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**Berroco Versa**



A tailored knit shirt with an interesting drop stitch detail, nestled in bias stitch panels.



### [PDF Pattern Instructions](#)

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### **SIZES**

Directions are for women's size X-Small. Changes for sizes Small, Medium, Large, 1X and 2X are in parentheses

### **FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

Bust (closed) – 32(36-40-44-48-52)"

Length – 22(22½-23-23½-24½-25)"

### **MATERIALS**

7(8-9-10-12-13) Hanks **BERROCO VERSA** (50 grs), #3675 Olive Grove

Straight knitting needles, sizes 10 (6.00 mm) and 10½ (6.50 mm) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

29" Length circular knitting needle, size 10½ (6.50 mm)

4 St markers

Seven 1" buttons from One World Button Supply Co.

### GAUGE

14 sts = 4"; 16 rows = 4" in St st on larger needles  
TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE

### PATTERN STITCH (Worked over 11 sts)

**Row 1 (WS):** Purl.

**Row 2 (RS):** M1k, k3, k2 tog, k1, SSK, k3, M1k.

Rep these 2 rows for Pat St.

### NOTE

Body of this garment is worked in one piece to underarm, then divided for back and fronts.

### BODY

With circular needle, cast on 150(166-186-202-222-238) sts.

**Ribbing: Row 1 (RS):** K6, place marker, p2, \* k2, p2, rep from \* to last 6 sts, place marker, k to end.

**Row 2:** P to first marker, sl marker, k2, \* p2, k2, rep from \* to last marker, sl marker p to end. Rep these 2 rows until piece measures 5" from beg, end on RS.

**Dec Row (WS):** P to first marker, sl marker, p5, bind off 4 sts, p5, place marker, p to 14 sts before last marker, decreasing 26(28-34-36-42-44) sts across, place marker, p5, bind off 4 sts, p to last marker, sl marker, p to end – 116(130-144-158-172-186) sts.

**Set-Up Row (RS):** K to first marker, sl marker, M1k, k3, k2 tog, yo, SSK, k3, M1k, sl marker, k to next marker, sl marker, M1k, k3, k2 tog, yo, SSK, k3, M1k, sl marker, k to end – 118(132-146-160-174-188) sts.

**Establish Pat St: Row 1 (WS):** P to first marker, work Row 1 of Pat St to next marker, p to next marker, work Row 1 of Pat St to last marker, p to end.

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

**Divide for Back and Fronts: Next Row (RS):** With larger straight needle, work 27(29-33-35-39-41) sts, leaving remaining sts on circular needle for back and left front. Turn.

**Right Front: Shape Armhole: Next Row (WS):** Bind off 2 sts, work to end – 25(27-31-33-37-39) sts.

**Dec Row (RS):** K1, k2 tog, work to end – 24(26-30-32-36-38) sts. Rep this dec every RS row 1(2-4-4-6-7) times more – 23(24-26-28-30-31) sts. Work even until armhole measures 6(6-6½-7-7½-8)", end on WS.

**Shape Neck:** Bind off 6 sts, drop marker, work to end. Work 1 row even.

**Next Row (RS):** Bind off 4 sts, drop next st, allowing st to run all the way down work to lower ribbing, bind off 1 more st, then work to end. Dec 1 st at neck edge EVERY row 5 times. When armhole measures 7½(7½-8-8½-9-9½)", end on WS.

**Shape Shoulder:** Bind off 3(4-5-6-7-7) sts at armhole edge once, then 3(3-4-5-6-7) sts once.

### BACK

With RS facing, join yarn in first st on circular needle. Using larger straight needle, bind off 8(10-10-12-12-14) sts, k until there are 48(54-60-66-72-78) sts on LH needle, leaving remaining sts on circular needle for left front. Turn. Bind off 2 sts at beg of the next 2 rows, then work 1 row even – 44(50-56-62-68-74) sts.

**Dec Row (RS):** K2, k2 tog, k to last 4 sts, SSK, k2 – 42(48-54-60-66-72) sts. Rep this dec every RS row 1(2-4-4-6-7) times more – 40(44-46-52-54-58) sts. Work even until armholes measure 7½(7½-8-8½-9-9½)", end on WS. Bind off 3(4-5-6-7-7) sts at beg of the next 2 rows, then 3(3-4-5-6-7) sts at beg of the following 2 rows for shoulders. Bind off remaining 28(30-28-30-28-30) sts for back neck.

