

# Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick® Poncho and Cowl

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# SKILL LEVEL - Easy

## SIZES

# **PONCHO**

Child's 4-6 years, (6-8 years, 10-12 years, Adult S/M, L/1X)

Finished Width About 25 (27, 31, 37, 43) in. (63.5 (68.5, 78.5, 94, 109) cm)

Finished Length About 18 (21, 24, 26, 28) in. (45.5 (53.5, 61, 66, 71) cm)

**Note:** Poncho 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.

# **COWL**

Child (Adult)

Finished Circumference About 21 (24) in. (53.5 (61) cm)

Finished Height About 7 (9) in. (18 (23) cm)

**Note:** Cowl pattern is written for Child size with changes for Adult size in parentheses. When only one number is given, it applies to both sizes.

## **MATERIALS**

- Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick® (Art. #640)
  - 154 Grey Marble 4 (5, 6, 7, 9) balls
- Lion Brand® circular knitting needle size 13 (9 mm)
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



#### ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

4 two-hole buttons, about 1 1/4 in. (32 mm) diameter Sewing needle and thread

## **GAUGE**

8 sts + 12 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS).BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

#### **NOTES**

- 1. Poncho is worked in 2 identical pieces: Front and Back. The armholes are made by sewing buttons at underarms.
- 2. The circular needle is used to accommodate the large stitches. Work back and forth on the circular needle as if working with straight needles.
- The Cowl is worked back and forth in rows then seamed.

# **PONCHO** FRONT

Cast on 50 (54, 62, 74, 86) sts.

# Lower Ribbing

**Row 1 (WS):** K4, p2, \*k2, p2; rep from \* to last 4 sts, k4.

**Row 2:** K6, p2, \*k2, p2; rep from \* to last 6 sts, k6.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 once more for Child's sizes and twice more for Adult sizes. Rep Row 1 for all sizes.

## **Body**

Next Row (RS): Knit.

Next Row: K4, p to last 4 sts, k4.

Rep last 2 rows, keeping first and last 4 sts in Garter st (k every st on every row) and remaining sts in St st (k on RS, p on WS), until piece measures about 18 (21, 24, 26, 28) in. (45.5 (53.5, 61, 66, 71) cm) from beg. Bind off.

## **BACK**

Make same as Front.

## **FINISHING**

Hold Front and Back with WS together and sts matching. From RS and beg at side edges, sew shoulder seams for about 8 (8 1/2, 10 1/2, 13, 15 1/2) in. (20.5 (21.5, 26.5, 33, 39.5) cm), leaving center open for neck.

Place markers on side edges about 9 (11, 14, 17, 19) in. (23 (28, 35.5, 43, 48.5) cm) below shoulder seams for armholes. Line up holes of 2 buttons, one on Front and one on Back, at one marker. With sewing needle and thread and sewing through both thicknesses and both buttons, sew buttons in place.

Rep to sew 2 buttons on opposite side of Poncho.

Weave in ends.

# **COWL**

Cast on 42 (48) sts.

Row 1 (WS): K2, p2, \*k4, p2; rep from \* to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 2: Knit.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures about 7 (9) in. (18 (23) cm) from beg. Bind off loosely.

## **FINISHING**

Sew short sides together to make a ring. Weave in ends.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

beg = begin(ning) k = knit p = purl rep = repeat

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RS = right side st(s) = stitch(es) St st = Stockinette stitch WS = wrong side

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