

BERNAT® KNIT TOP DOWN PULLOVER

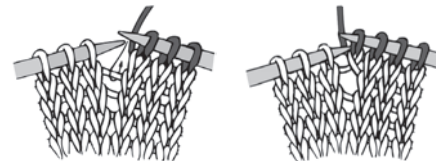


KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate
Beg = Beginning
Cont = Continue(ity)
Inc = Inceas(e)(ing)
K = Knit
K1tbl = Knit next stitch through back loop
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together
M1 = Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop

P = Purl
Pat = Pattern
PM = Place marker
Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS = Right side
SM = Slip marker
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side



MATERIALS

Bernat® Velvet™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 315 yds/288 m)

Sizes XS/S M L XL 2/3XL 4/5XL
 Terracotta Rose (32017) 2 2 3 3 4 4 **balls**

Sizes U.S. 8 (5 mm) and U.S. 10 (6 mm) circular knitting needle 24" [61 cm] long. Set of 4 sizes U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) and U.S. 10 (6 mm) double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stitch marker.

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 40" [101.5 cm]
M 42½" [108 cm]
L 46½" [118 cm]
XL 52" [132 cm]
2/3XL 58½" [148.5 cm]
4/5XL 66" [167.5 cm]

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GAUGE

12 sts and 17 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st with larger needles.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes 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.

Notes:

- Sweater is worked in one piece, from neck edge down.
- Neck shaping is worked in rows. After center front sts are cast on, work is joined and completed in the round.

With larger circular needle, cast on **36** (38-38-40-44-46) sts.

1st row: (RS). K1. PM. K2. PM. K**4** (4-4-4-6-6). PM. K2. PM. K**18** (20-20-22-22-24). PM. K2. PM. K**4** (4-4-4-6-6). PM. K2. PM. K1.

2nd and alt rows: Purl.

3rd row: K1. *M1. SM. K2. SM. M1. K**4** (4-4-4-6-6). M1. SM. K2. SM. M1.* Knit to next marker. Rep from * to * once more. K1. **44** (46-46-48-52-54) sts.

5th row: Knit to first marker. *M1. SM. K2. SM. M1. Knit to next marker. M1. SM. K2. SM. M1.* Knit to next marker. Rep from * to * once more. Knit to end of row. **52** (54-54-56-60-62) sts.

6th row: Purl.

7th row: As 5th row. **60** (62-62-64-68-70) sts.

Next row: (WS). Cast on **16** (18-18-20-20-22) sts (center front). Join to beg working in rnds. **76** (80-80-84-88-92) sts.

Proceed in rnds as follows:

1st rnd: Knit.

2nd rnd: Knit to next marker. *M1. SM. K2. SM. M1.** Knit to next marker. Rep from * twice more, then from * to ** once. Knit to end of rnd. **84** (88-88-92-96-100) sts.

Rep last 2 rnds, inc 8 sts every alt rnd **15** (16-19-20-20-21) times more. **204** (216-240-252-256-268) sts.

Sizes **XL**, **2/3XL** and **4/5XL** only:

1st rnd: Knit.

2nd rnd: (Knit to next marker. M1. SM. K2. SM. Knit to next marker. SM. K2. SM. M1) twice. Knit to end of rnd. (256-260-272) sts.

Rep last 2 rnds, inc 4 sts every alt rnd (1-6-10) time(s) more. (260-284-312) sts.

All sizes: Knit even in rnds on **204** (216-240-260-284-312) sts until work from front neck measures **8½** (9-10-11-12-13)" [21.5 (23-25.5-28-30.5-33) cm].

Divide for Sleeves and Body:

Next rnd: Knit to next marker. Remove marker. K1. Slip next **44** (46-52-52-56-58) sts onto scrap yarn (removing marker). Cast on 2 sts. K**58** (62-68-78-86-98). Slip next **44** (46-52-52-56-58) sts onto scrap yarn (removing marker). Cast on 2 sts. K**58** (62-68-78-86-98). **120** (128-140-156-176-200) sts.

BODY

Knit even in rnds on these **120** (128-140-156-176-200) sts until Body from Sleeve divide measures **12** (12-12-13-13-13)" [30.5 (30.5-30.5-33-33-33) cm].

Change to smaller circular needle and proceed as follows:

Next rnd: *K1tbl. P1. Rep from * around.

Rep last rnd (K1tbl. P1) ribbing for 2" [5 cm]. Cast off loosely in pat.

SLEEVES

Slip **44** (46-52-52-56-58) sts from scrap yarn onto larger double-pointed needles. Pick up and knit 2 sts along armhole divide. PM between last 2 picked up sts. Divide sts among 3 needles to beg working in rnds. **46** (48-54-54-58-60) sts.

Knit even in rnds until work from sleeve divide measures **3** (3-2½-2½-1-1)" [7.5 (7.5-6.5-6.5-2.5-2.5) cm].

Next rnd: K2tog. Knit to last 2 sts. ssk. **44** (46-52-52-56-58) sts. Knit **5** (5-5-5-5-3) rnds even.

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Rep last **6 (6-6-6-4)** rnds **8 (8-2-2-0-10)** times more. **28 (28-46-48-56-38)** sts.

Sizes L, XL, 2/3XL and 4/5XL only: **Next rnd:** K2tog. Knit to last 2 sts. ssk. (**46-46-52-38**) sts. Knit (**3-3-3-1**) rnd(s) even. Rep last (**4-4-4-2**) rnds (**8-8-12-4**) times more. 30 sts.

All sizes: Cont even until Sleeve measures 14" [35.5 cm] from armhole divide.

Change to smaller double-pointed needles and proceed as follows:

Next rnd: *K1tbl. P1. Rep from * around.

Rep last rnd of (K1tbl. P1) ribbing for 2" [5 cm].

Cast off in pat.

Neckband: With RS facing and smaller circular needle, pick up and knit **36 (38-38-40-44-46)** sts along back neck edge. Pick up and knit 8 sts down left front neck edge. Pick up and knit **16 (18-18-20-20-22)** sts along front neck edge. Pick up and knit 8 sts up right front neck edge. PM. Join to beg working in rnds. **68 (72-72-76-80-84)** sts.

1st rnd: *K1tbl. P1. Rep from * around.

Rep last rnd (K1tbl. P1) ribbing 6 times more. Cast off in pat.

