



## Grillwork Vest

### SIZES

XS (S, M, L, 1X) (2X, 3X, 4X, 5X)

Shown in Small Size.

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Bust:** 36¾ (40¾, 44¾, 48¾, 52¾) (56¾, 60¾, 64¾, 68¾)''

**Length:** 18 (19, 19, 20, 21) (22, 22, 23, 24)'''

### MATERIALS

**Premier® Yarns Serenity® Chunky** (100% Acrylic; 3.5oz/100g, 109yds/100m)

- 700-54 Greige – 4 (4, 5, 5, 6) (6, 7, 7, 7) balls

**Hook:** US Sizes J-10 (6 mm) and K-10½ (6.5 mm) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

**Notions:** Tapestry needle

### GAUGE

12 sts x 8 rows = 4'' in Mesh patt with larger hook

**Save time, check your gauge.**

### Skills/techniques used in pattern:

- Chain, double crochet, and post stitches.
- Decreases.
- Seaming with whipstitch.

### STITCH GUIDE

**Post Stitch Ribbing** (*odd number of sts*)

**Row 1 (RS):** Dc in fourth ch from hook and each ch across, turn.

**Row 2 (WS):** Ch 1, hdc in first st, \*fpdc in next st, bpdcc in next st; rep from \* to last 2 sts, fpdc in next st, hdc in last st, turn.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, hdc in first st, \*bpdcc in next st, fpdc in next st; rep from \* to last 2 sts, bpdcc in next st, hdc in last st, turn.

Rep Rows 2-3 for patt.

**Mesh** (*multiple of 3 sts +1*)

**Row 1 (RS):** Ch 5 (counts as dc + ch 2), sk 2 sc, \*dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next sc; rep from \* to last sc, dc in last sc, turn.

**Row 2 (WS):** Ch 1, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp across, turn.

Rep Rows 1-2 for patt.

### PATTERN NOTES

Vest is worked in two pieces from the bottom up and seamed. The hem, armhole edging, and neck edging are worked in post stitch ribbing, while the body of the Vest is worked in a double crochet mesh pattern.

### VEST

#### Back

Ch 57 (63, 69, 75, 81) (87, 93, 99, 105).

Work Row 1 of **Post Stitch Ribbing** – 55 (64, 67, 73, 79) (85, 91, 97, 103) dc.

Rep Rows 2-3 of **Post Stitch Ribbing** until piece measures 3'', ending with a RS row.

**Next row (WS):** Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Work in **Mesh** patt for 12 (12, 12, 12, 14) (14, 14, 14, 16) rows. There will be 17 (20, 21, 23, 25) (27, 29, 31, 33) ch-2 sps and 18 (21, 22, 24, 26) (28, 30, 32, 34) dc in each Row 1 of patt.

#### Shape Armholes

**Row 1:** Sl st in first 3 (3, 6, 6, 6) (9, 9, 9, 9) sc, sl st in next sc, ch 3, sk 2 sc, \*dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc; rep from \* to last 7 (7, 10, 10, 10) (13, 13, 13, 13) sc, dc in next sc, sk 2 sc, dc in last sc, turn, leaving rem 3 (3, 6, 6, 6) (9, 9, 9, 9) sc unworked.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, sc2tog, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to last 2 dc, sc2tog, turn – 43 (49, 49, 55, 61) (61, 67, 73, 79) sc rem.

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- (S, M, L, 1X) (2X, 3X, 4X, 5X) Sizes Only:

**Dec row:** Ch 3, sk first 3 sc, \*dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc; rep from \* to last 4 sc, dc in next sc, sk 2 sc, dc in last sc, turn – 4 sts dec'd.

**Next row:** Ch 1, sc2tog, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to last 2 dc, sc2tog, turn – 2 sts dec'd. Rep the last 2 rows, - (0, 0, 0, 1) (1, 1, 2, 2) more time(s) – - (43, 43, 49, 49) (49, 55, 55, 55) sts rem. Work even in **Mesh** patt for 16 (16, 16, 18, 16) (18, 18, 18, 16) rows, for a total of 18 (20, 20, 22, 22) (24, 24, 26, 26) Armhole rows. Fasten off.

## Front

Work as for Back to Armhole Shaping.

## Shape Armholes

Work as for Back. Work 2 (2, 2, 4, 2) (4, 4, 4, 2) rows even in **Mesh** patt. 4 (6, 6, 8, 8) (10, 10, 12, 12) Armhole rows worked so far.

