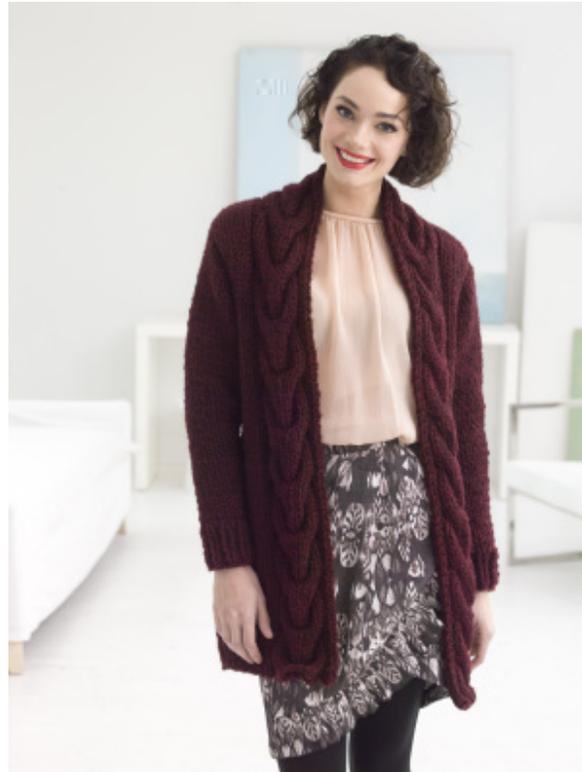




Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®
Westport Cabled Cardigan
Pattern Number: L50271



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SKILL LEVEL: Easy + (Level 3)

SIZE: S/M, Large, 1X/2X

S/M (L, 1X/2X)

Finished Bust About 40 (47, 54) in. (101.5 (119.5, 137) cm)

Finished Length About 30 (31, 32) in. (76 (78.5, 81.5) cm)

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CORRECTIONS: None as of Jul 4, 2016. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 640-143 Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick Yarn: Claret
8 9, 10 Balls
- Lion Brand Size 13 [9 mm] 29-inch [75 cm] Circular Knitting Needles
- Lion Brand Cable Needles (Set of 2)
- Lion Brand Stitch Holders
- Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials
One additional LION BRAND® knitting needle size 13 (9 mm) for 3-Needle Bind-off

**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)*



GAUGE:

9 sts + 12 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS).

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:

3/3 LC (3 over 3 left cross) Slip 3 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k3, then k3 from cable needle.

3/3 RC (3 over 3 right cross) Slip 3 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k3, then k3 from cable needle.

M1 (make 1) An increase worked by lifting the horizontal strand lying between needles and placing it onto the left needle. > Knit this new stitch through the back loop – 1 st increased.

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 knit them tog – 1 st decreased.

PATTERN STITCHES

K1, p1 Rib (worked over an odd number of sts)

Row 1 (WS): K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end of row.

Row 2: K the knit sts and p the purl sts.

Rep Row 2 for K1, p1 Rib.

Cable Pattern (worked over 16 sts)**Row 1 (WS):** K2, p12, k2.**Row 2:** P2, 3/3 RC, 3/3 LC, p2.**Row 3:** K2, p12, k2.**Row 4:** P2, k12, p2.**Rows 5-10:** Rep Rows 3 and 4 three times.

Rep Rows 1-10 for Cable pattern.

NOTES:

1. Cardigan is knit in 5 pieces: Back, Left Front, Right Front, and 2 Sleeves.
2. Front cable bands are extended past the shoulders of the Fronts and joined in back for Back neck band.
3. When you see 'work even' in the instructions, this means to continue on in the pattern st you have established without changing the st count by increasing, decreasing, or binding off.
4. When you see 'as established' in the instructions, this means to continue in the current pattern st, lining up sts as before.

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**BACK**

Cast on 49 (57, 65) sts.

Lower Ribbing

Beg with Row 1, work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Body**Next Row (RS):** Knit.

Continue in St st (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures about 12 in. (30.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Sides**Decrease Row (RS):** K1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – you will have 47 (55, 63) sts at the end of this row.

Work even in St st for 7 rows.

Rep Decrease Row – 45 (53, 61) sts.

Work even in St st until piece measures about 21 in. (53.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Armholes

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, k to end of row – 42 (49, 56) sts.

Row 2: Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, p to end of row – 39 (45, 51) sts.

Row 3 (Decrease Row): K1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 37 (43, 49) sts.

Row 4: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 1 (2, 3) more time(s) – 35 (39, 43) sts.

