

Weir

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FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust – 36 (40, 44, 48, 52, 56, 60)"
Length – 22 (22, 22½, 23, 23½, 24, 24½)" for front (back is 3" longer)
Shown in size 40". Suggested ease: 2–4" positive ease.

YARN

BERROCO ARNO (50 grs): 6 (7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12) balls #5044 Basil

NEEDLES and NOTIONS

Knitting needles, sizes 4 (3.50 mm) and 6 (4.00 mm) *or size to obtain gauge*

16" circular needle, size 4 (3.50 mm)

1 stitch holder

1 safety pin for holder

1 removable stitch marker

1 regular stitch marker

GAUGE

21 sts and 30 rows = 4" in St st on larger needles

To save time and ensure accurate measurements, take time to check gauge.

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BACK

With smaller straight needles, cast on 95 (105, 115, 127, 137, 147, 157) sts.

Set Up Rib: Row 1 (RS): K1, * p1, k1; rep from * across.

Row 2: P1, * k1, p1; rep from * across. Repeat these 2 rows until piece measures 6" from beginning, end on WS. Mark beginning and end of last row for beginning of side seams. Change to larger needles and work even in St st until piece measures 17" from beginning, end on WS. Mark beginning and end of last row for beginning of armholes. Work even until armholes measure 6 (6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½)", end on WS.

Shape Neck: Next Row (RS): K24 (29, 34, 40, 45, 50, 55), slip these sts just worked to holder for right side, bind off center 47 sts then knit to end—24 (29, 34, 40, 45, 50, 55) sts.

Left Side: Purl 1 WS row.

Dec Row 1 (RS): K1, k2tog (neck dec), knit to end—1 st dec'd at neck. Repeat Dec Row every RS row 4 times more. AT THE SAME TIME, when armhole measures 7 (7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from marker, end on RS and shape shoulder as follows:

Shape Left Shoulder: Continuing to decrease at neck as before, bind off 4 (6, 8, 8, 10, 12, 12) sts at beginning of the next 1 (4, 1, 1, 4, 1, 2) WS rows, then 5 (0, 7, 9, 0, 11, 13) sts at beginning of the next 3 (0, 3, 3, 0, 3, 2) WS rows. Fasten off.

Right Side: Slip 24 (29, 34, 40, 45, 50, 55) sts from holder to larger needle, join yarn to WS and purl 1 WS row.

Dec Row (RS): Knit to last 3 sts, SSK (neck dec), k1—1 st dec'd at neck. Repeat Dec Row every RS row 4 times more. AT THE SAME TIME, when armhole measures 7 (7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from marker, end on WS and shape shoulder as follows:

Shape Right Shoulder: Continuing to decrease at neck as before, bind off 4 (6, 8, 8, 10, 12, 12) sts at beginning of the next 1 (4, 1, 1, 4, 1, 2) RS rows, then 5 (0, 7, 9, 0, 11, 13) sts at beginning of the next 3 (0, 3, 3, 0, 3, 2) RS rows. Fasten off.

FRONT

Work as for back until piece measures 3" from beginning, end on WS (ribbing is 3" shorter than on back). Mark



beginning and end of last row for beginning of side seams. Change to larger needles and work even in St st until piece measures 14" from beginning, end on WS—95 (105, 115, 127, 137, 147, 157) sts. Mark beginning and end of last row for beginning of armholes. Work even until armholes measure 0 (0, ½, 1, 1½, 2, 2½)" from markers, end on WS.

Shape V-Neck: Next Row (RS):

K47 (52, 57, 63, 68, 73, 78), slip these sts just worked to holder for left shoulder, knit the next stitch and slip it to a safety pin for neck, knit to end—47 (52, 57, 63, 68, 73, 78) sts.

Right Side: Purl 1 WS row.

