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Skill level: Intermediate
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Finished measurements

Sizes	Bust Circumference	Length
Vest **S (M, L/XL)**	34½ (38½, 42½) in / 88 (98, 108) cm	16½ (17½, 18¾) in / 42 (44.5, 47.5) cm

Yarn
Misti Alpaca Hand Paint Chunky
(100% Baby Alpaca, 100g = 109
yards), CP57 Lake Superior Hand
Paint Chunky × 5 (6, 7) hanks

Needles
Size US 9 & 10 (5.5mm & 6mm)
Circular Needles, or size necessary to
obtain gauge

Notions
Stitch Holders
Cable needle
Size H/8 (5mm) crochet hook

Gauge/Tension
14 sts x 16 rows in Stockinette stitch
with size US10 (6mm) needles = 4 in
(10 cm). SAVE TIME BY CHECK-
ING YOUR GAUGE

Notes
Garment is worked from the bottom
up beginning with Back and Fronts
together, then divide for sleeve shap-
ing.
Slip stitch knitwise at the beginning
of every right side row and slip stitch
purlwise at the beginning of very
wrong side row.

Stitch Patterns

Stockinette Stitch (St st)
Row 1 (RS): Knit.
Row 2: Purl.
Repeat these 2 rows for pattern.

2×2 Ribbing (multiple of 4 sts + 2)
Row 1 (RS): K2, [p2, k2] across.
Row 2: P2, [k2, p2] across.

Instructions
Body
Back and front: With larger circular needle
CO 124 (132, 152) sts and work St st (see
Stitch Patterns) until work measures 13¾ (14,
14¼)" [35 (36, 37) cm].
Shape Armhole
Work 28 (30, 35) sts for Right Front. BO 6 sts,
work 56 (60, 70) sts for Back. Cast off 6 sts,
work 28 (30, 35) sts for Left Front.
Continue working each side separately, plac-
ing unused sts on holders.

Back
Join a new ball of yarn and continue in St st,
dec 1 st on both sides every RS row twice–52
(56, 66) sts.
Continue until work measures 15 (15½,16)"
[38 (39, 40) cm].
Place sts on st holder.

Right Front

Continue in St st, dec 1 st on armhole side every RS row twice–26 (28, 33) sts.
Continue until work measures the same as Back. Place sts on holder.

Left Front

Work as for Right, reversing shaping.

Sleeves

With larger circular needle CO 42 (49, 56) sts and work in St st until work measures 1½"/3 cm. BO 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Then dec 1 st each side every RS row twice 32 (39, 46) sts. Work straight until piece measures 6 cm. Place sts on holder.

Yoke

Place all 168 (190, 224) sts on larger circular needle arranging Sleeve sts between Fronts and Back. Work in St st until work measures 1¼ (2, 3)" [4 (5.5, 7.5)cm]. BO all sts

Cable

With size 10 needles, CO 14 sts.
Row 1: K1, p2, place 4 sts on cable needle and hold in front, k4, knit sts from cable needle, p2, k1 .
Rows 2–8: Knit the knit sts, purl the purl sts. Rep Rows 1–8 until work is approx 46¼ (52, 62¼)" [117 (132, 158)cm] long. End with Row 1. BO all sts.
The cable should have some negative ease and be stretched for a good fit to shoulders. With mattress stitch, sew cable band to BO Yoke sts beginning at Left Front, then one Sleeve, then Back, then the other Sleeve, then the Right Front.

Neckline

With size 10 needles, pick up and knit 114 (130, 146) sts evenly around upper edge of Cable band.
Work in 2×2 Ribbing (see Stitch Patterns) until Neckline measures approx 2⅜ (2¾, 2¾)" [6 (7, 7)cm], end with WS row.
Next Row: K2, [p2tog, k2] across–86 (102, 110) sts.
Next Row: P2, [k1, p2] across.
Next Row: K2, [p1, k2] across.
Repeat last 2 rows until Neckline measures approx 3½ (4⅜, 4⅜)" [9, (11, 11)cm]
Change to smaller needles and work in St st for 1" / 2.5cm for rolled edge. BO all sts.

Finishing

Sew underarm seams. Sew button on Left Front just below rolled Neckline edge. With crochet hook, chain a loop to go around button and sew to WS of Right Front.
Block to measurements.

Abbreviations

approx	=	approximately
beg	=	begin/beginning
BO	=	bind off
circ	=	circular
CO	=	cast on
dpns	=	double pointed needles
k	=	knit
k2tog	=	knit 2 together
kwise	=	knitwise
meas	=	measures
ndl/ndls	=	needle/needles
psso	=	pass slipped stitch over
rem	=	remain/remaining
rep	=	repeat
rnd/rnds	=	round/rounds
sl	=	slip
st/sts	=	stitch/stitches