Work even in St st until armholes measure about 8 (9, 10) in. (20.5 (23, 25.5) cm), end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulders

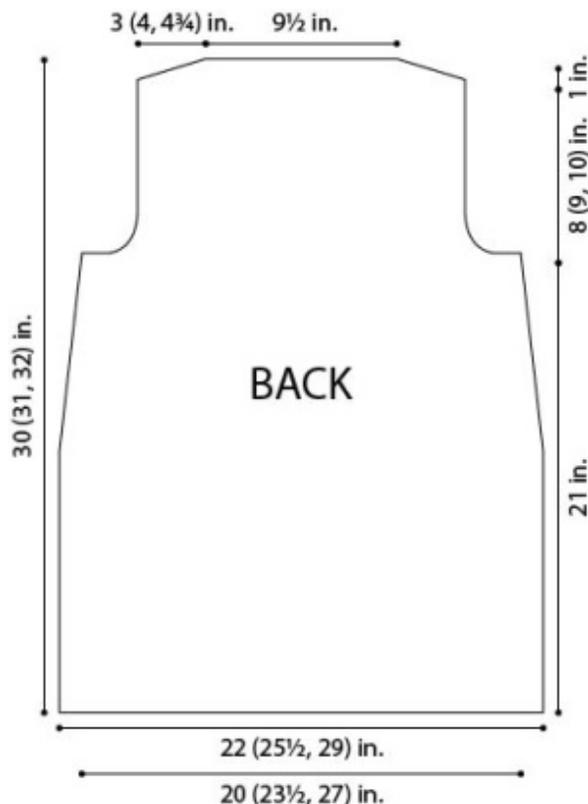
Row 1 (RS): Bind off 4 (5, 6) sts, k to end of row – 31 (34, 37) sts.

Row 2: Bind off 4 (5, 6) sts, p to end of row – 27 (29, 31) sts.

Row 3: Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, k to end of row – 24 (25, 26) sts.

Row 4: Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, p to end of row – 21 sts.

Bind off.



LEFT FRONT

Cast on 32 (36, 40) sts.

Lower Ribbing

Row 1 (WS): P2 (rolled edge sts), place marker (pm), work Row 1 of Cable pattern over next 16 sts, pm, *p1, k1; rep from * to end of row.

Row 2: *P1, k1; rep from * to marker, slip marker (sm), work next row of Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k2 (rolled edge sts).

Row 3: P2, sm, work next row of Cable pattern to next marker, sm, *p1, k1; rep from * to end of row.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Body

Row 1 (RS): K to marker, sm, work Cable pattern as established to next marker, sm, k2.

Row 2: P2, sm, work Cable pattern as established to next marker, sm, p to end of row.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures about 12 in. (30.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Side

Decrease Row (RS): K1, ssk, k to marker, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k2 – 31 (35, 39) sts.

Work even in patterns as established for 7 rows.

Rep Decrease Row – 30 (34, 38) sts.

Work even in patterns as established until piece measures same as Back to Shape Armholes, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Armhole

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, k to marker, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k2 – 27 (30, 33) sts.

Row 2: P2, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, p to end of row.

Row 3 (Decrease Row): K1, ssk, k to marker, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k2 – 26 (29, 32) sts.

Rep last 2 rows 1 (2, 3) more time(s) – 25 (27, 29) sts.

Work even in patterns as established until armhole measures same as Back to Shape Shoulders, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulder

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 4 (5, 6) sts, k to marker, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k2 – 21 (22, 23) sts.

Row 2: P2, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, p to end of row.
Row 3: Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts removing first marker, work Cable pattern as established to next marker, sm, k2 – 18 sts.

Neckband

Row 1 (WS): P2, sm, work Cable pattern to end of row.

Row 2: Work Cable pattern to marker, sm, k2.

Rep last 2 rows until neckband measures about 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm).

Slip rem 18 sts to a holder.

RIGHT FRONT

Cast on 32 (36, 40) sts.

Lower Ribbing

Row 1 (WS): *K1, p1; rep from * to last 18 sts, pm, work Row 1 of Cable pattern over next 16 sts, pm, p2 (rolled edge sts).

Row 2: K2 (rolled edge sts), sm, work next row of Cable pattern to next marker, sm, *k1, p1; rep from * to end of row.

Row 3: *K1, p1; rep from * to marker, sm, work next row of Cable pattern to next marker, sm, p2.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Body

Row 1 (RS): K2, sm, work Cable pattern as established to next marker, sm, k to end of row.

Row 2: P to marker, sm, work Cable pattern as established to next marker, sm, p2.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures about 12 in. (30.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Side

Decrease Row (RS): K2, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 31 (35, 39) sts.

Work even in patterns as established for 7 rows.

Rep Decrease Row – 30 (34, 38) sts.

Work even in patterns as established until piece measures same as Back to Shape Armholes, end with a RS row as the last row you work.

Shape Armhole

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Row 2: K2, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, k to end of row.

Row 3 (Decrease Row): P1, p2tog, p to marker, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, p2 – 26 (29, 32) sts.

Rep last 2 rows 1 (2, 3) more time(s) – 25 (27, 29) sts.

Work even in patterns as established until armhole measures same as Back to Shape Shoulders, end with a RS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulder

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 4 (5, 6) sts, p to marker, sm, work Cable pattern to next marker, sm, p2 – 21 (22, 23) sts.

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Row 3: Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts removing first marker, work Cable pattern as established to next marker, sm, p2 – 18 sts.

