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**SKILL LEVEL:** Easy +

**SIZE:** Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X

**Finished Chest** 32 (36, 40, 44, 48) in. (81.5 (91.5, 101.5, 112, 122) cm)

**Finished Length** 20 (21, 23, 25, 26) in. (51 (53.5, 58.5, 63.5, 66) 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:** (applied Nov 18, 2011)

#### FINISHING

Sew shoulder and side seams. **Lap right side of V neck over left and sew in place.** Weave in ends.

#### MATERIALS

- 910-153 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Ebony  
4 (4, 5, 6, 7) Balls
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 5 [3.75 mm]
- Lion Brand Stitch Holders
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

#### GAUGE:

23 sts = 4 in. (10 cm) in K3, p3 Rib, slightly stretched. 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 fewer 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.

#### STITCH EXPLANATION:

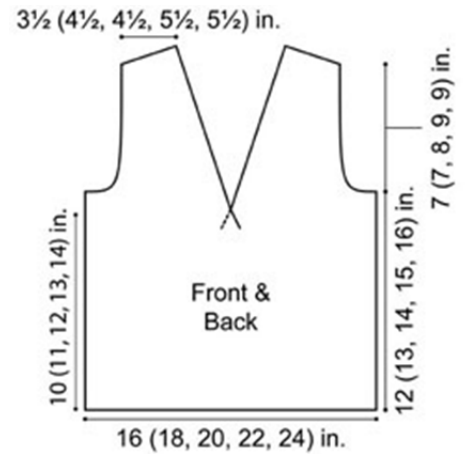
##### PATTERN STITCH

##### K3, p3 Rib

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, \*p3, k3; rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** K the knits and p the purls.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 for K3, p3 Rib.



## TANK

### FRONT

Cast on 93 (105, 117, 129, 141) sts. Work in K3, p3 Rib until piece measures 10 (11, 12, 13, 14) in. (25.5 (28, 30.5, 33, 35.5) cm) from beg, end with a RS row.

#### Shape Right Front

**Row 1 (WS):** Work in Rib across 51 (57, 63, 69, 75) sts only, slip rem 42 (48, 54, 60, 66) sts onto a stitch holder.

**Row 2 (neck dec row – RS):** K3, p3, k3, p2tog, work in Rib to end.

Rep last row (neck dec) every 4 rows 17 more times, AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures 12 (13, 14, 15, 16) in. (30.5 (33, 35.5, 38, 40.5) cm) from beg, end with a RS row and shape armhole as follows:

#### Shape Armhole

Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 (2, 4, 4, 6) WS rows.

Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 3 WS rows.

Continue in Rib, working decs at neck edge as established and keeping armhole edge even until 21 (27, 27, 33, 33) sts rem. Continue even in Rib until piece measures 19 (20, 22, 24, 25) in. (48.5 (51, 56, 61, 63.5) cm) from beg, end with a RS row.

Bind off 7 (9, 9, 11, 11) sts at beg of next 2 WS rows.

Bind off rem 7 (9, 9, 11, 11) sts on next WS row.

#### Shape Left Front

Cast on 9 sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K3, p3, k3.

**Row 2 (WS):** P3, k3, p3, then work in Rib across 42 (48, 54, 60, 66) sts from stitch holder with WS facing.

**Row 3 (neck dec row – RS):** Work in Rib to last 11 sts, p2tog, k3, p3, k3.

Rep last row (neck dec) every 4 rows 17 more times, AT THE SAME TIME, when piece measures 12 (13, 14, 15, 16) in. (30.5 (33, 35.5, 38, 40.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row and shape armhole as follows:

#### Shape Armhole

Bind off 3 sts at beg of next 2 (2, 4, 4, 6) RS rows.

Bind off 2 sts at beg of next 3 RS rows.

Continue in Rib, working decs at neck edge as established and keeping armhole edge even until 21 (27, 27, 33, 33) sts rem.

Continue even in Rib until piece measures 19 (20, 22, 24, 25) in. (48.5 (51, 56, 61, 63.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Bind off 7 (9, 9, 11, 11) sts at beg of next 2 RS rows.

Bind off rem 7 (9, 9, 11, 11) sts on next RS row.

## BACK

Work same as Front.

## FINISHING

Sew shoulder and side seams. Lap right side of V neck over left and sew in place. Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u>
<u>k = knit</u>	<u>p = purl</u>
<u>p2tog = purl 2 together</u>	<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>
<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>	<u>RS = right side</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	<u>WS = wrong side</u>

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\*Microspun (Article #910). 100% micro-fiber acrylic; package size: 2.50oz/70.00 gr. (168yds/154m) pull skeins

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