



## Special Stitches

**Back-twisted Tunisian simple st (Bts):** Using hook to move front vertical bar to the right (this is what creates the twist), insert hook under back vertical bars and draw up lp.

**Left-cross 2x2 Cable:** Loosely work 2 Tks with extra hook and hold at front of work; on main body of work, loosely work 2 Tks, slide lps on extra hook to back end (away from hook), move sts to main hook one at a time.

**Left-cross 2x1 Cable:** Loosely work 2 Tks with extra hook and hold at front of work; loosely work Tps, slide lps on extra hook to end, move sts to main hook.

**Right-cross 2x2 Cable:** Loosely work 2 Tks with extra hook and hold at back of work; on main body loosely work 2 Tks, slide lps on extra hook to end, move sts to main hook.

**Right-cross 2x1 Cable:** Loosely work 1 Tps with extra hook and hold at back of work; on main

body loosely work 2 Tks, slide lp on extra hook to end, move sts to main hook.

**Drop-down Increase (d-inc):** Insert hook in front vertical bar and draw through lp; insert hook in front vertical bar of st immediately below, draw through lp and raise to height of other lps; treat each lp as a st on the return pass.

**Diamond Cable st patt (worked over 14 sts)**  
Refer to Diagram A

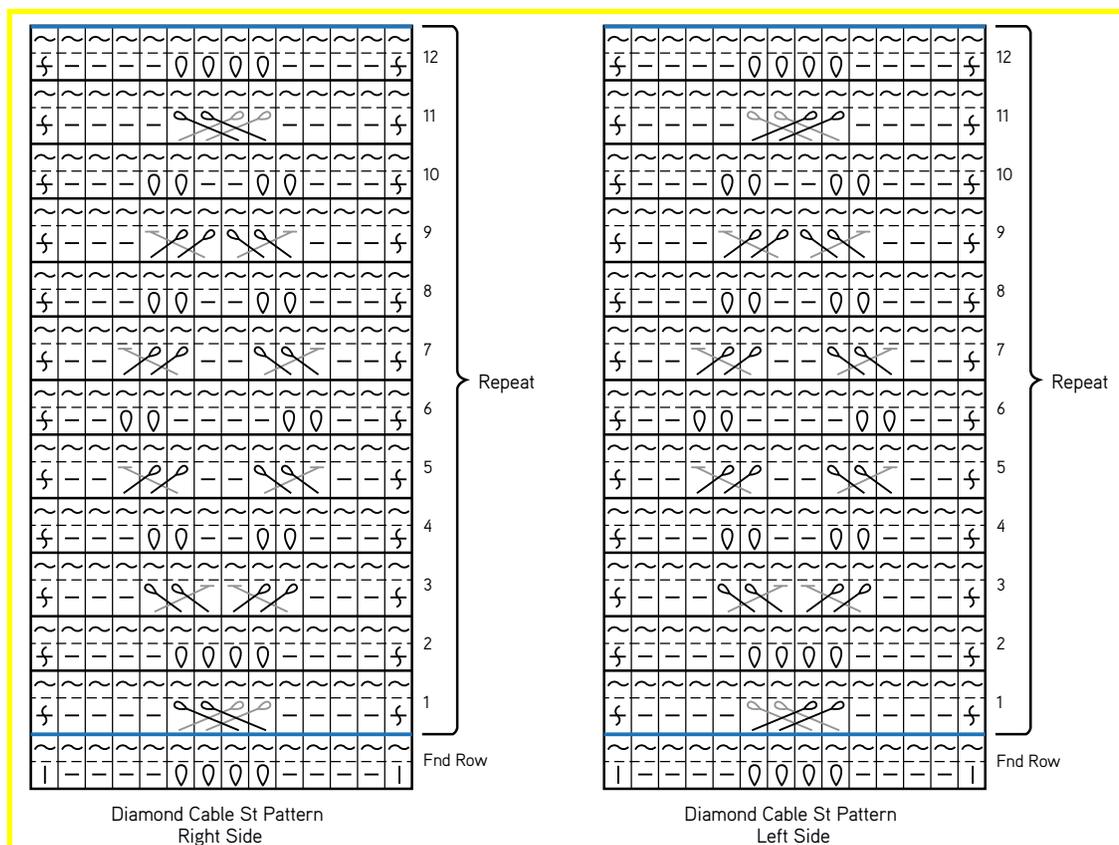
The left-cross 2x2 cable is used in Row 1 on the right side of the vest. The right-cross 2x2 cable is used in Row 1 on the left side of the vest.

