

# LIBERTY



Romantic and elegant, we were inspired by a candlelit evening to create this wonderful garment in Vivienne. We used the net stitch and combined it with the class of the blush color.



**Gauge:** 10 cm x 10 cm (4 inc. x 4 inc.) = 18 stitches and 25 rows.

**Size S:** for each bigger or smaller size calculate in width 2 cm (0.75 inc.) more or less, in our gauge it corresponds to 4 stitches; calculate in height 2 cm (0.75 inc.) more or less, in our gauge it corresponds to 5 rows.

**Yarn** VIVIENNE col. 2475 pink

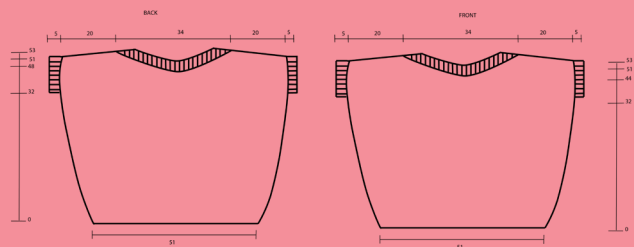
**Needles:** n. 4 + n. 4,5

**Weight:** 160 g/ 5,64 oz (7 balls)

**Tg:** S

**Stitches used:** Tubular, 2x2 Rib, Stockinette Stitch, Lace Stitch.

Yarn VIVIENNE is always worked triple.



## Explanation of Lace Stitch:

work over a multiple of 4 stitches.

**1st row:** knit1, \*k2tog2, yo1\*, repeat from \*to\*, finish with knit1.

**2nd – 4th row:** purl.

**3rd row:** knit2, \*yo1, slip1, knit1, pass slipped stitch over\*.

**5th row:** repeat from 1st row.

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## Knitting the back

Using needles n. 4 and a contrasting color yarn, cast on 110 stitches and knit 1 row (at the end of the work, this needle will be undone). With VIVIENNE col. pink, purl 1 row and work 4 rows in **Tubular**, then continue in **2x2 Rib** for 16 rows, starting and ending with knit2. At a total height of 5 cm (1,97 in.), continue with needles n. 4 in **Lace Stitch**. At a total height of 6 cm (2,36 in.), start increasing at sides, inside the first and last stitch, alternately 1 stitch every 8 rows and every 10 rows, 13 times. To make an increase knit a cross stitch.

On the increased stitches, work in **Lace Stitch**. When it is not possible, work in **Stockinette Stitch** the stitches in excess at sides. At a total height of 48 cm (18,90 in.), for the back neckline, leave suspended the 28 central stitches and continue the two parts separately, binding off at sides, every 2 rows, 3 stitches and 2 stitches.

Simultaneously, at a total height 51 cm (20,08 in.), bind off the remaining 39 stitches for each shoulder in 4 rounds, i.e. 9 stitches 3 times and 12 stitches

## Knitting the front

Work as for the back, up to a total height of 44 cm (17,32 in.). Then, for the neckline, leave suspended the 22 central stitches and finish the two parts separately, binding off at sides, every 2 rows, 2 stitches twice and 1 stitch once.

At a total height of 51 cm (20,08 in.), bind off the remaining 39 stitches for each shoulder in 4 times, i.e. 9 stitches 3 times every 12 stitches.

## Finishing

Sew the right shoulder. With needles n. 4, pick up 84 stitches along the front neckline and 70 stitches along back neckline. On the 154 obtained stitches, work 6 rows in **2x2 Rib**, then 4 rows in **Tubular** and bind off in **Tubular** with a needle. Sew sides and the left shoulder. For the edge of each sleeve, put a mark at a total height of 32 cm (12,60 in.). Then, with needles n. 4, pick up 39 stitches in front (from the mark to the shoulder) and 39 stitches in back. On the 78 obtained stitches, work 14 rows in **2x2 Rib**, then 4 rows in **Tubular** and bind off in **Tubular** with a needle.

