

Sempione

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skill level: Intermediate
Shown in size 52"

finished measurements

Bust – 36(40-44-48-52-56-60)"

Length (back) – 23(23-23½-24-24-24½-25)" (front will measure 2" shorter than back)

Note: This garment was designed with approximately 2 - 4" of ease. Please take this into consideration when selecting your size.

materials

10(11-12-13-14-15-16) balls

BERROCO COTOLANA (50 grs),

#3570 Willow

16" and 29" length circular knitting

needles, size 8 (5.00 mm) OR SIZE

TO OBTAIN GAUGE

Straight knitting needles, size 8
(5.00 mm)

1 set (4) double pointed knitting

needles (dpns), size 8 (5.00 mm)

2 st markers (2 different colors)

1 st holder

gauge

18 sts and 35 rows = 4" in Pat St

TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK
GAUGE

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PATTERN STITCH (in rows)

Row 1: K2, * p2, k2, rep from * across.

Rep this row for Pat st flat.

PATTERN STITCH (in the round)

Rnd 1: K2, * p2, k2, rep from * around.

Rnd 2: P2, * k2, p2, rep from * around.

Rep these 2 rnds for Pat St in the round.

STITCH GLOSSARY

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).

RRI – right lifted increase

Insert RH needle into the purl bump behind the next st on the LH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd).

NOTE

Back of this garment is worked in rows for 2", then joined to front. The body is then worked in one piece in the round to underarms where it is divided for back and front. Back and front are then worked flat. Sleeves are worked in the round.

BACK

With straight needles, using long tail method, cast on 80(92-100-108-116-128-136) sts. Purl 1 row, knit 1 row, purl 1 row. Mark last row as WS row.

Establish Pat St: Row 1 (RS): K1, work Row 1 of Pat St in rows to last st, end k1.

Row 2: P1, work Row 1 of Pat St in rows to last st, end p1. Rep these 2 rows until piece measures 4" from beg, end with a WS row. Break off yarn, leaving sts on needle.

FRONT

With longer circular needle, using long tail method, cast on 80(92-100-108-116-128-136) sts. DO NOT join. Work as for back until piece measures 2" from beg, end with a WS row.



BODY

Joining Row (RS): With circular needle, k1, work 78(90-98-106-114-126-134) sts in Pat St in the round, k1 (front), pm, then, still using circular needle, k1, work 78(90-98-106-114-126-134) sts in Pat St in the round (back) – 160(184-200-216-232-256-272) sts. Place marker and join for working in the round.

Note: You will now have a marker at each side edge. Work 1 st before and 1 st after each marker in St st (knit EVERY rnd) and all others in Pat St in the round.

Beg with Rnd 2 of Pat st in the round, work even until piece measures 16" from beg measured up center back, end with Rnd 2. Mark end of last rnd for beg of armholes.

Note: When working front and back, keep 1 st at each edge in St st and remaining sts in Pat St in rows.

Divide for Front and Back: Next Row (RS): With straight needles, k1, work Row 1 of Pat St in rows to 1 st before next marker, k1, turn, leaving remaining sts on circular needle for back and dropping both markers – 80(92-100-108-116-128-136) sts.

Front: Work even in Pat St in rows until armholes measure 3¾(4-4½-5-5½-6-6½)" above marker, end with a WS row.

Shape Neck: Next Row (RS): Work 27(33-37-41-44-50-53) sts, sl these sts to holder for left side; bind off center 26(26-26-26-28-30) sts, then work to end – 27(33-37-41-44-50-53) sts.

Right Side: Dec 1 st at neck edge every RS row 10 times – 17(23-27-31-34-40-43) sts. Work even until armhole measures $6\frac{3}{4}$ (7-7½-8-8½-9-9½)" , end with a WS row. Bind off.

Left Side: Sl 27(33-37-41-44-50-53) sts from holder to straight needle. Join yarn on WS and work 1 WS row. Dec 1 st at neck edge every RS row 10 times – 17(23-27-31-34-40-43) sts. Work even until armhole measures $6\frac{3}{4}$ (7-7½-8-8½-9-9½)" , end with a WS row. Bind off.

Back: Join yarn to first st on circular needle.

Row 1 (RS): K1, work Row 1 of Pat St in rows over 78(90-98-106-114-126-134) sts, k1. Work even in pat as established until armholes measure $6\frac{3}{4}$ (7-7½-8-8½-9-9½)" , end with a WS row. Bind off. Mark center 46(46-46-48-48-50) sts for back neck.

