif: with yarn in front

yo: yarn over

end on WS: end having just completed a Wrong Side row.

end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side row

STOCKINETTE ST (St st): Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.

Reverse St st (Rev St st): Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round on a circular needle.

GARTER ST: Knit EVERY row when working on straight needles. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working on a circular needle.

Crochet

ch: chain

dc: double crochet

hdc: half double crochet

sc: single crochet

sl st: slip stitch

sp: space

tr: treble