



**Lion Brand® Chenille Thick & Quick®
Midnight Elegance Fabulous Fur-Look Jacket**
Pattern Number: 868



Luxuriate in the velvety texture and elegance of this rib-knit open front-jacket of Chenille Thick & Quick

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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

SIZE: Small, Medium, Large

Finished chest measurements: 44 (48, 54) in.

Note: Pattern is written for smallest size with changes for larger sizes in parentheses. When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. To follow pattern more easily, circle all numbers pertaining to your size before beginning.

CORRECTIONS: None

MATERIALS

- 950-153 Chenille Thick & Quick®: Black
7 (9, 10) Skeins
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles - Size 10.5 [6.5 mm]
- Additional Materials
Hooks and eyes to fasten (optional)

GAUGE:

8 sts + 14 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in 3x2 rib. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION:

PATTERN STITCH

3x2 Rib Pattern

Row 1 (WS) K first st for garter selvedge, *p 3, k 2; repeat from * across, ending with p 3, k last st for garter selvedge.

Row 2 (RS) K first st for garter selvedge, *k 3, p 2; repeat from * across, ending with k 3, k last st for garter selvedge.

Repeat Rows 1 & 2 for 3x2 rib pattern.

STITCH EXPLANATION

ssk (slip, slip, knit) Slip the next 2 sts as if to knit, one at a time, from the tip of the left needle to the tip of the right needle; then insert the left needle into the fronts of these 2 sts from the left and knit them tog from this position (= 1 dec).

NOTES:

Always keep 1 st at each end in garter st as selvedge to aid seaming.

JACKET

BACK

Cast on 45 (50, 55) sts. Work in 3x2 rib pattern until piece measures 16 1/2 in. from beg, ending with a WS row.

Note Make sure piece measures 22 (24, 27) in. wide without selvedges.

Shape Armholes

Keeping to pattern, bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 41 (46, 51) sts.

Next Row (RS) K 1, ssk, work in pattern to within last 3 sts, k2tog, k last st – 39 (44, 49) sts.

Next Row (WS) K 1, work in pattern to within last st, k 1. Repeat last 2 rows 2 (3, 5) more times – 35 (38, 39) sts. Work even in pattern, cont garter st selvedges, until armholes measure 8 1/4 (9 1/2, 10 3/4) in.. **Note** Make sure piece measures 17 (18, 19) in. wide without selvedges. Bind off all sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 28 (29, 33) sts. Work in 3x2 rib pattern but end only with k 1 (2, 1) and k garter st selvedge on WS; beg only k garter st selvedge and k 1 (2, 1) on RS. Work until piece measures 16 1/2 in. from beg, ending with a RS row. **Note** Make sure piece measures 13 (13 1/2, 15 1/2) in. wide.

Shape Armhole

Keeping to pattern, work as for Back armhole shaping at side edge only. Work even on 23 (23, 25) sts until piece measures 21 3/4 (23, 24 1/4) in. from beg, ending with a WS row. **Note** Armhole should measure 5 1/4 (6 1/2, 7 3/4) in.. Make sure piece measures 10 (10 1/2, 11 1/2) in. wide without selvages.

Shape Neck

Bind off 7 (7, 9) sts at beg of next row from center edge – 16 sts. Work even in pattern for 1 row.

Next Row Bind off 2 sts at neck edge – 14 sts.

Next Row (WS) Work even in pattern.

Next Row (RS) K 1, ssk, work in pattern to end – 13 sts. Repeat last 2 rows 2 more times – 11 sts rem. Work even in pattern until Right Front measures same as Back. Bind off all sts.

LEFT FRONT

Work same as Right Front, rev shaping and st pattern placement. At neck edge, bind off on WS rows and dec on RS row as foll: Work in pattern to within last 3 sts, k2tog, k last st.

SLEEVES

Cast on 19 (20, 25) sts. Work in 3x2 rib pattern as given for Medium & Large sizes; but for **Size Small only** beg and end with k 2 after first and before last garter selvedge on RS; beg and end with p 2 after first and before last garter selvedge on WS.

All Sizes

Work in est pattern, inc 1 st at each end after first and before last selvedge sts on the 6th (6th, 4th) row, then every 4th row 0 (0, 5) times, then every 6th row 2 (9, 4) times, then every 8th row 5(0-0) times. Work even on 35 (40, 45) sts until piece measures 18 (18, 17) in. from beg, ending with a WS row.

Shape Cap Keeping to pattern, bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows – 31 (36, 41) sts.

Next Row (RS) K 1, ssk, work in pattern to within last 3 sts, k2tog, k last st – 29 (34, 39) sts.

Next Row Work in pattern. Repeat last 2 rows 2 (3, 5) more times. Bind off rem 25 (28, 29) sts.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams leaving center 7 1/2 (8, 8 1/2) in. of Back neck free. Set in Sleeves. Sew side and Sleeve seams.

Collar

With RS facing, pick up and k 12 (14, 16) sts evenly spaced around Right Front neck, k 16 (17, 18) sts across Back neck, 12 (14, 16) sts around Left Front neck – 40 (45, 50) sts. Work in 3x2 rib pattern until piece measures 4 in.. Bind off.

Optional Sew hook and eyes to close. Or wear open.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u>
<u>cont = continu(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u>
<u>est = establish(ed)</u>	<u>foll = follow(s)(ing)</u>
<u>inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>k = knit</u>
<u>k2tog = knit 2 together</u>	<u>p = purl</u>
<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>	<u>rev = revers(e)(ing)</u>
<u>RS = right side</u>	<u>sl = slip</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	<u>tog = together</u>
<u>WS = wrong side</u>	

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**Chenille Thick and Quick ® (Article #950) is a super bulky weight yarn of 91% acrylic, 9% rayon. Solids: 100 yd/90m skeins; Prints: 75 yd/68m skeins*

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