



## Milky Way Vest

No. 1006-194-3567

**Sizes:** S, M, L, XL, XXL.

**Skill Level:** Intermediate

**Crochet Hook:** 6 mm (US size J)

**Materials:** Stitch markers

**Yarn:** Starlight in color **Blue-Grey (15)**

**How much yarn do you need?**

**S** - 10 skeins

**M** - 11 skeins

**L** - 12 skeins

**XL** - 13 skeins

**XXL** - 14 skeins

**Abbreviations used in this pattern:**

**Ch** - chain

**Sc** - single crochet

**Sc Flo** - single crochet in front loop

**Sl st** - slip stitch

**St(s)** - stitch (es)

**Dec** – decrease (sc2tog – 2 single crochet worked together)

**Gauge:**

11 sc flo = 10 cm. 10 rows = 10 cm.

Buy your yarn here:

<http://shop.hobbii.com/milky-way-vest>

You can find video tutorials of techniques used in this pattern here:

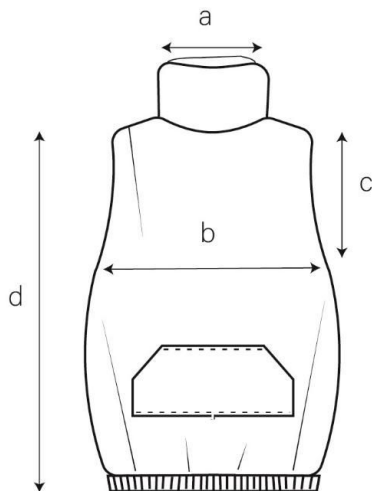
Dec: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p1MHHdZfSvY&t=18s>

### Pattern notes:

- The ch 1 at the beginning of each round doesn't count as a first sc.
- The vest is worked bottom up and we will work to the armpit in circular rounds, both front and back panel.

## Final Measurements

Final measurements of the vest are listed below. The pattern is available in 5 sizes from S to XXL and is written in US terms.



**Neck Line a:** 22 cm (22, 22, 24, 24)

**Bust Width b:** 59 cm (64, 69, 74, 79)

**Armhole Depth c:** 20 cm (21, 24, 25, 26)

**Length d:** 54 cm (55, 58, 59, 60)

## Pattern

Foundation chain:

- **S** – 130 sts
- **M** – 140 sts
- **L** – 152 sts
- **XL** - 160 sts
- **XXL** – 172 sts

Join with a sl st the ends of the chain to make a circle.

### Round 1

Ch 1, 1 sc in the same st, 1 sc in each st around. Join with a sl st. Ch 1 and turn.

### Round 2

1 sc flo in 1<sup>st</sup> st, 1 sc flo in each st around. Join with a sl st, ch 1 and turn.

Repeat round 2 until you have the desired length to the armpit or you have in total 28 rounds.



Next we will start to work the front and back side separately. Place your work to have the joining line on one side, then mark the front panel sts (half of the total number of sts).

## Front side

### Row 1

1 dec, continue with 1 sc flo in each st until you have 2 sts left. Finish the row with 1 dec in the last 2 sts.

Repeat round 1 until you have in total:

**S** – 10 rows

**M** – 10 rows

**L** – 12 rows

**XL** – 14 rows

**XXL** – 16 rows

Next, continue without decreasing, working 1 sc flo in each st across for:

**S** - 8 more rows

**M** - 9 more rows

**L** - 10 more rows

**XL** - 12 more rows

**XXL** - 14 more rows

Next, we will mark the neck line:

**S** - 24 sts

**M** - 24 sts

**L** - 24 sts

**XL** - 26 sts

**XXL** - 26 sts

To finish the front panel, work 2 more rounds in the remaining sts of the shoulder area.

## Back Panel

For the back panel you have to follow the same pattern as for the front panel, only that the last 2 rows will be worked in all the sts, not just the shoulders sts.

After finishing both panels, sew the sts in the shoulder area and join the back and front. Next we will add a ribbed band at the hem of the vest.

## Ribbed Band

Insert yarn in one side of the vest, Ch 11, 1 sl st in each of the 10 sts until you get to the hem, join with 2 sl st in the next 2 sts of the hem. Turn.

1 sl st in the back loops only to the end of the row. Ch 1 and turn.

1 sl st in the back loops only to the hem and join with 2 sl sts in next 2 sts of the hem.

Continue like this until you complete all sts around the vest's hem.



## Pocket

### Row 1

Ch 21, starting with 2<sup>nd</sup> put 1 sc in each st, ch 1, and turn.

### Row 2

2 sc flo in first st, 1 sc flo in each st until you reach the last one, 2 sc flo in the last st. Ch 1 and turn.

### Rows 3 – 10

Repeat row 2.

### Rows 11 – 20

1 sc flo in each st. Fasten off.

## Collar

### Round 1

Insert yarn in the middle of the neckline on the back side, ch 1, 1 sc flo in each st around, join with a sl st to 1<sup>st</sup> sc, ch 1 and turn. Repeat round 1 until you reach the desired height or until you have in total 10 rounds. Fasten off.

**To finish** sew the pocket and weave in all ends.

**Enjoy!**

