



MATERIALS

Red Heart® Super Saver® Ombre™ (10 oz/283 g; 482 yds/440 m)

Sizes	6	12	18	24	mos
Scuba (3961)	1	1	2	2	ball(s)
	420/380	457/415	535/485	630/570	yds/m

Size U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® knitting needles. Size U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® circular knitting needle 24" [60 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge**. Susan Bates® stitch markers. 3 buttons ½" [13 mm] diameter.



KNIT 1 SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Beg = Beginning
Center dec = (2 stitches decreased). Slip next 2 stitches as if K2tog. K1. Pass 2 slipped sts over knit stitch. Middle stitch will appear on top as "knit" stitch
Cont = Continue(ity)
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch
PM = Place marker
Rem = Remaining
Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS = Right side
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side

SIZES

To fit chest measurement

6 mos	17" [43 cm]
12 mos	18" [45.5 cm]
18 mos	19" [48.5 cm]
24 mos	21" [53.5 cm]

Finished chest

6 mos	22½" [57 cm]
12 mos	23½" [59.5 cm]
18 mos	24½" [62 cm]
24 mos	26" [66 cm]

GAUGE

17 sts and 36 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter stitch.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for size **6 mos**. If changes are necessary for sizes **12**, **18** or **24 mos** the instructions will be written thus (.). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

Note: When working Center Dec, move marker to new stitch.

BACK

With circular needle, cast on **146** (**156-170-182**) sts. **Do not** join in rnd. Working back and forth across needle in rows, proceed as follows:

Foundation row: (WS). K**50** (**54-60-64**). PM on last stitch just knit. K**47** (**49-51-55**). PM on last stitch just knit. Knit to end of row. **46** (**48-50-54**) sts between marked sts and **49** (**53-59-63**) sts on each side of markers (not counting marked sts). **1st row:** (RS). (Knit to 1 st before next marked st. Center dec) twice. Knit to end of row. **142** (**152-166-178**) sts. **44** (**46-48-52**) sts between marked sts.

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **22** (**23-24-26**) times. **54** (**60-70-74**) sts. (No sts rem between marked sts).

Slip first **27** (**30-35-37**) sts onto a spare needle. With WS facing, join center back seam using 3-needle cast off as follows: Hold needles with sts to be cast off parallel. With 3rd needle K2tog first st from each needle. *K2tog next st from each needle. Pass 1st st over 2nd st. Rep from * until all sts have been cast off with only 1 st rem on needle. Fasten off.

LEFT FRONT

With pair of needles, cast on **73** (**78-85-91**) sts.

Foundation row: (WS). K**24** (**25-26-28**). PM on last stitch just knit. Knit to end of row. **23** (**24-25-27**) sts before marked st and **49** (**53-59-63**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

1st row: (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **71** (**76-83-89**) sts. **48** (**52-58-62**) sts before marked st.

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **11** (**12-12-13**) times more. **49** (**52-59-63**) sts. **37** (**40-46-49**) sts before marked st. **11** (**11-12-13**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

Shape Front neck: 1st row: (RS). Cast off **4** (**4-5-5**) sts. Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **43** (**46-52-56**) sts.

2nd row: Knit.

3rd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **40** (**43-49-53**) sts. Rep last 2 rows **3** (**3-4-5**) times more. **31** (**34-37-38**) sts. **24** (**27-30-31**) sts before marked st. 6 sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Next row: (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row.

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 4 times more. **21** (**24-27-28**) sts. **19** (**22-25-26**) sts before marked st. 1 st after marked st.

Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT

With pair of needles, cast on **73** (**78-85-91**) sts.

Foundation row: (WS). K**50** (**53-60-64**). PM on last stitch just knit. Knit to end of row. **49** (**52-59-63**) sts before marked st and **23** (**24-25-27**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

1st row: (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **71** (**76-83-89**) sts. **22** (**23-24-26**) sts before marked st.

2nd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **10** (**11-11-12**) times more, then 1st row once. **49** (**52-59-63**) sts. **11** (**11-12-13**) sts before marked st. **37** (**40-46-49**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

Shape Front neck: 1st row: (WS). Cast off **4** (**4-5-5**) sts. Knit to end of row. **45** (**48-54-58**) sts.

2nd row: Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. **42** (**45-51-55**) sts.

3rd row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **3** (**3-4-5**) times more. **33** (**36-39-40**) sts. **25** (**28-31-32**) sts before marked st. 7 sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Next row: (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row.

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 5 times more. **21** (**24-27-28**) sts. 1 st before marked st. **19** (**22-25-26**) sts after marked st. Cast off.

SLEEVES

Cast on **26** (**28-30-32**) sts.

Proceed in garter st (knit every row), Kfb at each end of 3rd and every following **8th** (**8th-6th-6th**) row until there are **38** (**42-48-50**) sts.

Cont even until Sleeve from beg measures **7** (**7½-8-9**)" [**18** (**19-20.5-23**) cm], ending on a RS row. Cast off.

FINISHING

Pin all pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving cloth to dry.

Place markers on side edges $4\frac{1}{2}$ (5-5 $\frac{3}{4}$ -6)" [11.5 (12.5 - 14.5 - 15) cm] down from shoulders. Sew in sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Button loops: Cast on 12 sts. Cast off.

Fold button loop cords in half and place them evenly spaced along cast-off edge of Right Front for Girl's Version or Left Front for Boy's Version. Sew loops in place. Sew buttons to correspond to button loops.

