

# Billie

Designed by Åsa Buchta / Skill level: Easy



## SIZES

Directions are for infant sizes (3, 6, 9) [12, 18, 24] mos

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Waist Circumference (measured unstretched): (13, 13¼, 13½) [13¾, 14¼, 14½]" / (33, 33.5, 34.5) [35, 36, 37] cm

Length (with cuffs and waistband unfolded): (16½, 17, 18) [19, 20½, 22]" / (42, 43, 45.5) [48.5, 52, 56] cm

Shown in size 3 mos / 33 cm.

Recommended ease: 5" / 12.5 cm of negative ease at waist.

## YARN

**BERROCO VINTAGE BABY** (50 grs): (2, 2, 3) [3, 3, 3] balls #10072 Toast

## NEEDLES and NOTIONS

16" / 40 cm circular needles, sizes 3 / 3.25 mm and 6 / 4 mm *or size to obtain gauge*

1 set each double-pointed needles, sizes 3 / 3.25 mm and 6 / 4 mm

Stitch marker

Waste yarn to hold stitches

## GAUGE

22 sts and 30 rnds = 4" / 10 cm in St st on larger needle

*Gauge shown is after blocking.*

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

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## NOTE

Pants are worked in one piece from the waistband down. Back is raised with short rows.

## PANTS

**Waistband:** With smaller circular needle cast on (90, 92, 94) [96, 100, 102] sts. Place marker and join for working in the round. (Marker is at center back.)

**Set Up Rib: Rnd 1:** \* K1, p1; rep from \* around.  
Rep this round until waistband measures 4" / 10 cm from cast-on. Change to larger circular needle.

**Body: Inc Rnd:** Knit (0, 2, 4) [0, 4, 0] \* M1, k3; rep from \* around—(120, 122, 124) [128, 132, 136] sts

**Short Rows: Short Row 1:** Knit (30, 31, 31) [32, 33, 34], w&t.

**Short Row 2:** Purl to marker, sm, purl (30, 31, 31) [32, 33, 34], w&t.

**Short Row 3:** Knit to wrapped stitch, pick up wrap and knit it together with its stitch, k3, w&t.

**Short Row 4:** Purl to wrapped stitch, pick up wrap and purl it together with its stitch, p3, w&t.

Rep Short Rows 3 and 4 once more, then resume working in the round.

Continue working in St st in the round until pants measure (5½, 5½, 6) [6½, 7, 8]" / (14, 14, 15) [16.5, 18, 20] cm from Inc Rnd, measured down center back.

**Divide for Legs: Next Rnd:** Knit (60, 61, 62) [64, 66, 68], place these stitches on waste yarn for right leg. Knit to end.



**Left leg:** Remove marker, cast on (2, 3, 3) [3, 3, 3] sts, place marker, cast on (2, 2, 3) [3, 3, 3] sts, knit to marker—(64, 66, 68) [70, 72, 74] sts. Change to larger dpns, dividing stitches onto 3 needles, and join for working in the round. Work even in St st until leg measures (4½, 5, 5½) [6, 7, 7½]" / (11.5, 12.5, 14) [15, 18, 19] cm.

**Dec Rnd:** Knit (0, 2, 0) [2, 0, 2], \* k2tog; rep from \* around—(32, 34, 34) [36, 36, 38] sts.

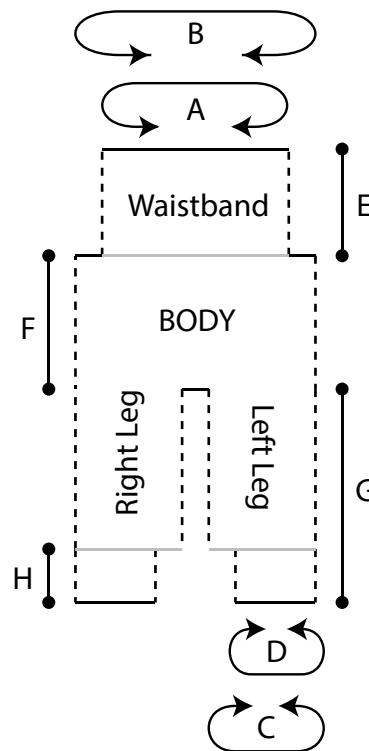
**Cuff:** Change to smaller dpns and work in k1, p1 ribbing for 2½" / 6.5 cm. Bind off in ribbing.

**Right Leg:** Return sts from waste yarn to larger dpns. Begin at center of the cast-on sts, pick up and knit (2, 3, 3) [3, 3, 3] sts in cast on stitches, knit across (60, 61, 62) [64, 66, 68] sts on dpns, pick up and knit (2, 2, 3) [3, 3, 3] sts in the last cast on stitches—(64, 66, 68) [70, 72, 74] sts. Place marker and join for working in the round. Complete as for left leg.

## FINISHING

Weave in all ends and block as desired.

## BILLIE SCHEMATIC



## BILLIE MEASUREMENTS

A (Waistband Circumference): (13, 13¼, 13½) [13¾, 14¼, 14½]" / (33, 33.5, 34.5) [35, 36, 37] cm

B (Body Circumference): (21¾, 22¼, 22½) [23¼, 24, 24¾]" / (55, 56.5, 57) [59, 61, 63] cm

C (Leg Circumference): (11¾, 12, 12¼) [12¾, 13, 13½]" / (30, 30.5, 31) [32.5, 33, 34] cm

D (Leg Cuff Circumference): (5½, 6, 6) [6½, 6½, 7]" / (14, 15, 15) [16.5, 16.5, 18] cm

E (Waistband Length): 4" / 10 cm

F (Body Length): (5½, 5½, 6) [6½, 7, 8]" / (14, 14, 15) [16.5, 18, 20] cm

G (Leg Length): (7, 7½, 8) [8½, 9½, 10]" / (18, 19, 20.5) [21.5, 24, 25.5] cm

H (Leg Cuff Length): 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  
**pss:** 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

### QUESTIONS?

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