

**VINNIS COLOURS**  
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for VINNIS COLOURS  
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UK terminology used

**Pattern difficulty:**  
Easy

**Pattern sizes:**  
s/8/32; (m/10/34; l/12/36; xl/14/38;  
xxl/16/40)

**Measurements:**  
To fit bust:  
77-82cm, (82-92cm, 92-97cm,  
97-107cm, 107-117cm)

**All round measurements:**  
Bust:  
82cm, (90cm, 102cm, 112cm,  
126cm)  
Length to shoulder:  
55cm, (55cm, 60cm, 65cm, 70cm)  
Sleeve length:  
3.5cm, (3.5cm, 3.5cm, 3.5cm,  
3.5cm)

**Materials:**  
Vinnis Colours Bambi:  
8, (8, 9, 10, 11) balls of 88m/50g,  
DK in Dark Aluminium (827)  
Hook: 4.50mm  
Buttons: 1x20mm  
Tapestry needle  
Scissors

**Tension:**  
12sts x 7.5 rows = 10x10cm using  
a 4.50mm crochet hook and  
working in pattern as set.

**Abbreviations:**  
beg - begin  
ch - chain  
chsp - chain space  
col - colour  
cont - continue  
sk - skip  
slst - slip stitch  
st(s) - stitches  
tr - treble crochet  
rep - repeat  
RS - right side

**Pattern notes:**  
3ch replace the first tr of a row. 1ch  
at the beginning of a row does not  
replace the first dc.  
Note on the yoke: When doing  
rows with 0 increases in brackets  
for the size being made, DO NOT  
MAKE ANY INCREASES. Work 1tr

in each tr across.  
The gilet is worked from the top  
down.

## To make:

Carefully read the pattern notes  
before starting.  
With a 4.50mm hook and col 827  
make 84 (87, 87, 99, 105) ch.  
IMPORTANT NOTE: DO NOT  
MAKE ANY INCREASES ON THE  
FIRST AND LAST 5 TREBLES OF  
EACH ROW (THE FRONT BANDS)

**Row 1:** Insert hook in 4th ch from  
hook and work 1tr in each ch, turn  
= 82 (85, 85, 97, 103) tr.

**Row 2:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next  
3 (2, 2, 2, 2) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last  
5 tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 100 (110,  
110, 126, 134) tr

**Row 3:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 4  
(4, 0, 3, 3) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 118 (130,  
110, 155, 165) tr

**Row 4:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 0  
(0, 3, 0, 0) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 118 (130,  
135, 155, 165) tr

**Row 5:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 5  
(5, 4, 0, 0) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 136 (150,  
160, 155, 165) tr

**Row 6:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 6  
(6, 0, 4, 4) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 154 (170,  
160, 184, 196) tr

**Row 7:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 0  
(0, 0, 5, 5) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 154 (170,  
160, 213, 227) tr

**Row 8:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 7  
(7, 5, 0, 0) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 172 (190,  
185, 213, 227) tr

**Row 9:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 0  
(0, 0, 6, 6) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 172 (190,  
185, 242, 227) tr

**Row 10:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr in  
next 4 tr, \*2tr in next tr, 1tr in next 0  
(0, 6, 0, 7) tr\*, rep from \*-\* to last 5  
tr, 1tr in each tr, turn, = 172 (190,  
210, 242, 258) tr

**Row 11:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr) 1tr  
in each tr to end, turn = 172 (190,

210, 242, 258) tr

To shape armholes and divide for  
front and back:

**Row 12:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr), 1tr in  
next 22 (30, 32, 37, 41)tr, ch4 (4, 4,  
4, 5), sk next 37 (38, 45, 45, 45) tr,  
1tr in next 52 (52, 54, 76, 84) tr, ch4  
(4, 4, 4, 5), sk next 37 (38, 45, 45,  
45)tr, 1tr in last 23 (31, 33, 38, 42)  
tr, turn = 106 (122, 128, 160, 178)  
sts

**Row 13:** Ch3 (counts as 1tr), 1tr in  
each tr and ch across row, AT THE  
SAME TIME inc 1 (0, 4, 2, 4) sts  
evenly across the row, turn = 107  
(122, 132, 162, 182) tr.

**Row 14:** Ch3 (counts as tr), \*(4tr,  
ch2, 1tr) in next tr, sk 4 tr\*, rep from  
\*-\* to last tr, 1tr in last tr, turn.

**Row 15:** Ch3 (counts as tr), \*(4tr,  
ch2, 1tr) in next 2chsp\*, rep from  
\*-\* to last tr, 1tr in last tr, turn.

Rep prev row until piece measures 55  
(55, 60, 65, 70) cm. Work additional  
rows if a longer length is required.  
Fasten off.

## Edging:

**Row 1:** With a 4.50mm hook and  
RS and bottom front facing, work  
1 round of equally spaced dc's up  
the right front band, make 6ch just  
before the neck edge (buttonhole  
made) around the neck and down  
the second front band. Fasten off.

## Sleeves:

With RS facing, insert hook under  
the arm midway on the ch. Work 3  
rounds of tr and close each round  
with a slst and turn. Finish off with  
one round of dc.

## To Make Up:

Weave in all loose ends. Sew button in  
place. Block garment to measurement,  
cover with a damp cloth (or spray with  
water) and allow to dry.