



## **LION BRAND® COLOR WAVES & FUN FUR Knit Uptown, Downtown Cardigan**



Uptown elegance meets hipster cool in a fur trimmed top.

**SKILL LEVEL** *Intermediate*

**SIZE: S (M, L, XL)**

**Finished chest** 38½ (42½, 47, 52)''

**Length** 19¼ (20¼, 21¼, 22¾)''

**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 Color Waves  
5 (6, 7, 7) skeins #309 Blue Lagoon (MC)  
or color of your choice
- LION BRAND Fun Fur  
6 (6, 7, 7) balls #109 Sapphire (CC)  
or color of your choice
- LION BRAND size 9 (5.5 mm) knitting needles OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- LION BRAND large-eyed, blunt needle

**GAUGE**

12.4 sts and 18 rows = 4'' (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with MC.  
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

**STITCH EXPLANATION**

**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.

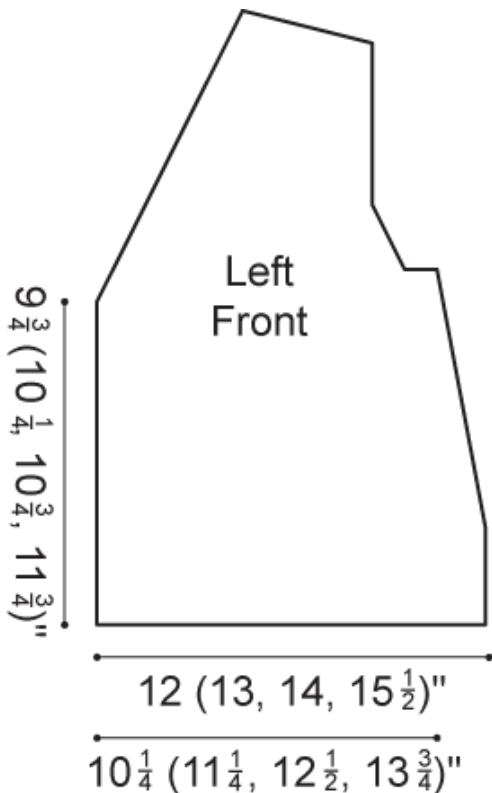
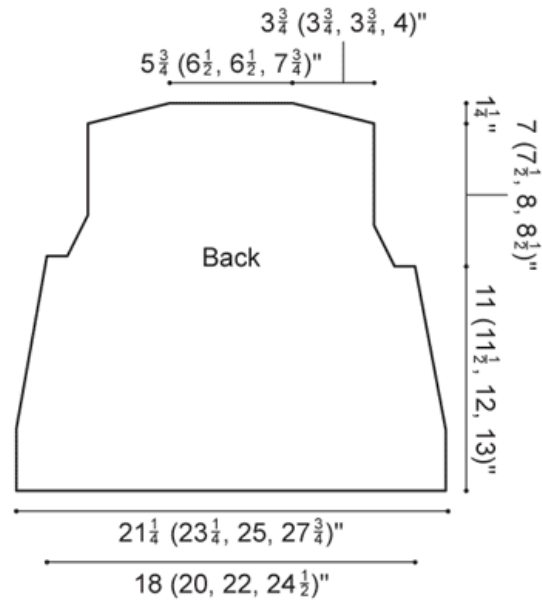
**BACK**

With MC, cast on 66 (72, 78, 86) sts. Work even in St st for 3"

**Shape Body** Dec 1 st each end every 6th row 5 times – 56 (62, 68, 76) sts. Work even until piece measures 11 (11½, 12, 13)" from beg.

**Shape Armhole** Bind off 4 (5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st each end every other row 3 (4, 6, 6) times – 42 (44, 44, 50) sts. Work even until armhole measures 7 (7½, 8, 8½)".

**Shape Shoulder and Neck** Bind off 4 sts at beg of next 6 (6, 6, 4) rows, then bind off 5 sts at beg of next 0 (0, 0, 2) rows. Bind off remaining 18 (20, 20, 24) sts for Back neck.



**LEFT FRONT**

With MC, cast on 37 (40, 44, 48) sts.

**Row 1 (RS)** K to last 2 sts, p 1, k 1.

**Row 2** P 1, k 1, p across.

Repeat Rows 1-2 until piece measures 3".

**Shape Body** Keeping 2 st Rib at front edge, dec 1 st at side edge every 6th row 5 times – 32 (35, 39, 43) sts. Work even until piece measures  $9\frac{3}{4}$  (10¼, 10¾, 11¾)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

**Shape Neck and Armhole** K to last 4 sts, ssk, p 1, k 1. Repeat dec every other row at neck edge 13 (14, 15, 17) times total. AT SAME TIME, when piece measures 11 (11½, 12, 13)" from beg, ending with a WS row, bind off 4 (5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next row, then dec 1 st at armhole edge every row 7 (9, 12, 13) times 12 (12, 12, 13) sts

**Shape Shoulder** When armhole measures 7 (7½, 8, 8½)", ending with a WS row, at armhole edge bind off 4 sts twice, then 4 (4, 4, 5) sts once.

**RIGHT FRONT**

Work as for Left Front, reversing shaping.

**SLEEVES**

With 2 strands CC held tog, cast on 30 (32, 34, 34) sts. Work in Garter st (k every row) for 6"; break off CC. With MC, work in St st. Inc 1 st each end every 12th (10th, 8th, 6th) row 4 (5, 7, 10) times – 38 (42, 48, 54) sts. Work even until piece measures 18 (18½, 19, 19½)" from beg, ending with a WS row.

**Shape Cap** Bind off 4 (5, 6, 7) sts at beg of next 2 rows; dec 1 st each end every other row 3 (4, 6, 6) times – 24 (24, 24, 28) sts. Work even until cap measures 3½ (4, 4¼, 4½)", then bind off 2 sts at beg of next 8 rows – 8 (8, 8, 12) sts. Bind off all sts.

**FINISHING**

**Sew shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew sleeve and side seams**



**COLLAR**

With 2 strands CC held tog, pick up and knit 94 (100, 104, 108) sts evenly around neck opening, beg and ending at beg of neck shaping. Work 16 rows in Garter st, then inc 1 st each end every 5th row 4 times – 102 (108, 112, 116) sts. Bind off all sts. Weave in ends.

| <b>ABBREVIATIONS:</b>    |                            |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| beg = begin(ning)        | p = purl                   |
| 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          |                            |

*Color Waves (Article #940) is packaged in 3 oz (85 g)/125 yd (113 m) skeins  
 Fun Fur (Article #320) solid colors are packaged in 1¾ oz (50 g)/60 yd (54 m) balls; prints are packaged in 1½ oz (40 g)/57 yd (52 m) balls*

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