

# Tuberose

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**skill level:** Intermediate  
Shown in size 36"

**finished measurements**

Bust (closed) – 32(36-40-44-48-52-56-60)"

Length – 23(23-23½-24-24½-24½-25-25½)"

**Note:** This garment was designed with approximately 2 – 4" of ease. Please take this into consideration when selecting your size.

**yarn**

**BERROCO MAYA** (50 grs): 6(7-8-9-10-10-11-13) hanks #5615 Verde

**needles and notions**

Straight knitting needles, sizes 5 (3.75 mm) and 8 (5.00 mm) or size to obtain gauge

36" (or longer) length circular knitting needle, size 5 (3.75 mm)

**gauge**

19 sts and 24 rows = 4" in St st on larger needles

*To save time, take time to check gauge*

*Berroco Maya®*

Find this Yarn 

**NOTE:** We recommend using yarns called for in our instructions. Every effort has been made to ensure that directions contained in this book are accurate and complete, however errors do occur. We cannot be responsible for variance of individual knitters, human or typographical errors.

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## NOTE

This garment was designed so that it can be worn with the tie in the front or the back. Instructions are written assuming it is tied in the back, as shown.

## FRONT

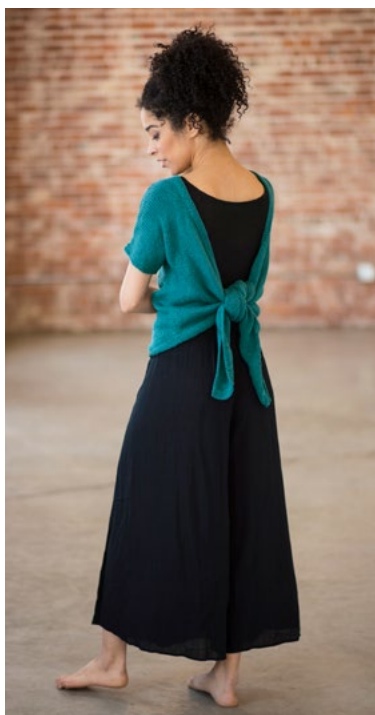
With smaller straight needles, cast on 76(86-96-104-114-124-134-142) sts. Knit 5 rows, end on WS. Change to larger needles and St st and work even until piece measures 13" from beg, end on WS.

**Shape Sleeves:** Cast on 5 sts at beg of the next 4 rows, then 4 sts at beg of the next 2 rows – 104(114-124-132-142-152-162-170) sts. Work even until sleeves measure 7(7-7½-8-8½-8½-9-9½)" above last group of cast-on sts, end on WS.

**Shape Shoulders:** Bind off 6(7-8-8-9-10-11-11) sts at beg of the next 6(4-2-10-8-6-4-12) rows, then 5(6-7-7-8-9-10-0) sts at beg of the next 6(8-10-2-4-6-8-0) rows. Bind off remaining 38 sts for back neck.

## LEFT BACK

With smaller straight needles, cast on 96(105-114-124-134-142-152-162) sts. Knit 5 rows, end on WS. Change to larger needles and St st and work even until piece measures 2" from beg, end on WS.



**Shape Neck Edge:** Bind off 3(3-3-4-4-4-4-5) sts at beg of the next 5(9-12-1-5-8-11-1) RS rows then 2(2-2-3-3-3-3-4) sts at beg of the next 10(6-3-14-10-7-4-14) RS rows, end on WS – 61(66-72-78-84-89-96-101) sts.

**Dec Row (RS):** K1, k2tog, knit to end – 1 st dec'd. Rep Dec Row every RS row 41(41-42-44-45-47-48) times more. AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures approximately 13" from beg, end on RS.

**Shape Sleeve:** Continuing to dec at neck edge as before, cast on 5 sts at beg of the next 2 WS rows, then 4 sts at beg of the next WS row – 14 sts cast on for sleeve. Continue to dec at neck edge as before and work even at sleeve edge until all neck decs have been completed – 33(38-43-47-52-57-62-66) sts. Work even if necessary until sleeve measures 7(7-7½-8-8½-8½-9-9½)" above last group of cast-on sts, end on RS.

