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# Right Angle Knit Vest

#### Designed by Ann Regis

Finished Bust 32 (36, 40, 44, 48)". Finished Length 15 (15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 16, 16)".

#### Directions are for size Small. Changes for sizes Medium, Large, X-Large and 2X are in parentheses.

**RED HEART**® **"Stripes**™" 2 (2, 2, 3, 3) skeins in #0940 Passion Stripe.

Knitting Needle: 6.5mm [US K-10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>]. Crochet Hook: 6mm [US J-10]. Yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 13 sts = 4"; 19 rows = 4" in Stockinette stitch. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the specified gauge.** 

**NOTES:** Vest is made in two pieces. One side is knit lengthwise; the second side is knit widthwise. If desired, Vest can be made working both sides the same.

#### SIDE 1

Cast on 26 (29, 32, 35, 39) sts. Knit 3 rows. Next Row (Right Side): Knit. Next Row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Repeat last 2 rows until piece measures  $29^{1/2}$ , (30, 30,  $31^{1/2}$ ,  $31^{1/2}$ )" from beginning, end with a right side row. Knit 3 rows. Bind off.

#### SIDE 2

Cast on 97 (100, 100, 104, 104) sts. Knit 3 rows. **Next Row (Right Side):** Knit. **Next Row:** K2, p to last 2 sts, k2. Repeat last 2 rows until piece measures  $7 \frac{1}{2} (8 \frac{1}{2}, 9 \frac{1}{2}, 10 \frac{1}{2}, 11 \frac{1}{2})$ " from beginning, end with a right side row. Knit 3 rows. Bind off.

#### FINISHING

Position pieces with long edges together. Sew 7" from one short edge along long edge to form center seam of Front. Sew 15  $(15^{1}/_{2}, 15^{1}/_{2}, 16, 16)$ " along long edge from opposite short edge for Back.

Fold sewn piece in half crosswise for Front and Back. Measure and mark 6  $(6^{1/2}, 6^{1/2}, 7, 7)$ " down from folded edge on Front and Back for Armholes. Sew 9" along side seams from where marked to lower edge for side seams.

#### Armhole and Neck Edgings

Fold edges of Armholes to right side and sew in place. Fold edges of Neck to right side and sew in place.

#### Lower Edge

With right side facing and crochet hook, join yarn at side edge and work 1 row of slip st evenly around lower edge,

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working in back loop only, slip st to first st to join. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.



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**ABBREVIATIONS: K** = Knit; **mm** = millimeters; **P** = Purl; **st(s)** = stitch(es).

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