



Four Seasons Knit Vest

This vest is simple in its three square shaped pieces and offers just enough interest with the simple lace mesh pattern. It's a beautiful casual look to layer any season of the year.

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Directions are for sizes XSmall, Small, Medium, Large, 1X and 2X are in parentheses.

To Fit Bust: 28 (32, 36, 40, 44, 48)"

Finished Bust: 28 (32, 36, 40, 44, 48)"

Finished Length: 19½ (19½, 22, 22, 23½, 23½)"

RED HEART® "Stardust™": 3 (3, 4, 5, 6, 6) balls 1623 Green.

Knitting Needles: 5.5mm [US 9].

Crochet Hook: 4mm [US G-6].

Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4"; 24 rows = 4" in Mesh Pattern with knitting needles. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.**

PATTERN STITCH

Mesh Pattern (multiple of 4 sts)

Row 1 (Wrong Side): *K2tog, [yo] twice, k2tog; repeat from * to end of row.

Row 2: *K2, p1, k1; repeat from * to end of row.

Row 3: K2, *k2tog, [yo] twice, k2tog; repeat from * to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 4: K2, *k2, p1, k1; repeat from * to last 2 sts, k2.
Repeat Rows 1–4 for Mesh Pattern.

VEST

Back

Cast on 56 (64, 72, 80, 88, 96) sts.

Work in Mesh Pattern for 68 (68, 68, 76, 80, 80) rows.

Shape Armholes

Row 1: Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 8, 8) sts, continue in Row 1 of Mesh Pattern to end of row—52 (60, 68, 76, 80, 88) sts.

Row 2: Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 8, 8) sts, continue in Row 2 of Mesh Pattern to end of row—48 (56, 64, 72, 72, 80) sts.

Beginning with Row 3 of pattern, work in Mesh Pattern for 46 (46, 54, 54, 58, 58) more rows.

Bind off loosely.

Left Front

Cast on 56 (64, 72, 80, 88, 96) sts.

Work in Mesh Pattern for 68 (68, 68, 76, 80, 80) rows.

Shape Armholes

Row 1: Work Row 1 of Mesh Pattern.

Row 2 (Right Side): Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 8, 8) sts, continue in Row 2 of Mesh Pattern to end of row—52 (60, 68, 76, 80, 88) sts.

Beginning with Row 3 of pattern, work in Mesh Pattern for 46 (46, 54, 54, 58, 58) more rows.

Bind off loosely.

Right Front

Cast on 56 (64, 72, 80, 88, 96) sts.

Work in Mesh Pattern for 68 (68, 68, 76, 80, 80) rows.

Shape Armhole

Row 1 (Wrong Side): Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 8, 8) sts, continue in Row 1 of Mesh Pattern to end of row—52 (60, 68, 76, 80, 88) sts.



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Beginning with Row 2 of pattern, work in Mesh Pattern for 47 (47, 55, 55, 59, 59) more rows.
Bind off loosely.

FINISHING

Block pieces to measurements shown on schematic.
Beginning at armhole edge, sew shoulder seams for 3 (4, 4½, 5, 5, 5½)". Sew side seams.

Armhole Edging

With Right Side facing and crochet hook, join yarn with sc at underarm, sc evenly spaced around armhole; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off. Repeat around other armhole. Weave in ends.



RED HEART® "Stardust™" Art.E783
available in tweed with metallic 1.76 oz (50g), 191 yd (175m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: **k** = knit; **k2tog** = knit next 2 sts together; **p** = purl; **P2tog** = purl next 2 sts together; **yo** = yarn over; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