**Shape Shoulder:** Bind off 6(7-8-8-9-10-11-11) sts at beg of the next 3(2-1-5-4-3-2-6) WS rows, then 5(6-7-7-8-9-10-0) sts at beg of the next 3(4-5-1-2-3-4-0) WS rows. Fasten off.

## RIGHT BACK

With smaller straight needles, cast on 96(105-114-124-134-142-152-162) sts. Knit 5 rows, end on WS.

Change to larger needles and St st and work even until piece measures 2" from beg, end on RS.

**Shape Neck Edge:** Bind off 3(3-3-4-4-4-4-5) sts at beg of the next 5(9-12-1-5-8-11-1) WS rows then 2(2-2-3-3-3-3-4) sts at beg of the next 10(6-3-14-10-7-4-14) WS rows, end on WS – 61(66-72-78-84-89-96-101) sts.

**Dec Row (RS):** Knit to last 3 sts, SSK, k1 – 1 st dec'd. Rep Dec Row every RS row 41(41-42-44-45-45-47-48) times more. AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures approximately 13" front beg, end on WS.

**Shape Sleeve:** Continuing to dec at neck edge as before, cast on 5 sts at beg of the next 2 RS rows, then 4 sts at beg of the next RS row – 14 sts cast on for sleeve. Continue to dec at neck edge as before and work even at sleeve edge until all neck decs have been completed – 33(38-43-47-52-57-62-66) sts. Work even if necessary until sleeve measures 7(7-7½-8-8½-8½-9-9½)" above last group of cast-on sts, end on WS.

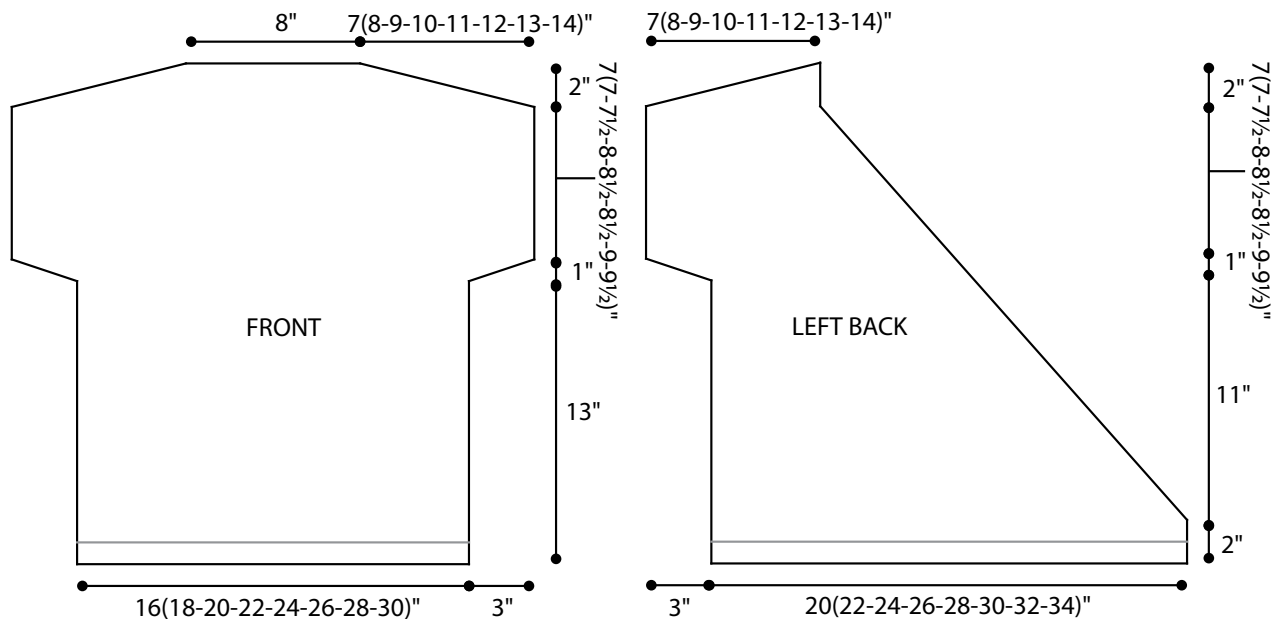
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## FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

**Sleeve Band:** With RS facing, using smaller straight needles, pick up and knit 67(67-71-76-80-80-86-90) sts along entire sleeve edge, or approximately 3 sts for every 3 rows. (Exact stitch count is not crucial.) Knit 5 rows. Bind off knitwise. Sew side, sleeve and sleeve band seams.

