



***Free Crochet Pattern***  
**Lion Brand® Fast-Track®**  
**Popcorn Hooded Poncho**  
Pattern Number: L70056  
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## **SKILL LEVEL – Intermediate**

### **ONE SIZE**

**Finished Width** About 37 in. (94 cm)

**Finished Length** About 18 in. (45.5 cm), not including hood

### **MATERIALS**

- Lion Brand® Fast-Track® (Art. #521)
  - 100 Airstream White 13 balls
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size P-15 (10 mm)
- Lion Brand® Pom-Pom Maker
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



### **GAUGE**

15 sts + 16 rows = about 8 in. (20.5 cm) over Popcorn Pattern.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

### **STITCH EXPLANATIONS**

**dc2tog (dc 2 sts together)** (Yarn over, insert hook in next st and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

**Popcorn** Work 3 dc in indicated st, drop loop from hook, insert hook from front to back in first dc of the 3-dc group just made, return dropped loop to hook and draw it through the first dc.

**Pop3tog (Popcorn 3 sts together)** Dc in each of next 3 sts, drop loop from hook, insert hook from front to back in first dc of the 3-dc group just made, return dropped loop to hook and draw it through the first dc.

**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 and draw through all loops on hook. **sc2tog (sc 2 sts together)** (Insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

### **TECHNIQUE EXPLANATION**

#### **Surface Slip Stitch**

1. Make a slip knot, but do not place it on hook.
2. Insert hook from RS to WS through crochet fabric.
3. Place the slip knot on hook and draw loop to RS (keep beg tail and working yarn on WS).
4. \*Insert hook from RS to WS through fabric a short distance from last insertion location, yarn over, draw loop through fabric and through loop on hook (surface sl st made); rep from \* inserting hook, as desired, to create surface pattern.
5. Fasten off.

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## **PATTERN STITCH**

**Popcorn Pattern (worked over an odd number of sts; beg over an even number of foundation chains)**

**Row 1 (WS):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, \*Popcorn in next st, sc in next st; rep from \* to last 2 sts, sc in last 2 sts.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc and Popcorn across.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sts, \*Popcorn in next st, sc in next st; rep from \* to last st, sc in last st.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, turn sc in each sc and Popcorn across.

Rep Rows 2-5 for Popcorn Pattern.

## **NOTES**

1. Poncho is made from 5 pieces: Back, Front, 2 Sleeves, and Hood.
2. All pieces are worked back and forth in rows.
3. Surface slip st and reverse sc are used to create texture.
4. For those who find visuals helpful, we've included a stitch diagram.

**CORRECTIONS:** (applied August 16th, 2017)

## **FRONT**

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### **Shape Right Shoulder and Neck**

**Row 1 (WS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next 29 sts; leave rem sts unworked for ~~right~~ **left** shoulder and neck – 30 dc.

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### **Shape Left Shoulder and Neck**

From WS, **sk next 9 unworked sts following Row 1 of right shoulder for front neck**, join yarn with sl st in **next st** ~~same st as last st of Row 1 of right shoulder and neck.~~

## **BACK**

Beg at lower edge, ch 70, loosely.

**Rows 1-30:** Beg with Row 1 of pattern, work in Popcorn Pattern for 30 rows – you will have 33 Popcorn and 36 sc in each RS row and 69 sc in each WS row.

**Row 31 (WS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next 33 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in each st across – 70 dc.

**Row 32:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 36 dc and 17 ch-2 sps.

**Row 33:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 70 dc.

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### Shape Right Shoulder

**Row 1 (RS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, (ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) 7 times; leave rem sts unworked for back neck and left shoulder – 16 dc and 7 ch-2 sps.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, (2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts) twice, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next st, hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next st, sc in next st, (2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 sts) twice working last sc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 sts.  
Fasten off.

### Shape Left Shoulder

From RS, sk next 10 unworked sts following Row 1 of right shoulder for back neck, join yarn with sl st in next st.

**Row 1 (RS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in next st, (ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts) 7 times working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 16 dc and 7 ch-2 sps.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next st, hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next st, dc in next st, (2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts) 3 times working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 sts.  
Fasten off.

### FRONT

Beg at lower edge, ch 70, loosely.

**Rows 1-30:** Work in Popcorn Pattern for 30 rows – you will have 33 Popcorn and 36 sc in each RS row and 69 sc in each WS row.

