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skill level: Experienced

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)" down center back; 24(24-25-26-27-28)" to front points

materials

6(7-8-9-10-11) hanks **BERROCO MIXER** (50 grs) or 4(4-5-6-7-8) hanks **BERROCO FIORA** (100 grs); originally shown in Berroco Bonsai (disc.)
29" Length circular knitting needle, size 7 (4.50 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
Straight knitting needles, size 5 (3.75 mm)
Crochet hook, size 4.50 mm (G)
2 St markers

gauge

20 sts = 4"; 26 rows = 4" in St st on larger needle
TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE



Berroco Mixer™



Berroco Fiora™



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NOTE

Back and one half of each sleeve are made in one piece. Each front and the other half of each sleeve are made in one piece (see schematic). There is a seam down the center of each sleeve.

BACK

With circular needle, cast on 80(90-100-110-120-130) sts. DO NOT join. Work even in St st for 11(11-12-13-14-15)”, end on WS.

Shape Sleeve: Cast on 5 sts at beg of the next 2 rows, 4 sts at beg of the next 22 rows, then 6 sts at beg of the next 2 rows, end on WS – 190(200-210-220-230-240) sts. Mark beg and end of last row for beg of sleeve cuffs. Work even until piece measures 5” above markers, end on WS. Bind off.

LEFT FRONT

With circular needle, cast on 35(40-45-50-55-60) sts.

Note: The next section is worked using short rows which give the shaping shown on schematic. To work these rows, you will be working part way across a row, turning and working back.

Short Rows: Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2: P3(4-4-4-5-5), turn, sl 1, k to end.

Row 3: P3(3-4-4-5-5), turn, sl 1, k to end. Working in this manner, p3(3-4-4-5-5) more sts each row 7(11-4-9-1-6) times more, then 2(0-3-3-4-4) sts more each row 4(0-7-2-10-5) times more. Purl 1 row, end on WS. Mark end of last row. Work even until piece measures 8(8-9-10-11-12)” above marker, end on WS.

Note: Please read through the next section before



starting to knit. You will be doing several things at the same time.

Establish Eyelet Pat and Shape Neck: Next Row (RS): K to last 16 sts, place marker, yo, k2tog, k5, yo, k2tog, k5, k2tog – 34(39-44-49-54-59) sts. Work even for 3 rows, end on WS.

* **Dec Row 1 (RS):** K to 1 st before marker, place marker, k1, drop marker, k to last 2 sts, k2tog – 33(38-43-48-53-58) sts. Purl next and all WS rows. Work even for 3 rows, end on WS.

Dec Row 2 (RS): K to 1 st before marker, place marker, yo, sl next st to RH needle, drop marker, sl same st back to LH needle and k2tog, k5, yo, k2tog, k5, k2tog – 32(37-42-47-52-57) sts. Work even for 3 rows, end on WS. Rep from * 3 times more, continuing to move marker over 1 st every dec row. AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures 11(11-12-13-14-15)” above marker at beg of RS rows, cast on 5 sts at beg of the next RS row, 4 sts at beg of the next 11 RS rows, then 6 sts at beg of the next RS

row for sleeve, while continuing to work neck decs. When 9 sts have been dec'd at neck edge, drop markers, discontinuing eyelet pat and work all sts in St st. Continue to dec 1 st at neck edge every 6th row 3 times more. When all decs and cast-on's have been completed, work even on 78(83-88-93-98-103) sts until piece measures 5" above last group of sts cast-on for sleeve, end on WS. Bind off.

RIGHT FRONT

With circular needle, cast on 35(40-45-50-55-60) sts. Knit 2 rows.

Short Rows: Row 1 (RS): K3(4-4-4-5-5), turn, sl 1, p to end.

Row 2: K3(3-4-4-5-5), turn, sl 1, p to end. In this manner, work to correspond to left front, working short rows at beg of RS rows instead of WS rows. When all short rows have been completed, end on WS. Mark beg of last row. Work even until piece measures 8(8-9-10-11-12)" above marker, end on WS.

Shape Neck and Establish Eyelet Pat: Next Row (RS): SSK, k until there are 7 sts on RH needle, yo, k2tog, k5, yo, k2tog, place marker, k to end – 34(39-44-49-54-59) sts. Work 3 rows even, end on WS.

* **Dec Row 1 (RS):** SSK, k to 1 st before marker, place marker, k1, drop marker, k to end – 33(38-43-48-53-58) sts. Work 3 rows even, end on WS.

