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SKILL LEVEL: Easy +

SIZE

S (M, L, XL)

Finished Chest 22 1/2 (25 1/2, 28 1/2, 31 1/2)" [57 (65, 72.5, 80) cm], to fit bust 32 (36, 40, 44)" [81.5 (91.5, 101.5, 112) cm], worn open

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.

MATERIALS

• LION BRAND Incredible

5 (6, 7, 8) balls #201 Rainbow (MC)

- or color of your choice
- LION BRAND Color Waves

1 skein #309 Blue Lagoon (CC) or color of your choice

• LION BRAND size 10.5 [6.5 mm] 29" [70 cm] circular needle OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

- Size 9 [5.5 mm] 29" [70 cm] circular needle
- LION BRAND stitch holder
- LION BRAND stitch markers
- LION BRAND large-eyed, blunt needle

GAUGE

16 sts + 20 rows = 4" [10 cm] in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with MC on larger needle. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATIONS

M1 (make 1 st) An increase worked by lifting the horizontal thread lying between the needles and placing it onto the left needle. Work this new stitch through the back loop. 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.

BODY

With MC and larger needle, cast on 70 (78, 86, 94) sts. Work 2 rows in St st, beg with a knit row.

Inc Row K 3, M1, k to last 3 sts, M1, k 3.

Repeat Inc Row every RS row 9 (11, 13, 15) more times - 90 (102, 114, 126) sts.

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Divide for Fronts and Back

Purl 77 (87, 97, 107) sts and place on holder. Purl remaining 13 (15, 17, 19) sts for Right Front.

RIGHT FRONT Inc Row (RS) K 3, M1, k to end of row. Shape Armhole Dec Row (WS) Bind off 2 sts, p to end of row. Repeat last 2 rows 0 (0, 1, 1) more time(s) - 12 (14, 15, 17) sts. Purl 1 row. Shaping Row K 3, M1, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k 1. Repeat Shaping Row every RS row 1 (2, 1, 2) more times. Purl 1 row. Inc Row K 3, M1, k to end of row. Repeat Inc Row every 4th row 2 (2, 3, 4) more times - 15 (17, 19, 22) sts. Work even in St st until armhole measures 8 (8 3/4, 9 1/2, 10 1/4)" [20.5 (22, 24, 26) cm]. Bind off.

BACK

Place center 64 (72, 80, 88) sts on needle ready to work a RS row and re-join yarn. **Shape Armholes** Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 (2, 4, 4) rows – 60 (68, 72, 80) sts. **Dec Row** K 1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k 1. Repeat Dec Row every RS row 1 (2, 1, 2) more times – 56 (62, 68, 74) sts. Work even in St st until armholes measure 8 (8 3/4, 9 1/2, 10 1/4)" [20.5 (22, 24, 26) cm]. Bind off.

LEFT FRONT

Place remaining 13 (15, 17, 19) sts on needle ready to work a RS row and re-join yarn. **Shape Armhole Dec Row** Bind off 2 sts, k to last 3 sts, M1, k 3. Repeat Dec Row every RS row 0 (0, 1, 1) more time(s) – 12 (14, 15, 17) sts. Purl 1 row. **Shaping Row** K 1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, M1, k 3. Repeat Shaping Row every RS row 1 (2, 1, 2) more times. Purl 1 row. **Inc Row** K to last 3 sts, M1, k 3. Repeat Inc Row every 4th row 2 (2, 3, 4) more times – 15 (17, 19, 22) sts. Work even in St st until armhole measures 8 (8 3/4, 9 1/2, 10 1/4)" [20.5 (22, 24, 26) cm]. Bind off.

SLEEVES

With MC and larger needle, cast on 48 (54, 60, 66) sts. Work even in St st until piece measures 7 (7, 7 1/2, 8)" [18 (18, 19, 20.5) cm].

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Shape Sleeve Cap

Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 (4, 4, 6) rows – 44 (46, 52, 54) sts.

Dec Row K 1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k 1.

Repeat Dec Row every RS row 2 (2, 4, 3) more times; every 4th row 3 (3, 2, 3) times; then every RS row 2 (1, 2, 2) times – 28 (32, 34, 36) sts.

Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 (4, 4, 2) rows – 24 (24, 26, 32) sts. Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Sleeve Edging With CC and smaller needle, pick up and knit 32 (36, 40, 44) sts evenly spaced along lower edge of Sleeve. Work 2 rows in K1, P1 Rib. Bind off sts in pattern. Sew shoulder seams. Sew in Sleeves. Sew side and Sleeve seams.

Garment Edging With RS facing, beg at right shoulder seam, with CC and smaller needle, pick up and knit 16 (18, 20, 20) sts across back neck, 32 (36, 40, 44) sts down left front edge, 42 (48, 54, 60) sts across lower edge, and 32 (36, 40, 44) sts up right front edge – 122 (138, 154, 168) sts. Place marker and join for working in the rnd. Work 2 rnds in K1, P1 Rib. Bind off sts in pattern. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS	
beg = begin(ning)	$\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{purl}$
CC = contrasting color	rnd(s) = round(s)
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	RS = right side
inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)	St st = stockinette stitch
k = knit	st(s) = stitch(es)
k2tog = knit 2 together	tog = together
MC = main color	WS = Wrong side

Incredible (Article #520) is packaged in 1 3/4 oz [50 g]/110 yd [100 m] balls Color Waves (Article #940) is packaged in 3 oz [85 g]/125 yd [113 m] skeins

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