### Shape Right Shoulder and Neck

**Row 1 (WS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next 29 sts; leave rem sts unworked for left shoulder and neck – 30 dc.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 16 dc and 7 ch-2 sps.

**Row 3:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 dc.

**Row 4:** Rep Row 2.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next st, hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next st, dc in next st, (2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts) 3 times working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 sts. Fasten off.

### Shape Left Shoulder and Neck

From WS, sk next 9 unworked sts following Row 1 of right shoulder for front neck, join yarn with sl st in next st.

**Row 1 (WS):** Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each st across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 dc.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2

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sts; rep from \* across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 16 dc and 7 ch-2 sps.  
**Row 3:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across working last dc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 dc.

**Row 4:** Rep Row 2.

**Row 5:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, (2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts) twice, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next st, hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in next st, sc in next st, (2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 sts) twice working last sc in top of beg ch-3 – 30 sts.

Fasten off.

### **SLEEVES (make 2)**

Beg at cuff edge, ch 19, loosely.

**Row 1 (WS):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – you will have 18 sc in this row.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, \*Popcorn in next st, sc in next st; rep from \* to last st, sc in last st – 8 Popcorn and 10 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc and Popcorn across – 18 sc.

**Row 4:** Ch 3 (counts dc), turn, dc in next st, \*ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across – 10 dc and 4 ch-2 sps.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sts, \*2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across working last sc in top of beg ch-3 – 18 sc.

**Row 6:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, \*Popcorn in next st, sc in next st; rep from \* to last st, sc in last st – 8 Popcorn and 10 sc.

**Row 7 (Increase Row):** Ch 1, turn, sc in first 2 sts, 2 sc in each of next 13 sts, sc in next 3 sts – 31 sc.

Beg with Row 2 of pattern, work in Popcorn Pattern for 18 rows.

Fasten off.

### **HOOD**

Beg at neck edge, ch 30, loosely.

**Rows 1-4:** Work in Popcorn Pattern for 4 rows – you will have 13 Popcorn and 16 sc in each RS row and 29 sc in each WS row.

**Row 5 (Increase Row):** Ch 1, turn, 2 sc in each of first 2 sts, sc in each st to last 2 sts, 2 sc in each of last 2 sts – 33 sc.

**Rows 6-8:** Work Rows 2-4 of Popcorn Pattern – you will have 15 Popcorn and 18 sc in RS rows and 33 sc in WS row.

**Row 9:** Rep Row 5 (Increase Row) – 37 sc.

**Rows 10-21:** Beg with Row 2 of pattern, work in Popcorn Pattern for 12 rows.

### **Shape Top of Hood**

**Row 1 (RS):** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, (Popcorn in next st, sc in next st) 6 times, sc in next st, Pop3tog, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st, Pop3tog, sc in next 2 sts, (Popcorn in next st, sc in next st) 6 times – 15 Popcorn and 18 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc and Popcorn across – 33 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, Popcorn in next st, (sc in next st, Popcorn in next st) 4 times, sc in next 2 sts, Pop3tog, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next

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st, Pop3tog, sc in next 2 sts, (Popcorn in next st, sc in next st) 5 times – 13 Popcorn and 16 sc.

**Row 4:** Rep Row 2 – 29 sc.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, Popcorn in next st, (sc in next st, Popcorn in next st) 3 times, sc in next 2 sts,, Pop3tog, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st, Pop3tog, sc in next 2 sts, (Popcorn in next st, sc in next st) 4 times – 11 Popcorn and 14 sc.

**Row 6:** Rep Row 2 – 25 sc.

**Row 7:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, Popcorn in next st, (sc in next st, Popcorn in next st) 2 times, sc in next 2 sts,, Pop3tog, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st, Pop3tog, sc in next 2 sts, (Popcorn in next st, sc in next st) 3 times – 9 Popcorn and 12 sc.

**Row 8:** Rep Row 2 – 21 sc.

**Row 9:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next 2 sts,, Pop3tog, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st, Pop3tog, sc in next 2 sts, (Popcorn in next st, sc in next st) twice – 7 Popcorn and 10 sc.

**Row 10:** Rep Row 2 – 17 sc.

**Row 11:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next 2 sts, Pop3tog, sc in next st, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st, Pop3tog, sc in next 2 sts, Popcorn in next st, sc in next st – 5 Popcorn and 8 sc.

**Row 12:** Rep Row 2 – 13 sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail for sewing.

Fold last row in half and sew together for top seam.

### **Hood Edging**

From WS, working in ends of rows along front edge of Hood, join yarn with sl st at beg of front edge.