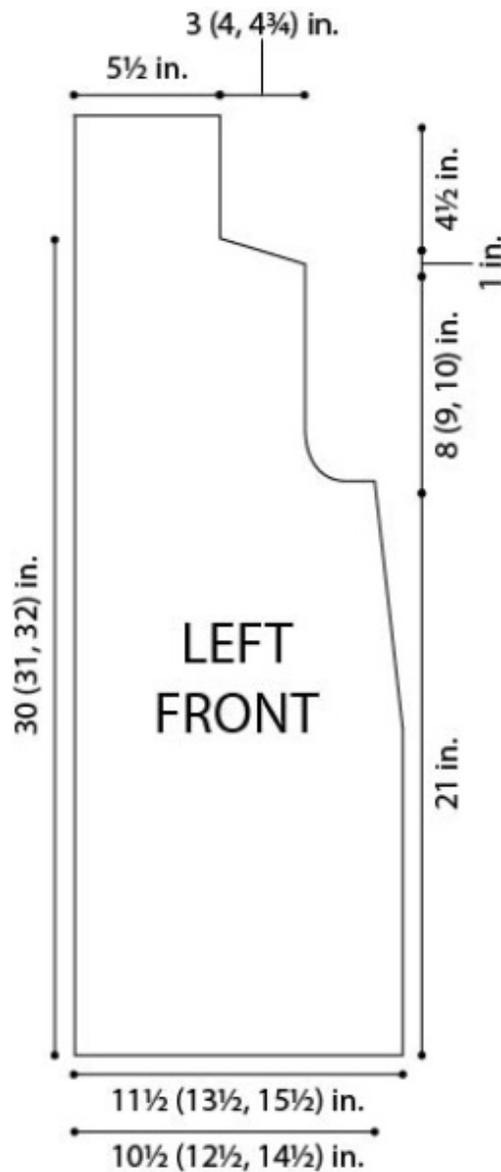
Neckband

Row 1 (RS): K2, sm, work Cable pattern to end of row.

Row 2: Work Cable pattern to marker, sm, p2.

Rep last 2 rows until neckband measures about 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm).

Slip rem 18 sts to a holder.



SLEEVES (make 2)

Cast on 19 (21, 23) sts.

Lower Ribbing Beg with Row 1, work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Body

Increase Row (RS): K1, M1, k to last st, M1, k1 – 21 (23, 25) sts.

Work in St st for 3 rows.

Rep last 4 rows 7 (8, 9) more times – 35 (39, 43) sts.

Work even in St st until piece measures about 17 in. (43 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Cap (top of Sleeve)

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 3 (4, 5) sts, k to end of row – 32 (35, 38) sts.

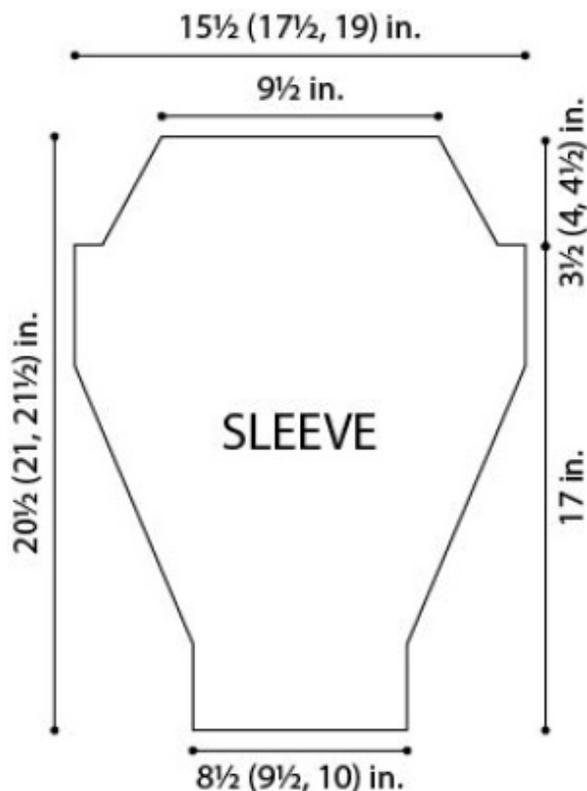
Row 2: Bind of 3 (4, 5) sts, p to end of row – 29 (31, 33) sts.

Row 3 (Decrease Row): K1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 27 (29, 31) sts.

Row 4: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 3 (4, 5) more times – 21 sts.

Bind off.



FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Join Neckbands with 3-Needle Bind-off

Return left neckband sts to one needle and right neckband sts to a 2nd needle.

With RS of pieces together, hold the 2 needles in one hand. With a 3rd needle, knit tog 1 st from each needle, *knit tog 1 st from each needle, pass first st worked over 2nd to bind off; rep from * across. Cut yarn and pull through last st to secure.

Sew lower edge of joined neckband to Back neck edge.

Sew in Sleeves. Sew side and Sleeve seams.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>k2tog = knit 2 together</u>
<u>p = purl</u>	<u>p2tog = purl 2 together</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>WS = wrong side</u>

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