

Beals

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FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: (38, 42, 46) [50, 54, 58] {62, 66, 70}" / (96.5, 106.5, 117) [127, 137, 147] {157.5, 167.5, 178} cm

Front Length: (23½, 23½, 24) [24, 24½, 24½] {25, 25, 25½}" / (59.5, 59.5, 61) [61, 62, 62] {63.5, 63.5, 65} cm

Shown in size 38" / 96.5 cm.

Recommended ease: 2–4" positive ease. Back will be 3" / 7.5 cm longer than front.

YARN

BERROCO LIANA (50 grs): (4, 5, 5) [6, 6, 7] {7, 8, 8} hanks #8276 Laelia

NEEDLES and NOTIONS

Knitting needles, size 6 / 4 mm
or size to obtain gauge

Spare knitting needle, size 6 / 4 mm or smaller

2 double-pointed needles, size 4 / 3.5 mm

1 stitch holder

GAUGE

21 sts and 29 rows = 4" / 10 cm in St st on larger needles

Gauge shown is after blocking.

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

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NOTE

Lower back section is worked in 2 sections, shaped using short rows, then joined together.

BACK

Left Side Section: With larger needles, cast on (55, 60, 65) [71, 76, 81] {86, 92, 97} sts. Purl 1 WS row.

Short Rows: Row 1 (RS): Knit (51, 56, 61) [66, 71, 75] {80, 86, 90}, w&t.

Row 2 and all WS rows: Purl to end.

Row 3: Knit (47, 52, 57) [61, 66, 69] {74, 80, 83}, w&t.

In this manner work (4, 4, 4) [5, 5, 6] {6, 6, 7} sts less every RS row 11 times more, end on WS.

Next Row (RS): Knit across all stitches, picking up wraps and knitting them together with their stitches as you come to them—(55, 60, 65) [71, 76, 81] {86, 92, 97} sts.

Beginning with a purl row, work even in St st until piece measures 8" / 20 cm along right side edge, end on WS.

Break yarn and slip stitches to holder.

Right Side Section: With straight needles, cast on (55, 60, 65) [71, 76, 81] {86, 92, 97} sts. Knit 1 RS row.

Short Rows: Row 1 (WS): Purl (51, 56, 61) [66, 71, 75] {80, 86, 90}, w&t.

Row 2 and all RS rows: Knit to end.

Row 3: Purl (47, 52, 57) [61, 66, 69] {74, 80, 83}, w&t. In this manner work 4 sts less every RS row 11 times more, end on RS.

Next Row (WS): Purl across all stitches, picking up wraps and purling them together with their stitches as you come to them—(55, 60, 65) [71, 76, 81] {86, 92, 97} sts.

Work even in St st until piece measures 8" / 20 cm along left side edge, end on WS. Slip stitches from holder to spare needle, ready to knit the next row.

Joining Row (RS): Knit to the last 10 sts, holding spare needle behind working needle, * insert needle through first stitch on working needle and first stitch on spare needle and knit these 2 sts tog; rep from * 9 times more, knit to end of spare needle—(100, 110, 120) [132, 142, 152] {162, 174, 184} sts. Beginning with a purl row, work even in St st until piece measures 9" / 23 cm from joining row, end on WS.



Shape Armholes: Bind off (4, 5, 6) [7, 8, 9] {10, 11, 12} sts at beginning of the next 2 rows—(92, 100, 108) [118, 126, 134] {142, 152, 160} sts.

Dec Row (RS): K1, k2tog, knit to the last 3 sts, SSK, k1—2 sts dec'd.

Rep Dec Row every RS row (9, 12, 14) [16, 17, 19] {20, 22, 24} times more—(72, 74, 78) [84, 90, 94] {100, 106, 110} sts. Work even until armholes measure (8½, 8½, 9) [9, 9½, 9½] {10, 10, 10½}" / (21.5, 21.5, 23) [23, 24, 24] {25.5, 25.5, 26.5} cm, end on WS. Mark center 34 sts on last row with (19, 20, 22) [25, 28, 30] {33, 36, 38} sts on each side.

