



LION BRAND® COTTON-EASE Knit Sunny Stripes Pullover



A cheery color combination and a mix of textured stripes add up to the ultimate summer sweater.

SKILL LEVEL: Easy+

SIZE

XS (S, M, L, XL)

Finished chest 36 (40, 44, 48, 52)''

Length 22 (23, 24, 24½, 25)''

Note Pattern is written for smallest size with changes for larger sizes in parentheses. When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. For ease in working, circle all numbers pertaining to your size.

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND Cotton-Ease
 - 2 (3, 3, 3, 4) balls #107 Candy Blue (MC)
 - 1 ball #102 Bubblegum (CC1)
 - 1 ball #113 Cherry (CC2)
 - 1 ball #133 Orangeade (CC3)
 - 1 ball #144 Sugarplum (CC4)
 - 1 ball #148 Popsicle Blue (CC5)
 - 1 ball #158 Pineapple (CC6)
 - 2 balls #169 Pistachio (CC7)
 - or colors of your choice
- LION BRAND sizes 6 (4 mm) and 8 (5 mm) knitting needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- Size 6 (4 mm) 16'' (40 cm) circular needle
- LION BRAND stitch marker
- LION BRAND large-eyed, blunt needle

GAUGE

17.5 sts + 24 rows = 4'' (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) on larger needles.
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

PATTERN STITCH

Seed Stitch

Row 1 ***K 1, p 1; repeat from *, ending k 1.**

Repeat Row 1 for pattern.

COLOR PATTERN

Rows 1 and 2 With CC1, work in St st.

Rows 3 and 4 With CC3, work in St st.

Rows 5-10 With CC7, work in Seed st.

Rows 11 and 12 With CC4, work in St st.

Row 13 With CC6, *k2tog, yo; repeat from *, ending k 1.

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Rows 14 and 15 With CC6, work in St st.

Row 16 With CC5, work in St st.

Rows 17 and 18 With CC2, work in St st.

Rows 19 With MC, work in St st.

Rows 20-26 With MC, work in Seed st.

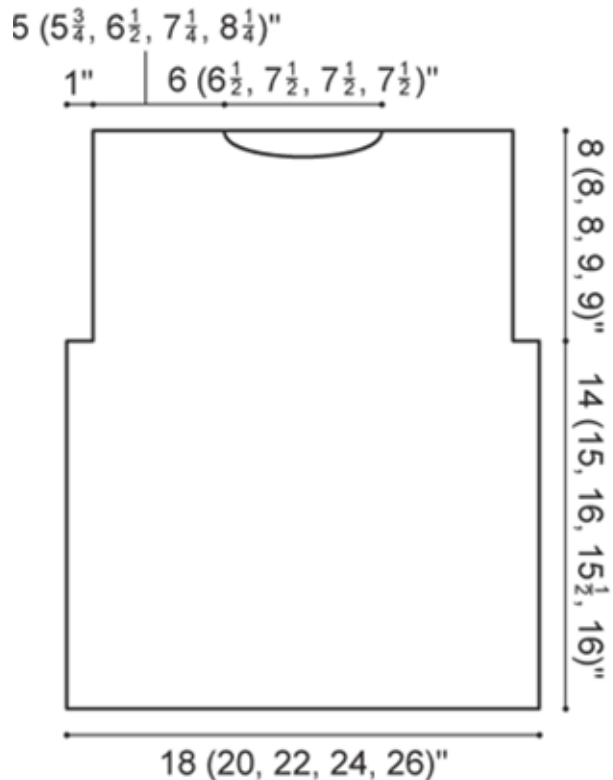
Repeat Rows 1-26 for Color Pattern.

BACK

With smaller straight needles and MC, cast on 79 (87, 97, 105, 113) sts. Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece measures 2" from beg, ending with a WS row.

Change to larger needles and work in Color Pattern until piece measures 14 (15, 16, 15½, 16)" from beg, ending with a WS row. Bind off 4 sts at beginning of next 2 rows. Continue working in Color Pattern until piece measures 21 (22, 23, 23½, 24)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

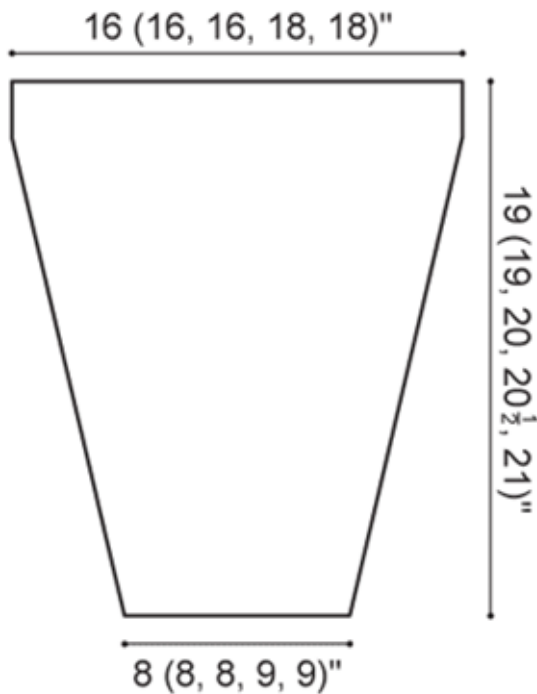
Next Row Work 22 (25, 28, 32, 36) sts; attach a 2nd ball of yarn and bind off center 27 (29, 33, 33, 33) sts; work remaining 22 (25, 28, 32, 36) sts. Working both sides at same time, work 4 more rows. Bind off all sts.



FRONT

Work as for Back until piece measures 19 (20, 21, 21½, 22)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

Next Row Work 26 (29, 32, 36, 40) sts; attach a 2nd ball of yarn and bind off center 19 (21, 25, 25, 25) sts; work remaining 26 (29, 32, 36, 40) sts. Working both sides at same time, work 1 row even, then dec 1 st each neck edge every other row 4 times – 22 (25, 28, 32, 36) sts each shoulder. Work even until piece measures same as Back. Bind off all sts.



SLEEVES

With smaller straight needles and MC, cast on 35 (35, 35, 39, 39) sts. Work in K1, P1 Rib until piece measures 2" from beg, ending with a WS row. Change to larger needles. Begin working in Color Pattern and inc 1 st each end this and every 5th row 18 (18, 18, 20, 20) times total – 71 (71, 71, 79, 79) sts. Work even until piece measures 19 (19, 20, 20½, 21)" from beg. Bind off all sts.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Neckline With circular needle and MC, pick up and knit 78 (82, 88, 88, 88) sts evenly around neck. Place marker, join, and work K1, P1 Rib in the round for 1½" or

desired length. Bind off all sts loosely in pattern.

Place markers 8 (8, 8, 9, 9)" from shoulder seam, and sew in sleeves between markers. Sew side and sleeve seams. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS:	
beg = begin(ning)	rnd(s) = round(s)
CC = contrasting color	RS = right side
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	St st = stockinette stitch
inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)	st(s) = stitch(es)
k = knit	tog = together
k2tog = knit 2 together	WS = wrong side
MC = main color	yo = yarn over
p = purl	

Cotton-Ease (Article #700) is packaged in 3½ oz (100 g)/207 yd (188 m) balls

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