

**Free Pattern**

**Skill level:** Easy  
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.

To Fit Bust Size: 30(34-38-42-46-50)"

**finished measurements**

Bust - 32(36-40-44-48-52)"  
Length - 21½(22-23-23½-24½-25)"

Note: This garment was designed with approximately 2" of ease. Please take this into consideration when selecting your size.

**materials**

5(5-6-7-8-8) Hanks **BERROCO KARMA** (50 grs), #3488 Hibiscus  
Straight knitting needles, size 11 (8.00 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

1 St marker

**gauge**

12 sts = 4"; 18 rows = 4" in St st  
6 sts = 1¼"; 18 rows = 4" in Pat St  
TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE



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## PATTERN STITCH (Worked over 6 sts)

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, k2 tog, (yo) twice, SSK, k1.

**Row 2:** P2, p first yo, k second yo, p2.

Rep these 2 rows for Pat St

## BACK

Cast on 51(57-63-69-75-81) sts.

**Establish Pat St: Row 1 (RS):** Work Row 1 of Pat St over 6 sts, place marker, k to end.

**Row 2:** P to marker, sl marker, work Row 2 of Pat St to end. Work even in pat as established until piece measures 13½(13½-14-14-14½-14½)" from beg, end on WS.

**Shape Armholes:** Row 1 (RS): Bind off 5 sts of Pat St, k to end, dropping marker – 46(52-58-64-70-76) sts.

**Row 2:** Bind off 4 sts, p to end – 42(48-54-60-66-72) sts.

**Dec Row (RS):** K3, k2 tog, k to last 5 sts, SSK, k3 – 40(46-52-58-64-70) sts. Rep this dec every RS row 3(5-6-8-9-11) times more – 34(36-40-42-46-48) sts. Work even until armholes measure 7(7½-8-8½-9-9½)", end on WS.

**Shape Shoulders and Neck: Next Row (RS):** Bind off 2(3-4-4-5-6), k until there are 3(3-4-5-6-6) sts on RH needle, join another hank of yarn and bind off center 22 sts, k to end.

**Following Row (WS):** With first hank, bind off 2(3-4-4-5-6) sts, p to 2 sts before neck edge, p2 tog; with second hank, p2 tog, p to end. Bind off 2(2-3-4-5-5) sts at beg of the next 2 rows.



## FRONT

Cast on 51(57-63-69-75-81) sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K to last 6 sts, place marker, work Row 1 of Pat St to end.

**Row 2:** Work Row 2 of Pat St to marker, sl marker, p to end. Work even in pat as established until piece measures 13½(13½-14-14-14½-14½)" from beg, end on WS.

**Shape Armholes: Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 4 sts, work to end – 47(53-59-65-71-77) sts.

**Row 2:** Bind off 5 sts, drop marker p to end – 42(48-54-60-66-72) sts.

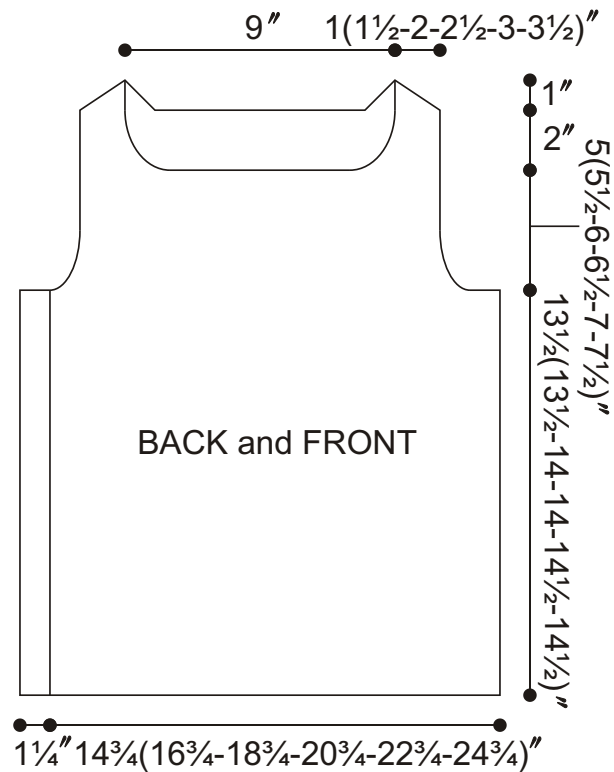
**Dec Row (RS):** K3, k2 tog, k to last 5 sts, SSK, k3 – 40(46-52-58-64-70) sts. Rep this dec every RS row 3(5-6-8-9-11) times more – 34(36-40-42-46-48) sts. Work even until armholes measure 5(5½-6-6½-7-7½)", end on WS.

