

Lady's Woolen Vest in a Charming Pattern from The 1933 Lux Book

MATERIALS: 5 oz. 3-ply super vest wool. A 24-inch circular knitting needle, No. 10. Bone crochet hook, No. 12. $\frac{3}{4}$ -yard narrow ribbon.

MEASUREMENTS: Top to lower edge, 27 inches; round top, 31 inches. Always knit into back of each cast-on stitch. Tension of stitch, about 7 stitches and 10 rounds to one inch.

ABBREVIATIONS: K. = knit; P. = purl; M. = make one; tog. = together; alt. = alternately; st = stitch; dc = double crochet; ch = chain.

Commence at lower edge, casting on 216 stitches. Knit in ribbing of K. 3, P. 3, for 30 rounds. Next 120 rounds—Knit. Knit in ribbing of K. 3, P. 3, for 35 rounds. Next 29 rounds—Knit. Here, openwork pattern is commenced. Mark commencement of each round with a piece of coloured thread.

215th round—K. 48, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 153.

216th round—Knit.

217th round—K. 51, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 156.

218th round—Knit. Repeat last 4 rounds once, then repeat 215th and 216th rounds.

225th round—K. 33, * M.1, K. 3 tog.,

M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1 *, K. 15, repeat from * to * once, K. 138.

226th round—Knit.

227th round—K. 36, * M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1 *, K. 21, repeat from * to * once, K. 141.

228th round—Knit. Repeat last 4 rounds once, then repeat 225th and 226th rounds.

235th round—K. 18, * M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 15, repeat from * once, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 123.

236th round—Knit.

237th round—K. 21, * M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 21, repeat from * once, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 126.

238th round—Knit. Repeat last 4 rounds once, then repeat 235th and 236th rounds.



245th round—K. 3, * M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 15, repeat from * twice, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 108.

246th round—Knit.

247th round—K. 6, * M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 21, repeat from * twice, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 111.

248th round—Knit. Repeat last 4 rounds once, then repeat 245th and 246th rounds.

255th round—M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, * K. 15, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, repeat from * twice, K. 15, ** M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, repeat from ** 17 times.

256th round—Knit.

257th round—* K. 21, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, repeat from * twice, K. 21, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, ** K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, repeat from ** 16 times.

258th round—Knit. Repeat last 4 rounds once, then repeat 255th and 256th rounds.

265th round—* K. 3, M.1, K. 3 tog., M.1, repeat from * all round.

266th round—Knit.

267th round—* M. 1, K. 3 tog., M.1, K. 3, repeat from * all round.

Next 3 rounds—Knit. Cast off.

TO MAKE UP.

Pin out to measurements given and press on wrong side under a damp cloth with a moderately hot iron. Work following crochet round top:—1 dc into a st, * 4 ch, 1 dc into 4th ch from hook, miss 1 st, 1 dc into next, repeat from * all round, join. Fasten off. Press crochet. Sew on ribbon for shoulder straps.