Shape Shoulders and Neck: Row 1 (RS): Bind off (5, 6, 6) [7, 8, 8] {9, 10, 12} sts, knit to first marker, slip (14, 14, 16) [18, 20, 22] {24, 26, 26} sts just worked to holder for right side, bind off center 34 sts, removing markers, then knit to end—(19, 20, 22) [25, 28, 30] {33, 36, 38} sts.

Left Shoulder: Next Row (WS): Bind off (5, 6, 6) [7, 8, 8] {9, 10, 12} sts, purl to end.

Next Row (RS): Bind off 2 sts, knit to end—2 sts bound off at neck.

Bind off (5, 5, 6) [7, 8, 9] {10, 11, 11} sts at beginning of the 2 WS rows. AT THE SAME TIME, bind off 2 sts at neck edge once more. Fasten off.



Right Shoulder: With WS facing, slip (14, 14, 16) [18, 20, 22] {24, 26, 26} sts from holder to larger needle. Join yarn and purl 1 WS row. Bind off (5, 5, 6) [7, 8, 9] {10, 11, 11} sts at beginning of the next 2 RS rows. AT THE SAME TIME, bind off 2 sts at beginning of the next 2 WS rows for neck.

FRONT

With larger needles, cast on (100, 110, 120) [132, 142, 152] {162, 174, 184} sts. Work even in St st until piece measures 14" / 35.5 cm from beginning, end on WS. Shape armholes as for back—(72, 74, 78) [84, 90, 94] {100, 106, 110} sts. Work even until armholes measure (6, 6, 6½) [6½, 7, 7] {7½, 7½, 8}" / (15, 15, 16.5) [16.5, 18, 18] {19, 19, 20} cm, end on WS. Mark center 28 sts on last row with (22, 23, 25) [28, 31, 33] {36, 39, 41} sts on each side.

Shape Neck: Next Row (RS): Knit to first marker, slip the (22, 23, 25) [28, 31, 33] {36, 39, 41} sts just worked to holder for left side, bind off center 28 sts, removing markers, then knit to end—(22, 23, 25) [28, 31, 33] {36, 39, 41} sts.

Right Shoulder: Purl 1 WS row.

Dec Row (RS): K1, k2tog, knit to end—1 st dec'd. Rep Dec Row every RS row 6 times more—(15, 16, 18) [21, 24, 26] {29, 32, 34} sts.

When armhole measures (8½, 8½, 9) [9, 9½, 9½] {10, 10, 10½}" / (21.5, 21.5, 23) [23, 24, 24] {25.5, 25.5, 26.5} cm, end on RS. Bind off (5, 6, 6) [7, 8, 8] {9, 10, 12} sts at beginning of the next WS row, then (5, 5, 6) [7, 8, 9] {10, 11, 11} sts at beginning of the next 2 WS rows for shoulder.

Left Shoulder: With WS facing, slip (22, 23, 25) [28, 31, 33] {36, 39, 41} sts from holder to needle. Purl 1 WS row.

Dec Row (RS): Knit to the last 3 sts, SSK, k1—1 st dec'd. Rep Dec Row every RS row 6 times more—(15, 16, 18) [21, 24, 26] {29, 32, 34} sts. When armhole measures (8½, 8½, 9) [9, 9½, 9½] {10, 10, 10½}" / (21.5, 21.5, 23) [23, 24, 24] {25.5, 25.5, 27} cm, end on WS. Bind off (5, 6, 6) [7, 8, 8] {9, 10, 12} sts at beginning of the next RS row, then (5, 5, 6) [7, 8, 9] {10, 11, 11} sts at beginning of the next 2 RS rows for shoulder.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Neck Edging: Applied I-Cord: With dpns, cast on 4 sts. With RS facing, pick up 1 st in left shoulder seam of garment, do not turn, slide sts to beginning of dpn to work next row from RS.

Next Row (RS): * K3, SSK, pick up 1 st in neck edge of garment, do not turn, rep from * until I-Cord has been worked around entire neck edge. Fasten off.

