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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: Medium, Large, 2X S/M (L, 1X/2X) Finished Chest 34 (42, 47 1/2) in. (86.5 (106.5, 120.5) cm) Finished Length 19 (20 3/4, 22 1/4) (48 (52.5, 56.5) cm) 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

- 480-124 Lion Brand Nature's Choice Organic Cotton: Pecan 4 (5, 6) Balls (A)
- 480-170 Lion Brand Nature's Choice Organic Cotton: Pistachio 1 (1, 2) Ball (B)
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook Size I-9
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials
  - 1. 1 button 1 in. (25 mm) diameter
  - 2. Sewing needle and matching thread

#### GAUGE:

12 sc + 10 rows = 4 in. (10 cm). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE. When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. If it takes you less stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

#### NOTES:

- 1) Vest is worked in one piece to armholes.
- 2) Sc in front loop only throughout, unless otherwise indicated.



#### BODY

With A, ch 103 (127, 145).

Row 1: Working in both loops, sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across – 102 (126,144) sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in each sc across.

Rep last row until piece measures 10 (10 3/4, 11 1/2) in. (25.5 (27.5, 29) cm) from beginning. Do not fasten off. **Note:** Continue working in front loops only throughout Body.

#### **Divide for Armholes**

#### Left Front

**Row 1 (WS):** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 24 (30, 35) sc for Left Front; leave remaining sts unworked. **Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across – 24 (30, 35) sc. Rep last row until armhole measures 9 (10, 10 3/4) in. (23, (25.5, 27.5) cm). Fasten off.

#### Back

**Row 1 (WS):** Join A with sc in next st on last row of Body, sc in next 53 (65, 73) sc – 54 (66, 74) sc. **Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across. Rep last row until armholes measure same as Left Front. Fasten off.

#### **Right Front**

**Row 1 (WS):** Join A with sc in next st on last row of Body, sc in next 23 (29, 34) sts – 24 (30, 35) sc. **Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across. Rep last row until armhole measures same as Left Front. Fasten off.

#### FINISHING

Sew 18 (22, 26) sts of each shoulder together, leaving center 18 (22, 22) sts of Back unsewn for neck and 6 (8, 9) sts unsewn at each side of Front neck.

#### Lower Edging

From RS, join B with sI st at lower Left Front corner. **Row 1:** Working in free loops of foundation ch, sc in each ch across lower edge – 102 (126, 144) sc. **Rows 2 and 3:** Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in each sc across. Do not fasten off.

#### Right Front Edging

**Row 1:** Ch 1, pivot to work in ends of rows along Front edge, sc evenly along Right Front edge. **Rows 2 and 3:** Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in each sc across. Fasten off.

## Left Front Edging

From RS, join B with sl st at top Left Front corner.

Row 1: Working in ends of rows, sc evenly along Left Front edge.

**Rows 2 and 3:** Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in each sc across. Fasten off.

## Neck Edging

From RS, join B with sl st at Right Front neck edge.

**Row 1:** Ch 7, sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across, then sc evenly around neck.

**Row 2 (WS):** Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in each sc to last 4 sc, ch 2, skip 2 sc (buttonhole made), sc in last 2 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in first 2 sc, 2 sc in ch-2 sp, sc in each sc across.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn, working in front loops only, sc in each sc across.

Fasten off. Sew on button. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
ch(s) = chain(s)	ch-space = space previously made
rep = repeat(s)(ing)	<u>RS = right side</u>
<u>sc = single crochet</u>	sl st = slip stitch
sp(s) = space(s)	WS = wrong side

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