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Item #1164A

SIZE:

Small/Medium (Large/1X, 2X/3X).

Width (sleeve edge to sleeve edge): 57 (59, 61)". Length: 23 (24, 25)".

MATERIALS:

- LION BRAND Wool-Ease Thick & Quick Art. No. 640 (6 oz balls): 11 (11, 12) balls #402 Wheat or color of your choice
- Size 13 U.S. (00 U.K.) (9.00 mm) circular needle, 29" long OR SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- Size 13 circular needle, 16" long
- Size K-10¹/₂ U.S.(3 U.K.) (6.50 mm) crochet hook

GAUGE:

9 sts = $4^{1/4}$ " wide and 14 rows = $4^{1/2}$ " long over St st (k on RS, p on WS). TO INSURE PROPER SIZE, BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES:

- Poncho is worked from side to side, sleeve edge to sleeve edge.
- Due to large number of sts, piece is worked back and forth in rows on circular needle.

BODY:

With 29" circular needle, cast on 98 (102, 106) sts. Do not join. Working back and forth in rows, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) for 24 (25, 26)", end with a WS row. **Neck Opening: Next row (RS)** K 49 (51, 53) sts (back); join second ball of yarn, dec 1 st, k to end (front). Working both sides at same time, work 1 row even. Rep neck dec for front on next 2 RS rows. – 46 (48, 50) sts for front;

49 (51, 53) sts for back. Work even until neck opening measures 71/2", end with a WS row. **Next row (RS):** K 49 (51, 53) sts (back); k into back and front of next st (inc 1 st), k to end (front). Rep inc on next 2 RS rows – 49 (51, 53) sts for front and back. **Next row (WS):** P all 98 (102, 106) sts with one ball of yarn, joining front and back. Work even until piece measures 24 (25, 26)" from end of neck opening – piece measures approx 57 (59, 61)" from beg. Bind off all sts.

FINISHING:

Turtleneck: With RS facing and 16" circular needle, pick up 60 sts evenly around neck opening. Join and work in rounds of k2, p2 rib for 4". Bind off all sts loosely in rib. With RS facing and crochet hook, work 1 row sc and 1 row reverse sc (working from left to right) around entire piece.

ABBREVIATIONS:

approx = approximately

beg = begin(ning)

dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)

inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)

k = knit

p = purl

rep = repeat(ing)

RS = right side

sc = single crochet

St st = stockinette st

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side

Every effort has been made to have instructions accurate and complete. We cannot be responsible for variance of individual knitters, human errors, or typographical mistakes.

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