# 26-18 Beret & Vest

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- Pierrot Yarns Hana Hana Cotton [100% cotton; 85 yds/78m per 3.53 oz./100g cone]; color #68
  - beret: 2 cones [150g]
  - vest: 4 cones [310g]
- 6.0mm (US J) crochet hook or size necessary to achieve gauge
- vest only: 4 buttons (21mm/0.83" diameter)

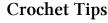
#### Gauge

Gauge measured in a swatch 10cm/4" square.

- beret pattern stitch: 10.5 sts and 6 rows
- vest pattern stitch: 12 sts and 4.5 rows



- head circumference 49cm/19.29"
- bust 84cm/33.07"
- cross back width 32cm/12.60"
- length 52cm/20.47"



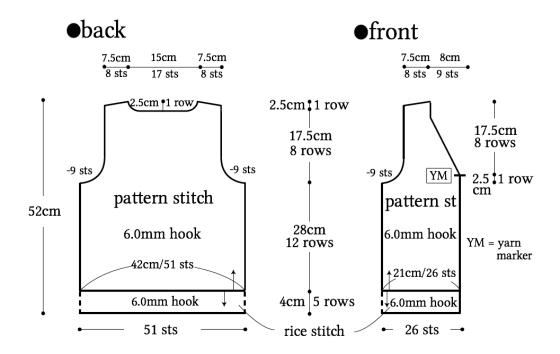
**Body of vest**: Chain to cast on and begin crocheting in pattern stitch according to schematics. Use scrap yarn to mark tip of front neckline.

**Vest finishing**: Join shoulders and sides with slip/chain seam (see page 3). Work 5 rows of rice stitch edging at front and back hem. Work 1 row of rice stitch at armholes and neckline. Work 3 rows of edging for front plackets, working buttonholes into right front. (In general, try crocheting base of double crochet stitches loosely.)

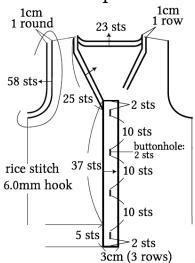
**Beret**: Chain to cast on and join into ring. Working into both top loop and bottom loop of chain, begin crocheting in pattern stitch. Thread yarn through 5 stitches of last round and cinch shut tightly. Work edging, increasing evenly across first round.



#### Vest



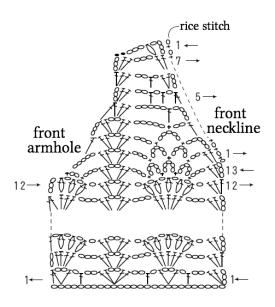
### •neckline/placket/arms

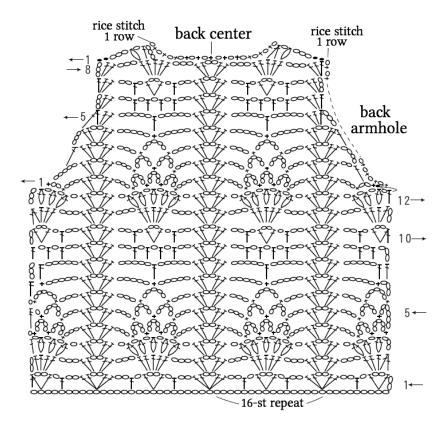


### •buttonholes (R front)

**slip/chain seam**: essentially a slip stitch seam with chain stitches interspersed between slip stitches. Sl st through one stitch in each layer. \*ch2, sl st in top of next row\*, continue from \* to \* until end.

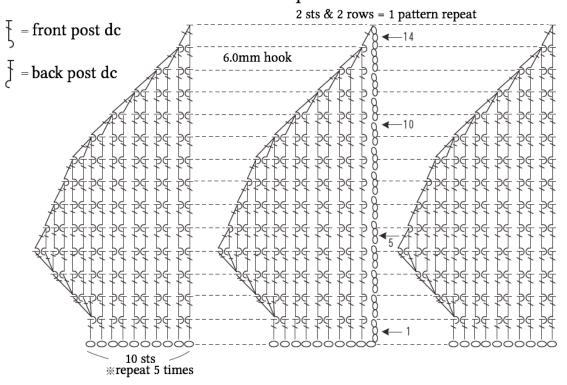




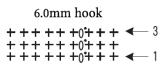


### Beret

#### •pattern stitch



## $\bullet$ edging



pull yarn through last 5 sts; cinch shut

