



**WOOLSPUN
TURTLENECK**



LION BRAND WOOLSPUN TURTLENECK

Item # 972A

SIZES:

Directions are for sizes X-Small
(Small, Medium, Large, X-Large).
Finished chest: 36 (40, 44, 48, 52)".
Finished Length: 24 (25, 25, 26, 26)".

MATERIALS:

- LION BRAND Woolspun Thick & Thin, Art. #370 (100 yard skeins): 5 (5, 6, 6, 7) skeins #149 Slate or color of your choice.
- One pair straight knitting needles size 13 U.S. (00 U.K.) (9.00 mm) OR SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE.

GAUGE:

8 sts and 12 rows = 4" in St st on size 13 needles. TO INSURE PROPER SIZE, BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

PATTERN STITCH:

K 2, p 2 rib (multiple of 4 sts plus 2):

Row 1 (RS): *K 2, p 2, rep from * to last 2 sts, k 2. **Row 2:** *P 2, k 2, rep from * to last 2 sts, p 2. Rep Rows 1 and 2 for k 2, p 2 rib.

BACK:

Cast on 38 (42, 46, 50, 54) sts. Work in k 2, p 2 rib for 5 (5, 6, 6, 6)". Work in St st until piece measures 15 (16, 15, 16, 15)" from beg, ending with a WS row. **Shape armholes:** Bind off 2 (2, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st each end of next 2 RS rows — 30 (34, 36, 40, 44) sts. Work even until piece measures 24 (25, 25, 26, 26)" from beg. Bind off.

FRONT:

Work same as Back until piece measures 21 (22, 22, 23, 23)" from beg, ending with a WS row — 30 (34, 36, 40, 44) sts. **Shape neck: Next Row (RS):** K 11 (13, 13, 15, 16)

sts, join another ball of yarn and bind off center 8 (8, 10, 10, 12) sts, k to end of row. Working both sides at the same time with separate balls of yarn, dec 1 st at each neck edge on next 3 RS rows. Work 2 rows even. Bind off rem 8 (10, 10, 12, 13) sts each side.

SLEEVES:

Cast on 18 (18, 22, 22, 22) sts. Work in k 2, p 2 rib for 5 (5, 6, 6, 6)". Work in St st; AT THE SAME TIME, inc 1 st each end of next RS row and every 4th row 9 (9, 9, 9, 10) times — 38 (38, 42, 42, 44) sts. Work even until piece measures 17 (17, 18, 18, 18)" from beg or desired length to underarm. **Shape cap:** Bind off 2 (2, 3, 3, 3) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st each end of next 2 RS rows. Work 1 row even. Bind rem 30 (30, 32, 32, 34) sts.

FINISHING:

Sew right shoulder seam.

TURTLENECK:

With RS facing, pick up and k 42 (42, 46, 46, 50) sts around neck edge. Work in k 2, p 2 rib for 7 (7, 8, 8, 8)" or desired length for turtleneck. Bind off very loosely (or use knitting needle several sizes larger). Sew left shoulder/neckband seam, reversing seam for fold back collar. Sew Sleeves to sweater body matching underarm shaping. Sew side and Sleeve seams. Weave in ends. Turn down collar.

ABBREVIATIONS:

beg = begin(ning)	rep = repeat
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	RS = right side
inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)	st(s) = stitch (es)
k = knit	St st = stockinette
p = purl	stitch
rem = remain(s)(ing)	WS = wrong side

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