Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®
Folke Pullover
Pattern Number: L80250
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SKILL LEVEL – Easy+

SIZES
S (M/L, 1X/2X)
Finished Bust About 46 (52, 58) in. (117 (132, 147.5) cm)
Finished Length About 18 1/2 (19 1/2, 20 1/2) in. (47 (49.5, 52) 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.

MATERIALS
- Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick® (Art. #640)
  - 124 Barley 3 (4, 5) balls (A)
  - 143 Claret 1 (2, 2) ball(s) (B)
  - 138 Cranberry 1 (2, 2) ball(s) (C)
  - 153 Black 1 (2, 2) ball(s) (D)
  - 099 Fisherman 1 (2, 2) ball(s) (E)
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® stitch holders
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS
Circular knitting needle size 13 (9 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long
Circular knitting needle size 13 (9 mm), 24 in. (61 cm) long
Circular knitting needle size 13 (9 mm), 36 in. (91.5 cm) long
Circular knitting needle size 13 (9 mm), 40 in. (101.5 cm) long

GAUGE
8 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st worked in the rnd (k every st on every rnd).
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION
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.

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; rep from * for desired number of sts.

NOTES

1. Pullover is worked in one piece, in the round, beginning at neck.
2. At underarms, piece is divided, then body and sleeves are worked separately. The body is worked in the round. The sleeves are worked back and forth in rows.
3. Stranded colorwork on the Pullover uses 2 colors on each round or row. Carry unused color loosely across WS of piece.
4. When you see 'as established' in the instructions, this means to continue in the current pattern st. For example, to continue in a rib pattern, k the knit sts and p the purl sts.
5. 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.

PULLOVER
Yoke
With shortest circular needle and A, cast on 44 (48, 52) sts.
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 and being careful not to twist sts.
Knit 4 rnds.
Next Rnd: *K11 (12, 13), M1; rep from * 3 more times – you will have 48 (52, 56) sts in this rnd.

Begin Colorwork

Note: Change to longer and longer circular needles as sts are increased and no longer fit comfortably on a shorter needle.

Rnd 1: With A, k1, *with B, k1; with A, k3; rep from * to last 3 sts, with B, k1; with A, k2.
Rnd 2: *With B, k3; with A, k1; rep from * around.
Rnd 3: Rep Rnd 1.
Rnd 4 (Increase Rnd): *With C, k3; with A, k1, M1; rep from * around – 60 (65, 70) sts.
Rnds 5 and 6: *With C, k3; with A, k2; rep from * around.
Rnd 7 (Increase Rnd): With A, k4, *M1, k5; rep from * to last st, M1, k1 – 72 (78, 84) sts.
Rnd 8: With A, k1, *with D, k1; with A, k5; rep from * to last 5 sts, with D, k1; with A, k4.
Rnd 9: *With D, k3; with A, k3; rep from * around.
Rnd 10: With D, k4, *with A, k1; with D, k5; rep from * to last 2 sts, with A, k1; with D, k1.
Rnd 11 (Increase Rnd): With D, k5, *M1, k6; rep from * to last st, M1, k1 – 84 (91, 98) sts.

Rnd 12: With D, k1, *with B, k1; with D, k6; rep from * to last 6 sts, with B, k1; with D, k5.

Rnd 13: *With B, k3; with D, k4; rep from * around.

Rnd 14: With B, k4, *with D, k2; with B, k5; rep from * to last 3 sts, with D, k2; with B, k1.

Rnd 15 (Increase Rnd): With B, k1, *with A, k1; with B, k3; with A, M1; with B, k3; rep from * to last 6 sts, with A, k1; with B, k3; with A, M1; with B, k2 – 96 (104, 112) sts.

Rnd 16: *With A, k3; with B, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 17: *With E, k1; with A, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 18: *With A, k1; with E, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 19 (Increase Rnd): *With C, k8 (6, 5), M1; rep from * 11 (15, 19) more times, k to end of rnd – 108 (120, 132) sts.

Rnds 20 and 21: *With B, k2; with C, k2; rep from * around.

Rnds 22 and 23: With A, k1; *with D, k4; with A, k2; rep from * to last 5 sts, with D, k4; with A, k1.

Rnds 24 and 25: With A, k2, *with D, k2; with A, k4; rep from * to last 4 sts, with D, k2; with A, k2.

Rnds 26 and 27: With A, k1, *with E, k4; with A, k2; rep from * to last 5 sts, with E, k4; with A, k1.

Rnd 28 (Increase Rnd): *With A, k9 (10, 11), M1; rep from * around – 120 (132, 144) sts.

Rnd 29: With A, k1, *with C, k1; with A, k3; rep from * to last 3 sts, with C, k1; with A, k2.

Rnd 30: *With C, k3; with A, k1; rep from * around.

Rnd 31: Rep Rnd 29.

Rnds 32-34: *With B, k3; with A, k1; rep from * around.

For Size S ONLY
Cut B and C.
Proceed to *Divide for Body and Sleeves*.

For Size M/L ONLY
Rnds 35-37: Rep Rnds 29-31.
Cut B and C.
Proceed to *Divide for Body and Sleeves*.

For Size 1X/2X ONLY
Rnds 35-40: Rep Rnds 29-34.
Cut B and C.
Proceed to *Divide for Body and Sleeves*.

Divide for Body and Sleeves
Dividing Rnd: Place first 20 (22, 24) sts onto a holder for first sleeve; with A, cable cast on 6 (8, 10) sts for underarm, k40 (44, 48), place next 20 (22, 24) sts onto a holder for second sleeve, cable cast on 6 (8, 10) sts for underarm, k40 (44, 48) – 92 (104, 116) sts on needle for body. Place marker for beg of rnd and join to work in the rnd.

