



## **LION BRAND® HOMESPUN®**

### **Knitted Jacket and Hat**

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*Skill Level: Easy*

**JACKET SIZE** S (M, L, XL) Finished chest 42 (46, 52, 56)"

### **JACKET MATERIALS**

- Homespun<sup>®</sup>
- 6 (6, 7, 7) skeins #327 Plantation (A)
- 2 (2, 2, 2) skeins #335 Prairie (B) or colors of your choice
- Sizes 9 (5.5 mm) and 10 (6 mm) straight knitting needles
- Size 9 (5.5 mm) - 32" (80 cm) circular needle, OR SIZES TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- Stitch markers
- Large-eyed, blunt needle

**HAT SIZE** One size fits most

### **HAT MATERIALS**

- Leftover yarn from coat.
- Sizes 9 (5.5 mm) and 10 (6 mm) knitting needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- Large-eyed, blunt needle

### **GAUGE**

13 sts + 20 rows = 4" (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) on larger needles. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

### **STITCH EXPLANATIONS**

**M1 (make 1)** An increase worked by lifting the horizontal thread lying between the needles and placing it onto the left needle. Work this new stitch through the back loop.

**ssk (slip, slip, knit)** Slip the next 2 sts as if to knit, one at a time, to the right needle; insert the left needle into the fronts of these 2 sts and k them tog.

### **JACKET**

#### **BACK**

With smaller needles and A, cast on 68 (76, 84, 92) sts. Work in rib k2, p2 rib for 8 rows. With larger needles, work in St st until piece measures 32 1/2 (33, 33 1/2, 34)" from beg; end with WS row completed.

#### **Shape shoulders and neck**

Bind off 7 (7, 9, 10) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Bind off 7 (8, 9, 11) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Bind off 8 (10, 10, 11) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Bind off center 24 (26, 28, 28) sts for back of neck.

#### **LEFT FRONT**

With smaller needles and A, cast on 34 (38, 42, 46) sts. Work in k2, p2 rib for 8 rows.

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With larger needles, work in St st until piece measures 23 1/2 (23 1/2, 23 1/2, 24)" from beg; end with WS row completed.

### Shape neck and shoulder

**Dec Row** Work to last 3 sts, ssk, k 1. Repeat decrease row every other row 1 (1, 2, 2) times more, then every 4th row 10 (11, 11, 11) times. When front measures 32 1/2 (33, 33 1/2, 34)" from beg, shape shoulders beg at armhole edge as follows: Bind off 7 (7, 9, 10) sts at beg of next row. Work back across row. Bind off 7 (8, 9, 11) sts at beg of next row. Work back across row. Bind off rem 8 (10, 10, 11) sts.

### RIGHT FRONT

Work as for left front, reversing all shaping.

### SLEEVES

With smaller needles and B, cast on 34 (38, 42, 46) sts. Work in k2, p2 Rib for 20 rows. With larger needles and A, work even in St st for 20 rows. **Inc row (RS)** K 1, M1, work to last st, M1, k 1. Repeat Inc Row every 6th row 11 times more - 58 (62, 66, 70) sts. Work even until St st portion measures 20 1/2 (20 1/2, 21 1/2, 21 1/2)". Bind off.

### COLLAR/FRONT BAND

Sew shoulder seams. Beg Band at bottom edge of Right Front. With B, RS facing and circular needle, pick up 143 (145, 147, 149) sts to center of Back Neck, place marker, pick up 143 (145, 147, 149) sts to bottom edge. (**Tip** Pick up 3 sts to every 4 rows at front edges and all sts from Back Neck.)

**Shape collar** Place markers at beg of Front Neck shaping. **Row 1 (WS)** Beg with p2, work in k2, p2 Rib to center Back Neck marker, slip marker, work 21 sts in rib, turn. **Row 2 (RS)** Keeping pattern in Rib, work 42 sts, turn. **Row 3 (WS)** Work 2 more sts than last row, turn. Repeat last row until all sts between Front Neck markers are worked. **Next row** Cont in Rib to bottom edge. Work evenly in Rib on 286 (290, 294, 298) sts until front band measures 3". Bind off in rib.

### FINISHING

Place markers on front and back 9 (9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2)" down from shoulders. Sew sleeves between markers. Sew sleeve seams, beginning at cuffs (being sure to sew on RS for cuffs), and side seams. Turn cuff to right side. Weave in loose ends.

### HAT

With smaller needles and A, cast on 66 sts. Work in k2, p2 Rib for 10 rows. With larger needles and B, work even in St st for 20 rows Change to A. **Dec Row 1 (RS)** (k2 tog, k 9) 6 times - 60 sts.

**Row 2 and all even rows (WS)** Purl.

**Row 3** (K2tog, k 8) 6 times. P 1 row - 54 sts. **Row 5** (K2tog, k 7) 6 times. P 1 row - 48 sts. **Row 7** (K2tog, k 6) 6 times. P 1 row - 42 sts. **Row 9** (K2tog, k 5) 6 times. P 1 row - 36 sts. **Row 11** (K2tog, k 4) 6 times. P 1 row - 30 sts. **Row 13** (K2tog, k 3) 6 times. P 1

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row - 24 sts. **Row 15** (K2tog, k 2) 6 times. P 1 row - 18 sts. **Row 17** (K2tog, k 1) 6 times. P 1 row - 12 sts. **Row 19 (Last Row)** K2tog 6 times - 6 sts.

Cut yarn leaving a long end for sewing. Pull yarn through sts on needle and draw tog tightly. Sew back seam (being sure to work on RS for cuff). Turn ribbed cuff to right side. Weave in loose ends.

<b>ABBREVIATIONS</b>	
beg = begin(ning)	rem = remain(s)(ing)
cont = continu(e)(ing)	RS = right side
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	st(s) = stitch(es)
k = knit	St st = stockinette stitch
p = purl	tog = together
	WS = wrong side

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