# Piilu

Designed by the Berroco Design Team / Skill level: Intermediate



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS Bust: (37, 41, 45) [49, 53, 57] {61, 65, 69}" / 94, 104, 114.5) [124.5, 134.5, 145] {155, 165, 175.5} cm Length: (23, 23, 23) [23, 23, 24] {24, 24, 24}" / (58.5, 58.5, 58.5) [58.5, 58.5, 61] {61, 61, 61} cm Shown in size 41" / 104 cm. Recommended ease: Approximately 2-4" / 5-10 cm positive ease.

### YARN

BERROCO VIVO (100 grs): (5, 6, 6) [7, 7, 8] {8, 9, 10} balls #3514 Dewdrop

**NEEDLES and NOTIONS** Knitting needles, sizes 4 / 3.5 mm and 6 / 4 mm or size to obtain gauge

#### GAUGE

24 sts and 30 rows = 4" in St st on larger needles Gauge shown is after blocking. To save time and ensure accurate measurements, take time to check guage.

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# PATTERN STITCH

Set Up Stripe: \* Row 1 (WS): P2, turn.

Row 2: K2, turn. Row 3: P3, turn. Row 4: K3, turn.

Continue in this manner, adding 1 st every purl row until there are 8 sts (first triangle completed), end on WS. Rep from \*, adding triangles across, until all stitches have been worked.

Stripe 1: Row 1 (RS): K2, turn.

Row 2: P2, turn.

Row 3: Kfb in first stitch, SSK, turn.

Row 4: P3, turn.

Row 5: Kfb in first stitch, k1, SSK, turn.

Row 6: P4, turn.

Row 7: Kfb in first stitch, k2, SSK, turn.

Row 8: P5, turn.

Continue in this manner to inc 1 st in first stitch every RS row and to knit 1 more stitch between inc and SSK until all 8 sts of first triangle have been worked, end on RS (this forms right edge triangle).

With RS facing, pick up and knit 8 sts along side of first triangle, turn.

\*\* Row 1 (WS): P8, turn.

**Row 2 (RS):** K7, SSK (using last of 8 picked-up stitches and first stitch of next triangle), turn.

Row 3: P8, turn. Rep Rows 2 and 3 until all stitches of



triangle have been worked, end on RS.

With RS facing, pick up and knit 8 sts along side of next triangle.

Rep from \*\* until live stitches of all triangles have been worked, end on RS.

With RS facing, pick up and knit 8 sts along side of last triangle, turn.

Row 1 (WS): P2tog, p6, turn.

Row 2 (RS): Knit 7. Row 3: P2tog, p5, turn.

**Row 4:** Knit 6.

Continue in this manner to dec 1 st at beginning of every WS row until 1 st remains, end on WS (this forms left edge triangle).

**Stripe 2:** With WS facing, pick up and purl 7 sts along side of left edge triangle, turn.

Row 1 (RS): \* K8, turn.

**Row 2:** P7, p2tog (using last picked-up stitch and first stitch of next rectangle), turn.

Row 3: K8, turn.

Rep the last 2 rows until all stitches of rectangle have been worked, end on WS.

With WS facing, pick up and purl 8 sts along side of same rectangle, turn.



Rep from \* until all stitches of next rectangle have been worked, turn.

Rep Stripes 1 and 2 for Pattern Stitch.

### **BACK**

With smaller needles, cast on (65, 73, 81) [89, 97, 105] {113, 121, 129} sts.

Set Up Rib: Row 1 (WS): P1, \* k1, p1; rep from \* across.

Row 2 (RS): K1, \* p1, k1; rep from \* across.

Rep these 2 rows until piece measures 2" / 5 cm from caston, end on RS, dec 1 st at end of last row—(64, 72, 80) [88, 96, 104] {112, 120, 128} sts.

Change to larger needles and work even in Pattern Stitch (you should have (8, 9, 10) [11, 12, 13] {14, 15, 16} triangles across after completing Set Up Stripe), until piece measures approximately (21, 21, 21) [21, 21, 22] {22, 22, 22}" / 53.5, 53.5, 53.5, 53.5, 56] {56, 56, 56} cm from cast-on, end on RS with Stripe 2 of pattern.

**Last Stripe:** \* With WS facing, pick up and purl 7 sts along side of first rectangle, turn.

Row 1 (RS): k8, turn.

**Row 2:** P2tog, p5, p2tog (using last picked-up stitch and fist stitch of rectangle), turn.

**Row 3:** K7, turn.

Row 4: P2tog, p4, p2tog, turn.



Row 5: K6, turn.

Row 6: P2tog, p3, p2tog, turn.

**Row 7:** K5, turn.

Row 8: P2tog, p2, p2tog, turn.

