



**Zipper Front Vest (C139)
Using Bollicine Revolution Pattern**



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FINISHED CHEST MEASUREMENTS: 36 (40, 44,48)".

MATERIALS: 6(7,8,9) skeins "Revolution". US #10.5 and #13 needles. 22(22,24,24)" zipper.

Note: Zippers only come in even numbered lengths. Take that into consideration if you should make garment longer or shorter.

GAUGE: 3 sts and 4 rows = 1" on #13 ndl in stst.

EDGE STITCH: Worked over 2 sts on left and right front edges,.

Wrong side row: k1, sl edge st with yarn in front. Right side row: K in back of edge st, p1.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Back: With smaller needles cast on 54 (60,66,72)sts and work in 1x1 rib for 4 rows. Change to larger ndls and work in stst for 3(3,3.5,3.5)". For side shaping, bind off 1 st on each side every 6th row 3 times. Work even until back measures 8.5 (9, 9.5, 9.5)" from cast-on. Increase 1 st on each side every 6th row 3 times = 54(60, 66,72) sts. Continue in stst until back measures 13.5(14,15,15)". For armhole shaping bind off 3(3,4,5)sts at beg of next 2 rows, 1 st on ea side every other row 4(6,6,7) times = 40(42, 46, 48) sts. Work even until armhole measures 7(7, 7.5, 8)" ending with ws row. Put middle 6(8, 10, 10) sts on holder and finish each side separate. At neck edge bo 3sts once and 2sts once = 12(12,13,14)sts. Put remaining sts on holder. Work other side to match.

Right Front: With smaller needles cast on 27(30, 33,36) sts and work 4 rows in 1x1 rib as follows:

Row1: k1, p1 across row. Row 2: k1, p1 across row to last st, sl st with yarn in front.

Row 3: k through back of first st, continue in 1x1 rib to end. Row 4: k through back of first st and finish row in 1x1 rib. Change to larger ndls. Keeping 2 front edge sts in edge st pattern, continue in stst until front measures 3(3,3.5, 3.5)" from cast-on ending with ws row. Pocket opening: Work across 22 (25,28,31) sts and put remaining 5 sts on a holder. Purl back. Pocket shaping: Work to last 3 sts, k 2 tog, k1.Repeat decrease every 6th row 2 more times. After last decrease work 5 more rows even and put 19(22, 25,28) sts on holder. For pocket lining, cast on 16(19, 19, 19) sts with larger needle and work 30 rows in stst. In next row, k across sts of pocket lining and 5 sts from holder. Continue in stst, shaping side decreases same as on back. Work 5 rows even after last decrease. Knit together pocket lining to front as follows: Put sts from holder on separate needle. With right side facing, hold needles as for 3 needle bind-off and work as follows: Work across 6(6,9,12)sts of front, Knit together next 13(16,16,16) sts from both needles, followed by last 5 sts. Continue increases for side shaping as for back, as well as armhole shaping. When armhole measures 5.5(5.5, 5.5, 6)", shape neck as follows: work across 3(4,5,5) sts and put them on holder. On neck edge bind off 2 times 2sts eor and 1 st once = 12(12,13,14) sts. Continue even until front measures same as back to shoulder. Put sts on holder.

Left front: Work same as for right front reversing all shaping.

Finishing: Steam pieces lightly. Put shoulders together using 3ndl bind-off. For collar with smaller ndls pick up 51(53,56,60) sts around neck opening. Work sts in 1x1 rib, keeping edge sts on both fronts in edge st pattern. When collar measures 2.5", bind off in pattern. To finish armhole, pick up 66(70,74,74) sts with smaller ndls and work in 1x1 rib for 4 rows. Bind of in pattern. Along pocket edges pick up 19 sts with smaller ndls and work 2 rows in 1x1 rib. Bind off in pattern. Stitch pocket ribbing to front. Slip stitch pocket linings in place. Put in zipper