



Free Crochet Pattern
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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: Child (Multiple Sizes)

Child 2-4 (4-6, 6-8, 8-10, 10-12)

Finished Chest 28 (30, 32, 34, 36) in. (71 (76, 81.5, 86.5, 91.5) cm), buttoned

Finished Length 14 1/2 (16 1/2, 18 1/2, 20 1/2, 22 1/2) in. (37 (42, 47, 52, 57) cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Nov 14, 2013. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 792-421 [Lion Brand Homespun Thick and Quick](#)

Yarn: Purple Haze

2 3, 3, 4, 5 Balls

**Homespun® Thick & Quick® (Article #792). 88% Acrylic, 12% Polyester; package size: 8.00oz/227.00 gr. (160yds/146m) pull skeins*

- [Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size N-13 \(9 mm\)](#)

- [Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers](#)

- [Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles \(Set of 6\)](#)

- Additional Materials
Four buttons, 1 in. (25 mm diameter)
Sewing needle and thread



GAUGE:

8 sts + 7 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in pattern.

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:

sc2tog (sc 2 sts together) (Insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook - 1 st decreased.

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. Sweater is worked in 5 pieces, Back, 2 Fronts, and 2 Sleeves.
2. When you see '- 12 sts' in the instructions, this lets you know how many sts you will have at the end of that specific row.

SWEATER

Back

Ch 30 (32, 34, 36, 38).

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 4th ch from hook and each ch across - 28 (30, 32, 34, 36) sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

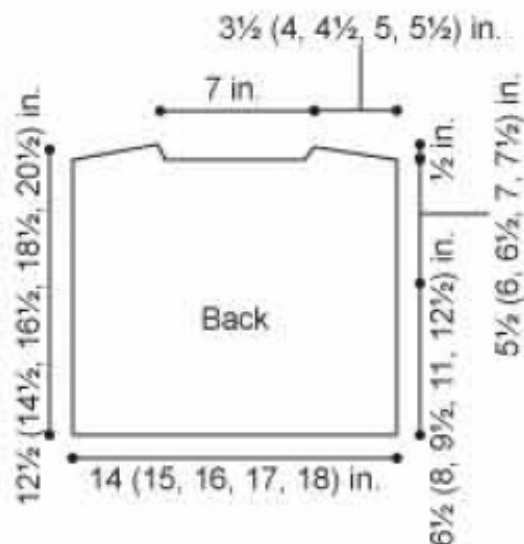
Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc in this row and in all following rows), turn, dc in each st across.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 12 (14, 16, 18, 20) in. (30.5 (35.5, 40.5, 45.5, 51) cm) from beg, end with a Row 3 as your last row.

Shape Shoulders

Next Row (WS): Ch 1, turn, sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, dc in next 2 (3, 4, 5, 6) sts, dc2tog. Fasten off.

Skip center 12 sts, join yarn in next st, ch 3, dc2tog, dc in next 1 (2, 3, 4, 5) sts, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in last 2 sts. Fasten off.



Left Front

Ch 14 (15, 16, 17, 18).

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 4th ch from hook and each ch across - 12 (13, 14, 15, 16) sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc in this row and in all following rows), turn, dc in each st across.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 9 (11, 13, 15, 17) in. (23 (28, 33, 38, 43) cm) from beg, end with a Row 2 as your last row.

Shape Neck

Next Row (RS): Ch 3, turn, dc in next 7 (8, 9, 10, 11) sts, hdc in next st, sc in next st, leave rem 2 sts unworked - 10 (11, 12, 13, 14) sts rem.

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, skip first sc, sc2tog, sc in each st across - 8 (9, 10, 11, 12) sts.

Next Row: Ch 3, turn, dc in each st to last 2 sts, dc2tog - 7 (8, 9, 10, 11) sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures same as Back to shoulder, end with a Row 3 as your last row.

Shape Shoulder

Next Row (WS): Ch 3, dc in next 2 (3, 4, 5, 6) st, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in last 2 sts. Fasten off.

Right Front

Ch 14 (15, 16, 17, 18).

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 4th ch from hook and each ch across - 12 (13, 14, 15, 16) sts.

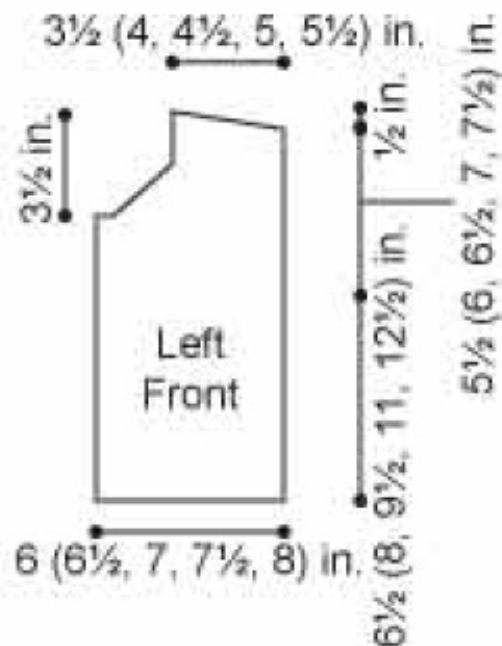
Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc in this row and in all following rows), turn, dc in each st across.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures same length as Left Front to neck shaping, end with a Row 2 as your last row.

