

# LION BRAND<sup>®</sup> KOOL Striping Crew Pullover



## EASY +

## SIZE

S (M, L, 1X, 2X, 3X) Finished Chest 42 (46, 50, 54, 58, 62)" Length 23 (23<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 24<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 25<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 26<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 27<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>)"

Note Before beginning pattern, circle all numbers pertaining to your size for ease in working.

## MATERIALS

• LION BRAND Kool Wool

Version I

2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #098 Ivory (A) 3 (4, 4, 4, 5, 6) balls #124 Khaki (B) 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #186 Melon (C) 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #146 Fuchsia (D) 3 (3, 4, 4, 4, 5) balls #130 Grass (E) 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #125 Camel (F)

or colors of your choice

Version II 2 (3, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #098 Ivory (A) 3 (4, 4, 4, 5, 6) balls #153 Black (B) 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #109 Royal Blue (C) 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #113 Tomato Red (D) 3 (3, 4, 4, 4, 5) balls #114 Denim Blue (E) 2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 4) balls #149 Charcoal (F)

or colors of your choice

 $\bullet$  Size 9 (5.5 mm) and 10.5 (6.5 mm) - 29" circular needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

• Size 9 (5.5 mm) - 16" circular needle

• Large-eyed, blunt needle

## GAUGE

12 sts + 18 rows = 4" (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) on larger needles. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

### STITCH EXPLANATIONS

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

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ssp (slip, slip, purl) Slip next 2 sts as if to knit, one at a time, to right needle; pass them back to left needle; purl them together through back loop.

#### NOTES

When working the stripe pattern, do not break off yarns when changing colors. Carry the unused colors up the sides of the work. When you have a color change and the new color is at the opposite side of the work, slide the stitches to the other end of the needle, turn the piece, pick up the new color and knit or purl as required to maintain St st.
Looking at the fabric from the right side, the dec at the right edge should lean left and the dec at the left edge should lean right. This is accomplished by working, with RS (WS) facing, ssk (ssp) for left-leaning dec, and k2tog (p2tog) for right-leaning dec.
Whether you work stripe pattern as indicated or make up your own, Back and Front stripes must match, and Sleeves and Body must match at least from armhole up.

### **STRIPE PATTERN**

\*3 rows B, 1 row D, 2 rows E, 1 row B, 3 rows A, 2 rows C, 1 row A, 2 rows F, 3 rows E, 2 rows B, 3 rows D, 1 row E, 2 rows A, 1 row C, 4 rows B, 1 row F, 2 rows D, \*\*\*\*3 rows F, 1 row A,\*\*\*2 rows C, 2 rows E, 1 row D, 2 rows B, 2 rows A, 3 rows C, 1 row B, 2 rows E, 2 rows B, \*\*1 row B, 1 row A, 2 rows D.

# BACK

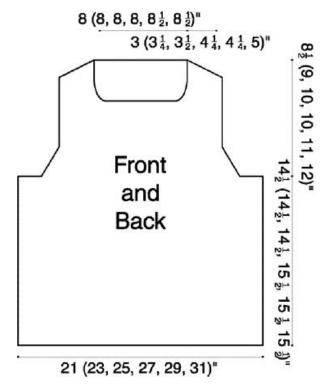
With B and smaller needle, cast on 64 (70, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts. Work in k 1, p 1 rib for 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>". Change to larger needle and St st. Begin Stripe Pattern, sizes S-L at \*, sizes 1X-3X at \*\*. Continue until piece measures 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> (14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>)" from beg.

Shape Armholes Bind off 6 (7, 8, 8, 9, 10) stitches at beg of next 2 rows.

**Next Row** Work 1, dec 1, work to last 3 sts, dec 1, work 1. Work one row even.

Rep these two rows 4 (5, 6, 7, 8, 8) more times – 42 (44, 46, 50, 52, 56) sts.

Work even until piece measures 23 (23<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 24<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 25<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 26<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 27<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>)" from beg.



Shape Shoulders Bind off 5 sts at beg of next 0 (0, 0, 2, 2, 6) rows; 4 sts at beg of next 0 (2, 4, 4, 4, 0) rows; then 3 sts at beg of next 6 (4, 2, 0, 0, 0) rows. Bind off rem 24 (24, 24, 24, 26, 26) sts.

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#### FRONT

Work as for Back including all shaping and, AT SAME TIME, when piece measures 21 (21<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 23, 23, 24, 24)" from beg, begin Front Neck shaping.

Shape Front Neck Work 12 (13, 14, 17, 17, 19) sts, attach 2nd ball of yarn, bind off center 18 (18, 18, 16, 18, 18) sts, work to end of row. Working both sides at same time, dec 1 st at each neck edge every other row 3 (3, 3, 4, 4, 4) times. Continue until piece measures same as Back to shoulders and shape shoulders as for Back.

#### SLEEVE

With B and smaller needle, cast on 26 (28, 28, 32, 36, 36) sts and work k 1, p 1 rib for 2", inc 0 (0, 2, 2, 2, 2) sts evenly and work St st in Stripe Pattern, beg sizes S-L at \*\*\*, and sizes 1X-3X at \*\*\*\*. Work 4 rows even.

**Inc Row** Work 2, inc 1, work to last 2 sts, inc 1, work 2.

Rep Inc Row every 4th row 0 (0, 0, 0, 1, 11) times, every 5th row 12 (12, 13, 9, 12, 5) times, then every 6th row 0 (0, 0, 3, 0, 0) times – 52 (54, 58, 60, 66, 72) sts. Work even until Sleeve measures 17 (17, 17, 18, 18, 18)" from beg – 52 (54, 58, 60, 66, 72) sts.

Shape Cap Using the same color as first armhole bind off on Back (see Note 3 above), bind off 6 (7, 8, 8, 9, 10) sts at beg of next 2 rows.  $17\frac{1}{4} (18, 19\frac{1}{4}, 20, 22, 24)"$   $17\frac{1}{4} (5, 5\frac{1}{2}, 6\frac{1}{4}, 7, 7\frac{3}{4})"$  17 (17, 17, 18, 18, 18)" 17 (17, 17, 18, 18, 18)"  $8\frac{1}{2} (9\frac{1}{4}, 9\frac{1}{4}, 10\frac{1}{2}, 12, 12)"$ 

**Next Row** Work 1, dec 1, work to last 3 sts, dec 1, work 1. Work one row even. Rep these two rows 10 (11, 11, 12, 15, 17) more times. Bind off rem 18 (16, 18, 18, 16, 16) sts.

### FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

**Neck Rib** With B and 16" circular needle, pick up 60 (60, 60, 62, 66, 72) sts around neck. Work in k 1, p 1 rib for 1". Bind off loosely in rib.

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ABBREVIATIONS	
beg = begin(ning)	rem = remain(s)(ing)
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	rep = repeat(s)(ing)
inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)	RS = right side
k = knit	St st = stockinette stitch
k2tog = knit 2 together	st(s) = stitch(es)
p = purl	tog = together
p2tog = purl 2 together	WS = wrong side

Sew in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams. Weave in ends.

Kool Wool (Article #380) comes in 131/44 oz/60 yd balls.

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