next RS row, then every 4th row twice, then every 6th row 5 times. At same time, when same length as back to armhole, shape armhole at right edge as foll: Working full-fashion dec for armhole shaping, dec 1 st at beg of next RS row, then every foll RS row twice. At same time, when same length as back to shoulder, shape shoulder as foll: Working full-fashion dec for shoulder shaping, dec 1 st at beg of next RS row, then every foll row 13 times. Bind off 7 (9, 11) sts at beg of next RS row = 9 sts rem for front band extension. Cast on 1 st at right edge of front band extension = 10 sts. Cont in patt for 9 cm. Bind off.

**Right front:** Work same as for left front, reversing all shaping and patt placement.

**Pockets:** Make 2 alike. With size 8 mm needles cast on 12 sts. Work in stockinette for 11 cm and shape piece as foll: Working full-fashion inc, inc 1 st at each end of every RS row 3 times = 18 sts. Change to size 7 mm needles and work in rib patt for 2 cm. Bind off all sts in rib.

**Finishing:** Pin pieces to measurements and block. Sew pockets to fronts right above ribbing and 5 cm in from side seam. Sew shoulder seams. Join right and left front band and sew to back neck. Sew side seams.

## Design 8



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**Size** 36/38 (40/42, 44/46) Instructions are given for first size. Figures in parenthesis refer to larger sizes. When only one figure is given, it applies to all sizes.

Materials: 350 (400, 450) g of Lana Grossa Alcanto (70% polyester, 30% polyamide; 130 m/50 g) in Earth Brown (col 16). Size 6 mm needles; size 6 mm circular

needle, 40 cm long.

**Stockinette:** K on RS, p on WS.

**Openwork pattern:** Multiple of 2 + 2 selvage sts. Row 1: Selvage st, \* yo, p2tog; rep from \*, end selvage st. Rep this row throughout.

**4-stitch edging**: At beg of RS rows, sl 1 pwise wyif, pulling yarn tight, k2, p1; at end of RS rows, work to last 4 sts, p1, sl 2 pwise wyib, pulling yarn tight, k1. At beg of WS rows, sl 1 pwise wyif, pulling yarn tight, p2, k1; at end of WS rows, work to last 4 sts, k1, sl 2 pwise wyib, pulling yarn tight, p1.

**Gauges:** On size 6 mm needles, 13.5 sts and 19 rows = 10 x 10 cm in stockinette; 11 sts and 18 rows = 10 x 10 cm in openwork patt; 4-st edging = 2 cm wide.

**Back:** With size 6 mm needles cast on 58 (62, 66) sts. Beg with a WS row work in stockinette for 16.5 cm. Work in openwork patt until piece meas 57 cm from cast-on. Shape sleeves: Cast on 30 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 118 (122, 126) sts. Working 4-st edging at each end of row cont in patt until piece meas 79 (81, 83) cm from cast-on. Next row: Bind off center 24 sts. SI 47 (49, 51) sts for each shoulder/overarm to holders.

**Pocket lining:** Make 2 alike. With size 6 mm needles cast on 17 sts. Work in stockinette for 12 cm, ending with a RS row. Cut yarn. Place sts on holder.

**Left front:** With size 6 mm needles cast on 31 (33, 35) sts. Next WS row: 4-st edging, work 26 (28, 30) sts in stockinette, selvage st. Cont in patt until piece meas 16.5 cm from caston, ending with a WS row. Next RS row: Selvage st, work in openwork patt over next 4 sts, bind off next 17 sts for pocket

opening, work in openwork patt to last 4 sts, 4-st edging. Next WS row: Work in patt to bound-off sts, then with WS of pocket lining facing, work 17 pocket lining sts from holder into patt, work in patt to end. Cont in patt across all sts until piece meas 57 cm from cast-on, ending with a WS row. Shape sleeve: Cast on 30 sts at beg of next RS row, work to end = 61 (63, 65) sts. Working 4-st edging at each end of row cont in patt until piece meas 72 (74, 76) cm from cast-on, ending with a RS row. Shape neck: Bind off 6 sts at beg of next WS row, 4 sts at beg of next WS row, 2 sts at beg of next WS row, 1 st at beg of next 2 WS rows and when piece meas 79 (81, 83) cm from cast-on sl rem 47 (49, 51) shoulder/overarm sts to holder.

**Right front:** Work same as for left front, reversing all shaping and patt placement.

**Finishing:** Sew pocket linings in place on WS. Join shoulders/overarms with 3-needle bind-off. Neck band: With size 6 mm circular needle and from RS, pick up and k 58 sts evenly along neck edge. K 1 WS row. Bind off. Sew side seams.

