



 **KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE**

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing)
Approx = Approximately
Beg = Begin(ning)
Cont = Continue(ity)
Dec = Decrease(ing)
Inc = Increase(ing)
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together
P = Purl
Pat = Pattern
Rem = Remain(ing)
Rep = Repeat
RS = Right side

SlIP = Slip next stitch purlwise
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
WS = Wrong side
W&T = RS rows: Bring yarn to front of work. Slip next stitch purlwise. Bring yarn to back of work. Slip stitch back onto left-hand needle. Turn. WS rows: Bring yarn to back of work. Slip next stitch purlwise. Bring yarn to front of work. Slip stitch back onto left-hand needle. Turn.
Yo = Yarn over

SIZES

To fit bust measurement

XS/S 28-34" [71-86.5 cm]
M 36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm]
L 40-42" [101.5-106.5 cm]
XL 44-46" [112-117 cm]
2/3XL 48-54" [122-137 cm]
4/5XL 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

Finished bust

XS/S 44" [112 cm]
M 48" [122 cm]
L 50½" [128 cm]
XL 54½" [138 cm]
2/3XL 58½" [148.5 cm]
4/5XL 64" [162.5 cm]

MATERIALS

Bernat® Roving™ (3.5 oz/100 g; 120 yds/109 m)

Sizes	XS/S	M	L	XL	2/3XL	4/5XL	
Low Tide (00098)	9	10	11	12	13	14	balls

Sizes U.S. 10 (6 mm) and U.S. 10½ (6.5 mm) knitting needles.
 Size U.S. 10 (6 mm) circular knitting needle 40" [101.5 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 2 stitch markers.

GAUGE

12 sts and 16 rows = 4" [10 cm] with larger needles in stocking stitch. 3 sts and 4 rows = 1".

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written thus (.). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

BACK

With larger needles, cast on **78 (84-88-94-100-108)** sts.

1st row: (RS). K1. *K1. P1. Rep from * to last st. K1.

2nd row: P1. *K1. P1. Rep from * to last st. P1.

3rd row: K1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to last st. K1.

4th row: P1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to last st. P1.

These 4 rows form Irish Moss St Pat. Cont in Irish Moss St Pat until work from beg measures 8½" [21.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at each end of next row and every following 6th row 5 times more. **66 (72-76-82-88-96)** sts.

Cont even in pat until work from beg measures **27 (27-28-**

28-29-29)" [**68.5 (68.5-71-71-73.5-73.5)** cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape shoulders: Cast off **7 (8-8-9-10-11)** sts at beg of next 4 rows, then **8 (8-10-10-10-11)** sts at beg of following 2 rows. Cast off rem **22 (24-24-26-28-30)** sts.

RIGHT FRONT

With larger needles, cast on 6 sts. Work 2 rows in Irish Moss St Pat as given for Back.

Cont in pat, cast on 2 sts at beg of next **8 (6-6-5-5-3)** RS rows, then cast on 3 sts at beg of following **4 (6-4-4-2-3)** RS rows, taking inc sts into pat.

Sizes L, XL, 2/3XL and 4/5XL only: Cast on 4 sts at beg of next **2 (3-3-3)** RS rows.

Sizes 2/3XL and 4/5XL only: Cast on 5 sts at beg of next **2 (3)** RS rows.

All sizes: Place marker at beg of last row. **34 (36-38-40-44-48)** sts. Cont even in pat until work from original cast on edge measures 8½" [21.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape side: Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at end (side seam) of next RS row and every following 6th row 5 times more. **28 (30-32-34-38-42)** sts.

Cont even in pat until work from original cast on edge measures **17½ (17-17½-17-17½-17½)"** [44.5 (43-44.5-43-44.5-44.5) cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape neck: Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at beg of next row (neck edge) and every following 6th row **5 (5-5-5-7-7)** times more. **22 (24-26-28-30-34)** sts.

Cont even in pat until work from original cast on edge measures **27 (27-28-28-29-29)"** [**68.5 (68.5-71-71-73.5-73.5)** cm], ending on a RS row.

Shape shoulder: Cast off **7 (8-8-9-10-11)** sts at beg of next and following alt row.

Work 1 row even in pat. Cast off rem **8 (8-10-10-10-12)** sts.

LEFT FRONT

With larger needles, cast on 6 sts. Work 3 rows in Irish Moss St as given for Back.

