CHILD'S VEST

■ ■ Intermediate Knitting

Colourway 1, pictured on boy in (**M** - 5558 Test Pattern), (**C1** - 1030 Sunset) and (**C2** - 1026 Electric Blue).

Colourway 2, pictured on girl in (M - 5559 Solar Blaze), (C1 - 1025 Hot Pink) and (C2 - 1030 Sunset).

MEASUREMENTS	years	1	2	3	4
To Fit Chest	cm	53	55	58	60
Actual Size	cm	55	57	60	63
Length (approx)	cm	34	36	38	40

If using 100g balls

PATONS PATONYLE MAGIC 4 PLY 100g balls

Main Colour (M)	1	1	1	1
and PATONS PATONYLE	4 PL	/ 100g k	palls	
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1

If using 50g balls

PATONS PATONYLE MAGIC 4 PLY 50g balls

Main Colour (M)	1	1	2	2
and PATONS PATONYLE	4 PLY	50g b	alls	
1st Contrast (C1)	1	1	1	1
2nd Contrast (C2)	1	1	1	1

Use only the yarns specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

NEEDLES AND EXTRAS

- 1 pair each 3.00mm and 3.25mm knitting needles or size needled to give correct tension.
- 1 stitch-holder.
- wool needle for sewing seams.

For abbreviations and more information on knitting techniques, please see **patonsyarns.com.au**

TENSION

28 sts and 36 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 3.25mm needles.

Check your tension carefully. If less sts to 10cm use smaller needles, if more sts use larger needles.



BACK

Using 3.00mm needles and C1, cast on 79 (83-87-91) sts.

1st row – K2, * P1, K1, rep from * to last st, K1.

2nd row – K1, * P1, K1, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 8 times (18 rows rib in all).

Change to 3.25mm needles and C2.

Work in stocking st until Back measures **11** (12-**13**-13) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Change to **M** for rem.

Cont in stocking st until Back measures **20** (22-**23**-25) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

Shape Armholes -

Cast off **6** (7-**7**-8) sts at beg of next 2 rows ... **67** (69-**73**-75) sts. ****** Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until **53** (55-**59**-61) sts rem.

Work **25** (27-**31**-31) rows.

Shape Back Neck -

1st row – K**16** (16-**18**-19), **turn**.

Cont on these **16** (16-**18**-19) sts for right side of back neck.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until **11** (11-**13**-14) sts rem.

Shape Shoulder –

Next row – Cast off **4** (4-**5**-6) sts, knit to last 2 sts, K2tog \dots **6** (6-**7**-7) sts.

Next row - P2tog, purl to end.

Cast off rem sts.

Slip next **21** (23-**23**-23) sts onto stitch-holder and leave for neckband.

With right side facing, join **M** to rem **16** (16-**18**-19) sts for left side of back neck and knit to end.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 10 (10-12-13) sts rem.

Shape Shoulder -

Next row – Cast off **4** (4-**5**-6) sts, purl to last 2 sts, P2tog ... **5** (5-**6**-6) sts.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem sts.

FRONT

Work as for Back to **.

Dec one st at each end of next row.

Work 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows **0** (0-**1**-1) times ... **65** (67-**69**-71) sts.

Shape V Neck -

Next row - K2tog, K30 (31-32-33), turn.

Cont on these 31 (32-33-34) sts for left side of neck.

Dec one st at each end of every foll alt row until **21** (22-**25**-26) sts rem.

Dec one st at neck edge only in every foll alt row until **11** (11-**14**-15) sts rem, then in every foll 4th row until **9** (9-**11**-12) sts rem. Work 3 rows.

Shape Shoulder -

Cast off 4 (4-5-6) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 5 (5-6-6) sts.

Slip centre st onto a safety pin or contrasting thread and leave for neckband.

With right side facing, join $\bf M$ to rem $\bf 32$ (33- $\bf 34$ -35) sts for right side of neck.

Next row - Knit to last 2 sts, K2tog.

Dec one st at each end of every foll alt row until **21** (22-**25**-26) sts rem. Dec one st at neck edge only in every foll alt row until **11** (11-**14**-15) sts rem, then in every foll 4th row until **9** (9-**11**-12) sts rem. Work 4 rows.

Shape Shoulder -

Cast off 4 (4-5-6) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 5 (5-6-6) sts.

NECKBAND

Using mattress stitch, join right shoulder seam. With right side facing, using 3.00mm needles and **C1**, knit up **42** (44-**46**-46) sts evenly along left side of front neck, knit st from safety pin or thread (centre st), knit up **42** (44-**46**-46) sts evenly along right side of front neck to shoulder seam, knit up 7 sts evenly along right side of back neck, knit across sts from back stitch-holder, then knit up 7 sts evenly along left side of back neck ... **120** (126-**130**-130) sts.

1st row – * K1, P1, rep from * to end.

2nd row – Rib to within 2 sts of centre st, ybk, sl 1, K1, psso, K1 (centre st), K2tog, rib to end.

3rd row – Rib to within 2 sts of centre st, K2tog, P1, K2tog tbl, rib to end.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows 4 times ... **100** (106-**110**-110) sts. Cast off loosely in rib.

ARMHOLE BANDS

Join left shoulder and neckband seam. With right side facing, using 3.00mm needles and **C1**, knit up **89** (95-**101**-103) sts evenly along armhole edge.

Work 11 rows rib as for Back, beg with a 2nd row. Cast off loosely in rib.

TO MAKE UP

DO NOT PRESS. Join side and armhole band seams, matching colour change on sides.



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