



**Lion Brand® Jiffy®
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A pretty hip-length open-front vest with a single button closure that's flattering and simple to make.

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: XS, Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X

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

- 450-360 Lion Brand Jiffy: Midnight Blues (discontinued)
 5 (5,6,6,6,6,7) Skeins
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size J-10
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Lion Brand Stitch Markers
- Additional Materials
 One 1-inch (25 mm) button

GAUGE:

12 sts + 6 rows = 4 in (10 cm) in double crochet. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

BACK

Ch 55 (61, 67, 73, 79, 85, 89). Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – 54 (60, 66, 72, 78, 84, 88) sc. Ch 1, turn; sc in each sc for 2 rows more. Ch 3, turn; dc in each st across. Rep last row until piece meas 14 (14, 14, 13 1/2, 13 1/2, 13, 13) inches from beg.

Armhole shaping

Slip st across first 3 (3, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5) sts, ch 3, dc to last 3 (3, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5) sts.

Dec row Ch 3, turn. Dec 1 st at each edge. Repeat dec row every row 4 (6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 12) times more – 38 (40, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52) sts. Cont to work even in dc until armhole measures 7 1/2 (8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2) inches.

Shoulder and Back neck shaping

Slip st across first 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 4) sts, ch 3, dc 4 (5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7).

Next row Ch 3, turn; dc 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4). Fasten off. Skip central 26 (26, 28, 28, 30, 30, 30) sts, join yarn in next st. Ch 3, dc 4 (5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7), leaving rem sts unworked, turn. Slip st across first 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 3, 4) sts, ch 3, dc 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4). Fasten off.

LEFT FRONT

Ch 27 (30, 33, 36, 39, 42, 45). Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – 26 (29, 32, 35, 38, 41, 44) sc. Ch 1, turn; sc in each sc for 2 rows more. Ch 3, turn; dc in each st across. Rep last row until piece meas 14 (14, 14, 13 1/2, 13 1/2, 13, 13) inches from beg. Place marker at neck edge.

Armhole and V-neck shaping

Slip st across first 3 (3, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5) sts, dc to last 2 dc, dec 1 st.

Next row Dec 1 st at each edge. Repeat dec at armhole edge every row 4 (6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 12) times more, and dec at neck edge every row 10 (10, 11, 11, 13, 13, 13) times more. Work even until armhole measures 7 1/2 (8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2) inches, ending after a WS row.

Shoulder shaping Slip st across first 2 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 4) sts, dc 4 (5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7). Next row: Ch 3, turn; dc 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4). Fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT

Work to correspond to left front, reversing all shaping.

FINISHING

Sew shoulders together. Sew side seams, leaving 4-inch side slits. With RS facing, join yarn at lower right front opening.

Row 1 Ch 1, sc evenly across to lower left side opening, working 3 sc at base of V-neck and working 2 sts together at shoulder seams.

Row 2 Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across, working buttonhole (ch 1, skip 1 sc, sc to end) on right front opposite marker.

Row 3 Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across, working sc in ch1-space for buttonhole. Work 1 rnd sc evenly around armholes and side slits. Weave in loose ends. Sew on button.

| ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES | |
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| Click for explanation and illustration | |
| <u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u> | <u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u> |
| <u>cont = continu(e)(s)(ing)</u> | <u>dc = double crochet</u> |
| <u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u> | <u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u> |
| <u>rnd(s) = round(s)</u> | <u>sc = single crochet</u> |
| <u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u> | |

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**Jiffy, Article #450 is a light bulky weight yarn, 100% acrylic, that comes in 2.5 oz./70g (115 yd/103m) balls for multi-colors & Heather Blue or 3 oz./85g (135 yd/123m) balls for all other colors*

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