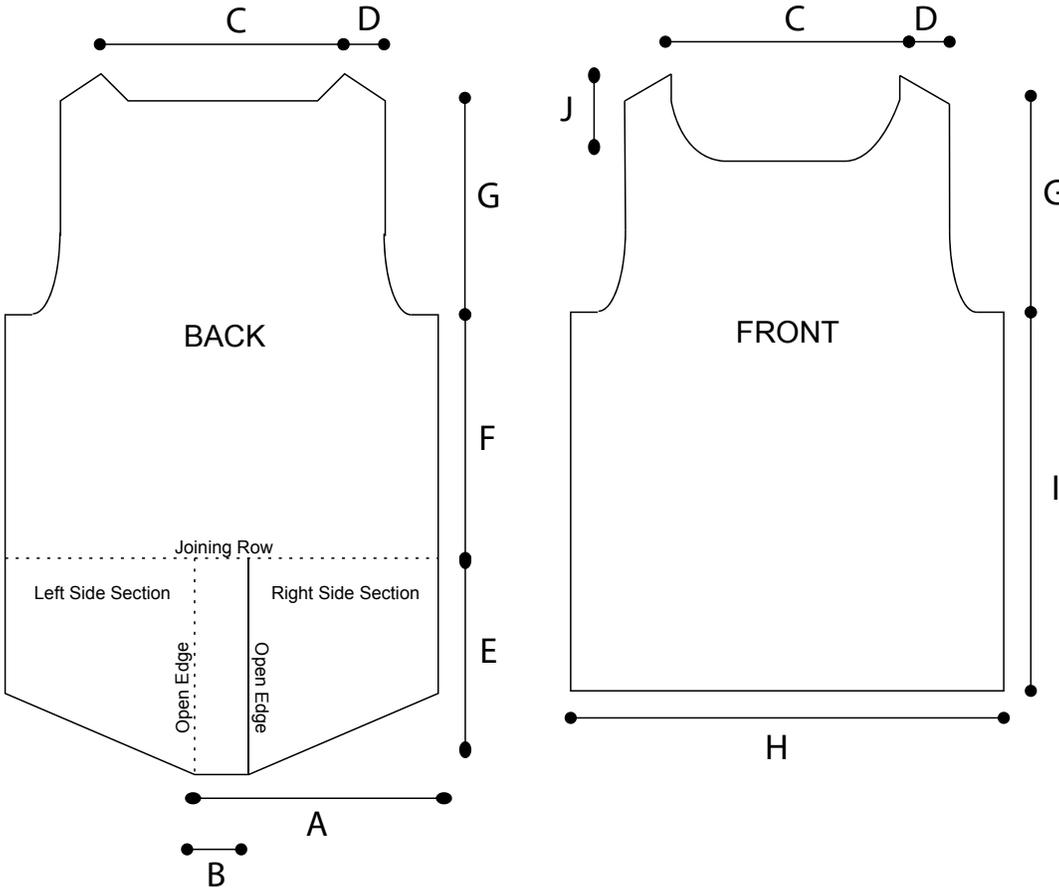
Sew ends of I-Cord together. In this manner, work Applied I-Cord edging along both armhole edges.

Sew side seams, sewing ends of edging together.

Work Applied I-Cord along entire lower edge of garment and along both open side edges of lower sections.

Weave in all ends and block as desired.

BEALS SCHEMATICS



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- A (Back Side Section Width): (10½, 11½, 12½) [13½, 14½, 15½] {16½, 17½, 18½}" / (26.5, 29, 32) [34.5, 37, 39.5] {42, 44.5, 47} cm
- B (Overlap): 2" / 5 cm
- C (Neck Width): 8" / 20 cm
- D (Shoulder Width): (2¾, 3, 3½) [4, 4½, 5] {5½, 6, 6½}" / (7, 7.5, 9) [10, 11.5, 12.5] {14, 15, 16.5} cm
- E (Slit Section Length): 8" / 20 cm
- F (Joining to Underarm Length): 9" / 23 cm
- G (Armhole Length): (8½, 8½, 9) [9, 9½, 9½] {10, 10, 10½}" / (21.5, 21.5, 23) [23, 24, 24] {25.5, 25.5, 26.5} cm
- H (Front and Back Width): (19, 21, 23) [25, 27, 29] {31, 33, 35}" / (48.5, 53.5, 58.5) [63.5, 68.5, 73.5] {79, 84, 89} cm
- I (Front Length to Armholes): 14" / 35.5 cm
- J (Front Neck Depth): 2½" / 6.5 cm



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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