



Free Knitting Pattern

Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick® - Fun Fur® The Celebrator Dog Sweater

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy (Level 2)

SIZE: Small, Medium, Large, 1X

Finished Chest 16 (20, 23, 26 1/2) in. (40.5 (51, 58.5, 67.5) cm)

Finished Length 12 (17, 20 1/2, 24) in. (30.5 (43, 52, 61) cm)

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. To follow pattern more easily, circle all numbers pertaining to your size before beginning.

CORRECTIONS: None as of Nov 5, 2014. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 640-138 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick Yarn: Cranberry](#)
1 1, 2, 3 Ball (A)
- 320-100 [Lion Brand Fun Fur Yarn: White](#)
2 2, 2, 2 Balls (B)
- [Lion Brand Knitting Needles Size 11 \[8 mm\]](#)
- [Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 13 \[9 mm\]](#)
- [Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers](#)
- [Lion Brand Stitch Holders](#)
- [Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles \(Set of 6\)](#)

**Wool-Ease Thick & Quick (Article #640).*

Solids, Heathers, Twists, Prints, Stripes: 80% Acrylic, 20% Wool

Wheat & Wood: 86% Acrylic; 10% Wool; 4% Rayon

Oatmeal & Barley & Grey Marble: 82% Acrylic; 10% Wool; 8% Rayon

Metallics: 79% Acrylic, 20% Wool, 1% Metallic Poly; package size: Solids, Heathers,

Twists, Tweeds: 6 oz./170g (106 yd/97 m)

Prints, Stripes: 5 oz./140g (87 yd/80 m)

Metallics: 5 oz./140g (92 yd/84 m)

Fun Fur (Article #320). 100% Polyester; package size: **Solids: 1.75 oz/50g; 64 yd/58m balls*

***Prints:** 1.5 oz/40g; 57 yd/52m balls*

***Exotics:** 1.75 oz/50g; 55 yd/50m balls*

(Note: Exotics shades are lay flat to dry)



GAUGE:

9 sts + 10 1/2 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) using larger needles and A.

When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

[Making a Gauge Swatch](#)

STITCH EXPLANATION:

kfb (knit in front and back) Knit next st without removing it from left needle, then k through back of same st – 1 st increased.

NOTES:

1. Back and Underpiece are worked separately and then joined at neck.
2. Sts are picked up around neck to make the collar.
3. Trim is worked with 3 strands of B held together. Wind B into 3 separate balls before beginning.

BACK

With larger needles and A, cast on 21 (27, 33, 39) sts.

Rows 1-4: K to last st, kfb in last st – 25 (31, 37, 43) sts at the end Row 4.

Row 5: K3 for border, p to last 3 sts, k3 for border.

Row 6: Knit.

Row 7: K3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

Rep Rows 6 and 7 until piece measures about 7 (12, 14, 16) in. (18 (30.5, 35.5, 40.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row as your last row.

Decrease Row (RS): K3, k2tog, k to last 5 sts, k2tog, k3 – 23 (29, 35, 41) sts.

Next Row: K3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

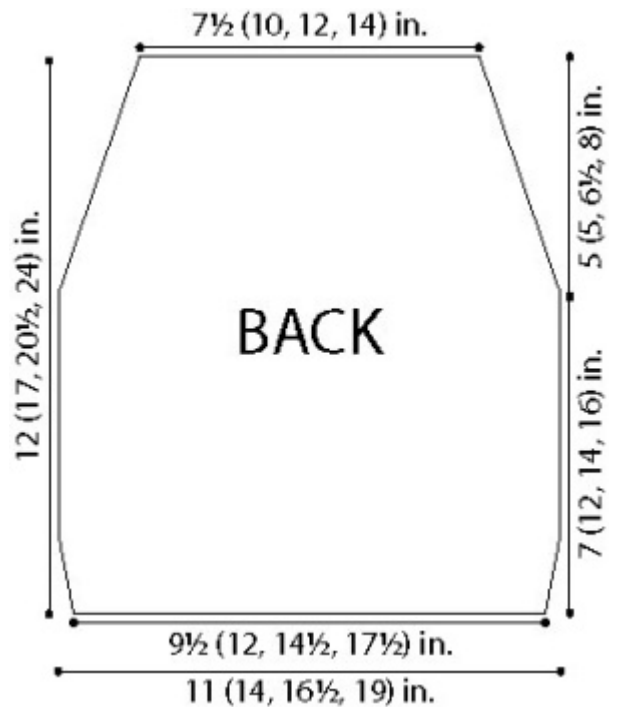
Next Row: Knit.

