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LEVEL 3-EASY+ CROCHETED PONCHO

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MATERIALS

- LION BRAND[®] LION'S PRIDE[®] WOOLSPUN[®] (Art. #671)
#129 Mahogany 6 balls
or color of your choice
- LION BRAND[®] crochet hook size N-13 (9 mm)
- LION BRAND[®] stitch markers
- LION BRAND[®] large-eyed blunt needle

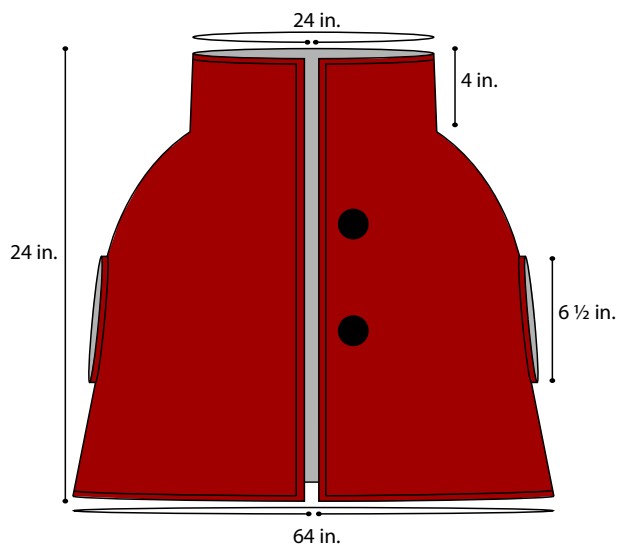
ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

- 2 buttons, about 1 in. (25 mm) diameter
- Sewing needle and thread

SIZE

Finished Circumference at Lower Edge 64 in. (162.5 cm)

Finished Length 24 in. (61 cm), including collar



GAUGE

4 V-sts = about 4 1/4 in. (11 cm) + 7 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) over Rows 1-7.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION

V-st (V-stitch) (Hdc, ch 1, hdc) in indicated st or sp.

V-st-inc (V-stitch increase) (Hdc, ch 1, hdc, ch 1, hdc, ch 1, hdc) in indicated sp.

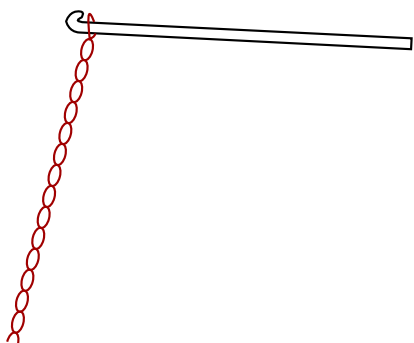
rev sc (reverse single crochet) Single crochet worked from left to right (right to left, if left-handed). Insert hook into next stitch to the right (left), under loop on hook, and draw up a loop. Yarn over, draw through all loops on hook.

NOTES

1. Poncho is worked in one piece, beg at collar.
2. Piece is divided and fronts and back worked separately to make armholes.
3. Edging is worked around outer edge and armholes of completed Poncho.

STEP 1

Collar
Ch 66.

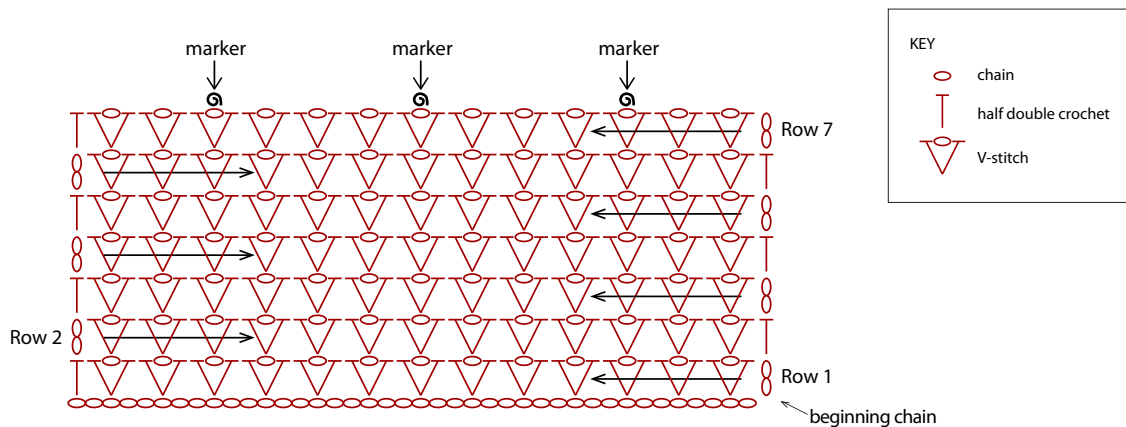


STEP 2

Row 1 (RS): V-st in 4th ch from hook, *sk next 2 ch, V-st in next ch; rep from * to last 2 ch, sk next ch, hdc in last ch - at the end of this row you will have 21 V-sts.

