

LION BRAND® COTTON THICK & QUICK®Sweatshirt – Adult and Childs sizes



Skill Level: Beginner

SIZES:

Directions for child's sizes 4 (6-8, 10-12; adult's sizes Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, 3X). Finished chest/bust: 29 (32, 35; 38, 41, 45, 49, 53, 57)".

MATERIALS:

- LION BRAND Cotton Thick & Quick, Art. No. 720: 4 (4, 5; 5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7) balls #108 Morning Glory Blue or solid color of your choice. **Note:** Solid color balls are 7 oz.; multi-color balls are 6 oz.
- One pair each knitting needles size 9 U.S. (5 U.K.) (5.50 mm) and 11 U.S. (0 U.K.) (8.00 mm) OR SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE.

GAUGE:

9 sts + 12 rows = 4" in St st with size 11 needles. TO INSURE PROPER SIZE, BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTE:

3-needle bind off: *With right sides together, hold two needles together, with third needle knit 2 stitches together, one st from front and one st from back needle; rep from * once, then pass stitch worked first over second as to bind off. Rep this procedure until seam is completed. Fasten off.

BACK:

With smaller needles, cast on 33 (37, 40; 43, 47, 51, 57, 60, 65) sts. **Work in St st for 4 (4, 4; 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6) rows. Work in k 1, p 1 rib for 4 (4, 4; 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6, 6) rows. ** Change to larger needles. Work in St st until piece meas 16 1/2 (17 1/2, 18 1/2; 24, 25 1/2, 27, 27 1/2, 29, 30 1/2)" from beg or desired length. Place 11 (12, 13; 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 21) sts on each shoulder sts on spare needles or holders, bind off center 11 (13, 14; 15, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23) sts for Back neck.

FRONT:

Work same as Back until piece meas 14 1/2 (15 1/2, 16 1/2; 22, 23 1/2, 25, 25 1/2, 27, 28 1/2)" from beg, ending with a WS row. **Shape neck: Next row (RS):** K 14 (15, 16; 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 24) sts, join a 2nd ball of yarn and loosely bind off center 5 (7, 8; 9, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17) sts, k 14 (15, 16; 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 24) sts. Working both sides at the same time with separate balls of yarn, bind off 2 sts at each neck edge once, then dec 1 st at each neck edge on next RS row. Work even until same length as Back to shoulder. Place rem 11 (12, 13; 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 21) sts on each shoulder on spare needles or holders. Join shoulders with 3-needle bind off.

SLEEVES:

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With smaller needles, cast on 17 (19, 19; 21, 21, 23, 23, 23, 23) sts. Work in St st, then. in k 1, p 1 rib same as for Back and Front from ** to **. Change to larger needles. Work in St st, inc 1 st each edge of second RS row, then every 4th row 7 (7, 8; 9, 10, 10, 11, 12, 13) more times -- 33 (35, 37; 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51) sts. Work even until Sleeve meas 12 (13, 14; 16, 17, 17, 18, 18, 18)" from beg or desired length. Bind off loosely.

HOOD:

With right side facing and larger needles, pick up and k 30 (32, 34; 38, 42, 46, 50, 54, 56) sts around neck, starting at right side of neck and leaving center 5 (7, 8; 9, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17) sts free. Work in St st for 9 (9 1/2, 10; 12, 12, 12, 13, 13, 14)". Placing half of hood sts on second needle, work 3-needle bind off across hood top seam. **Facing edging:** With RS facing and smaller needle, pick up approx 41 (43, 45; 51, 51, 51, 57, 57, 63) sts around front edge of hood. Work in k 1, p 1 rib for 3 rows. Work in St st for 4 rows. Bind off loosely on last row with larger needle. Sew rib/roll front at center neck, overlapping center fronts (left over right for male; right over left for female).

FINISHING:

Mark 7 (7 1/2, 8; 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2, 11, 11 1/2)" down from each shoulder seams. Sew Sleeves to body between these markers. Sew side and Sleeve seams. At roll edge of Sleeves and body, reverse seam to RS for neater roll. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS	
approx = approximately beg = begin(ning) dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing) inc = increas(e)(s)(ing) k = knit meas = measure(s)	p = purl rem = remain(s)(ing) rep = repeat RS = right side st(s) = stitch(es) St st = stockinette stitch WS = wrong side

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