### LEFT FRONT

With RS facing, join yarn in first st on circular needle. Using larger straight needle, bind off 8(10-10-12-12-14) sts, then work to end – 27(29-33-35-39-41) sts. Complete to correspond to right front, reversing all shaping. Work armhole decs as k2, k2 tog. Bind off for neck on WS rows. Bind off for shoulder on RS rows.

### FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

**Collar:** With RS facing, using smaller larger straight needles, beg at right front neck edge, pick up and k90

sts around entire neck edge.

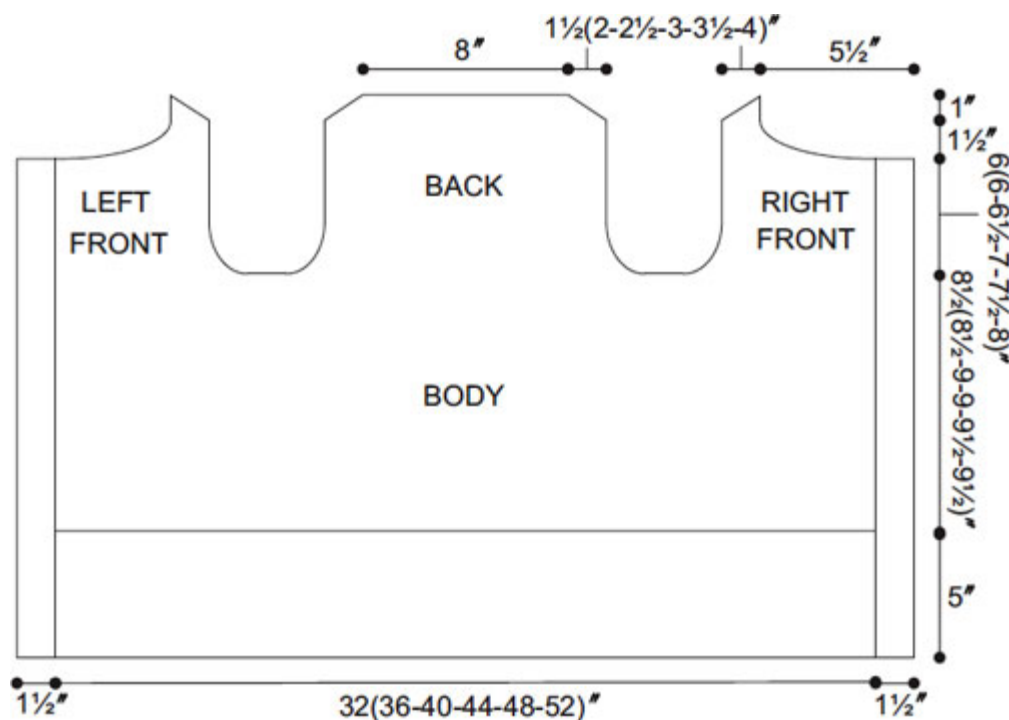
**Row 1 (WS of work, RS of collar as it folds back):** K2, \* p2, k2, rep from \* across.

**Row 2:** P2, \* k2, p2, rep from \* across. Rep these 2 rows until collar measures 5", end on WS. Bind off loosely in ribbing.

**Left Frontband:** With RS facing, using smaller straight needles, beg at beg of neck shaping (bottom of collar), pick up and k90(90-94-94-98-98) sts along left front edge. Beg with Row 2, work in ribbing same as collar for  $\frac{3}{4}$ ", end on WS. Bind off in ribbing.

**Right Frontband:** Beg at lower right front edge, work to correspond to left frontband until 1 row has been completed, end on WS – 90(90-94-94-98-98) sts.

**Buttonhole Row (RS):** Work 2(2-4-4-3-3) sts, yo, work 2 tog, \* work 12(12-12-12-13-13) sts, yo work 2 tog, rep from \* 5 times more, work to end. Complete same as left frontband. Sew on buttons.



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