Rows 2-7: Ch 2, turn, *V-st in each ch-1 sp across, hdc in top of beg ch.

Place a marker in the ch-sp of 7th V-st, 11th V-st (center of back), and 15th V-st to indicate increase points.



STEP 3

Body

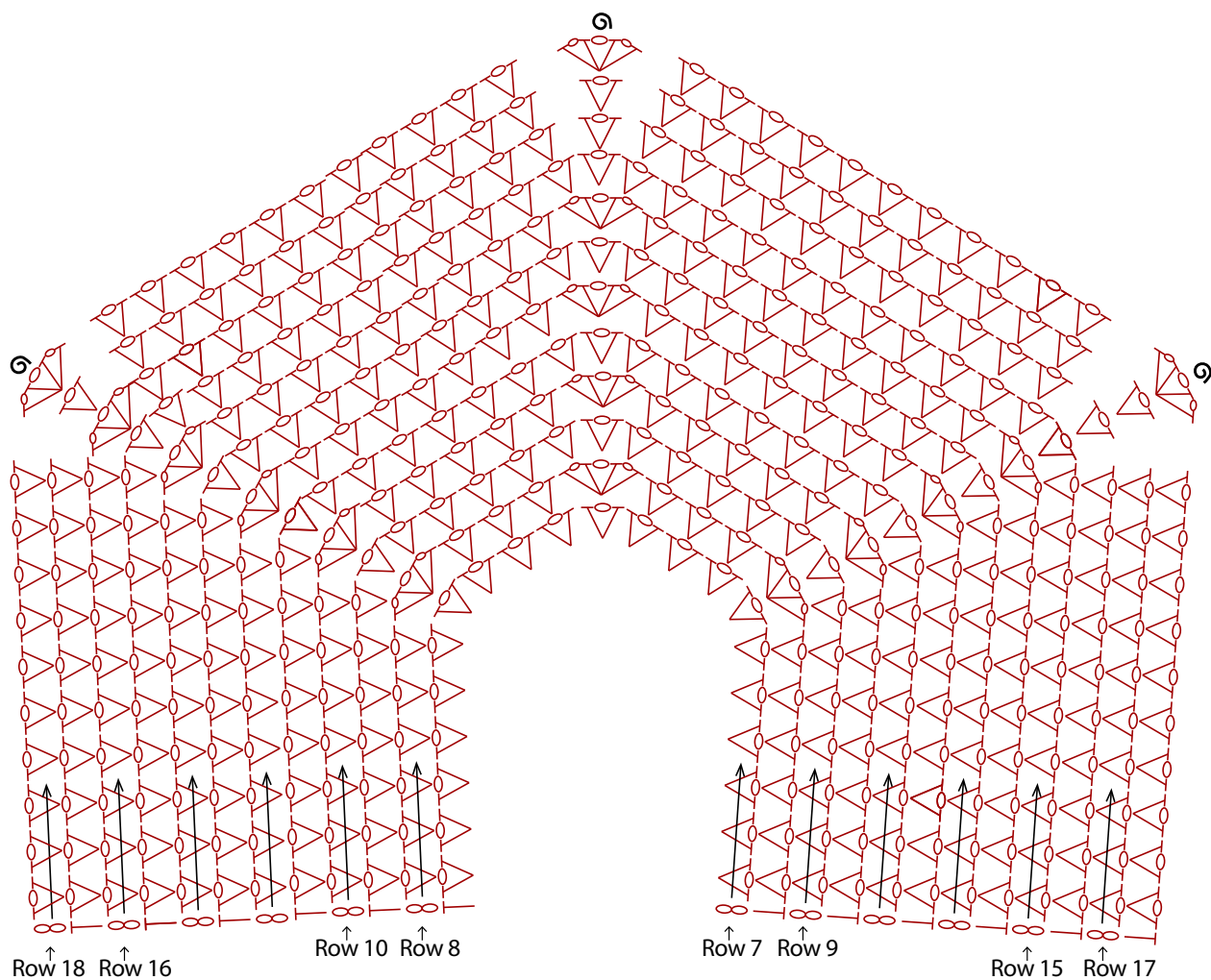
Row 8 (Increase Row): Ch 2, turn, *V-st in each ch-sp to marked ch-sp, V-st-inc in marked ch-sp, move marker to center ch-sp of V-st-inc; rep from * twice more, V-st in each ch-sp to end of row, hdc in top of beg ch.

