



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

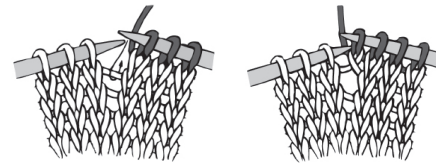
**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**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	<b>balls</b>

Sizes U.S. 8 (5 mm) and U.S. 10 (6 mm) Susan Bates® circular knitting needle 24" [61 cm] long. Set of 4 sizes U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) and U.S. 10 (6 mm) Susan Bates® double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® Steel Yarn Needle. Susan Bates® Split-Lock Stitch Count Marker.

### SIZES

#### To fit bust measurement

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

#### Finished bust

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

## 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** (6-6-6-6-4) rnds **8** (8-2-2-1-10) time(s) more. **28** (28-48-48-54-38) sts.

**Sizes L, XL, 2/3XL and 4/5XL only: Next rnd:** K2tog. Knit to last 2 sts. ssk. (46-46-52-36) sts. Knit (3-3-3-1) rnd(s) even. Rep last (4-4-4-2) rnds (8-8-12-3) 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.