**Set-up Row:** Tss, work 4 Tps, work 4 Tks, work 4 Tps, Tss.

**Row 1:** Bts, work 4 Tps, left-cross 2x2, (right-cross 2x2 for left panel), work 4 Tps, Bts.

**Row 2:** Bts, work 4 Tps, work 4 Tks, work 4 Tps, Bts.

Diagram A



**Row 3:** Bts, work 3 Tps, right-cross 2x1, left-cross 2x1, work 3 Tps, Bts.

**Row 4:** Bts, work 3 Tps, work 2 Tks, Tps 2, work 2 Tks, work 3 Tps, Bts.

**Row 5:** Bts, work 2 Tps, right-cross 2x1, work 2 Tps 2, left-cross 2x1, work 2 Tps, Bts.

**Row 6:** Bts, work 2 Tps, work 2 Tks, work 4 Tps, work 2 Tks, work 2 Tps, Bts.

**Row 7:** Bts, work 2 Tps, left-cross 2x1, work 2 Tps, right-cross 2x1, work 2 Tps, Bts.

**Row 8:** Bts, work 3 Tps, work 2 Tks, work 2 Tps, work 2 Tks, work 3 Tps, Bts.

**Row 9:** Bts, work 3 Tps, left-cross 2x1, right-cross 2x1, work 3 Tps, Bts.

**Row 10:** Bts, work 4 Tps, work 4 Tks, work 4 Tps, Bts.

**Row 11:** Bts, work 4 Tps, left-cross 2x2, (right cross 2x2 for left panel), work 4 Tps, Bts.

**Row 12:** Bts, work 4 Tps, work 4 Tks, work 4 Tps, Bts.

Rep Rows 1–12 for patt.

### Twill Weave st patt (multiple of 3 sts)

Refer to Diagram B

**Row 1:** \*Work 2 Tks, Tss; rep from \* across.

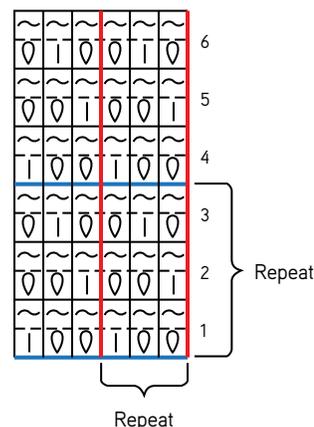
**Row 2:** \*Tss, work 2 Tks; rep from \* across.

**Row 3:** \*Tks, Tss, Tks; rep from \* across.

Rep Rows 1–3 for patt. If you are working across a group of sts that isn't a multiple of 3, ignore the last 1 or 2 missing sts.

### Diagram B

Twill Weave  
Stitch Pattern



## FRONT

### Body

Ch 68 (76, 84, 92, 100).

**FOUNDATION ROW:** Working in bottom bump, draw up lp in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across—68 (76, 84, 92, 100) sts.

**SET-UP ROW:** Work 5 (8, 11, 14, 17) Tss, work set-up row of Diamond Cable st patt (see Special Stitches), work 28 (30, 32, 34, 36) Tss, work set-up row of Diamond Cable st patt, work 5 (8, 11, 14, 17) Tss, draw up lp in last bar.

**ROW 1:** Work 5 (8, 11, 14, 17) Tss, work Row 1 of Diamond Cable st patt, Left Side, work 28 (30, 32, 34, 36) Tss, work set-up row of Diamond Cable st patt, Right Side, work 5 (8, 11, 14, 17) Tss, draw up lp in last bar.

**ROWS 2–46 (48, 49, 49, 51):** Cont in est patt, working Tss over right, center, and left panels and starting with Row 2 of patt, work the 10 rows