Dec Row 2 (RS): SSK, k until there are 7 sts on RH needle, yo, k2tog, k5, yo, sl next st to RH needle, drop marker, sl same st back to LH needle and k2tog, place marker, k to end – 32(37-42-47-52-57) sts. Work 3 rows even, end on WS. Rep from * 3 times more, continuing to move marker over 1 st every dec row. AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures 11(11-12-13-14-15)" above marker at end of RS rows, cast on for sleeve at beg of WS rows same as for left front. Complete to correspond to left front.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder and sleeve seams, leaving 7" at center back open for neck.

Sleeve Cuffs: With RS facing, using smaller straight needles, pick up and k65 sts along lower edge of sleeve.

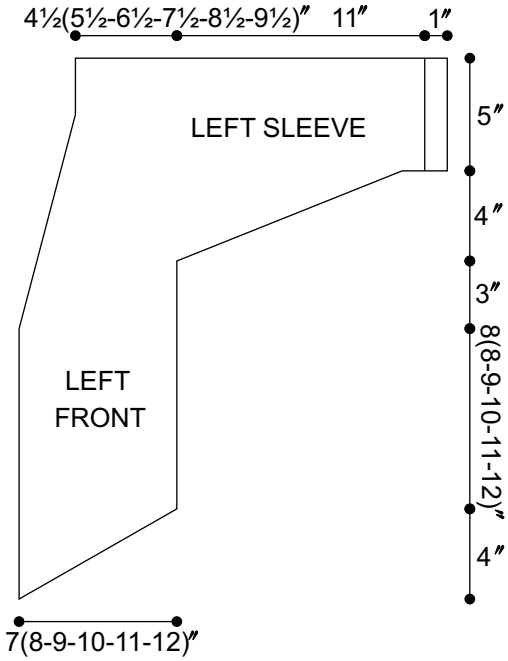
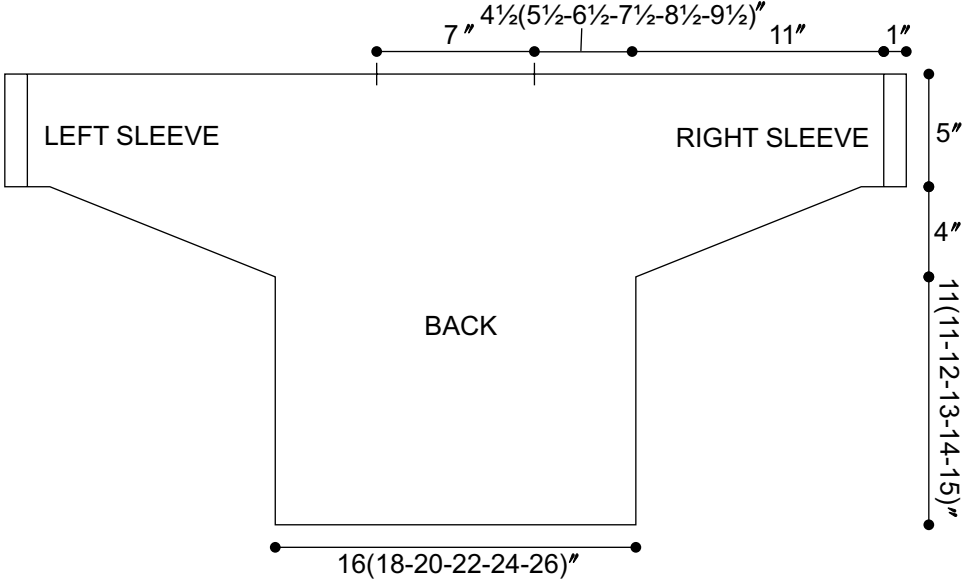
Row 1 (WS): P1, * k1, p1, rep from * across.

Row 2: K1, * p1, k1, rep from * across. Rep these 2 rows until cuff measures 1"; end on WS. Bind off in ribbing. Sew side and cuff seams.

Front/Neckband: With smaller straight needles, cast on 14 sts. Work even in k1, p1 ribbing until band, when slightly stretched, reaches from lower edge of right front, around neck to lower edge of left front, end on WS. Bind off in ribbing. Sew inner edge of band to right front, neck and left front edges.

Belt: With smaller straight needles, cast on 14 sts and work even in k1, p1 ribbing for 58(60-62-64-66-68)", end on WS. Bind off. Try on garment and mark placement of belt loops on each side seam.

Belt Loops: With RS facing, using crochet hook, join yarn with a sl st in side seam at marker, ch for 2"; join with a sl st in side seam 2" below beg of ch. Fasten off. Insert belt through belt loops.



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