

## Girl's Knit Bolero

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Directions are for size 1 year; changes for sizes 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 years are in parentheses.

**RED HEART**® "**Zoomy**™": 3 (4, 4, 5, 6, 6) Balls 8275 Candy Pink.

Knitting Needles: 8mm [US 11].

GAUGE: 12 sts = 4"; 17 rows = 4" in St st. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

**To Fit Chest**: 20 1/2 (22, 23 1/2, 25 1/2, 27 1/2, 29 1/2)". **Finished Chest**: 23 1/2 (25, 26 3/4, 28 3/4, 30 3/4, 32 3/4)".

**BACK**: Cast on 38 (40, 42, 46, 48, 52) sts. Work 14 (16, 18, 20, 22, 24) rows St st, begin K row.

Shape Armholes: Bind off 3 sts at beginning of next 2 rows—32 (34, 36, 40, 42, 46) sts. Dec one st at each end of every K row until 28 (30, 32, 34, 36, 38) sts remain. Work even for 15 (17, 19, 19, 21, 21) more rows, end P row.

**Shape Shoulders**: Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 5, 5) sts at beginning of next 2 rows, then 4 (4, 5, 5, 5, 5) sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Bind off remaining 12 (14, 14, 16, 16, 18) sts.

**LEFT FRONT**: Cast on 3 (4, 5, 7, 8, 10) sts.

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: Cast on 4 sts, P to end. Row 3: K to last st, inc in last st.

Row 4: Cast on 2 sts, P to end—10 (11, 12, 14, 15, 17) sts. Work in St st, inc one st at front edge every row 3 times, then every K row once, then in every other K row once—15 (16, 17, 19, 20, 22) sts. Work 1 (3, 5, 7, 9, 11) rows even, end P row.

Shape Armhole and Front Slope: Bind off 3 sts, K to last 2 sts, K2tog—11 (12, 13, 15, 16, 18) sts. P 1 row. Dec one st at beginning (armhole edge) every K row 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 4) times; Size 10 years only – AT SAME TIME dec one st at end (front edge) of 5th row. All Sizes— 9 (10, 11, 12, 13, 13) sts.

\*\* Work 5 (3, 3, 1, 1, 3) rows even. Dec one st at front edge on next row.

**Sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 years only**: Dec 1 st at front edge every (8, 8, 8, 8, 6)th row until (8, 9, 9, 10, 10) sts remain. **All sizes**—8 (8, 9, 9, 10, 10) sts. Work 9 (5, 7, 1, 3, 5) rows even.

**Shape Shoulder**: Bind off 4 (4, 4, 4, 5, 5) sts at beginning of next row. Work 1 row. Bind off 4 (4, 5, 5, 5, 5) sts. \*\*

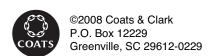
**RIGHT FRONT**: Cast on 3 (4, 5, 7, 8, 10) sts.

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: P to last st, inc in last st. Row 3: Cast on 4 sts, K to end.

Row 4: P to last st, inc in last st.

**Row 5**: Cast on 2 sts, K to end—11 (12, 13, 15, 16, 18) sts. Work in St st, inc one st at front edge every row twice,



then every K row once, then in every other K row once—15 (16, 17, 19, 20, 22) sts. Work 1 (3, 5, 7, 9, 11) rows even.

Shape Armhole and Front Slope: K2tog, K to end. Bind off 3 sts at beginning of next row, P to end—11 (12, 13, 15, 16, 18) sts. Dec one st at end (armhole edge) of every K row 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 4) times in all; Size 10 years only – AT SAME TIME dec one st at beg (front edge) in 5th row. All Sizes:—9 (10, 11, 12, 13, 13) sts.

Work same as Left Front from \*\* to \*\* EXCEPT work 1 more row before shoulder shaping.

**SLEEVES**: Cast on 20 (20, 22, 22, 24) sts. Work in St st, begin K row, shaping sides by inc 1 st each end of 5th row, then every 6 (4, 6, 6, 8, 8)th row until there are 26 (24, 28, 26, 28, 28) sts, then every 8 (6, 8, 8, 10, 10)th row until there are 28 (30, 32, 34, 34, 36) sts. Work even until 7 (7 3/4, 9 3/4, 11 3/4, 13 1/2, 14 1/2)" from beginning, end P row.

**Shape Cap**: Bind off 2 sts at beginning of next 2 rows—24 (26, 28, 30, 30, 32) sts. Dec one st at each end of every K row 16 (16, 20, 20, 16, 16) sts remain, then every row until 6 sts remain. Bind off.

**FINISHING**: Sew shoulder seams. Place center of sleeve tops at shoulder seams and sew in place. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Cuffs (Make 2): Cast on 2 sts.

Row 1: K1, yo, K1—3 sts.

Row 2: Knit.

Row 3: K1, yo, K1, yo, K1—5 sts.

Row 4: Knit.

**Row 5**: K2, yo, K2tog, yo, K1—6 sts.

Row 6: Bind off 4 sts, K to end-2 sts.

Repeat Rows 1-6 until length required to fit along cast-on edge of Sleeve, end by working Row 6. Bind off. Sew in place, beginning and ending at seam.

**Body Edging**: Work same as for Cuffs until length fits around all outer edges. Sew in place, beginning and ending at side seam.



**RED HEART® "Zoomy™"**, Art. E747 available in shaded colors 3.5oz (100g), 83yd (76m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: dec = decrease; inc = increase; K = knit; mm = millimeters; P = purl; st(s) = stitch (es); tog = together; yo = yarn over; \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.

