



### MATERIALS

**Red Heart® Super Saver® Ombre™** (10 oz/283 g; 482 yds/440 m)

Sizes	6	12	18	24	mos
Scuba (3961)	1	1	2	2	ball(s)
	420/380	457/415	535/485	630/570	yds/m

Size U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® knitting needles. Size U.S. 8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® circular knitting needle 24" [60 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge**. Susan Bates® stitch markers. 3 buttons ½" [13 mm] diameter.



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

### ABBREVIATIONS

**Beg** = Beginning

**Center dec** = (2 stitches decreased). Slip next 2 stitches as if K2tog. K1. Pass 2 slipped sts over knit stitch. Middle stitch will appear on top as "knit" stitch

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

**K** = Knit

**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches together

**Kfb** = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch

**PM** = Place marker

**Rem** = Remaining

**Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**RS** = Right side

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

### SIZES

**To fit chest measurement**

<b>6 mos</b>	<b>17" [43 cm]</b>
<b>12 mos</b>	<b>18" [45.5 cm]</b>
<b>18 mos</b>	<b>19" [48.5 cm]</b>
<b>24 mos</b>	<b>21" [53.5 cm]</b>

**Finished chest**

<b>6 mos</b>	<b>22½" [57 cm]</b>
<b>12 mos</b>	<b>23½" [59.5 cm]</b>
<b>18 mos</b>	<b>24½" [62 cm]</b>
<b>24 mos</b>	<b>26" [66 cm]</b>

### GAUGE

17 sts and 36 rows = 4" [10 cm] in garter stitch.

### INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for size **6 mos**. If changes are necessary for sizes **12**, **18** or **24 mos** the instructions will be written thus ( ). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

**Note:** When working Center Dec, move marker to new stitch.

## BACK

With circular needle, cast on **146** (**156-170-182**) sts. **Do not** join in rnd. Working back and forth across needle in rows, proceed as follows:

**Foundation row:** (WS). K**50** (**54-60-64**). PM on last stitch just knit. K**47** (**49-51-55**). PM on last stitch just knit. Knit to end of row. **46** (**48-50-54**) sts between marked sts and **49** (**53-59-63**) sts on each side of markers (not counting marked sts). **1st row:** (RS). (Knit to 1 st before next marked st. Center dec) twice. Knit to end of row. **142** (**152-166-178**) sts. **44** (**46-48-52**) sts between marked sts.

**2nd row:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **22** (**23-24-26**) times. **54** (**60-70-74**) sts. (No sts rem between marked sts).

Slip first **27** (**30-35-37**) sts onto a spare needle. With WS facing, join center back seam using 3-needle cast off as follows: Hold needles with sts to be cast off parallel. With 3rd needle K2tog first st from each needle. \*K2tog next st from each needle. Pass 1st st over 2nd st. Rep from \* until all sts have been cast off with only 1 st rem on needle. Fasten off.

## LEFT FRONT

With pair of needles, cast on **73** (**78-85-91**) sts.

**Foundation row:** (WS). K**24** (**25-26-28**). PM on last stitch just knit. Knit to end of row. **23** (**24-25-27**) sts before marked st and **49** (**53-59-63**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

**1st row:** (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **71** (**76-83-89**) sts. **48** (**52-58-62**) sts before marked st.

**2nd row:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **11** (**12-12-13**) times more. **49** (**52-59-63**) sts. **37** (**40-46-49**) sts before marked st. **11** (**11-12-13**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

**Shape Front neck: 1st row:** (RS). Cast off **4** (**4-5-5**) sts. Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **43** (**46-52-56**) sts.

**2nd row:** Knit.

**3rd row:** K1. K2tog. Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **40** (**43-49-53**) sts. Rep last 2 rows **3** (**3-4-5**) times more. **31** (**34-37-38**) sts. **24** (**27-30-31**) sts before marked st. 6 sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

**Next row:** (WS). Knit.

**Next row:** (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row.

**Next row:** (WS). Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 4 times more. **21** (**24-27-28**) sts. **19** (**22-25-26**) sts before marked st. 1 st after marked st.

Cast off.

## RIGHT FRONT

With pair of needles, cast on **73** (**78-85-91**) sts.

**Foundation row:** (WS). K**50** (**54-60-64**). PM on last stitch just knit. Knit to end of row. **49** (**53-59-63**) sts before marked st and **23** (**24-25-27**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

**1st row:** (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row. **71** (**76-83-89**) sts. **22** (**23-24-26**) sts before marked st.

**2nd row:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **10** (**11-11-12**) times more, then 1st row once. **49** (**52-59-63**) sts. **11** (**11-12-13**) sts before marked st. **37** (**40-46-49**) sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

**Shape Front neck: 1st row:** (WS). Cast off **4** (**4-5-5**) sts. Knit to end of row. **45** (**48-54-58**) sts.

**2nd row:** Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. **42** (**45-51-55**) sts.

**3rd row:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rows **3** (**3-4-5**) times more. **33** (**36-39-40**) sts. **25** (**28-31-32**) sts before marked st. 7 sts after marked st (not counting marked st).

**Next row:** (WS). Knit.

**Next row:** (RS). Knit to 1 st before marked st. Center dec. Knit to end of row.

**Next row:** (WS). Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 5 times more. **21** (**24-27-28**) sts. 1 st before marked st. **19** (**22-25-26**) sts after marked st. Cast off.

## SLEEVES

Cast on **26** (**28-30-32**) sts.

Proceed in garter st (knit every row), Kfb at each end of 3rd and every following **8th** (**8th-6th-6th**) row until there are **38** (**42-48-50**) sts.

Cont even until Sleeve from beg measures **7** (**7½-8-9**)" [**18** (**19-20-5-23**) cm], ending on a RS row. Cast off.

## FINISHING

Pin all pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving cloth to dry.

Place markers on side edges  $4\frac{1}{2}$  (5-5 $\frac{3}{4}$ -6)" [ $11.5$  ( $12.5$ - $14.5$ - $15$ ) cm] down from shoulders. Sew in sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams.

**Button loops:** Cast on 12 sts. Cast off.

Fold button loop cords in half and place them evenly spaced along cast-off edge of Right Front for Girl's Version or Left Front for Boy's Version. Sew loops in place. Sew buttons to correspond to button loops.