**Row 1 (WS):** Ch 1, work 70 sc evenly spaced along front edge of Hood.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*ch 2, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* across – 36 dc and 34 ch-2 sps.

**Row 3:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, dc in next st, \*2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 2 sts; rep from \* to last ch-2 sp, 2 dc in last ch-2 sp, dc2tog (working over last dc and top of beg ch-3) – 69 dc.

**Rows 4-7:** Beg with Row 2 of pattern, work in Popcorn Pattern for 4 rows.

**Row 8:** Ch 1, do not turn, rev sc in each st across.

Fasten off.

### **FINISHING**

Sew shoulder seams.

Place markers on each side of Back and Front about 8 in. (20.5 cm) below shoulder seams.

Sew Sleeves between markers. Remove markers.

Sew side and Sleeve seams.

### **Lower Edging**

From RS, join yarn with slip st anywhere in lower edge, ch 1, rev sc evenly spaced around lower edge of Poncho; join with sl st in beg ch 1.  
Fasten off.

### **Cuff Edging**

From RS, join yarn with slip st anywhere in cuff edge of one Sleeve, ch 1, rev sc evenly spaced around cuff edge; join with sl st in beg ch-1.  
Fasten off.  
Rep edging around second cuff edge.

### **Surface Slip Stitch Embellishment**

**Row 1 (RS):** From RS and beg at right neck edge, work a line of surface slip st around top of Poncho, working above top row of Popcorns on right front, along top edge of right sleeve, along top row of Popcorns of Back, along top edge of left sleeve and along top row of Popcorns on left front, ending at left neck edge.

**Row 2:** Do not turn, rev sc in each slip st back to right neck edge.

Fasten off.

Sew lower edge of Hood to neck edge of Poncho.

### **Ties (make 2)**

Make a chain about 18 in. (45.5 cm) long.

Following package directions, make 2 medium size pom-poms. Tie one pom-pom to one end of each 18 in. (45.5 cm) chain. Sew other end of chain to lower front corners of Hood.

Weave in ends.

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

beg = begin(ning)(s)

ch = chain

ch-sp(s) = chain space(s)

dc = double crochet

hdc = half double crochet

rem = remain(ing)(s)

rep(s) = repeat(s)

RS = right side

sc = single crochet

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side

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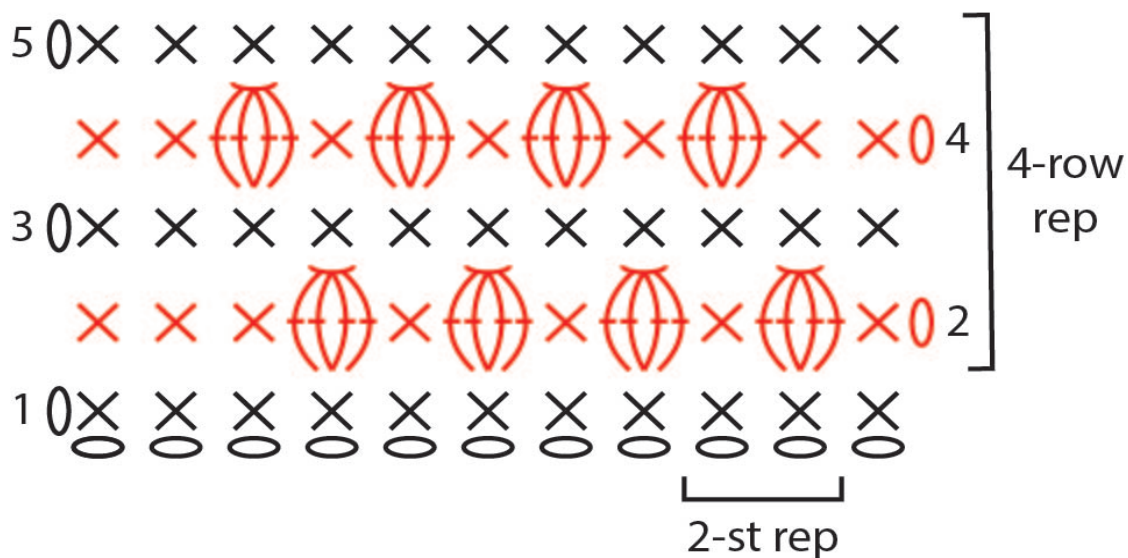
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KEY

 = chain (ch)

 = single crochet (sc)

 = popcorn (PC)