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**ABBREVIATIONS:**

|              |                            |
|--------------|----------------------------|
| <b>st[s]</b> | = stitch(es)               |
| <b>k</b>     | = knit                     |
| <b>p</b>     | = purl                     |
| <b>RS</b>    | = right side               |
| <b>WS</b>    | = wrong side               |
| <b>tbl</b>   | = through the back loop(s) |
| <b>tog</b>   | = together                 |

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**BODY**

The vest is worked from the bottom up.

Cast on 210 [228] 246 [261] 279 sts on a UK size 11 [3 mm], 80 cm circular needle. Join in the round and place a marker for the beginning of the round.

Now work rib according to the chart.

Continue in rib until the work measures 7 [8] 8 [8] 9 cm.

Change to a UK size 10½ [3.5 mm] circular needle and work 1 round in stockinette stitch, while at the same time increasing 30 [32] 34 [39] 41 sts evenly across the round. There are now a total of 240 [260] 280 [300] 320 sts on the needle.

Now work in the round until the work measures 31 [32] 32 [33] 34 cm. Place a second marker after 120 [130] 140 [150] 160 sts to mark the right side "seam".

Now divide the work into front and back along the two markers and finish each section separately.

**FRONT**

Begin by working armhole decreases, while at the same time working decreases for the V-neck.

Work decreases for the armhole as follows: K4, k2tog tbl, work to 6 sts before marker, k2tog, k4. Turn and purl to end of row.

Work decreases as established above every RS row a total of 19 [19] 19 [22] 24 times.

Start working V-neck decreases the same time as the armhole decreases when the work measures 35 [36] 38 [39] 40 cm from the cast on edge.

Work V-neck decreases as follows:

Find the middle of the front and work each side separately.

**Left side of front:**

Continue working armhole decreases. Work to 6 sts before the middle of the front, k2tog, k4.

Turn and purl to end of row.

Work V-neck decreases as established above every RS row a total of 6 [6] 6 [7] 7 times.

Then work V-neck decreases every other RS row a total of 12 [13] 13 [13] 14 times.

When all decreases have been worked there are 23 [27] 32 [33] 35 sts left on the needle.

Continue straight until the armhole measures 25 [26] 28 [29] 30 cm.

Break the yarn and place the sts on a stitch holder.

**Right side of front:**

Join the yarn after the centre stitch. work k4, k2tog tbl, work to the last 6 sts, work armhole decrease as established.

Turn and purl to end of row.

Work a total of 19 [19] 19 [22] 24 armhole decreases.

Work V-neck decreases as established above every RS row a total of 6 [6] 6 [7] 7 times.

Then work V-neck decreases every other RS row a total of 12 [13] 13 [13] 14 times.

When all decreases have been worked there are 23 [27] 32 [33] 35 sts left on the needle.

Continue straight until the armhole measures 25 [26] 28 [29] 30 cm.

Break the yarn and place the sts on a stitch holder.

**BACK**

Begin armhole decreases. Join the yarn at the right side of the work and work as follows:

K4, k2tog tbl, work to the last 6 sts, k2tog, k4.

Turn and purl to end of row.

Work decreases as established above every RS row a total of 19 [19] 19 [22] 24 times.

When all decreases have been worked there are 82 [92] 102 [106] 112 sts left on the needle.

Continue straight until the armholes measure 22½ [23½] 25½ [26] 27 cm.

**SIZES**

S [M] L [XL] XXL

**MEASUREMENTS**

Half chest circumference:

Approx. 48 [52] 56 [60] 64 cm

Length:

Approx. 56 [58] 60 [62] 64 cm

**YARN**

Lovely Fraya

100% Merino Wool

50 g = 180 m

**YARDAGE**

200 [250] 300 [350] 400 [450] g

**GAUGE**

25 sts and 32 rows in stockinette stitch on a UK size 10½ [3.5 mm] needle

**SUGGESTED NEEDLE SIZE**

UK size 11 [3 mm] and UK size 10½ [3.5 mm] circular needles, 60 cm and 80 cm

Please note: The needle sizes given above are only suggestions. The size of the needles you need depends on your personal gauge. If you knit firmly you might need a large needle size, if you knit loosely you might need a smaller needle size.

**NOTIONS**

Stitch markers

**Shape the back neck.**

Work 35 [40] 45 [46] 49 sts, place the centre 12 [12] 12 [14] 14 sts on a stitch holder.  
 Turn and cast off 4 [4] 4 [4] 4 sts, work to end of row. Turn and work to neck edge.  
 Turn and cast off 3 [4] 4 [3] 4 sts, work to end of row. Turn and work to neck edge.  
 Turn and cast off 3 [3] 3 [3] 3 sts, work to end of row. Turn and work to neck edge.  
 Turn and cast off 2 [2] 2 [2] 2 sts, work to end of row. Turn and work to neck edge.  
 Turn and cast off 0 [0] 0 [1] 1 sts [Where it says 0, no sts are cast off], work to end of row.  
 When all above sts have been cast off there are 23 [27] 32 [33] 35 sts left on the needle.  
 Break the yarn and place the sts on a stitch holder.  
 Shape the other side of the back neck the same way, only mirror reversed and casting off from the RS.  
 Place the remaining 23 [27] 32 [33] 35 sts for the left shoulder on a stitch holder.  
 Sew together the shoulder sts of front and back using Kitchener stitch for a smooth transition.  
 Alternatively, the sts can be cast off and then sewn together from the RS.

**Neck rib:**

Pick up and knit sts along the neck edge using a UK size 11 (3 mm) circular needle. Begin after the sts on the left side stitch holder. It is important that the total number of sts for the neck rib is divisible by 3. Place a marker at the beginning of the round.  
 \*Pick up and knit 3 sts, skip 1 stitch\*, repeat from \* to \*. Increase a stitch at the bottom of the V and place a marker around this stitch. This stitch does not count as part of the rib. Pick up and knit the same number of sts along the other side of the neck.  
 Work rib according to the chart to 1 stitch before the marked stitch at the bottom of the V, slip 2 sts together as if knitting them together, k1, pass the slipped sts over the knitted stitch (double decrease), work to end of round in rib. Work a double decrease as established every round.  
 Work a total of 8 rounds. Bind off loosely in rib.

**Armhole rib:**

Pick up and knit sts along the neck edge using a UK size 11 (3 mm) circular needle and colour 66. Begin at the bottom of the armhole. \*Pick up and knit 3 sts, skip 1 stitch\*, repeat from \* to \*. The total number of sts must be divisible by 3.  
 Work rib according to the chart. Work a total of 10 rounds and bind off loosely in rib.  
 Work the other armhole rib the same way as the first.  
 Weave in all ends.

**Chart for rib**

Knit

Purl

