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Size 36 (40, 44)

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: 300 (350, 400) g of Lana Grossa **About Berlin Vanity** (54% cotton, 21% viscose, 13% silk, 12% polyamide; 130 m/50 g) in Cinnamon/Ochre/Olive Variegated (**col 3**). Size 3.5 and 4 mm needles; size 3.5 mm circular needle, 40 cm long.

Selvage stitches: On every row: Sl first st kwise, k last st.

Chart A/B: Numbers at left edge of chart indicate WS rows, numbers at right edge of chart indicate RS rows. Chart begins with a WS row. First and last 3 sts shown in grey are worked as three-stitch selvage. Work to patt rep, work 4 sts between arrows for patt rep, work to end of chart. For **slip st rib with three-stitch selvage**, work rows 1 – 3 of chart A once, then rep rows 2 and 3. For **slip st rib with single selvage**, work rows 1 – 4 of chart B once, then rep rows 3 and 4.

Chart C: Numbers at right edge of chart indicate rnds. Work all rnds from right to left. Work to patt rep, work 4 sts between arrows for patt rep, work to end of chart. Rep rnds 1 and 2 for slip st rib in rnds.

Full-fashion decrease: At beg of RS row, three-stitch selvage [see chart A], 1 st in patt, k2tog or p2tog as needed for patt; at end of RS row, work to last 6 sts, k2tog or p2tog as needed for patt, 1 st in patt, three-stitch selvage [see chart A].

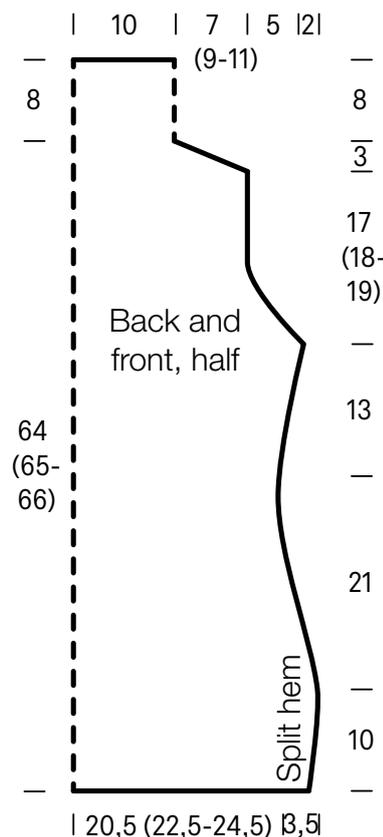
Gauge: 22.5 sts and 28 rows = 10 x 10 cm in slip st rib chart B on size 4 mm needles.

Back: With size 3.5 mm needles cast on 111 (119, 127) sts. Beg and end with a WS row, work chart A for 31 rows and piece meas 10 cm from cast-on. Change to size 4 mm needles. Work chart B for 8 rows. Shape sides: Bind off 1 st at beg of next 2 rows, [work 4 rows even, bind off 1 st at beg of next 2 rows] 7 times = 95 (103, 111) sts. Cont until chart B has been worked for a total of 64 rows, ending with a WS row. Inc 1 st at each end of next row, then every 8th row 3 times = 103 (111, 119) sts. Work increased sts into patt. Work even for 11 rows, ending with a WS row. Shape armholes: Working full-fashion dec, dec 1 st at each end of next 12 RS rows = 79

(87, 95) sts. Maintaining three-stitch selvage, cont chart B until 48 (50, 54) rows have been worked from beg of armhole shaping and armhole meas 17 (18, 19) cm. Shape shoulders: At each shoulder edge bind off 5 (6, 7) sts 2 times, 4 (5, 6) sts 2 times. Place rem 43 sts on holder.

Front: Work same as back.

Finishing: Pin pieces to measurements and block. Sew shoulder and side seams, leaving bottom 10 cm of side seams open for split hem. **Funnel neck:** Return 43 sts from back and front neck holder to size 3.5 mm circular needle = 86 sts. Place beg of rnd marker and join for working in rnds. Work chart C for 24 rnds = 8 cm, increasing 1 st in each shoulder seam on first rnd = 88 sts. Loosely bind off all sts in patt.