## Shape Left Neck

**Row 1:** Ch 5 (counts as dc + ch 2), sk next 2 sc, [dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc] 5 (5, 5, 6, 6) (6, 7, 7, 7) times, ch 1, sk 2 dc, dc in next sc, turn, leave rem 21 (21, 21, 24, 24) (24, 27, 27, 27) sts unworked.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, sc2tog over first dc and ch-1 sp, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to end, turn – 1 st dec'd, 20 (20, 20, 23, 23) (23, 26, 26, 26) sc rem.

**Row 3:** Ch 5 (counts as dc + ch 2), sk next 2 sc, [dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc] 5 (5, 5, 6, 6) (6, 7, 7, 7) times dc2tog, turn – 1 st dec'd.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, sc2tog over first dc and ch-1 sp, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to end, turn – 18 (18, 18, 21, 21) (21, 24, 24, 24) sc rem.

**Row 5:** Ch 5 (counts as dc + ch 2), sk next 2 sc, [dc in

next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc] to last 3 sc, dc2tog, skipping middle sc, turn – 2 sts dec'd.

**Row 6:** Ch 1, sc2tog over first dc and ch-1 sp, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to end, turn – 1 st dec'd, 15 (15, 15, 18, 18) (18, 21, 21, 21) sc rem.

**Rows 7-11:** Rep Rows 5-6, 2 more times, then rep Row 5, 1 more time – 7 (7, 7, 10, 10) (10, 13, 13, 13) sts rem; 3 (3, 3, 4, 4) (4, 5, 5, 5) dc and 2 (2, 2, 3, 3) (3, 4, 4, 4) ch-2 sps rem.

**Rows 12-14:** Work even in patt. Fasten off.

## Shape Right Neck

Join yarn with sl t in same center sc as last st of Row 1 from Left Neck.

**Row 1:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), ch 1, sk next 2 sc, [dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc] to last sc, dc in last sc, turn.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to last ch-1 sp and dc, sc2tog, turn – 1 st dec'd, 20 (20, 20, 23, 23) (23, 26, 26, 26) sc rem

**Row 3:** Ch 3, dc in next sc (counts as dc2tog), ch 2, sk next 2 sc, [dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc] to last sc, dc in last sc, turn – 1 st dec'd.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to last ch-1 sp and dc, sc2tog, turn – 18 (18, 18, 21, 21) (21, 24, 24, 24) sc rem.

**Row 5:** Ch 3, sk first 2 sc, dc in next sc (counts as dc2tog), ch 2, sk next 2 sc, [dc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc] to last sc, dc in last sc, turn – 2 sts dec'd.

**Row 6:** Ch 1, work 1 sc in each dc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to last ch-1 sp and dc, sc2tog, turn – 1 st dec'd, 15 (15, 15, 18, 18) (18, 21, 21, 21) sc rem.

**Rows 7-11:** Rep Rows 5-6, 2 more times, then rep Row 5, 1 more time – 7 (7, 7, 10, 10) (10, 13, 13, 13) sts rem; 3 (3, 3, 4, 4) (4, 5, 5, 5) dc and 2 (2, 2, 3, 3) (3, 4, 4, 4) ch-2 sps rem.

**Rows 12-14:** Work even in patt. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends and block pieces to finished measurements. Sew Shoulder seams using whipstitch from the WS.

## Armhole Edging

With smaller hook, join yarn to underarm.

**Row 1:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), work 62 (70, 76, 82, 84) (96, 96, 104, 106) more dc evenly around Armhole, turn.

**Row 2:** Work Row 2 of **Post Stitch Ribbing**. Fasten off. Sew side seams.

## Neck Edging

With smaller hook, join yarn to Right Shoulder seam.

**Rnd 1 (RS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), work 28 more dc along Back Neck, 24 dc down Left Front Neck to Row 1 of Neck Shaping, dc3tog over sides of Row 1 and center sc from previous row, work 24 more dc up side of Right Front Neck, join with sl st to beg dc, turn – 78 dc (all sizes).

**Rnd 2 (WS):** Ch 1, [fpdc in next dc, bpdc in next dc] around, join with sl st to beg dc. Fasten off.

Weave in rem ends.

