

## Appendix 540

### CHARTING RULES

- ☉ Charts show all stitches as they appear when looked at from the public side of the piece, the side that would show if you were wearing a sweater.
- ☉ Each row of the chart represents one row of knitting. Each knitting symbol represents a single “knitting operation,” which might be a knit, a purl, a decrease, an increase, a cable, or a twist.
- ☉ Row numbers are placed next to the first stitch worked in the row, for both public-side and private-side rows.
- ☉ We read public-side chart rows from right to left, which is the way we also work the stitches.
- ☉ Private-side rows can be read right to left if we turn the chart upside-down. Otherwise, we read private-side rows from left to right.
- ☉ The chart shows row one at the bottom, with successive rows above the previous ones, exactly in the order we would actually work them.
- ☉ A symbol key will show what knitting operation each symbol means on both public- and private-side rows.
- ☉ Foundation rows are only worked once, at the very beginning of the piece.