Dec Row (RS): K1, k2tog (neck

dec), knit to end—1 st dec'd at neck. Repeat Dec Row every RS row 27 times more. AT THE SAME TIME, when armhole measures 7 (7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from marker, end on RS and shape shoulder as follows:

Shape Right Shoulder: Bind off 4 (6, 8, 8, 10, 12, 12) sts at beginning of the next 1 (4, 1, 1, 4, 1, 2) WS rows, then 5 (0, 7, 9, 0, 11, 13) sts at beginning of the next 3 (0, 3, 3, 0, 3, 2) WS rows. Fasten off.

Left Side: Slip 47 (52, 57, 63, 68, 73, 78) sts from holder to larger needle, join yarn to WS and purl 1 WS row.

Dec Row (RS): Knit to last 3 sts, SSK (neck dec), k1—1 st dec'd at neck. Repeat Dec Row every RS row 27 times more. AT THE SAME TIME, when armhole measures 7 (7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½)" from marker, end on WS and shape shoulder as follows:

Shape Left Shoulder: Bind off 4 (6, 8, 8, 10, 12, 12) sts at beginning of the next 1 (4, 1, 1, 4, 1, 2) RS rows, then 5 (0, 7, 9, 0, 11, 13) sts at beginning of the next 3 (0, 3, 3, 0, 3, 2) RS rows. Fasten off.

Sew shoulder seams.

SLEEVES

With RS facing, using larger needles, pick up and knit 73 (73, 79, 83, 89, 95, 99) sts along armhole edge between markers. Beginning with a purl row, work even in St st for 1", end on WS.

Dec Row (RS): K1, k2tog, knit to last 3 sts, SSK, k1—2 sts dec'd. Repeat Dec Row every 6th (6th, 4th, 4th, 4th, 4th, 2nd) row 12 (12, 15, 17, 17, 20, 22) times more—47 (47,



47, 47, 53, 53, 53) sts. Work even until sleeve measures 12" from beginning, end on WS. Change to smaller straight needles and work in k1, p1 ribbing as for back for 3", end on WS. Bind off in ribbing.

