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**SKILL LEVEL**: Easy

SIZE:

0-6 months (6-12 months, 12-18 months, 2 years, 3 years)

**Finished Chest** 20 (21, 23, 24, 26) in. (51 (53.5, 58.5, 61, 66) cm), closed **Finished Length** 9 1/2 (11, 12, 13, 14) in. (24 (28, 30.5, 33, 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 Jan 6, 2011. To check for later updates, click here.

# **MATERIALS**

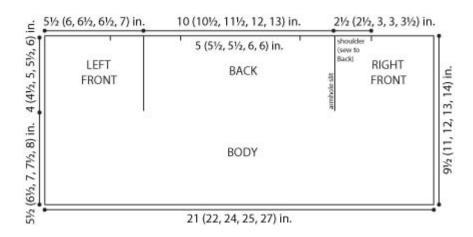
- 823-143 <u>Lion Brand Baby Wool Yarn: Orchid</u> 3 4, 4, 5, 6 Balls
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 8 [5 mm]
- · Lion Brand Stitch Holders
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

# **GAUGE:**

16 sts + 32 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.

# NOTES:

- 1. Cardigan body is knit in one piece, beginning and ending at center front, working sideways around body.
- 2. Armhole slits are created by slipping sts to holders.
- 3. Sleeves are knit separately, then sewn into the armholes.



#### **BODY**

Beg at lower edge, cast on 84 (88, 96, 100, 108) sts.

Work in Garter st (k every row) until piece measures about 5 1/2 (6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 8) in. (14 (16.5, 18, 19, 20.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row. **Note:** End with a WS row means that the last row you work should be a WS row, and the next row that you are ready to work will be a RS row. Garter st is a reversible st, just choose the side you prefer as the RS.

#### **Divide for Armholes**

**Dividing Row (RS):** K22 (23, 25, 26, 28) and place these sts on a holder for right front; k40 (42, 46, 48, 52) and place these sts on a st holder for back; k remaining 22 (23, 25, 26, 28) sts for left front.

#### **Left Front**

Continue in Garter st on 22 (23, 25, 26, 28) left front sts only until piece measures about 4 (4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6) in. (10 (11.5, 12.5, 14, 15) cm) above Dividing Row. Bind off.

#### **Back**

SI the 40 (42, 46, 48, 52) back sts from holder back onto needle.

Continue in Garter st on back sts only until piece measures about 4 (4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6) in. (10 (11.5, 12.5, 14, 15) cm) above Dividing Row. Bind off.

# **Right Front**

SI the 22 (23, 25, 26, 28) right front sts from holder back onto needle.

Continue in Garter st on right front sts only until piece measures about 4 (4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6) in. (10 (11.5, 12.5, 14, 15) cm) above Dividing Row. Bind off.

### SLEEVES (make 2)

Cast on 32 (36, 40, 44, 48) sts.

Work in Garter st until piece measures about 5 1/2 (6 1/2, 7 1/2, 10 1/2, 11) in. (14 (16.5, 19, 26.5, 28) cm) from beg. Bind off.

#### **FINISHING**

On body, fold fronts over back. Beg at armhole edge, seam each front to back for about 2 1/2 (2 1/2, 3, 3, 3 1/2) in. (6.5 (6.5, 7.5, 7.5, 9) cm) for shoulders. Fold Sleeves crosswise, seam together the sides opposite fold. With Sleeve seam at underarm, sew Sleeves into armholes. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES  Click for explanation and illustration	
<pre>beg = begin(s)(ning)</pre>	k = knit
RS = right side	sl = slip
st(s) = stitch(es)	WS = wrong side

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