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**Size** One size

**Materials:** 400 g of Lana Grossa **Sottile** (85% cotton, 15% Merino wool; 250 m/50 g) in Raspberry (**col 5**). Size 3 and 4 mm needles.

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

**Slip stitch selvage:** On every row: K first st, sl last st pwise wyif.

**Rib patt:** K1, p1.

**Chart patt:** Multiple of 26 + 1. Numbers at right edge of chart indicate RS rows; on WS rows, work sts as they appear, purl all yos. Work to patt rep, work 26 sts between arrows for patt rep, work to end of chart. Rep rows 1 – 40.

**Full-fashion decrease:** At beg of RS row, slip st selvage, 8 sts in rib patt, k2tog; at end of RS row, work to last 11 sts, skp, 8 sts in rib patt, slip st selvage.

**Gauge:** 27 sts and 33 rows = 10 x 10 cm in chart patt on size 4 mm needles.

**Back:** With size 3 mm needles cast on 159 sts. Next row (WS): Selvage st, \* p1, k1; rep from \* to last 2 sts, p1, selvage st. Work in rib patt as set by last row until piece meas 6 cm from cast-on, ending with a WS row. Change to size 4 mm needles. Maintaining selvage sts (not shown on chart), work chart patt for 162 rows = 49 cm, working patt rep 5 times across row. Shape armholes: Bind off 8 sts at beg of next 2 rows, 1 st at beg of next 10 rows = 133 sts. When working shaping, make sure each yo is paired with a decrease and vice versa. Cont in patt until a total of 54 rows has been worked from beg of armhole shaping and armhole meas 16 cm. Shape shoulders: At each shoulder edge bind off 6 sts 6 times. Bind off rem 61 sts.

**Left front:** With size 3 mm needles cast on 89 sts. Next row (WS): Slip st selvage, \* p1, k1; rep from \* to last 2 sts, p1, selvage st. Work in rib patt as set by last row until piece meas 6 cm from cast-on, ending with a WS row. Change to size 4 mm needles. Next row (RS): Selvage st (not shown on chart), work chart to last 9 sts, working patt rep 2 times across row, work next 8 sts in rib patt as established, slip st selvage. Work in patt as set by last row for a total of 142 rows = 43 cm. Shape neck: Working full-fashion dec, dec 1 st at end of next 31 RS rows. At same time, when same length as back to armhole, shape armhole at right edge same as for back and when same length as back to shoulder, shape shoulder at right edge same as for back = 9 sts rem for neckband. Cast on 1 st at right edge of neckband (work as selvage st throughout) = 10 sts for neckband and cont in patt for 9 cm. Bind off all sts.

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

**Sleeves:** With size 3 mm needles cast on 81 sts. Next row (WS): Selvage st, \* p1, k1; rep from \* to last 2 sts, p1, selvage st. Work in rib patt as set by last row until piece meas 7 cm from cast-on, ending with a WS row. Change to size 4 mm needles. Maintaining selvage sts (not shown on chart), work chart patt for 142 rows = 43 cm, working patt rep 2 times across row. Shape sleeve cap: Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 16 rows. Bind off rem 49 sts.

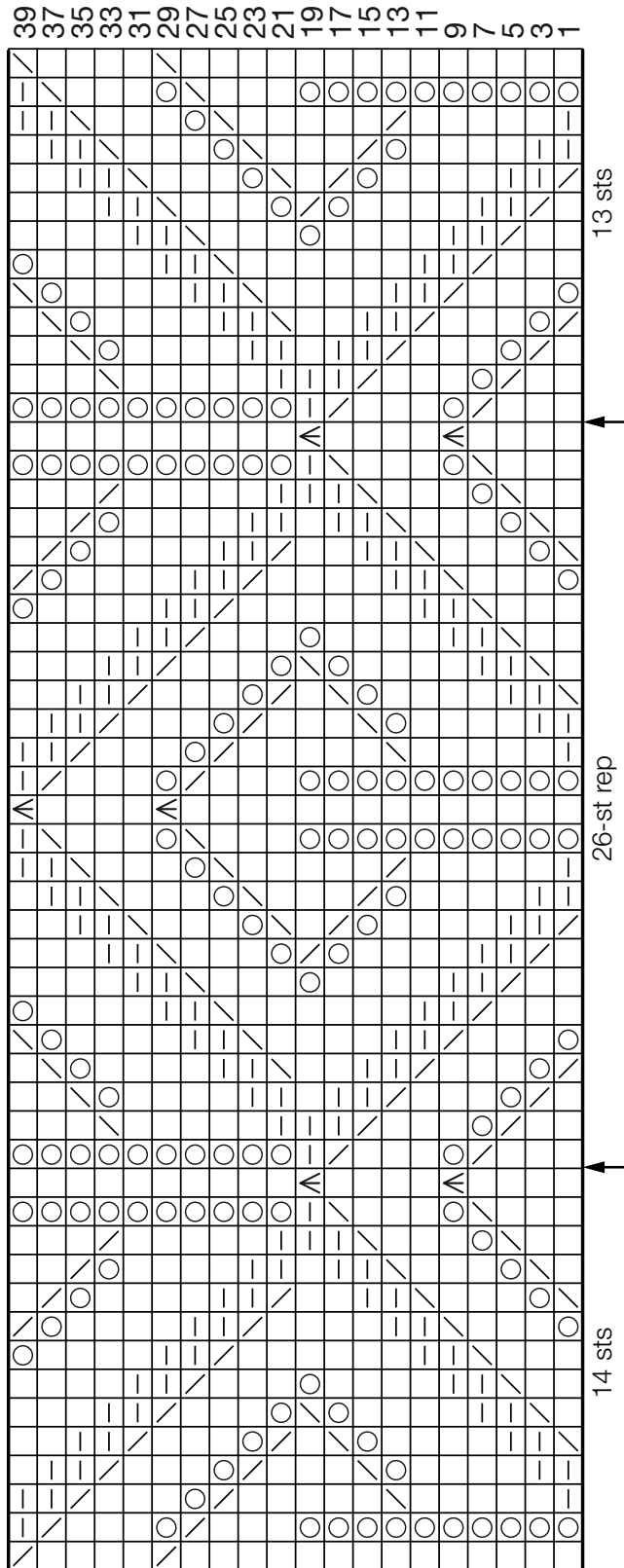
**Finishing:** Pin pieces to measurements and block. Sew shoulder seams. Sew bound-off edges of neckbands tog, then sew neckband to back neck. Sew in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams. Carefully weave in all ends.

