



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Jeans® Colors
Textured Top
Pattern Number: L70348
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SKILL LEVEL – Intermediate

SIZES

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

Finished Bust About 38 (42, 46, 50, 54) in. (96.5 (106.5, 117, 127, 137) cm)

Finished Length About 25 (25 1/2, 26, 26 1/2, 27) in. (63.5 (65, 66, 67.5, 68.5) cm), not including turtleneck

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.

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Jeans® Colors (Art. #506)
 - 145 Corduroy 4 (5, 5, 6, 7) balls
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Circular knitting needle size 7 (4.5 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long

Circular knitting needle size 7 (4.5 mm), 36 in. (91.5 cm) long

GAUGE

21 1/2 sts + 30 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in Seed and Ridge pattern.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATIONS

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.

pfb (purl into front and back) Purl next st without removing it from left needle, then p through back of same st – 1 st increased.

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

PATTERN STITCHES

K1, p1 Rib (worked in rows over an even number of sts)

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

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

Rep Row 2 for K1, p1 Rib worked in rows.

K1, p1 Rib (worked in rnds over an even number of sts)

Rnd 1: *K1, p1; rep from * to end of rnd.

Rep Rnd 1 for K1, p1 Rib worked in rnds.

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Seed St (worked over an even number of sts)

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

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

Rep Row 2 for Seed st.

Seed St (worked over an odd number of sts)

Row 1 (RS): *K1, p1; rep from * to last st, k1.

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

Rep Row 2 for Seed st.

Ridge Pattern (worked over 12 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P2, k8, p2.

Row 2: K2, p8, k2.

Rows 3-6: Rep Rows 1 and 2.

Row 7: Purl 12.

Row 8: Knit 12.

Rep Rows 1-8 for Ridge pattern.

TECHNIQUE EXPLANATION

Cable Cast On *Insert right needle between first 2 sts on left needle; wrap yarn and pull through (as if knitting a st); transfer new st to left needle. Repeat from * for desired number of sts.

NOTES

1. Top is worked in 2 pieces: Back and Front.
2. For Front and Back, work back and forth in rows on the circular needle as if working on straight needles.
3. Turtleneck is worked in the round from sts picked up around the neck edge.
4. When you see 'work in pattern as established' in the instructions, this means to work the next row of the pattern st, lining up sts as in previous rows.

BACK

With longer needle, cast on 102 (112, 124, 134, 146) sts.

Row 1 (RS): Work Row 1 of K1, p1 Rib worked in rows across.

Rep Row 2 of K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 1 1/2 in. (4 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Sides

Row 1 (Set-Up – RS): Work Row 1 of Seed st over first 12 (14, 16, 18, 20) sts, place marker (pm), (work Row 1 of Ridge pattern over next 12 sts, pm, work Row 1 of Seed st over next 21 (24, 28, 31, 35) sts, pm) twice, work Row 1 of Ridge pattern over next 12 sts, pm, work Row 1 of Seed st to end of row.

Rows 2-7: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established, slipping markers as you come to them.

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Row 8 (Decrease Row): Work first st in Seed st, k or p2tog, work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established to last 3 sts, k or p2tog, work last st in Seed st – you will have 100 (110, 122, 132, 144) sts.

Note: As you continue to shape the Top with decreases, on each decrease row, you will k2tog or p2tog over the 2nd and 3rd sts of the row and over the 2 sts before the last st of the row.
Determine on each decrease row whether you think a k2tog or a p2tog would look best.
On the row following a decrease row, work the sts into the Seed st pattern as established.

Rows 9-15: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established.

Row 16 (Decrease Row): Rep Row 8 – 98 (108, 120, 130, 142) sts.

Row 17: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established.

Rows 18-33: Rep Rows 2-17 – 94 (104, 116, 126, 138) sts when all decreases have been completed.

Rows 34-47: Rep Rows 2-15 – 92 (102, 114, 124, 136) sts when all decreases have been completed.

Note: In this next section, you will be shaping the Top with increases. On each increase row, you will M1 after the first st of the row and before the last st of the row.
On the row following an increase row, work the sts into the Seed st pattern as established.

Row 48 (Increase Row): Work first st in Seed st, M1, continue in Seed and Ridge pattern as established to last st, M1, work last st in Seed st – 94 (104, 116, 126, 138) sts.

Rows 49-55: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established.

Row 56 (Increase Row): Rep Row 48.

Rows 57-63: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established.

Rows 64-79: Rep Rows 48-63 – 100 (110, 122, 132, 144) sts when all increases have been completed.

Row 80: Rep Row 48 – 102 (112, 124, 134, 146) sts.