Cont in pat, cast on 2 sts at beg of next **8 (6-6-5-5-3)** WS rows, then cast on 3 sts at beg of following **4 (6-4-4-2-3)** WS rows, taking inc sts into pat.

Sizes L, XL, 2/3XL and 4/5XL only: Cast on 4 sts at beg of next **2 (3-3-3)** WS rows.

Sizes 2/3XL and 4/5XL only: Cast on 5 sts at beg of next **2 (3)** WS rows.

All sizes: Place marker at beg of last row. **34 (36-38-40-44-48)** sts. Cont even in pat until work from original cast on edge measures 8½" [21.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape side: Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st at beg of next RS row (side seam) and every following 6th row 5 times more. **28 (30-32-34-38-42)** sts.

Cont even in pat until work from original cast on edge measures **17½ (17-17½-17-17½-17½)"** [**44.5 (43-44.5-43-44.5-44.5)** cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape neck: Keeping cont of pat, dec 1 st end of next row (neck edge) and every following 6th row **5 (5-5-5-7-7)** times more. **22 (24-26-28-30-34)** sts. Cont even in pat until work from original cast on edge measures **27 (27-28-28-29-29)" [68.5 (68.5-71-71-73.5-73.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row.

Shape shoulder: Cast off **7 (8-8-9-10-12)** sts at beg of next and following alt row. Work 1 row even in pat. Cast off rem **8 (8-10-10-11-11)** sts.

SLEEVES

With smaller needles cast on **42 (42-42-47-47-47)** sts.

1st row: (RS). K1. *K1. Sl1P. K1. P2. Rep from * to last st. K1.

2nd row: P1. *K2. P3. Rep from * to last st. P1.

Rep last 2 rows Slip St ribbing until work from beg measures 3" [7.5 cm], ending on a WS row and inc **0 (0-0-1-1-1)** st in center of last row. **42 (42-42-48-48-48)** sts.

Change to larger needles. Proceed in Irish Moss St Pat as given for Back, inc 1 st at each

end of following **6th (6th-4th-6th-4th-4th)** rows to **58 (60-64-66-70-70)** sts, taking inc sts into pat.

Cont even in pat until work from beg measures **18½ (18½-18-18-17½-17½)" [47 (47-45.5-45.5-44.5-44.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row. Cast off.

FINISHING

Pin pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth, leaving cloth to dry. Sew shoulder seams. Place markers on sides of Fronts and Back **9½ (10-10½-11-11½-11½)" [24 (25.5-26.5-28-29-29) cm]** down from shoulder seams. Sew in Sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Bottom Ribbing: With circular needle, RS facing and beg at Left Front marker, pick up and knit **32 (34-37-39-44-47)** sts down shaped Left Front edge, **78 (84-88-94-99-108)** sts across cast on edge of Back and **32 (34-37-39-44-47)** sts up shaped edge of Right Front to marker. **142 (152-162-172-187-202)** sts.

1st row: (WS). K2. *P3. K2. Rep from * to end of row.

2nd row: P2. *K1. Sl1P. K1. P2. Rep from * to end of row. Rep last 2 rows until ribbing measures 6" [15 cm], ending on a WS row. Cast off in ribbing.

Collar: With circular needle and RS facing, pick up and knit **50 (49-49-47-43-42)** sts up Right Front to beg of neck shaping, **32 (32-35-36-39-39)** sts up Right Front neck edge, **23 (25-24-26-28-30)** sts across back neck edge, **32 (32-35-36-39-39)** sts down Left Front neck edge and **50 (49-49-47-43-42)** sts down Left Front edge. **187 (187-192-192-192-192)** sts.

1st row: (WS). K2. *P3. K2. Rep from * to end of row.

2nd row: P2. *K3. P2. Rep from * to end of row. Rep last 2 rows 7 times more.

Shape Shawl Collar: 1st row: (WS). Rib **135 (135-140-140-140-140)** sts. W&T.

Leave rem sts unworked.

2nd row: Rib **83 (83-88-88-88-88)** sts. W&T.

3rd row: Rib to 2 st before previously wrapped st. W&T.

Rep last row 13 times more. **55 (55-60-60-60-60)** sts rem.

Next row: (WS). Rib to end of row, working sts and loops tog on wrapped sts to prevent 'gaps'. Cast off all sts loosely in rib.