Next Row: K3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

Rep Decrease Row – 21 (27, 33, 39) sts.

Rep last 4 rows until – 17 (23, 27, 31) sts rem.

Place rem sts on a st holder.



UNDERPIECE

With larger needles and A, cast on 11 (13, 15, 17) sts.

Work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures about 4 (6 1/2, 7 1/2, 9 1/2) in. (10 (16.5, 19, 24) cm) from beg, end with a WS row as your last row.

Decrease Row (RS): K 1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k 1 – 9 (11, 13, 15) sts at the end of this row.

Work in St st for 3 rows.

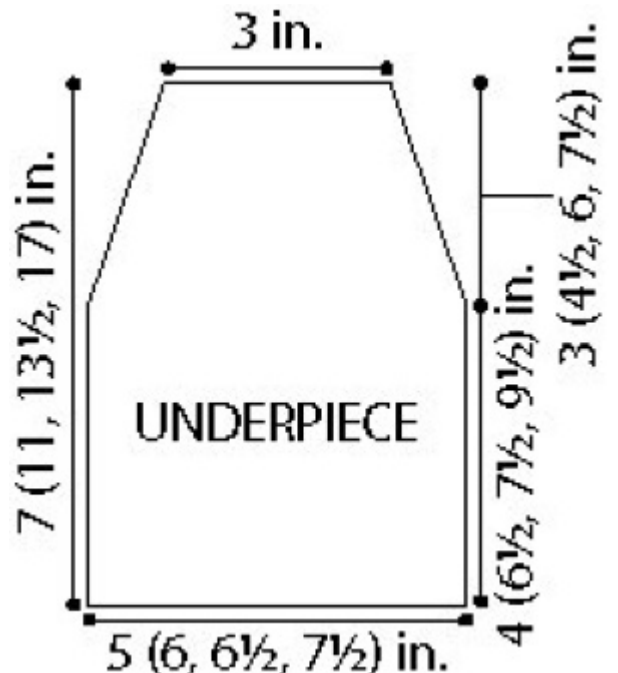
Rep Decrease Row – 7 (9, 11, 13) sts.

Rep last 4 rows 0 (1, 2, 3) more time(s) – 7 sts rem. **Note:** The '0' means that you do not need to rep the last 4 rows if you're making the smallest size.

Joining Row (WS): P7 sts of Underpiece, then p17 (23, 27, 29) Back sts from holder – 24 (30, 34, 36) sts at the end of this row.

Work in St st for 2 rows.

Bind off.



FINISHING

Neck Trim

From RS, with smaller needles and 3 strands of B held tog, pick up and k 36 (45, 48, 53) sts evenly spaced across bound off edge of Back and Underpiece.

Work in St st for 3 in. (7.5 cm).

Bind off as follows: *K2tog, slip st back onto left hand needle; rep from * across, fasten off last st.

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail.

With yarn tail, sew ends of collar tog.

Leg Openings

Notes

1. Leg openings are created by leaving openings when seaming Underpiece to Back.

2. If possible, try Sweater on dog before seaming to adjust placement and size of leg openings.

Joining Row: Seam both sides of Underpiece to Back for about 1 3/4 in. (4.5 cm) from Joining Row.

Place markers on Back and Underpiece 3 (4, 4, 5) in. (7.5 (10, 10, 12.5 cm) from end of each seam.

Leg Trim

From RS, with smaller needles and 3 strands of B held tog, and beg at marker on one side of Underpiece, pick up and k32 (40, 44, 50) sts evenly spaced across edge of Underpiece and Back to opposite marker.

Purl one row.

Bind off as for neck trim.

Rep on opposite leg opening.

Beg at end of leg trim, sew sides of Underpiece to Back.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES	
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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>k = knit</u>
<u>k2tog = knit 2 together</u>	<u>p = purl</u>
<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>
<u>RS = right side</u>	<u>St st = Stockinette stitch</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	<u>tog = together</u>
<u>WS = wrong side</u>	

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