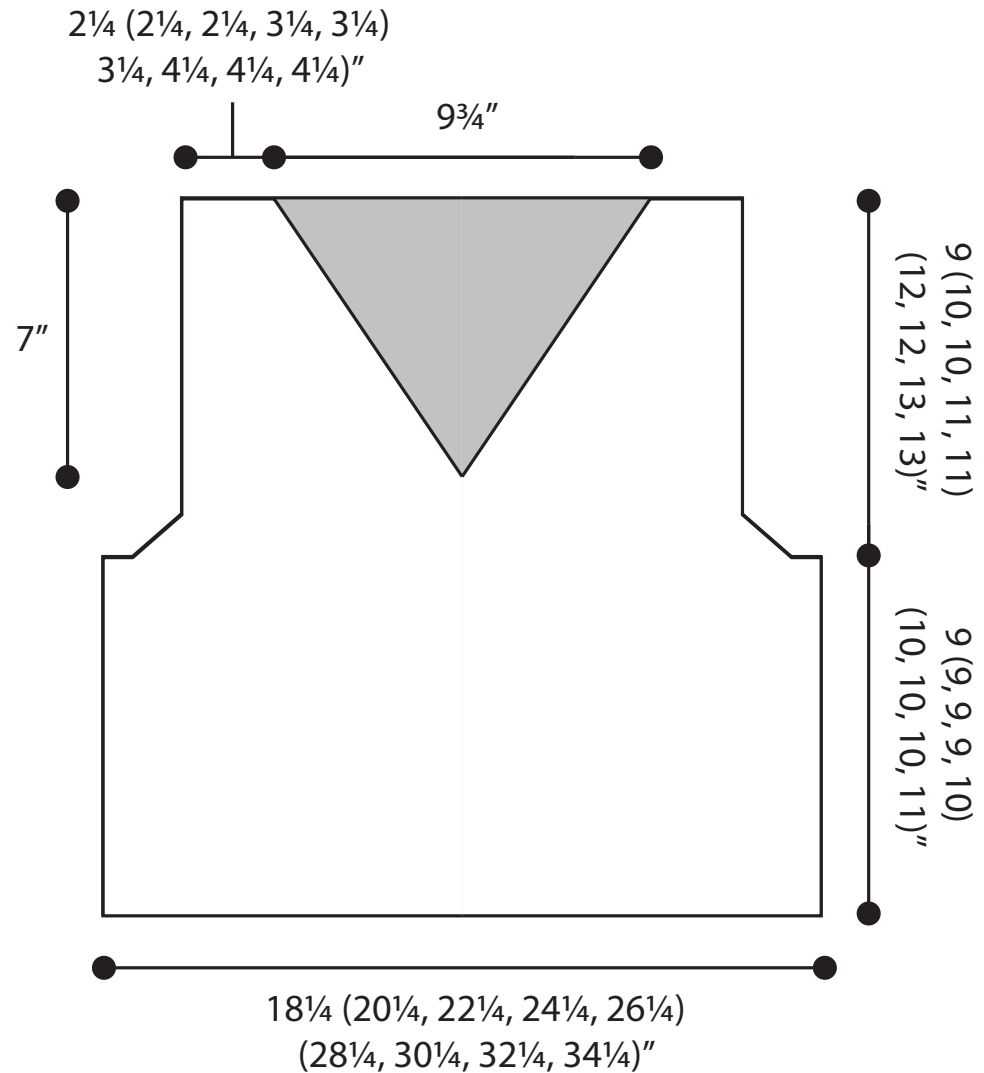
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## Abbreviations

<b>bpdc</b>	back post double crochet
<b>ch</b>	chain
<b>dc</b>	double crochet
<b>dc2tog</b>	double crochet the next 2 sts together (1 st dec)
<b>dc3tog</b>	double crochet the next 3 sts together (1 st dec)
<b>dec('d)</b>	decrease(d)
<b>fpdc</b>	front post double crochet
<b>hdc</b>	half double crochet
<b>patt</b>	pattern
<b>rem</b>	remain(ing)
<b>rep</b>	repeat(ing)
<b>RS</b>	right side
<b>sc</b>	single crochet
<b>sc2tog</b>	single crochet the next 2 sts together (1 st dec'd)
<b>sk</b>	skip
<b>sl st</b>	slip stitch
<b>sp</b>	space
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>WS</b>	wrong side



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