

Style No. 320

These directions are for size 12. Changes for sizes 14 and 16 are in parentheses.

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MATERIALS

BERNAT Nylo Germantown (2 oz. skeins) — 8(9–10) 1 pair each straight knitting needles Nos. 4 and 8 4 buttons 1/2 yd 1 inch grosgrain ribbon

GAUGE: 5 sts = 1 inch 7 rows = 1 inch

BACK: Using No. 4 needles, cast on 76(82–86) sts. K 1, P 1 in ribbing for 4 inches. Change to No. 8 needles and work in stockinette st, inc 1 st each end of needle every 1 inch 6 times. Work even on 88(94–98) sts until piece measures 13(13–13½) inches. SHAPE ARMHOLES: At the beg of each of the next 2 rows bind off 6(7–7) sts. Dec 1 st each end of needle every other row 4 times. Work even on 68(72–76) sts until armholes measure 7½(7¾-8) inches. SHAPE NECK AND SHOULDERS: On the next row work 24(25–27) sts; join another ball of yarn and bind off centre 20(22–22) sts; work last 24(25–27) sts. Working on both sides at once, at each neck edge dec 1 st every other row 3 times and at each arm edge bind off 7(11–8) sts 3(2–3) times.

LEFT FRONT: Using No. 4 needles, cast on 43(45–47) sts. Row 1: K 1, *P 1, K 1, repeat from * to end of row. Row 2: P 1, *K 1, P 1, repeat from * to end of row. Repeat these 2 rows for 4 inches, ending with Row 1. On the next row change to No. 8 needles, K to last 7 sts, P 1, *K 1, P 1, repeat from * to end of row. Keeping 7 sts at front edge in ribbing as established, work remaining sts in stockinette st and inc 1 st at arm edge every 1 inch 3 times, ending with a P row. SHAPE NECK: On the next row K to last 9 sts, K 2 tog, work 7 sts in ribbing (neck dec). Continuing to inc

1 st at arm edge every 1 inch 3 times more, at neck edge dec 1 st inside front border every 1 inch 6 times more. Work even on 42(44-46) sts until piece measures 13(13-13½) inches. SHAPE ARMHOLE: Continuing to dec 1 st inside front border every 1 inch 4 times more, at arm edge bind off 6(7-7) sts and dec 1 st at same edge every other row 4 times. Work even on 28(29-31) sts until armhole measures 7½ (7¾-8) inches. SHAPE SHOULDER: At arm edge bind off 7(11-8) sts 3(2-3) times. Work even in ribbing as established on remaining 7 sts for 2½ inches. Bind off.

RIGHT FRONT: Work to correspond to left front, reversing all shaping and forming first buttonhole when piece measures 1 inch. BUTTONHOLE: Starting at front edge, work 2 sts, bind off next 3 sts, work to end of row. On the next row cast on 3 sts over those bound off previous row. Make 3 more buttonholes, spaced 2 inches apart.

SLEEVES: Using No. 4 needles, cast on 52(54-56) sts. K 1, P 1 in ribbing for 2 inches. Change to No. 8 needles and work in stockinette st, inc 1 st each end of needle every $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches 6(6-7) times. Work even on 64(66-70) sts until piece measures $13(13-13\frac{1}{2})$ inches. SHAPE CAP: At the beg of each of the next 2 rows bind off 6(7-7) sts. Dec 1 st each end of needle every other row for $4\frac{1}{2}(4\frac{3}{4}-5)$ inches. At the beg of each of the next 6 rows bind off 2 sts. Bind off remaining sts.

FINISHING: Sew underarm, shoulder and sleeve seams. Set in sleeves. Sew neckband and sew to back of neck. Block. Face each front to start of neck shaping with ribbon. Sew on buttons. Finish buttonholes.