



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Modern Baby®
Fishy Wishy Sweater
Pattern Number: L40151



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Free Knitting Pattern from Lion Brand Yarn

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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate (Level 3)

SIZE: Child (Multiple Sizes)

2 years (4 years, 6 years)

Finished Chest 26 (28, 30) in. (66 (71, 76) cm)

Finished Length 14 1/2 (16, 18) in. (37 (40.5, 45.5) cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Jun 21, 2014. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 924-098 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Cream](#)
1 1, 1 Ball (A)
- 924-109 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Blue](#)
1 2, 2 Ball (B)
- 924-113 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Red](#)
1 1, 1 Ball (C)
- 924-148 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Turquoise](#)
3 3, 4 Balls (D)
- 924-194 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Chartreuse](#)
1 1, 1 Ball (E)
- 924-158 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Yellow](#)
1 1, 1 Ball (F)
- 924-133 [Lion Brand Modern Baby: Orange](#)
1 1, 1 Ball (G)
- [Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 4 \[3.5 mm\]](#)
- [Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 6 \[4.00 mm\]](#)
- [Lion Brand Double-Pointed Needles - Size 10](#)
- [Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size G-6 \(4 mm\)](#)
- [Lion Brand Stitch Holders](#)

**Modern Baby (Article #924). 50% Acrylic, 50% Nylon; package size: 2.60oz/75.00 gr. (173yds/158m) pull skeins*



- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

GAUGE:

20 sts + 28 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with larger needles.

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. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

STITCH EXPLANATION:

Chain Stitch

Thread needle and bring from back to front through piece. *Hold short length of yarn on front forming a small loop. Insert needle back into where it last came out, do not pull tight. Bring needle back through work and through small loop; repeat from * until chain is desired length.

French Knot

Thread needle and bring from back to front through knitted piece. Wrap yarn around needle 3 times, insert needle back into knitted piece close to where it emerged. Tighten knot.

kfb (knit in front and back) Knit next st without removing it from left needle, then k through back of same st - 1 st increased.

Knitted Cord (on double pointed needles) Working with 2 double pointed needles, cast on specified number of sts. Knit the sts. Do not turn work. *Slide sts to other end of needle and knit them, pulling yarn tightly across the back of the work, (do not turn work); rep from * until cord measures desired length.

PATTERN STITCH

K1, p1 Rib (worked over an even number of sts)

Row 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end of row.

Row 2: K the knit sts and p the purl sts.

Rep Row 2 for K1, p1 Rib.

NOTES:

1. Sweater is worked in 4 pieces, Back, Front and 2 Sleeves.
2. Fish and Octopus charts are worked in intarsia colorwork, following charts. Use a separate ball of yarn for each color section. Twist yarns on WS to prevent holes. Do not carry unused color(s) across WS of work.
3. When working from chart, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) and read RS rows from right to left and WS rows from left to right.
4. Wave Chart is worked in stranded colorwork, carrying unused color across WS of work.
5. When working from Charts, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS), reading RS rows from right to left and WS rows from left to right.
6. 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.
7. 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.

BACK

With smaller needles and A, cast on 66 (72, 78) sts.

Work in K1 p1 Rib for 2 rows.

Change to B and continue in rib for 8 more rows.

Change to larger needles and beg with a RS (k) row, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) for 12 rows.

Wave Chart 1

Next Row: Beg with Row 1, rep 6 sts of Wave Chart 1 across.

Work in chart and St st until 4 rows of Wave Chart 1 have been completed.

With D, work in St st for 12 rows.

Wave Chart 2

Next Row: Beg with Row 1, rep 6 sts of Wave Chart 2 across.

Work in chart and St st until 4 rows of Wave Chart 2 have been completed.

With B, work in St st for 12 rows.