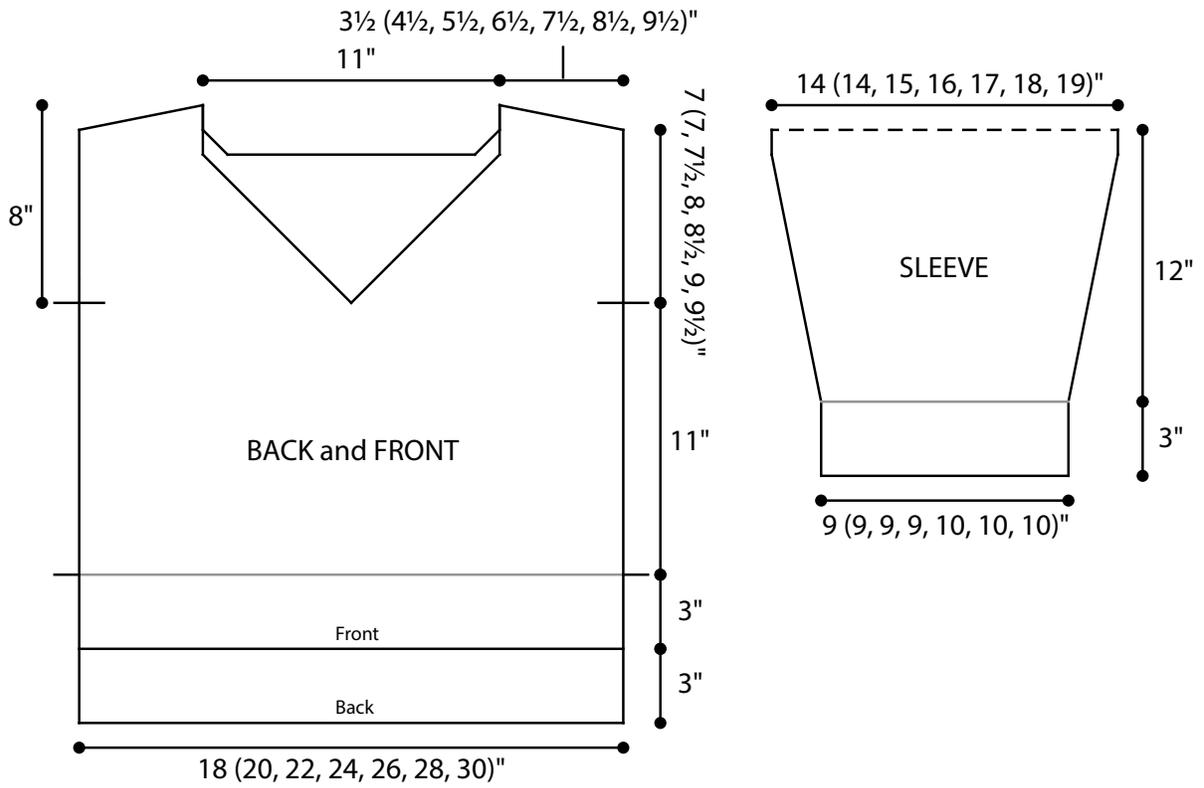
FINISHING

Sew side and sleeve seams, leaving ribbing edges below markers open for side slits.

Neckband: With RS facing, using circular needle, begin at left shoulder seam, pick up and knit approximately 2 sts for every 3 rows along left front neck edge, knit 1 st from safety pin, mark this stitch with removable marker, pick up and knit approximately 2 sts for every 3 rows along right front neck edge and along right back neck edge, pick up and knit 47 sts across stitches bound off for back neck, then pick up and knit 2 sts for every 3 rows along left back neck edge (the total number of sts should be an odd number). Place marker and join for working in the round.

Rnd 1 (Dec Rnd): Work in k1, p1 ribbing to 1 st before marked stitch, remove marker and work CDD over center 3 sts, mark resulting stitch with removable marker, work in k1, p1 ribbing to end—2 sts dec'd at center front neck.

Rnd 2: Work in ribbing as established, knitting center marked stitch and moving marker up. Repeat these 2 rounds until neckband measures approximately 2", end on Rnd 1. Bind off in ribbing. Weave in all ends and block as desired.



STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

beg: beginning

CC: contrasting color

CDD: Centered Double Decrease—Slip 2 together (as if to k2tog), knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over

cn: cable needle

dec: decrease

dpn(s): double pointed needle(s)

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

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

Garter St: Knit EVERY row when working back and forth in rows. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working in the round.

inc: increase

k: knit

k tbl: knit through the back loop(s)

k2tog: knit 2 stitches together

k3tog: knit 3 stitches together

kfb: knit in the front and back of the next st

LH: left hand

LLI: Left Lifted Increase—Insert LH needle into the purl bump one row below the st just worked on the RH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)

M1: Make 1—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: Make 1 Left—Work as for M1.

M1p: Make 1 purl—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: Make 1 purl Left—Work as for M1p.

M1pR: Make 1 purl Right—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: Make 1 Right—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).

MC: main color

p: purl

p tbl: purl through the back loop(s)

p2tog: purl 2 stitches together

p3tog: purl 3 stitches together

pat(s): pattern(s)

pm: place marker

pssso: pass slipped stitch over knit stitch

rep: repeat

Rev St st: Reverse Stockinette Stitch—Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round.

RH: right hand

RLI: Right Lifted Increase—Insert RH needle into the purl bump of the next st on the LH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)

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.

SSSK: Slip 3 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 3 stitches and knit 3 together.

st(s): stitch(es)

St st: Stockinette Stitch—Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round.

tbl: through back loop(s)

w&t: wrap and turn, a method of concealing a hole created in short row shaping. On RS rows: With yarn held in front, slip next stitch purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the back. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle. Turn your work. On WS Rows: With yarn held in back, slip next stitch purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the front. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle. Turn your work. Unless otherwise indicated, each time you come to a wrapped stitch when working subsequent rows, slip the wrap back over stitch and onto needle, then work the wrap together with its accompanying stitch.

WS: wrong side

wyib: with yarn in back

wyif: with yarn in front

yo: yarn over

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