**Front/Neck Band:** With RS facing, using circular needle, beg at lower left back edge, pick up and knit 3 sts for every 4 rows along entire left back edge, 1 st in each st across front neck edge, 3 sts for every 4 rows along entire right back edge – approximately 244(244-248-254-258-258-262-266) sts total. (Exact stitch count is not crucial.) Knit 5 rows. Bind off knitwise. Weave in all ends and block as desired.



## ABBREVIATIONS & TERMS

**beg:** beginning  
**CC:** contrasting color  
**CDD (centered double decrease):** Slip 2 together (as if to k2tog), knit 1, pass the 2 slipped stitches over  
**cn:** cable needle  
**cont:** continue  
**dec:** decrease  
**dpn(s):** double pointed needle(s)  
**est:** established  
**inc:** increase  
**k:** knit  
**k tbl:** knit through the back loop(s)  
**k2tog:** knit 2 stitches together  
**k3tog:** knit 3 stitches together  
**kfb:** knit in the front and back of the next st  
**LH:** left hand  
**LLI:** Left Lifted Increase – Insert LH needle into the purl bump one row below the st just worked on the RH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)  
**M1:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).  
**M1L:** Work as for M1.  
**M1p:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from front to back, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the back (1 stitch increased).  
**M1pL:** Work as for M1p.  
**M1pR:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, purl this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).  
**M1R:** Pick up horizontal strand between stitch just worked and next stitch from back to front, place on left hand needle, knit this stitch through the front (1 stitch increased).  
**MC:** main color  
**p:** purl  
**p tbl:** purl through the back loop(s)  
**p2tog:** purl 2 stitches together  
**p2sso:** pass 2 slip stitches over knit stitch  
**p3tog:** purl 3 stitches together  
**pat(s):** pattern(s)  
**pm:** place marker  
**pssso:** pass slipped stitch over knit stitch  
**rem:** remaining  
**rep:** repeat

**RH:** right hand  
**RLI:** Right Lifted Increase – Insert RH needle into the purl bump of the next st on the LH needle and knit into this st (1 st inc'd)  
**rnd(s):** round(s)  
**RS:** right side  
**sl:** slip  
**sm:** slip marker  
**SSK:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 2 stitches and knit 2 together.  
**SSP:** Slip 2 stitches knitwise, transfer these 2 stitches back to left hand needle, purl 2 together through the back loops.  
**SSSK:** Slip 3 stitches knitwise, insert point of left hand needle through fronts of these 3 stitches and knit 3 together.  
**st(s):** stitch(es)  
**tbl:** through back loop(s)  
**tog:** together  
**w&t:** wrap and turn, a method of concealing a hole created in short row shaping. *On RS rows:* With yarn held in front, slip stitch to be wrapped purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the back. Slip that same stitch back to the left needle, then bring the yarn to the back again. Turn your work. *On WS Rows:* With yarn held in back, slip stitch to be wrapped purlwise, then bring yarn between needles to the front. Unless otherwise indicated, each time you come to a wrapped stitch when working subsequent rows, slip the wrap back over stitch and onto needle, then work the wrap together with its accompanying stitch.  
**WS:** wrong side  
**wyib:** with yarn in back  
**wyif:** with yarn in front  
**yo:** yarn over  
**end on WS:** end having just completed a Wrong Side row.  
**end on RS:** end having just completed a Right Side row  
**Stockinette stitch (St st):** Knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The knit side is the right side of work. Knit EVERY round when working in the round.  
**Reverse St st (Rev St st):** Purl 1 row, knit 1 row alternately when working back and forth in rows. The purl side is the right side of the work. Purl EVERY round when working in the round.  
**Garter St:** Knit EVERY row when working back and forth in rows. Knit 1 round, purl 1 round when working in the round.