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SKILL LEVEL: Easy +

SIZE: Child (Multiple Sizes)

6-8 years (9-10 years, 11-12 years) Finished Chest 29 (30 1/2, 33) in. (73.5 (77.5, 84) cm) Finished Length 10 1/2 (11, 12) in. (26.5 (28, 30.5) cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Aug 16, 2013. To check for later updates, click <u>here</u>. **MATERIALS**

 790-404 <u>Lion Brand</u> <u>Homespun Yarn: Lagoon</u> 1 2, 2 Ball

*<u>Homespun®</u> (Article #790). 98% Acrylic, 2% Polyester; package size: 6.00oz/170.00 gr. (185yds/169m) pull skeins

- Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size J-10 (6 mm)
- Lion Brand Split Ring <u>Stitch Markers</u>
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)



GAUGE:

10 dc + 6 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 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.

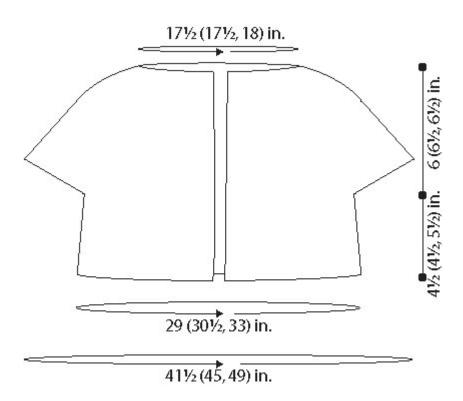
STITCH EXPLANATION:

dc2tog (dc 2 sts together) (Yarn over, insert hook in next st and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

NOTES:

1. Cardi is worked in one piece beg at lower edge.

2. When Cardi has reached armhole length, chs are worked for sleeves. You'll need a separate strand of yarn to make the sleeve chs, so before beginning, cut a length about 3 yds. (3 m) long, and set it aside until you reach the yoke portion of the Cardi.



CARDI

Body

Ch 74 (78, 84).

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 4th ch from hook (beg ch counts as first dc), and in each ch across - 72 (76, 82) dc at the end of this row.

Rows 2-6 (6, 7): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn, dc in each st across.

Shape Yoke

Next Row: Drop loop from hook, but do not fasten off.

Next Row: From RS, sk first 15 (16, 18) sts, join a separate strand of yarn with sl st in next st, ch 22 (24, 26) for sleeve, sk next 6 sts along body for underarm, sl st in next st.

Fasten off.

Next Row: From RS, sk next 26 (28, 30) sts following the end of the ch for the first sleeve, join a separate strand of yarn with sl st in next st, ch 22 (24, 26) for sleeve, sk next 6 sts for underarm, sl st in next st. Fasten off.

Pick up loop dropped at end of Row 6 (6, 7).

Row 1: Ch 3, turn, *dc in each st to first ch of sleeve ch, dc in each ch of sleeve ch; rep from * once, dc in each st to end of row - 104 (112, 122) dc at the end of this row.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn, dc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn, dc in next 7 (11, 10) sts, dc2tog, place a marker in dc2tog just made, *dc in next 9 sts, dc2tog, place a marker in dc2tog just made; rep from * 7 (7, 8) more times, dc in each st to end of row - 95 (103, 112) sts.

Rows 4-8 (9, 9): Ch 3, turn, *dc in each st to 1 st before marker, dc2tog, move marker to dc2tog just made; rep from * 8 (8, 9) more times, dc in each st to end of row - 50 (49, 52) sts at the end of last row. Remove markers.

Row 9 (10, 10): Ch 3, turn, dc in next 7 sts, dc2tog, *dc in next 5 (6, 4) sts, dc2tog; rep from * 4 (3, 5) more times, dc in each st to end of row - 44 (44, 45) sts. Fasten off.

FINISHING

From RS, join yarn with sl st in lower front corner of Cardi.

Row 1 (RS): Work sl st evenly spaced up front, across back neck, and down opposite front.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	ch(s) = chain(s)
<u>dc = double crochet</u>	rep = repeat(s)(ing)
$\underline{RS} = right side$	<u>sk = skip</u>
<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>	<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>

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