INVERSION VEST - 365 Yak
Size 34 - 38

Materials: 250 g of Lana Grossa 365 Yak
(66% cotton, 22% polyamide, 12% Yak; 145 m/50 g) in Light Blue/Grey (col 8). Size 6 mm needles.

Slip garter selvage: Slip first st of every row as if to knit and knit last st of every row. Work a slip garter selvage throughout.

Stockinette: K on RS, p on WS.

Eyelet pattern: Work according to chart. Number at right edge of chart indicates RS row; number at left edge of chart indicates WS row. Beg chart pat with stts before first arrow, work 3 sts between arrows for pat repeat, end with stts after 2nd arrow. Work rows 1 and 2 once.

Pattern sequence: Work 2 rows in eyelet pat, then 6 rows in stockinette; rep from * throughout.

Gauges: On size 6 mm needles, 18 sts and 26.5 rows = 10 x 10 cm in stockinette; 17

sts and 26 rows = 10 x 10 cm in pattern sequence.

Upper portion of back and fronts: Work in one piece from the top down. Straight arrow on schematic shows direction of work. With size 6 mm needles, loosely cast on 110 sts and work in stockinette for 2 rows. Next RS row: Cont in stockinette and inc 1 st at beg and end of row. Repeat inc row every foll RS row twice, then every other RS row 13 times, then every foll RS row twice = 146 sts. Cont until piece measures 24 cm from cast-on, ending with a WS row. Bind off 30 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 86 sts. Cont for 36 cm, then bind off all sts for lower edge of back.

Lower portion: Worked side to side. Arrow on schematic shows direction of work. With size 6 mm needles, cast on 44 sts. Beg and end with a WS row, work in stockinette for 3 rows. Next, work the 8 rows of the pat sequence 27 times, then work 2 more rows in eyelet pat. Work 2 more rows in stockinette, then bind off all sts. Piece measures approx. 66 cm from cast-on.

Finishing: Pin pieces to measurements and block. Fold right and left front down with "*" matching "*" at lower edge of back and • matching • at side edges. Wavy edges at right and left front are now level with wavy edge at lower back. Sew seem at each edge between * and • (approx. 11 cm). Remainder of side edges remains open for arm openings. Next, sew wavy edge of lower portion to wavy edge of upper portion. Illustration shows vest when worn right side up. If you want to wear the lower portion as a collar, simply wear the vest upside down.