



LION BRAND® COLOR WAVES Knitted Poncho



Skill Level: Easy

SIZE

One size

Finished measurements:

Width 40"

Length 25"

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND Color Waves
 - 7 skeins #307 Caribbean Blue or color of your choice
- Size 10 (6 mm) 16" and 24" circular needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- LION BRAND size 11 (8 mm) knitting needles for bind off
- Stitch marker
- Large-eyed, blunt needle

GAUGE

12 sts + 20 rows = 4" (10 cm) in St st (k on right side, p on wrong side).

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATIONS

ssk (slip, slip, knit) Slip next 2 sts as if to knit, one at a time, to right needle; insert left needle into fronts of these 2 sts and k them tog.

BACK

With longer needle, cast on 120 sts. Work even in Garter st (k every row) for 5" (50 rows = 25 ridges).

Next Row Work 15 Garter sts, 90 sts St st, 15 Garter sts.

Repeat last row until piece measures 16" from beg.

Shape Shoulders

Garter trim dec Ssk, work remaining Garter sts, work 90 St sts, work until 2 Garter sts remain, k2tog. Work Garter trim dec row every other row a total of 15 times – 90 St sts remain.

St st dec Row 1 (RS) K 2 sts, ssk, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k 2.

St st dec Row 2 P 2 sts, p2tog, p to last 4 sts, p2tog, p2.

Repeat St st dec rows until 46 sts remain.

Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 6 rows. Bind off remaining 28 neck sts.

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FRONT

Work same as Back until 64 sts remain on needle, ending with a RS row.

Neck Shaping

Divide for shoulders P 2, p2tog, p 18, bind off center 20 sts, p to last 4 sts, p2tog, p 2.

Left Shoulder

Row 1 (RS) K 2, ssk, k 13, k2tog, k 2.

Row 2 P to last 4 sts, p2tog, p 2.

Row 3 K 2, ssk, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k 2.

Rows 4-7 Repeat Rows 2-3 twice.

Row 8 P to last 4 sts, p2tog, p 2.

Row 9 Bind off 3 sts, k to end of row.

Row 10 Purl.

Rows 11-12 Repeat Rows 9-10.

Row 13 Bind off remaining 3 sts.

Right Shoulder

With RS facing, join yarn to neck edge.

Row 1 (RS) K 2, ssk, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k 2.

Row 2 P 2, p2tog, p to end of row.

Row 3-6 Repeat Rows 1-2 twice.

Row 7 Repeat Row 1.

Row 8 Bind off 3 sts, p to last 4 sts, p2tog, p 2.

Row 9 Knit.

Row 10 Bind off 3 sts, p to end of row.

Row 11 Knit.

Row 12 Bind off remaining 3 sts.

FINISHING

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Sew shoulder seams.

With RS facing and shorter needle, beg at left shoulder seam, pick up and knit 60 sts evenly around neck. Place marker and join. Work in rounds for 3/4" in Garter St (p 1 round, k 1 round). Bind off all sts loosely using larger needle.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)	st(s) = stitch(es)
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	St st = stockinette stitch
k = knit	tog = together
p = purl	WS = wrong side
RS = right side	

Color Waves (Article #940) is packaged in 3 oz/125 yd skein

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

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