

MODA-DEE™

Crochet Two-Tone Vest

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Tweedle Dee™
Shaded Effect Yarn™



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EASY 

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Directions are for size small; changes for medium, large and extra large are in parentheses.

MODA DEA® "Tweedle Dee"™: 4 1/2 (5 3/4, 6 1/2, 7 1/4) Ounces OR 2 (2, 2, 3) balls each No. 8903 Thunder **CA** and No. 8909 Blackberry **CB**.

Crochet Hook: 8mm [US L-11].

Yarn needle; two 1" buttons; sewing needle and thread.

GAUGE: 10 sts = 4"; 6 rows = 4" in dc. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

To Fit Bust: 30-32 (34-36, 38-40, 42-44)".

Finished Bust Measurement: 34 1/2 (39, 44, 48 3/4)".

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS:

V-st = (dc, ch 1, dc) all in same st.

dc2tog (dc3tog): [yo and draw up a lp in next st or sp, yo and draw through 2 lps] 2 (3) times, yo and draw through all 3 (4) lps on hook - 1 (2) sts decreased.

NOTE: Vest is made in one piece to armholes, working **CA** section with **CA** and **CB** section with **CB**. Change color by working off last 2 lps of last dc at center back with next color to be used. Do not cut yarns but carry up work on wrong side.

INSTRUCTIONS:

With **CA**, ch 39 (45, 51, 57), join **CB** and ch 43 (49, 55, 61); turn. This will appear as 40 (46, 52, 58) **CA** ch and 42 (48, 54, 60) **CB** ch.

Row 1 (Right Side): With **CB**, dc in 3rd ch from hook, dc in 39 (45, 51, 57) **CB** ch, with **CA**, dc in next 39 (45, 51, 57) **CA** ch, 2 dc in last ch; turn - 82 (94, 106, 118) sts.

Row 2: With **CA**, ch 3, dc in first 2 dc, [skip next dc, V-st in next dc, skip next dc] 13 (15, 17, 19) times changing to **CB** in last dc of last V-st, with **CB**, [skip next dc, V-st in next dc, skip next dc] 13 (15, 17, 19) times, dc in next dc, 2 dc in top of ch-3; turn - 84 (96, 108, 120) sts.

Row 3: Changing colors at center back as before, ch 3, dc in first dc, dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to last st; 2 dc in top of ch-3; turn - 86 (98, 110, 122) sts.

Row 4: Ch 3, skip first dc, * skip next dc, V-st in next dc, skip next dc; rep from * to last st; dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 5: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to last st; dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Rep Rows 4 and 5 for pat 5 (5, 6, 6) more times, then rep Row 4 once more.

Shape Front Slope/Divide for Fronts and Back-LEFT FRONT: Row 1 (Right Side): Keeping conti-

nity of color change, ch 3, skip first dc, dc3tog over next 3 sts (3 sts = the dc, ch 1, dc of V-st), dc in next 78 (90, 102, 114) sts, dc3tog over next V-st, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in next st, [skip next dc, V-st in next dc, skip next dc] 5 (6, 7, 8) times, dc in next dc; turn - 18 (21, 24, 27) sts.

Row 3: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to last 3 sts; dc2tog, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 4: Ch 3, skip first dc and dc2tog, V-st in next dc, work in pat to end; turn.

Row 5: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to last 4 sts; dc2tog over first dc of V-st and next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc, skip last ch-3; turn.

Row 6: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in next st, work in pat across; turn.

Rep Rows 3-6 twice more, then Rows 3 and 4 0 (0, 1, 1) more time - 9 (12, 14, 17) sts for shoulder. Fasten off.

BACK: Keeping continuity of color change, with wrong side facing, skip next 4 dc of last long row, join **CA** in next dc; ch 3, [skip next dc, V-st in next dc, skip next dc] 12 (14, 16, 18) times, dc in next dc; turn. Work even in pat on these 38 (44, 50, 56) sts until 1 row less than Front to shoulder, end wrong side row.

Divide for Neck and Shoulders: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in next 8 (11, 13, 16) sts. Fasten off.

With right side facing, skip center 20 (20, 22, 24) sts, attach **CA** in next st; ch 3, dc in each st to end. Fasten off.


RIGHT FRONT: With wrong side facing, skip next 4 dc of last long row, join **CB** in next dc; ch 3, work same as Left Front reversing shapings.

FINISHING-Edging: Sew shoulder seams. Working **CA** over the **CB** sections and vice versa, join yarn and work 1 rnd sc around each armhole and around entire outer edge, taking care to keep work flat; join with a sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

Sew one button to each front at beg of front slope shaping. **Button Loop Piece:** With **CA**, ch 7, (sc, ch 6, sl st) all in 7th ch from hook. Fasten off leaving a 10" length. Wrap long end 3 times around center of Button loop piece, leaving chain loops free; secure ends. Wrap Button loop piece around each button at front.



MODA DEA® "Tweedle Dee"™, Art R151 (3.52 ounce/155 yard ball).

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = beginning; **CA, CB, CC** = color A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **lp** = loop; **mm** = millimeters; **pat** = pattern; **rep** = repeat; **sc** = single crochet; **sl** = slip; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **tog** = together; **yo** = yarn over; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated;  = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.



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