

# 214s-03 Short Bolero



## Suggested yarn:

- Pierrot Yarns Loiseau Bleu [100% merino; 79yds/72m per 1.41oz/40g skein]; color #03 sakura, 9 skeins [355g]

## Tools/Notions:

- 3.9mm (approx. US 6) and 4.5mm (US 7) knitting needles or sizes necessary to achieve gauge
- 3.9mm (approx. US 6) double-pointed knitting needles or size necessary to achieve gauge
- 5 buttons (15mm/0.59")

## Finished measurements:

- bust 84.5cm/33.27"
- cross back width 33cm/12.99"
- back length 40cm/15.75"
- sleeve length 27cm/10.63"

## Gauge (10cm/4" square):

- pattern stitch A: 18 sts and 30 rows
- pattern stitch B: 26 sts and 30 rows

*Gauge may vary according to individual knitting style. Change needle size if necessary to achieve gauge. Alternatively, rework pattern with your own gauge measurements.*

## Summary

**Back & front body:** Cast on with long-tail cast-on method. Work in k1p1 ribbing, then pattern stitch A, then pattern stitch B.

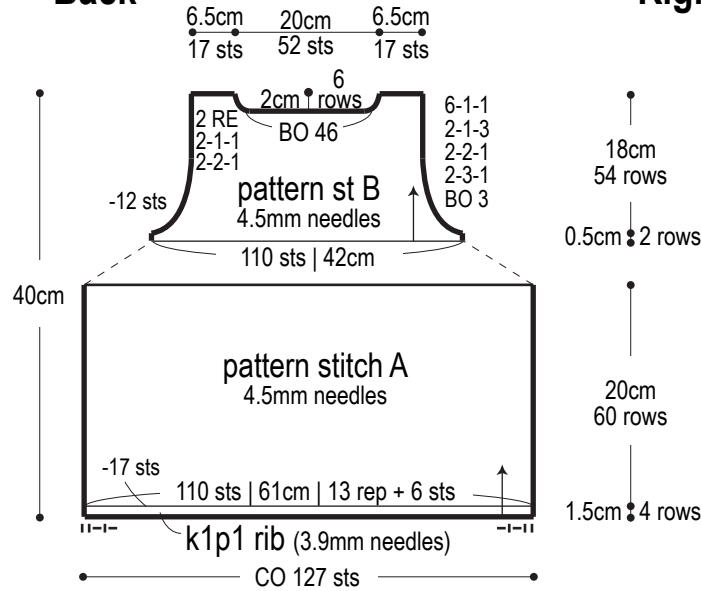
**Sleeves:** Cast on with crochet provisional cast-on method. Work in pattern stitch A, working first row into bottom loops of provisional cast-on chain. Continue in pattern stitch A.

**Finishing:** Seam shoulders together with crochet slip stitch seam. Seam sides with mattress stitch. Seam sleeve undersides with mattress stitch, then seam sleeves to body with crochet slip stitch seam. Remove provisional cast-on from sleeve cuff edge, picking up the live stitches and working cuff in k1p1 ribbing in the round. Pick up stitches around neckline; work collar in k1p1 ribbing in the round. Pick up stitches along front edges; work buttonband on each side. Work buttonholes in right front buttonband. For all k1p1 ribbing, bind off in pattern. Fasten buttons to buttonband.

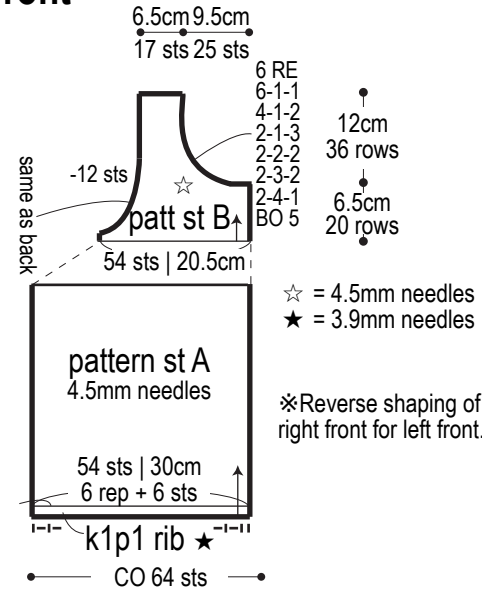
## Abbreviations:

BO = bind off      CO = cast on      k = knit      p = purl      PU = pick up      RE = row(s) even      rep = pattern repeat(s)      ### = rows-stitches-times

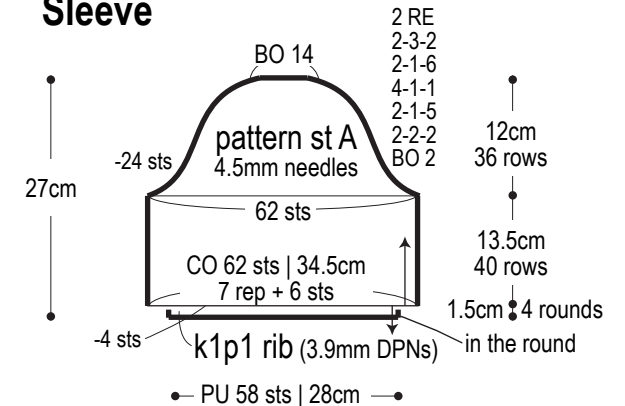
## Back



## Right front

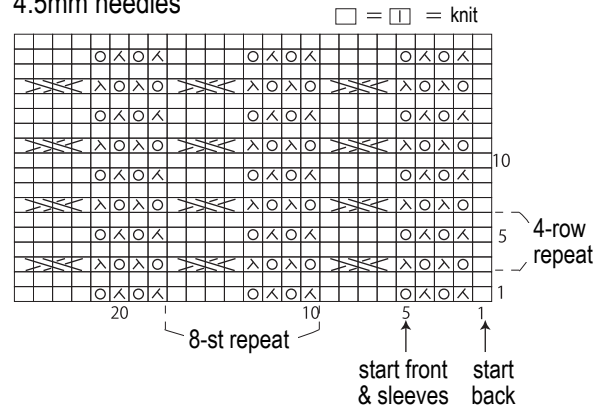


## Sleeve



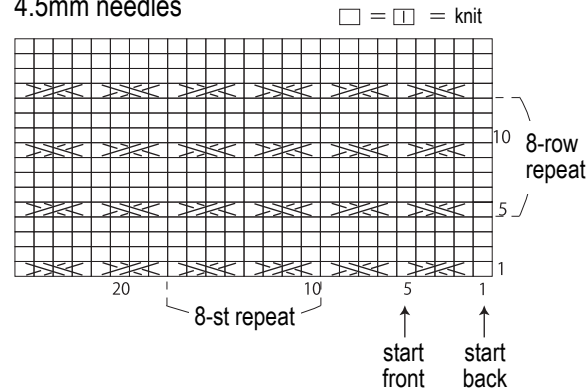
## Pattern stitch A

4.5mm needles



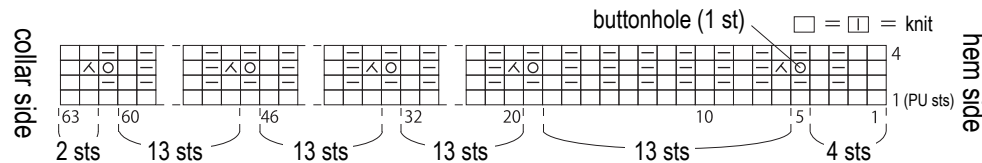
## Pattern stitch B

4.5mm needles



## Buttonholes

3.9mm needles



## Finishing