Row 9: Ch 2, turn, V-st in each ch-sp to marked ch-sp, V-st in marked ch-sp, moving marker to this new ch-sp; rep from * twice more, V-st in each ch-sp to end of row, hdc in top of beg ch - you will have 27 V-sts at the end of this row.

Rows 10-15: Rep Rows 8 and 9 three times - at the end of Row 15 you will have 45 V-sts.

Rows 16 and 17: Rep Row 9 twice.

Row 18: Rep Row 8 - you will have 51 ch-sp at the end of this row.



STEP 7

Join Fronts and Back

Row 30: Ch 2, turn, V-st in next 11 ch-sps, overlap beg-ch of right front and first hdc of back and, working through both thicknesses, V-st through these 2 sts, place a marker in ch-sp of V-st just made, V-st in next 29 ch-sps of back, overlap beg-ch of back and first hdc of left front and working through both thicknesses, V-st through these 2 sts, place a marker in ch-sp of V-st just made, V-st in next 11 ch-1 sps of left front, hdc in top of beg ch – at the end of this row you will have 53 V-sts.

Row 31: Ch 2, turn, *V-st in each ch-sp across, hdc in top of beg ch.

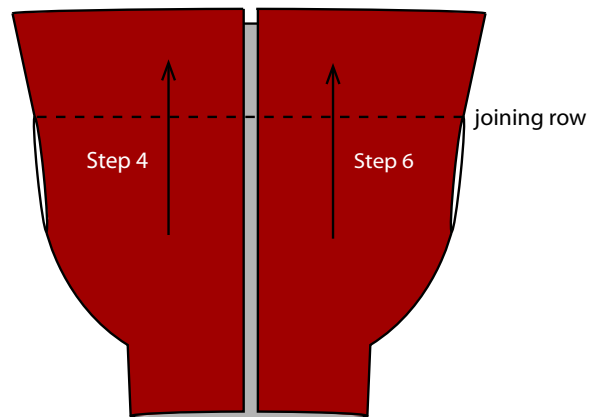
Rows 32-35: Rep Row 31.

Row 36 (Increase Row): Ch 2, turn, *V-st in each ch-sp to marked ch-sp, V-st-inc in marked ch-sp, remove marker; rep from * twice more, V-st in each ch-sp to end of row, hdc in top of beg ch.

Row 37: Rep Row 31 – at the end of this row you will have 59 V-sts.

Rows 38-40: Rep Row 31.

Fasten off.



STEP 8

Edging

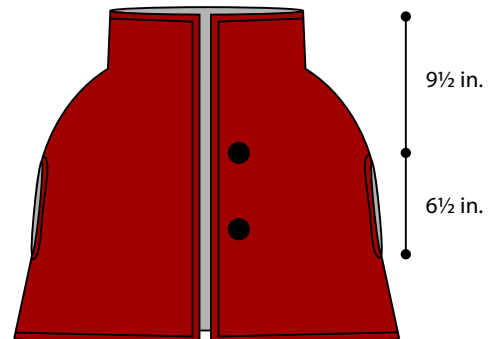
From RS, join yarn with sl st in any st along outside edge of Poncho, ch 1, work rev sc evenly spaced around entire outer edge, working 3 rev sc in each corner; join with sl st in first st. Fasten off.

Armhole Edging

From RS, join yarn with sl st at underarm, ch 1, work rev sc evenly spaced around armhole edge; join with sl st in first st. Fasten off.

Rep around opposite armhole.

With sewing needle and thread, sew buttons to left front of Poncho. Use spaces between sts as buttonholes.



FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)(s)

ch = chain

ch-sp(s) = space(s) previously made

hdc = half double crochet

rep = repeat

RS = right side