Wave Chart 1

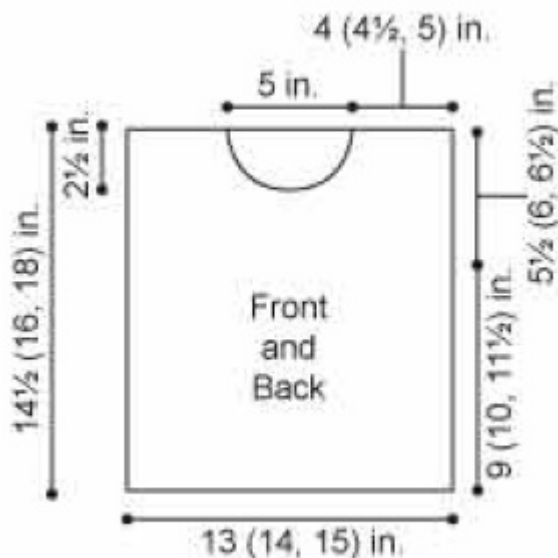
Next Row: Beg with Row 1, rep 6 sts of Wave Chart 1 across.

Work in chart and St st until 4 rows of Wave Chart 1 have been completed.

With D, work in St st until piece measures 14 1/2 (16, 18) in. (37 (40.5, 45.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS as last row worked.

Bind off 20 (23, 26) sts at beg of next 2 rows – 26 sts rem.

Slip rem 26 sts to a holder for back neck.



FRONT

Work as for Back until first Wave Chart 1 has been completed.

With D, work in St st for 2 rows.

Fish Chart

Note: Second rep of Fish Chart will be worked with different color than depicted on Chart.

Next Row (RS): With D, k11 (12, 14), beg with Row 1 and working fish with E, work Fish Chart across next 18 sts, with D, k8 (12, 14), working fish with G, work Fish Chart across next 18 sts, with D, k11 (12, 14).

Work in charts and St st as established until 8 rows of Fish Chart have been completed.

With D, work 2 rows in St st.

Wave Chart 2

Next Row: Beg with Row 1, rep 6 sts of Wave Chart 2 across.

Work in chart and St st until 4 rows of Wave Chart 2 have been completed.

With B, work in St st for 10 rows.

Octopus Chart

Next Row: With B, k36, work Row 1 of Octopus Chart across next 16 sts, with B, k14 (20, 26).

Next Row: With B, p14 (20, 26), work Row 2 of Octopus

Chart across next 16 sts, with B, p36.

Wave Chart 1

Next Row: Beg with Row 1, rep 6 sts of Wave Chart 1 over first 36 sts, continue with Row 3 of Octopus Chart over next 16 sts, working reps as established, work Wave Chart 1 to end of row.

Work in charts and St st until 4 rows of Wave Chart 1, then 30 rows of Octopus Chart have been completed.

With D, work in St st for 2 rows.

Sun Chart

With D, k9, work Row 1 of Sun Chart across next 8 sts, with D, knit to end of row.

Work in chart and St st until 10 rows of Sun Chart have been completed.

With D, work in St st until piece measures 12 (13 1/2, 15 1/2) in. (30.5 (34.5, 39.5) cm) from beg, end with WS as last row worked.

Shape Neck

Row 1 (RS): With D, k27 (30, 33) sts, place next 12 sts on a holder, join 2nd ball of yarn and knit to end of row – 27 (30, 33) sts each side.

Working both sides at same time with separate balls of yarn, bind off 3 sts at each neck edge once, then 2 sts once – 22 (25, 28) sts each side.

Dec 1 st at each neck edge twice – 20 (23, 26) sts each side.

Work in St st on rem sts until piece measures same length as Back to shoulders.

Bind off rem 20 (23, 26) sts each side.

SLEEVES (make 2)

With smaller needles and A, cast on 34 sts.

Work in K1 p1 Rib for 2 rows.

Change to B and work 8 rows in K1, p1 Rib.

Next Row: With B, k1, kfb, k to last 2 sts, kfb, k1 – 36 sts. Change to larger needles and, beg with a p row, work in St st for 3 rows.

Wave Chart 1

Next Row: Beg with Row 1, rep 6 sts of Wave Chart 1 across.