Shape Neck

Next Row (RS): Ch 1, turn, slip st in first 2 sts, sc in next st, hdc in next st, dc in last 8 (9, 10, 11, 12) sts - 10 (11,



12, 13, 14) sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st to last 3 sts, sc2tog, leave last st unworked - 8 (9, 10, 11, 12) sts rem.

Next Row: Ch 3, turn, dc2tog, dc in each st across - 7 (8, 9, 10, 11) sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures same as Back to shoulder, end with a Row 3 as your last row.

Shape Shoulder

Next Row (WS): Ch 1, turn, sc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, dc in next 3 (4, 5, 6, 7) sts.

Fasten off.

Sleeves (make 2)

Ch 16 (18, 18, 18, 18).

Row 1 (RS): 2 dc in 4th ch from hook and each ch to last ch, 2 dc in last ch - 16 (18, 18, 18, 18) sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 3 (Increase): Ch 3 (counts as first dc in this row and in all following rows), turn, dc in first st, dc in each st to last st, 2 dc in last st - 18 (20, 20, 20, 20) sts.

Rep last 2 rows 0 (1, 2, 3, 4) more time(s) - 18 (22, 24, 26, 28) sts when all increases have been completed.

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

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

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Inc Row: Ch 3, turn, dc in first st, dc in each st to last st, 2 dc in last st - 20 (22, 24, 26, 28) sts.

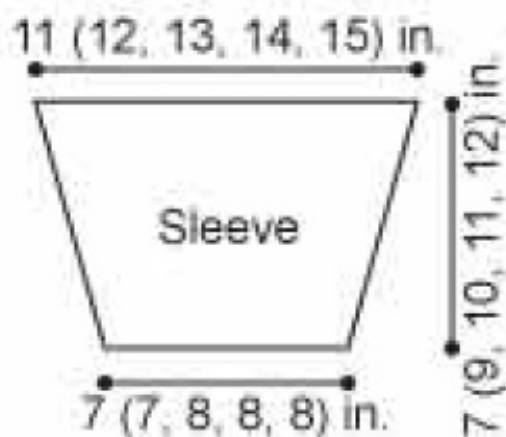
Rep last 4 rows once more - 22 (24, 26, 28, 30) sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

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

Rep last 2 rows until piece measures about 7 (9, 10, 11, 12) in. (18 (23, 25.5, 28, 30.5) cm) from beg.

Fasten off.



FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Mark Fronts and Back 5 1/2 (6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 8) in. (14 (15, 16.5, 18, 19, 20.5) cm) down from shoulder seam for armholes. Sew Sleeves between markers. Sew side seams.

Lower Edging

Row 1: With RS facing, join yarn with sl st at Left Front to work across lower edge. Ch 1, work sc evenly spaced across lower edge, ending at Right Front corner.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across.

Rows 3 and 4: Rep Row 2.

Fasten off.

Sleeve Edging

Row 1: With RS facing, join yarn with sl st at one corner of one Sleeve edge to work across lower edge. Ch 1, work sc evenly spaced across lower edge ending at opposite corner.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across.

Rows 3 and 4: Rep Row 2.

Do not fasten off.

Cut yarn leaving a long yarn tail, use yarn tail to sew Sleeve seam.

Buttonband

Row 1: With RS facing, join yarn with a sl st at neck edge of Left Front for Girls or at lower edge of Right Front for Boys, ch 1, work sc evenly spaced along front edge, ending at opposite edge.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across.

Rows 3-5: Rep Row 2.

Fasten off.

Sew buttons evenly spaced along buttonband, with the first 1 in. (2.5 cm) from lower edge and last at beg of neck shaping with others evenly spaced between.

Buttonhole band

Row 1: With RS facing, join yarn with sl st at lower corner of Right Front for girls or neck edge of Left Front for boys, ch 1, work sc evenly spaced along front edge, ending at opposite edge.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc across. With stitch markers, mark position of buttons.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, *sc in each sc to marker, ch 1, skip 1 st for buttonhole; rep from * 3 more times, sc in each sc to end of row.

Rows 4-5: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc and ch-1 sp across.

Fasten off.

Collar

Row 1: With RS facing, join yarn with sl st at Right Front neck edge, ch 1, work 42 sc evenly spaced around neck edge.

Rows 2 and 3: Ch 3, turn, dc in each st around.

Next (Inc) Row: Ch 3, turn, dc in first st, dc in each st to last st, 2 dc in last st - 44 sts.

Next Row: Ch 3, turn, dc in each st around.

Rep last 2 rows once more - 46 sts.

Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES	
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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u>
<u>ch-space = space previously made</u>	<u>dc = double crochet</u>
<u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>hdc = half double crochet</u>
<u>inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>
<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>	<u>RS = right side</u>
<u>sc = single crochet</u>	<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	<u>tog = together</u>
<u>WS = wrong side</u>	

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