

# Lace Rib Vest

By Premier Yarns Design Team Level: Intermediate



### **SIZES**

Women's S (M, L)

#### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 40 (46, 52)" Length: 24 (26, 28)"

## **MATERIALS**

Premier® Yarns Puzzle™ (100% Acrylic; 200gm/328 yds)

• #1050-18 Dominoes – 2 (3, 3) balls **Needles:** US Size 10 (6mm) knitting needles *or size*needed to obtain gauge

Notions: Stitch markers, tapestry needle

#### GAUGE

13 sts x 20 rows = 4" in Lace Rib Pattern

Save time, check your gauge.

## **STITCH GUIDE**

Lace Rib Pattern (Multiple of 5 sts + 2)

*Note:* The stitch count changes from row to row. Each pattern repeat gains one stitch in Row 1. This stitch is decreased away in Row 4. Count your stitches after Row 4, 5 or 6.

**Row 1 (RS):** P2, \* k3, yo, p2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2 (WS):** K2, \* p4, k2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 3:** P2, \* k1, k2tog, yo, k1, p2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 4:** K2, \* p2, p2tog, k2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 5:** P2, \* k1, yo, k2tog, p2; rep from\* to end.

**Row 6:** K2, \* p3, k2; rep from \* to end.

Rep Rows 1-6 for pattern.

# **VEST**

## **Back**

Cast on 67 (77, 87) sts.

**Row 1 (WS):** K2, \* p3, k2; rep from \* to end.

Row 2 (RS): P2, \* k3, p2; rep from \* to end.

Rows 3-7: Rep Rows 1 and 2 two more times, then work Row 1 again.

Begin working in Lace Rib Pattern.

Continue in pattern until piece measures approximately 21½ (23½, 25½)", ending with Row 6 of pattern.

## **Shape shoulders**

Continuing in pattern, bind off 2 sts at beginning of next 12 (8, 2) rows, then bind off 3 sts at beginning of next 0 (4, 10) rows – 43 (49, 53) sts.

Bind off remaining sts.

# **Right Front**

Cast on 45 (50, 55) sts.

**Row 1 (WS):** \* K2, p3; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** \* K3, p2; rep from \* to end.

Rows 3-7: Rep Rows 1 and 2 two more times, then work Row 1 again.

Row 8 (RS): K3, p2, k3, place marker, work in Lace Rib Pattern to end.

Row 9: Work in Lace Rib Pattern to marker, p3, k2, p3.

Continue in pattern as established until piece measures approximately 19¼ (20¾, 22½)", ending with Row 6 (4, 2) of pattern.

## Shape front neck

*Note:* Maintain pattern while decreasing. If there are not enough stitches to work both the yarn over and its accompanying decrease, work the leftover sts in stockinette st.

**Next row (RS):** K3, p2, k3, remove marker, p1, place marker, k2tog, work in pattern to end – 1 st decreased.

Next row (WS): Work in pattern to marker, k1, p3, k2, p3.

Next row (RS): K3, p2, k3, p1, ssk, work in pattern to end – 1 st decreased.

Repeat last 2 rows 10 (11, 12) more times.

AT THE SAME TIME, when same length as back to shoulder shaping, shape shoulder as follows:

#### Shape shoulder

At the beginning of every WS row, bind off 2 sts 6 (8, 1) time(s), then bind off 3 sts 0 (2, 5) times.

When shoulder and neck shaping are complete, 21 (23, 24) sts remain.

Bind off 10 (12, 13) sts at beginning of next WS row – 11 sts.

Continue in established rib for back neckband until neckband measures 7 (7¾, 8½)" from last bind off.

## **Left Front**

Cast on 45 (50, 55) sts.

Row 1 (WS): \* P3, k2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** \* P2, k3; rep from \* to end.

Rows 3-7: Rep Rows 1 and 2 two more times, then work Row 1 again.

Row 8 (RS): Work in Lace Rib Pattern to last 8 sts, place marker, k3, p2, k3.

Row 9: P3, k2, p3, work in Lace Rib Pattern to end.

Continue in pattern as established until piece measures approximately 19¼ (20¾, 22½)", ending with Row 6 (4, 2) of pattern.

## **Shape front neck**

*Note:* Maintain pattern while decreasing. If there are not enough stitches to work both the yarn over and its accompanying decrease, work the leftover sts in stockinette st.



**Next row (RS):** Work in Lace Rib Pattern to 3 sts before marker, ssk, place new marker, p1, remove original marker, k3, p2, k3 - 1 st decreased.

Next row (WS): P3, k2, p3, k1, work in pattern to end.

**Next row (RS):** Work in pattern to 2 sts before marker, k2tog, p1, k3, p2, k3 - 1 st decreased. Repeat last 2 rows 10 (11, 12) more times.

**AT THE SAME TIME,** when same length as back to shoulder shaping, shape shoulder as follows:

# Shape shoulder

At the beginning of every RS row, bind off 2 sts 6 (8, 1) time(s), then bind off 3 sts 0 (2, 5) times. When shoulder and neck shaping are complete, 21 (23, 24) sts remain. Bind off remaining 21 (23, 24) sts in pattern.

#### **FINISHING**

Sew right shoulder seam.

Sew neckband extension to back neck edge.

Sew left shoulder and neckband seam.

## **Armhole edging**

Measure down each side edge from shoulder seam 8 (9, 10)" and place marker for armhole.

With RS facing, pick up and knit 57 (62, 67) sts between markers.

**Row 1 (WS):** K2, \* p3, k2; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2 (RS):** P2, \* k3, p2; rep from \* to end.

Row 3: Rep Row 1.

Bind off in established ribbing.

Repeat for other armhole.

Sew side and armhole edging seams.

Weave in ends.

Block to finished measurements.

# **Abbreviations**

k knit

**k2tog** knit 2 stitches together

**p** purl

p2tog purl 2 stitches together

repRSRight Sidesskslip, slip, knitst(s)stitch(es)WSWrong Sideyoyarn over