Rows 81-96: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established.

Shape Armholes

Row 1 (Increase Row): Rep Row 48 – 104 (114, 126, 136, 148) sts.

Rows 2 and 4: Work in Seed and Ridge patterns as established.

Row 3 (Increase Row): Rep Row 48 – 106 (116, 128, 138, 150) sts.

Rows 5-12: Rep Rows 1-4 for 2 more times – 114 (124, 136, 146, 158) sts.

Rows 13 and 14: Rep Rows 1 and 2 – 116 (126, 138, 148, 160) sts.

Sleeve

Rows 1 and 2: Cast on 5 sts using Cable Cast On, work in Seed and Ridge patterns to end of row – 126 (136, 148, 158, 170) sts at the end of Row 2.

Row 3: Sl 1, p6 for sleeve band, work in Seed and Ridge patterns to last 7 sts, p7 for sleeve band.

Row 4: Sl 1, k6, work in Seed and Ridge patterns to last 7 sts, k6, p1.

Row 5: Sl 1, k4, p2, work in Seed and Ridge patterns to last 7 sts, p2, k4, p1.

Row 6: Sl 1, p4, k2, work in Seed and Ridge patterns to last 7 sts, k2, p5.

Rep Rows 3-6 until about 7 (7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2, 9) in. (18 (19, 20.5, 21.5, 23) cm) from cast on sts, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulders

Rows 1-12: Bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of row – 54 (64, 64, 62, 62) sts when all bind offs have been completed.

Rows 13 and 14: Bind off 9 (12, 12, 10, 10) sts, work in pattern as established to end of row – 36 (40, 40, 42, 42) sts.

Bind off all rem sts.

FRONT

Cast on and work same as Back to Shape Shoulders.

Shape Neck and Shoulders

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established over next 49 (53, 58, 61, 66) sts (you will have a total of 50 (54, 59, 62, 67) sts on right needle) for left side of neck; join a 2nd ball of yarn, bind off next 14 (16, 16, 18, 18) sts, work in patterns as established to end of row for right side of neck – 50 (54, 59, 62, 67) sts for left side and 56 (60, 66, 70, 76) sts for right side.

You will now work both sides AT THE SAME TIME with separate balls of yarn.

Row 2: On right side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 4 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side – 46 (50, 55, 58, 63) sts for left side and 50 (54, 59, 62, 67) sts for right side.

Row 3: On left side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 4 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side – 40 (44, 48, 50, 54) sts for left side and 46 (50, 55, 58, 63) sts for right side.

Row 4: On right side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side – 37 (41, 45, 47, 51) sts for left side and 40 (44, 48, 50, 54) sts for right side.

Row 5: On left side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side – 31 (35, 38, 39, 42) sts for left side and 37 (41, 45, 47, 51) sts for right side.

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Row 6: On right side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side – 29 (33, 36, 37, 40) sts for left side and 31 (35, 38, 39, 42) sts for right side.

Row 7: On left side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side – 23 (27, 29, 29, 31) sts for left side and 29 (33, 36, 37, 40) sts for right side.

Row 8: On right side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 1 (2, 2, 2, 2) st(s), work in patterns as established to end of side – 22 (25, 27, 27, 29) sts for left side and 23 (27, 29, 29, 31) sts for right side.

Row 9: On left side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 1 (2, 2, 2, 2) st(s), work in patterns as established to end of side – 16 (19, 20, 19, 20) sts for left side and 22 (25, 27, 27, 29) sts for right side.

Row 10: On right side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 1 st, work in patterns as established to end of side – 15 (18, 19, 18, 19) sts for left side and 16 (19, 20, 19, 20) sts for right side.

Row 11: On left side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 1 st, work in patterns as established to end of side – 9 (12, 12, 10, 10) sts for left side and 15 (18, 19, 18, 19) sts for right side.

Row 12: On right side, bind off 6 (6, 7, 8, 9) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, work in patterns as established to end of side – 9 (12, 12, 10, 10) sts for each side.

Bind off all rem sts of each side.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams. Sew side and sleeve seams.

Turtleneck

From RS with shorter needle and beginning at either shoulder seam, pick up and k86 (96, 96, 100, 100) sts evenly spaced around neck edge.

Place marker for beg of rnd. Join by working the first st on the left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle.

Work in K1, p1 Rib worked in rnds for 2 1/2 in. (6.5 cm).

Bind off.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)(s)

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 stitches together

p = purl

p2tog = purl 2 stitches together

rem = remain(ing)

rep = repeat

RS = right side

sl = slip

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side

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