



KNITTING PATTERN

# Rebecca

## Top

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## MATERIALS

2 (2, 2, 3) skeins of Friends Cotton Silk col Pastel Green (100)  
1 skein of Friends Kid Silk col Olive (109)

Circular needles 5 mm, 60 cm  
Circular needles 4 mm, 60 cm

Optional: Double pointed needles 4 mm for the I-cord  
Stitch markers

## YARN QUALITY

 **Friends Cotton Silk**, Hobbii  
78% Cotton, 22% Silk  
50 g = 120 m

 **Friends Kid Silk**, Hobbii  
72% Kid Mohair, 3% wool, 25% Silk  
25 g = 200 m

## GAUGE

10 x 10 cm (4" x 4") = 18 sts x 26 rows

## ABBREVIATIONS

St(s) = stitch(es)  
K = knit  
P = purl  
M1L = make one left (increase)  
M1R = make one right (increase)

## SIZE

S (M, L, XL)

## MEASUREMENTS

Length (measured from the neckline): 36 (38, 42, 46) cm/14 (15, 16.5, 18)  
Chest circumference: 72 (78, 87, 94) cm/28.7 (31, 34.6, 37.4) inches

## PATTERN INFORMATION

Rebecca is a pretty and festive summer top featuring a low-cut open back with crossed straps. The top is worked in the delicious Friends Cotton Silk and the ribbing and I-cord are worked in Friends Kid Silk. The top is very elastic and made with a negative ease of approx. 10-15 cm/4-6 inches.

The top is a cropped model – if you want to add extra length you may need to buy an extra skein of Friends Cotton Silk.

Difficulty level: Intermediate

## TECHNIQUE VIDEO

Knit I-cord: <https://youtu.be/F-IPvSofGFs>

## HASHTAGS FOR SOCIAL MEDIA

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## BUY THE YARN HERE

<https://shop.hobbii.com/rebecca-top>



## QUESTIONS

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Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!



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## TIPS AND INFO

The top is very elastic and made with a negative ease of approx. 10-15 cm/4-6 inches.

The top itself is worked using one strand of Friends Cotton Silk. The ribbed edged and I-cord are worked using 2 strands of Friends Kid Silk.

You will start by working the front panel flat in stockinette stitch, then cast on stitches for the back and join work to start working in the round.

Finally, you will work the ribbed edges and I-cord straps.

### Increases

*M1R (right-leaning increase)*

Lift the bar between 2 stitches by inserting the left-hand needle back to front. Knit this bar through the front loop.

*M1L (left-leaning increase)*

Lift the bar between 2 stitches by inserting the left-hand needle front to back. Knit this bar through the back loop.

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### Neckline, ribbing

Using 2 strands of Friends Kid Silk and needles 4 mm, 60 cm, cast on 24 (26, 28, 30) sts. Work 4 rows in rib stitch (k1, p1).

### Front panel

Change to circular needles 5 mm, 60 cm, and Friends Cotton Silk. Continue in stockinette stitch, except the first and last stitch, these are selvage stitches and will be worked as knit on each row.

Purl one row

Now work increases every knit row like this:

1. row (right side): knit 1, M1L, knit until last stitch, M1R, knit 1.
2. row (wrong side): knit 1, purl until last stitch, knit 1.

Repeat row 1 + 2 until you have worked a total of 18 (20, 22, 24) increase rows.  
Meaning a total of 36 (40, 44, 48) rows.

= 60 (66, 72, 78) sts on your needles

Work measures approx. 16 (17, 18, 19) cm/6.3 (6.7, 7.1, 7.5) inches

### Body

*You will work the body in the round in stockinette stitch*

From the right side: Cast on 72 (78, 84, 90) stitches.

= 132 (144, 156, 168) sts on your needles.

Place a marker in the middle of the newly cast-on stitches. This will be the beginning of round.

Continue around in stockinette stitch until work measures approx. 34,5 (36,5, 40,5, 44,5) cm/13.6 (14.4, 15.9, 17.5) inches *or desired length*.

### Ribbing, hem

Change to circular needles 4 mm, 60 cm.

Using 2 strands of Friends Kid Silk knit one round and then work 4 rounds of ribbing (k1, p1).

Bind off.

### Ribbing, front and back

Using 2 strands of Friends Kid Silk and needles 4 mm, 60 cm, pick up and knit stitches along the entire front and back panel. Working from the right side, start in the right-hand side of the neckline ribbing and work down along the armhole, across the back and up along the left armhole until and including the neckline ribbing. You will pick up one stitch in each stitch.

Work 4 rows in k1, p1 ribbing and bind off.

### I-cord





You will work the I-cord across 4 stitches using 2 strands of Friends Kid Silk and circular needles or double pointed needles 4 mm.

Pick up one stitch in each of the first 4 stitches along the left side of the neckline. Knit one row.

\*Slide the stitches to the opposite tip, pull tight and knit 4\* repeat this row until the strap measures approx. 36 (40, 42, 44) cm or *desired length*.

Try on the top to find the length that fits you.

Bind off.

Make the other strap the same way.

You will cross the straps on the back and sew them in place, approx. 15, (17, 19, 21) cm/5.9, (6.7, 7.5, 8.3) inches apart.

### **Enjoy!**

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