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Size 36/38 (40/42, 44/46, 48/50)
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: **400 g** of Lana Grossa **Gomitolo Selezione 2** (75% cotton, 25% viscose; 260 m/100 g) in Jade/Turquoise/Plum/Pink/Rose/Antique Pink/Light Green **(col 2003)**. Size 3.5 mm needles; size 4 mm crochet hook; short size 3.5 mm circular needle.

Rib patt: K1, p1.

Crochet patt: Work according to chart. Numbers at right and left edge of chart indicate rows. Beg on row 2, work dc into ch-sp on row below. Work rows 1 – 3 once, then rep rows 2 and 3.

Gauge: 24 sts and 8 rows = 10 x 10 cm in crochet patt with size 4 mm hook.

Back: With size 3.5 mm needles cast on 125 (133, 140, 148) sts. Work in rib patt for 5 cm, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts. Work row 1 of crochet chart into bound-off sts, skip 1 bound-off st with ch 1, skip 2 bound-off sts with ch 2, end with dc in last bound-off st = 150 (159, 168, 177) sts. Cont to foll chart until piece meas 19 cm from end of rib patt. Place marker at each edge to indicate beg of armholes. Cont for 15 (17, 19, 21) cm. Shape shoulders: At each shoulder edge leave 12 (12, 15, 15) sts unworked every alt row 3 times. Fasten off.

Front: Work same as back to shoulder shaping. Shape shoulders same as for back. At same time, on first row of shoulder shaping, shape neck as foll: Leave center 16 (15, 16, 15) sts unworked. Working each side separately, leave 6 sts unworked at each neck edge every alt row 3 times. Fasten off.

Sleeves: With size 3.5 mm needles cast on 58 (65, 73, 80) sts. Work in rib patt for 5 cm, ending with a WS row. Bind off all sts. Work row 1 of crochet chart into bound-off sts, skip 1 bound-off st with ch 1, skip 2 bound-off sts with ch 2, end with dc in last bound-off st = 69 (78, 87, 96) sts. Cont to foll chart until piece meas 10 cm from end of rib patt. Inc 3 sts evenly across next row = 75 (84, 93, 102) sts. Cont until piece meas 22 cm from end of rib patt. Fasten off.

Finishing: Pin pieces to measurements and block. Sew shoulder seams. Neckband: Using crochet hook, sc around neck edge. Fasten off. With size 3.5 mm circular needle and RS facing, pick up and k approx. 120 sts in crochet rnd. Place beg of rnd marker and join for working in rnds. Work rib patt in rnds for 2 cm. Bind off all sts in rib. Sew on sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams.
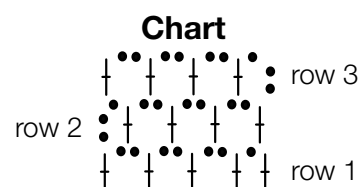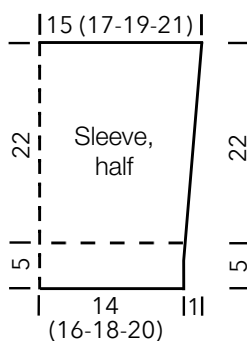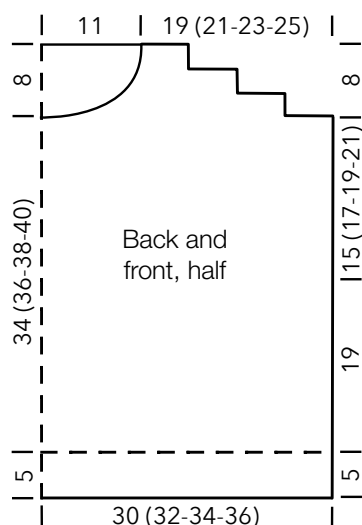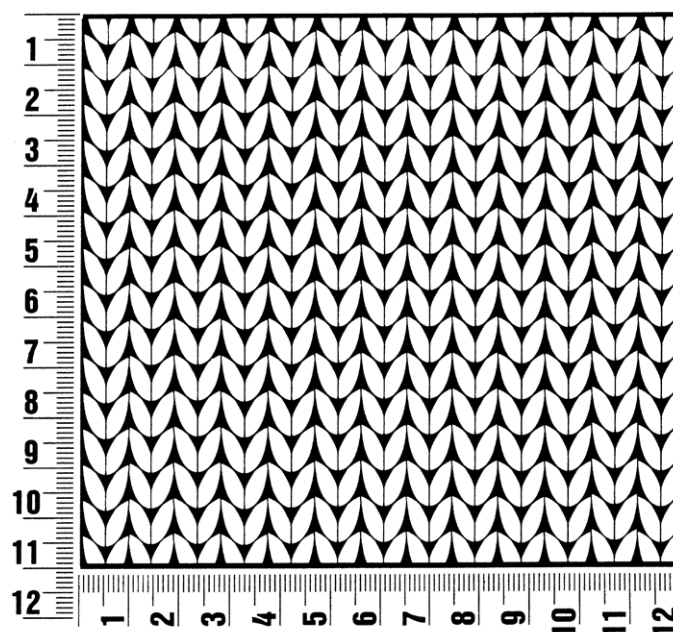

Back and front, half

11 | 19 (21-23-25)
8
34 (36-38-40)
15 (17-19-21)
19
5
30 (32-34-36)

Sleeve, half

15 (17-19-21)
22
14 (16-18-20)
5

Chart

row 3
row 2
row 1

Chart key:
● = chain (ch)
† = double crochet (dc)

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)