**Shape Neck: Next Row (RS):** K5(6-8-9-11-12), k2 tog, k3, join another hank of yarn and bind off center 14 sts, k2, SSK, k to end – 9(10-12-13-15-16) sts on each side. Working both sides at once, purl 1 row.

**Dec Row (RS):** With first hank, k4(5-7-8-10-11), k2 tog, k3; with second hank, k3, SSK, k to end – 8(9-11-12-14-15) sts each side. Rep this dec every RS row 4 times more – 4(5-7-8-10-11) sts each side. Work even until armholes measure 7(7½-8-8½-9-9½)", end on WS. Bind off 2(3-4-4-5-6) sts at each armhole edge once, then 2-2-3-4-5-5) sts once for shoulders.

## FINISHING

Sew shoulder and side seams.



## ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

### Knit

**beg:** beginning  
**CC:** contrasting color  
**cn:** cable needle  
**cont:** continue  
**dec:** decrease  
**dpn:** double pointed needles  
**est:** established  
**inc:** increase  
**K:** knit  
**KSP:** Knit 1, then slip stitch back to left hand needle, lift 2nd stitch on left hand needle back over returned stitch and replace returned stitch on RH needle (1 stitch decreased).  
**K2SP:** Knit 2 together, then slip stitch back to left hand needle, lift second stitch on left hand needle back over returned stitch and replace returned stitch on right hand needle (2 stitches decreased).  
**LH:** left hand  
**lp(s):** loop(s)  
**LT2 (Left Twist):** Skip 1 stitch, knit second stitch through back loop, then knit both stitches together through back loop  
**MC:** main color  
**M1k:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch (1 stitch increased).  
**M1p:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch (1 stitch increased).  
**p:** purl  
**pat(s):** pattern(s)  
**pm:** place marker  
**psso:** pass slip stitch over knit stitch  
**p2sso:** pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch  
**rem:** remaining  
**rep:** repeat  
**RH:** right hand  
**rnd(s):** round(s)  
**RS:** right side  
**RT2 (Right Twist):** Knit 2 stitches together, leaving them on the left hand needle, then knit the first stitch again slipping both stitches to the right hand needle.  
**SKP:** slip 1, knit 1, pass slip stitch over  
**sl:** slip  
**SSK:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.  
**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

**bphdc (back post half double crochet):** Yarn over, insert hook from back to front to back around post of half double crochet one row below, yarn over, draw up a loop, yarn over, draw through all 3 loops on hook (this is worked on even # or wrong side rows).  
**bptr (back post triple):** Yarn over twice, insert hook from back to front around post of stitch on previous row and pull up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times.  
**ch:** chain  
**dc:** double crochet  
**fphdc (front post half double crochet):** Yarn over, insert hook from front to back to front around post of half double crochet one row below, yarn over, draw up a loop, yarn over, draw through all 3 loops on hook (this is worked on odd # or right side rows)  
**fptr (front post triple):** Yarn over twice, insert hook from front to back around post of stitch on previous row and pull up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times.  
**hdc:** half double crochet  
**hdctbl:** Half double crochet worked in the back loop  
**hdctfl:** Half double crochet worked in the front loop  
**sl st:** slip stitch  
**sp:** space  
**tr:** treble