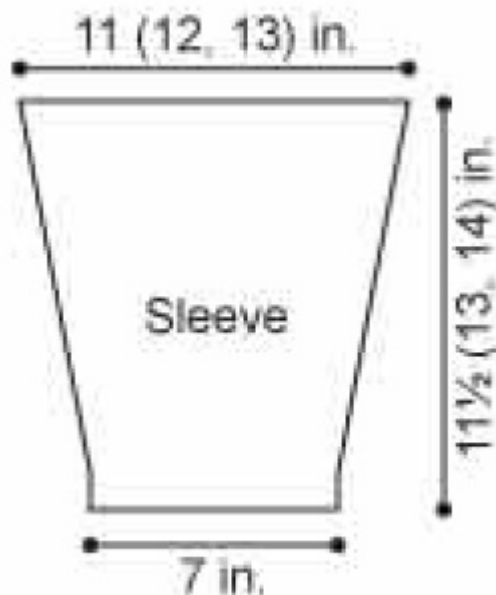
Keep in chart and St st until 4 rows of Wave Chart 1 have been completed.

Inc Row (RS): Change to D, k1, kfb, knit to last 2 sts, kfb, k1 – 38 sts.

Working with D only in St st, rep Inc Row every 4th row 9 (11, 14) times – 56 (60, 66) sts on last row worked.

Work even (without increasing or decreasing) in St st until piece measures 11 1/2 (13, 14) in. (29 (33, 35.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS as last row worked.

Bind off.



FINISHING

Neckband

Sew left shoulder seam.

From RS facing with smaller needles and D, beg at neck edge of unsewn shoulder, pick up and knit 72 sts evenly spaced around neck including sts from front and back neck holders – 72 sts.

Work in K1, p1 rib for 5 rows.

Change to A, work in K1, p1 Rib for 2 rows.

Bind off in rib.

Sew shoulder seam including neckband. Measure and mark 5 1/2 (6, 6 1/2) in. (14 (15, 16.5) cm) down from shoulders on Front and Back. Sew tops of Sleeves between markers. Sew side and Sleeve seams.

Fish Lips (make 2)

With crochet hook and F, chain 8.

Fasten off.

Wrap a strand of matching yarn tightly around center and pull to gather.

Sew lips to fish.

With B, embroider a French knot eye on each fish.

Octopus Tentacles (make 5)

With double pointed needles and C, cast on 5 sts. Work in knitted cord until piece measures about 3 1/4 in. (8 cm) from beg. Cut yarn leaving a long yarn tail.

Thread tail through rem sts and pull to gather. Knot securely.

Sew tentacles to Octopus.

With A, embroider a line of chain st across Row 26 of Octopus Chart.

With D, embroider 2 French knot eyes on Octopus.

Sun

With F, embroider chain st around circumference of sun.

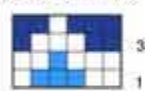
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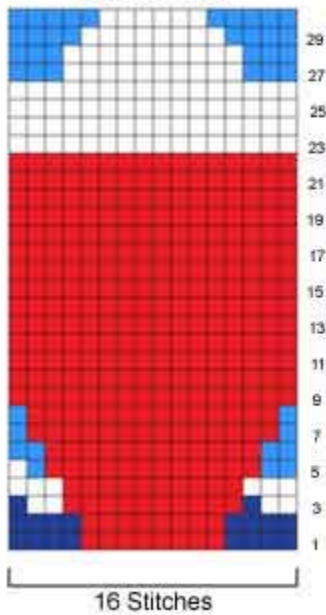
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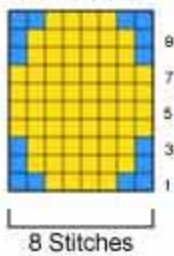
Wave Chart 2



Octopus Chart



Sun Chart



Stitch Key

- A
- B
- C
- D
- E
- F

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u>
<u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)</u>
<u>k = knit</u>	<u>p = purl</u>
<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</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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