Row 9: K4, turn.

Row 10: P2tog, p1, p2tog, turn.

Row 11: K3, turn.

Row 12: [P2tog] twice, turn.

Row 13: k2, turn.

Row 14: [P2tog] twice, turn.

**Row 15:** K2tog, slip remaining stitch back to LH needle. Rep from \* until all stitches have been worked and 1 st remains, turn.

Change to smaller needles.

**Top Band:** With RS facing, pick up and knit 8 sts across top of each triangle—(65, 73, 81) [89, 97, 105] {113, 121, 129} sts. Work in ribbing as for lower edge for 2" / 5 cm, end on WS. Bind off in ribbing.

# **FRONT**

Work as for back.

## **SLEEVES**

With smaller needles, cast on (35, 35, 35) [35, 35, 43] {43, 43, 43} sts. Work in ribbing as for back for 3½" / 9 cm, end on RS.

Inc Row (WS): [P1, M1p] (8, 8, 8) [8, 8, 0] {0, 0, 0} times, [p2, M1p] (13, 13, 13) [13, 13, 21] {21, 21, 21} times, p1—(56, 56, 56) [56, 56, 64] {64, 64, 64} sts.

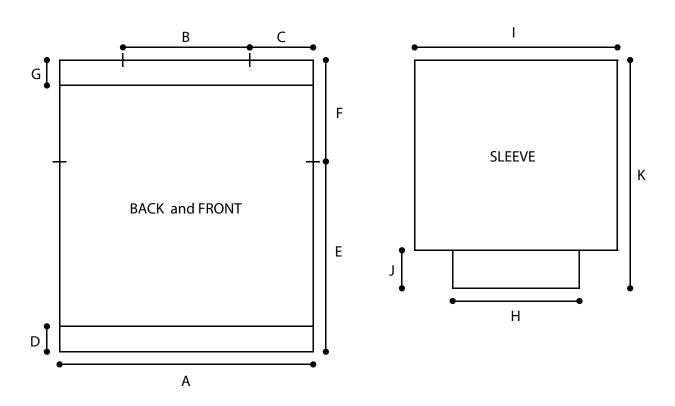
Change to larger needles and knit 1 row.

Work even in Pattern Stitch (you will have (7, 7, 7) [7, 7, 8] {8, 8, 8} triangles across after completed Set Up Stripe), until sleeve measures approximately 18" / 46 cm from cast-on, end on RS with Stripe 2 of pattern. Work Last Stripe as for back, then fasten off last stitch.

# **FINISHING**

Measure in (4½, 5½, 6½) [7½, 8½, 9½] {10½, 11½, 12½}" / 11.5, 14, 16.5) [19, 21.5, 24] {26.5, 29, 31.5} cm from each side on bound-off edge of back and front and mark for neck. Sew shoulder seams from side edges to markers, leaving 9½" / 24 cm open between markers for neck. Measure down (8, 8, 8) [8, 8, 9] {9, 9, 9}" / (20.5, 20.5, 20.5) [20.5, 20.5, 23] {23, 23, 23} cm from each shoulder seam on back and front and mark for armholes. Sew on sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams. Weave in all ends and block as desired.

#### PIILU SCHEMATICS



### PIILU MEASUREMENTS

A (Back and Front Width): (18½, 20½, 22½) [24½, 26½, 28½] {30½, 32½, 34½}" / (47, 52, 57) [62, 67.5, 72.5] {77.5, 82.5, 87.5} cm

**B** (Neck Width): 91/2" / 24 cm

C (Shoulder Width): (4½, 5½, 6½) [7½, 8½, 9½] {10½, 11½, 12½}" / (11.5, 14, 16.5) [19, 21.5, 24] {26.5, 29, 31.5} cm

D (Lower Band Length): 2" / 5 cm E (Length to Underarms): 15" / 38 cm

**F** (Armhole Length): (8, 8, 8) [8, 8, 9] {9, 9, 9}" / (20.5, 20.5, 20.5) [20.5, 20.5, 23] {23, 23, 23} cm

G (Top Band Length): 2" / 5 cm

J (Sleeve Cuff Length): 3" / 7.5 cm K (Sleeve Length): 18" / 45.5 cm



## STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

beg: beginningCC: contrasting color

CDD: Centered Double Decrease—Slip 2 together (as if to

k2tog), knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over

cn: cable needledec: 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: increasek: knit

k tbl: knit through the back loop(s)k2tog: knit 2 stitches togetherk3tog: 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 togetherp3tog: purl 3 stitches together

pat(s): pattern(s)
pm: place marker

psso: 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

st(s): stitch(es)

together.

**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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