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Chart

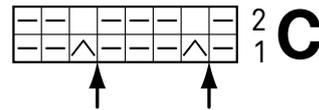
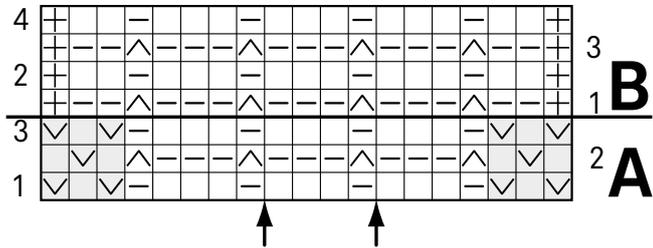


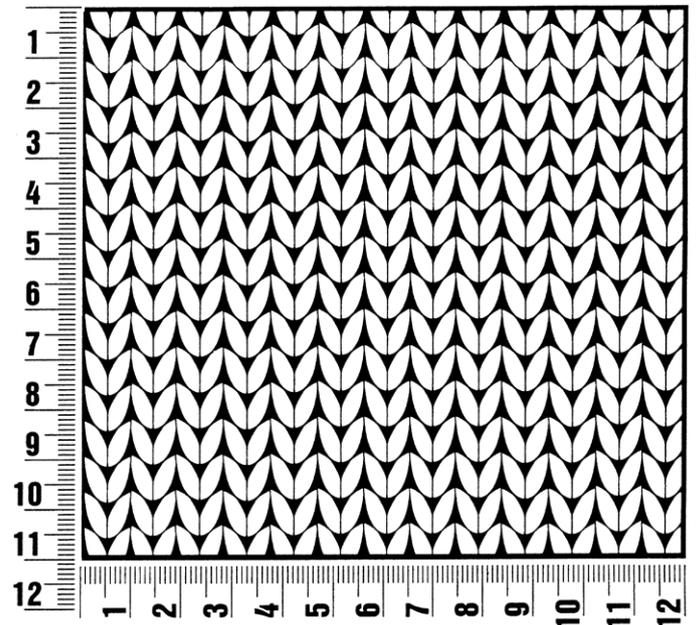
Chart key:

- ⊕ = selvage st
- = k1
- ▬ = p1
- ⊞ = sl 1 pwise wyif
- ⊠ = sl 1 pwise wyib

Gauge Swatch

Before you begin ...

...make a gauge swatch. Use the recommended needles, yarns and pattern stitch for your gauge swatch. It should measure approx. 12 cm x 12 cm. Cast-on and bind-off rows, as well as selvage stitches should not be included in the measurement. Pin your swatch and block it as you would the finished pieces of the garment. Count stitches and rows over 10 cm. If your gauge swatch is too small, switch to larger needles. If your gauge swatch is too big, switch to smaller needles.



Abbreviations

beg = begin(ning) · **ch** = chain · **cont** = continue · **dec** = decreas(e)(ing) · **inc** = increas(e)(ing) · **k** = knit · **kwise** = as if to knit
meas = measures · **M1L** = lift strand between sts from front to back and knit this strand through the back loop · **M1R** = lift strand between sts from the back and knit this strand through the front loop · **patt** = pattern · **pm** = place marker · **p** = purl
pwise = as if to purl · **rem** = remain(ing) · **rep** = repeat(s) · **rev St st** = reverse stockinette stitch · **rnd(s)** = round(s) · **RS** = right side · **sc** = single crochet · **skp** = slip 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 1 stitch, pass slipped stitch over knitted stitch · **sk2p** = slip 1 stitch as if to knit, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over knitted stitch · **s2kp** = slip 2 stitches as if to knit, k 1 stitch, pass slipped stitches over knitted stitch · **sl** = slip · **st(s)** = stitch(es) · **St st** = stockinette stitch · **tbl** = through the back loop · **tog** = together · **wyib** = with yarn in back of work · **wyif** = with yarn in front of work · **WS** = wrong side · **yo(s)** = yarn over(s)

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