

Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Color Waves Suffield Slipover Pattern Number: L50350



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Free Knitting Pattern from Lion Brand Yarn Lion Brand® Color Waves Suffield Slipover

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy (Level 2)

SIZE: Small, Medium, Large, XL, 2X

Finished Bust 49 (52 1/2, 57, 60 1/2, 65) in. (124.5 (133.5, 145, 153.5, 165) cm) **Finished Length** 28 (28 1/2, 29, 29 1/2, 30) in. (71 (72.5, 73.5, 75, 76) 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 Jun 13, 2016. To check for later updates, click here.

MATERIALS

• 595-208 <u>Lion Brand Color Waves: Acorn</u>

1 1, 2, 2, 2 Ball (A)

• 595-220 <u>Lion Brand Color Waves: Tigers Eye</u> 1 1, 2, 2, 2 Ball (B)

• 595-206 <u>Lion Brand Color Waves: Marble</u> 1 1, 2, 2, 2 Ball (C)

• 595-214 <u>Lion Brand Color Waves: Newsprint</u> 1 1, 2, 2, 2 Ball (D)

Lion Brand Size 10.5 [6.5 mm] 29-inch [75 cm] Circular Knitting Needles

• Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers

• Lion Brand Stitch Holders

• Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

Additional Materials
 Large hook and eye
 Sewing needle and thread

*<u>Color Waves</u> (Article #595). 80% Acrylic, 20% Wool; package size: 3.50oz/100.00 gr. (306yds/280m) pull skeins



GAUGE:

14 sts + 20 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS).

When you match the <u>gauge</u> 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

NOTES:

- 1. Tunic is made in 4 pieces: Back, Front and 2 Sleeves.
- 2. A circular needle is used to accommodate the large number of stitches. Work back and forth on the circular needle as if working on straight needles.
- 3. Stitches are picked up around the neck and an edging is worked.

BACK

With A, cast on 86 (92, 100, 106, 114) sts.

Knit 3 rows.

Beginning with a RS (knit) row work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures about 7 in. (18 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Change to B.

With B, work in St st until piece measures about 14 in. (25.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Change to C.

With C, work 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.

Change to D.

With D, work in St st until piece measures about 24 (24 1/2, 25, 25 1/2, 26) in. (61 (62, 63.5, 65, 66) cm) from beg, end with a WS (purl) row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulders

Continue in St st, and AT THE SAME TIME, shape shoulders as follows:

Bind off 3 sts at the beg of the next 20 (16, 8, 4, 0) rows and 4 sts at the beg of the next 0 (4, 12, 16, 20) rows – you will have 26 (28, 28, 30, 34) sts when all bind offs are complete. Slip these 26 (28, 28, 30, 34) sts onto a holder.

FRONT

Note: Before beginning the Front, divide yarns C and D into 2 balls each if necessary. Cast on and work same as for Back until piece measures about 16 in. (40.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Place a marker on each side of the center 8 sts.

Continuing color changes as for Back, work as follows:

Next Row (RS): Knit across, slipping markers as you come to them.

Next Row (WS): Purl to first marker, slip marker (sm), k to next marker, sm, purl to end of row.

Rep last 2 rows 2 more times.

Divide for Front Slit

Next Row (RS): Continuing in St st, k to first marker, sm, k4; join a 2nd ball of yarn and k to next marker, sm, k to end of row - 43 (46, 50, 53, 57) sts remain on each side.

You will now be working both sides AT THE SAME TIME using separate balls of yarn.

Next Row (WS): On first side, p to marker, sm, k4; on second side, k4, sm, p to end of row.

Next Row: Knit.

Working both sides AT THE SAME TIME with separate balls of yarn, rep last 2 rows until Front measures same as Back to shoulder shaping, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulders and Neck

Working each side separately, continue in St st and AT THE SAME TIME, shape shoulders and neck as follows: Bind off at each shoulder edge 3 sts 10 (8, 4, 2, 0) times and 4 sts 0 (2, 6, 8, 10) times and AT THE SAME TIME bind off at each neck edge 5 (6, 6, 7, 9) sts once, 3 sts once, 2 sts once and 1 st three times.

SLEEVES (make 2)

With D, cast on 50 (52, 56, 60, 64) sts.

Knit 3 rows.

Beg with a RS (knit) row, work in St st for 2 rows.

Next 4 Rows: Bind off 8 (8, 9, 10, 11) sts, work in St st to end of row.

Bind off rem 18 (20, 20, 20, 20) sts.



FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Neck Edging

From RS with D, beg at top right corner of neck, pick up and k12 (13, 13, 15, 16) sts evenly spaced along right front neck edge, then pick up and k26 (28, 28, 30, 34) sts from back neck holder, and 12 (13, 13,15, 16) sts evenly spaced along left front neck to corner – you will have 50 (54, 54, 60, 66) sts.

Knit 2 rows.

Bind off.

Place markers 8 (8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10) in. (20.5 (21.5, 23, 24, 25.5) cm) down from shoulder seams on Front and Back. Sew Sleeves between markers.

Sew side and Sleeve seams. With sewing needle and thread, sew hook and eye to top corners of neck. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	k = knit
p = purl	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>
RS = right side	St st = Stockinette stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)	WS = wrong side

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