SLEEVES

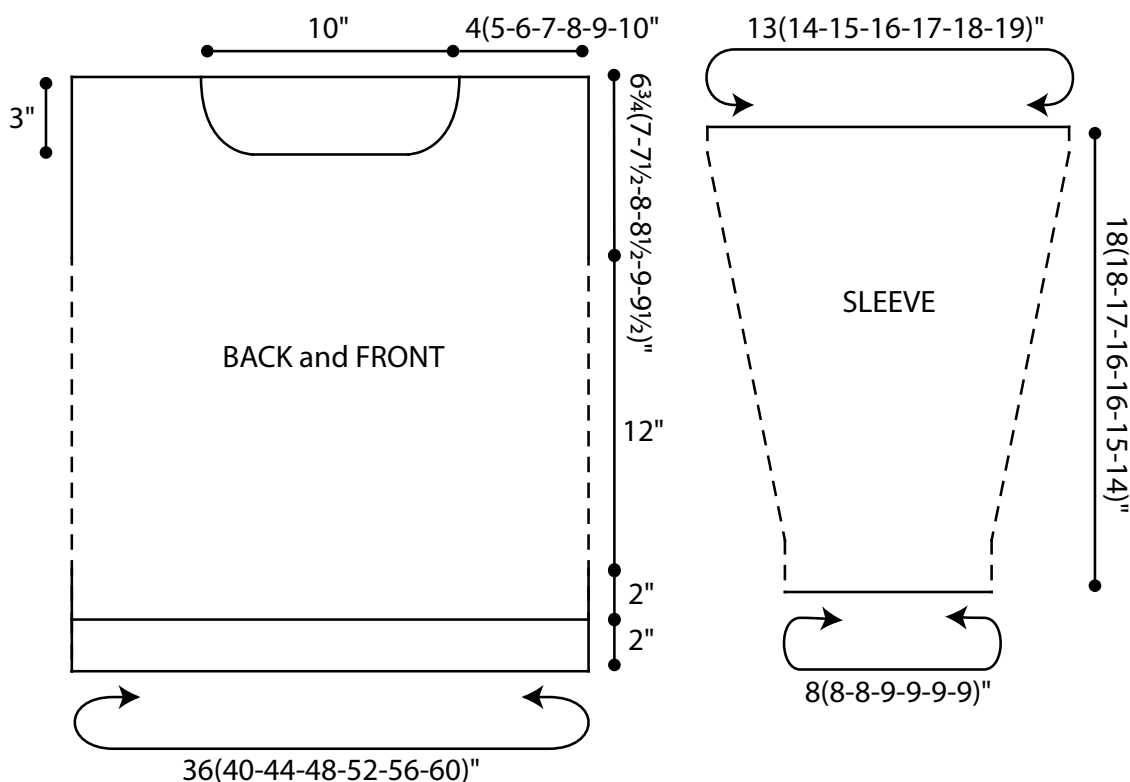
With dpns, cast on 36(36-36-40-40-40-40) sts. Place marker and join for working in the round. Knit 3 rnds. Work even in Pat St in the round until sleeve measures 2" from beg.

Inc Rnd: RLI, work to marker, LLI – 2 sts inc'd. Rep Inc Rnd every 11(10-8-8-7-6-6) rounds 11(13-15-15-17-19-21) times more, working incs into Pat St in the round – 60(60-62-68-68-72-76) sts. Work even until sleeve measures 18(18-17-16-16-15-14)" from beg (or desired length). Bind off.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves.

Neckband: With RS facing, using shorter circular needle, beg at left shoulder seam, pick up and knit 17 sts along left front neck edge, 22(22-24-24-24-24-26) sts across front neck edge, 17 sts along right front neck edge then 42(42-44-44-44-44-46) sts across back neck edge – 98(98-102-102-102-102-106) sts. Place marker and join for working in the round. Knit 3 rnds. Bind off knitwise. Weave in all ends and block as desired.



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
cont: continue
dec: decrease
dpn(s): double pointed needle(s)
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 slipped 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.
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)
TBL: through back loop(s)
tog: together
w&t: wrap and turn, a method of concealing a hole created in short row shaping. With yarn held in back, slip stitch to be wrapped purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the front. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle, then bring the yarn to the back again. 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
end on WS: end having just completed a Wrong Side row.
end on RS: end having just completed a Right Side row
Stockinette stitch (St st): 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.
Reverse St st (Rev St st): 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.
Garter St: Knit EVERY row when working back and forth in rows. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working in the round.