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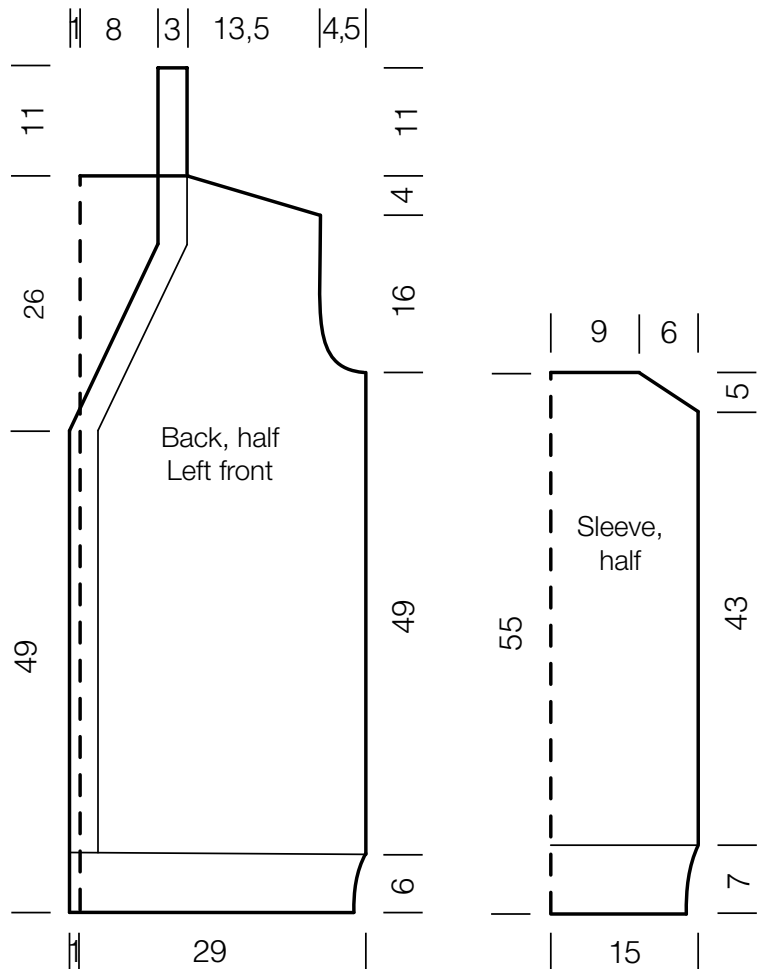
## Chart



For better readability,  
turn chart 90 degrees  
clockwise

### Chart key:

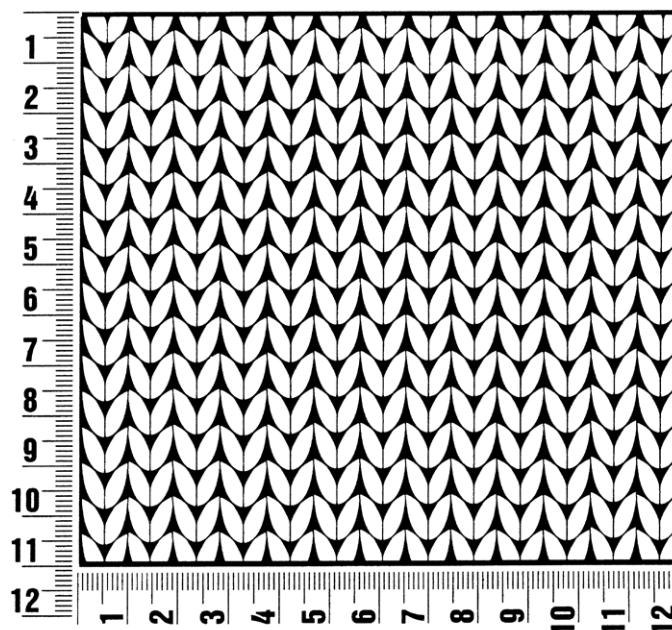
- = k1
- ▢ = p1
- = yo
- ▧ = k2tog
- ▨ = skp: sl 1 kwise, k1, pass slipped st over knitted st
- ▩ = s2kp: sl 2 kwise, k1, pass slipped sts over knitted st



## 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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