



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Cotton-Ease® (new)
Child's Playtime Top
Pattern Number: 81022AD



This cute top looks adorable on any little girl.

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: 12 mos, 24 months (2 yrs), Child 4

Finished Chest 19 (22, 24) in. (48.5 (56, 61) cm)

Finished Length 11 (12 1/2, 14) in. (28 (32, 35.5) 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.

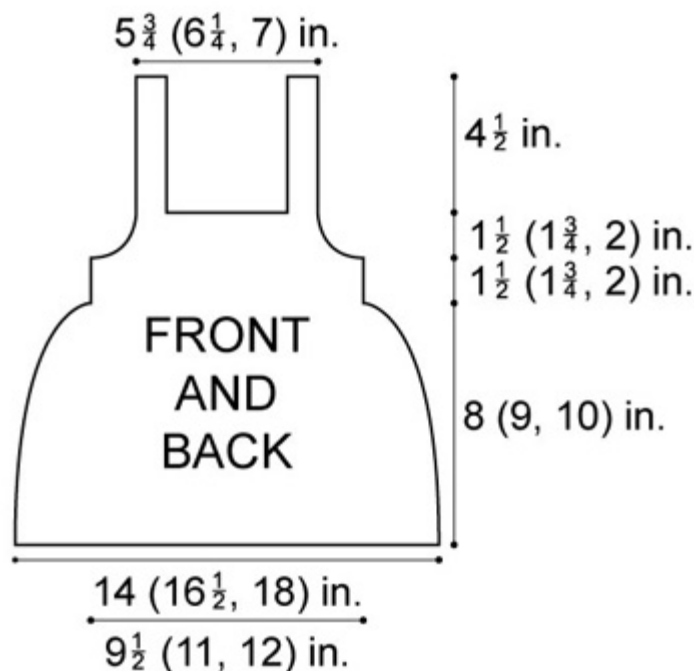
CORRECTIONS: None as of Aug 17, 2009. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 830-187 Lion Brand New Cotton-Ease®: Golden Glow
2 Balls
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles - Size 7 [4.5 mm]
- Lion Brand Stitch Holders
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

GAUGE:

18 sts + 38 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in Garter st (k every row). 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.



TOP

BACK

Cast on 63 (75, 81) sts. Knit 4 rows. Beg with a knit row, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures 8 (9, 10) in. (20.5 (23, 25.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Yoke

Next Row: *K1, k2tog; repeat from * to end of row – 42 (50, 54) sts.

Continue in Garter st (k every row) until yoke measures 1 1/2 (1 3/4, 2) in. (4 (4.5, 5) cm).

Shape Armhole

Bind off 4 (6, 6) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 34 (38, 42) sts. Decrease 1 st at each end of every RS row 4 (5, 5) times – 26 (28, 32) sts. Work even until yoke measures 3 (3 1/2, 4) in. (7.5 (9, 10) cm), end with a WS row.

Shape Neck

Next Row (RS): K6 and slip to a holder, bind off 14 (16, 20) sts, knit to end.

Work in Garter st on 6 sts for 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm) for tie. Bind off.

Slip 6 sts from holder to back to needle and re-join yarn. Work in Garter st for 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm) for second tie. Bind off.

FRONT

Make same as Back.

FINISHING

Sew side seams. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>k = knit</u>
<u>p = purl</u>	<u>RS = right side</u>
<u>St st = Stockinette stitch</u>	<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>
<u>WS = wrong side</u>	

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**CottonEase (Article #700) is a versatile, soft cotton blend worsted weight yarn 50% Cotton/50% Acrylic. It comes in 3.5 oz/100g (207 yd/188m) balls*



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