Body
Rnd 1: *With A, k1; with D, k1; rep from * around.
Rnd 2: *With D, k1; with A, k1; rep from * around.
Rnd 3: With A, knit.
Rnd 4: With A, k1, *with E, k1; with A, k3; rep from * to last 3 sts, with E, k1; with A, k2.
Rnd 5: *With E, k3; with A, k1; rep from * around.
Rnd 6: Rep Rnd 4.

Cut D and E. Continue with A only.
Rnd 7: Knit.

Ribbing
Rnds 8-15: *K1, p1; rep from * around.
Bind off in rib.

Sleeves

Note: Work back and forth in rows on the circular needle as if working on straight needles.

Slip 20 (22, 24) sleeve sts from one holder onto shortest circular needle.
Row 1 (RS): From RS with A, cable cast on 4 (5, 6) sts, k the sts just cast on, k20 (22, 24) sleeve sts – 24 (27, 30) sts.
Row 2: With A, cable cast on 4 (5, 6) sts, p the sts just cast on, p to end of row – 28 (32, 36) sts.
Row 3: *With A, k1; with D, k1; rep from * across.
Row 4: *With D, p1; with A, p1; rep from * across.
Row 5: With A, knit.
Row 6: With A, p1, *with E, p1; with A, p3; rep from * to last 3 sts, with E, p1; with A, p2.
Row 7: *With E, k3; with A, k1; rep from * across.
Row 8: Rep Rnd 4.

Cut B, D, and E. Continue with A only.
Row 9: With A, knit.

Ribbing
Row 10 (WS): *K1, p1; rep from * across.
Row 11 (Decrease Row): P1, k2tog, k the knit sts and p the purl sts to last 3 sts, p2tog, k1 – 26 (30, 34) sts.
Rows 12-16: K the knit sts and p the purl sts.
Row 17 (Decrease Row): K1, p2tog, k the knit sts and p the purl sts to last 3 sts, k2tog, p1 – 24 (28, 32) sts.
Rows 18-22: Rep Rows 12-16.
Row 23: Rep Row 11 – 22 (26, 30) sts.
Row 24: K the knit sts and p the purl sts.
Rep Row 24 until sleeve measures about 14 (15, 16) in. (35.5 (38, 40.5) cm) from underarm.
Bind off in rib.
Rep for second sleeve.

FINISHING
Sew sleeve and underarm seams.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS
beg = begin(ning)(s)
k = knit
k2tog = knit 2 stitches together
p = purl
p2tog = purl 2 stitches together
rep = repeat
rnd(s) = round(s)
RS = right side
st(s) = stitch(es)
St st = Stockinette stitch
WS = wrong side

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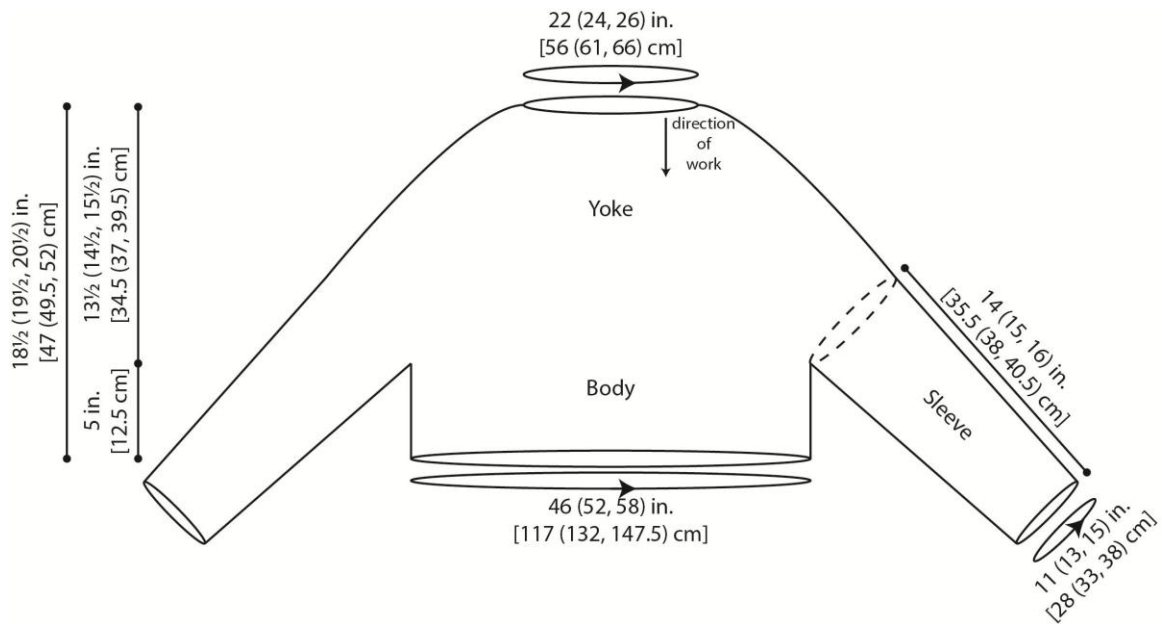
22 (24, 26) in.
[56 (61, 66) cm]

direction
of
work

Yoke

18½ (19½, 20½) in.
[47 (49.5, 52) cm]

13½ (14½, 15½) in.
[34.5 (37, 39.5) cm]

5 in.
[12.5 cm]

14 (15, 16) in.
[35.5 (38, 40.5) cm]

Body

Sleeve

46 (52, 58) in.
[117 (132, 147.5) cm]

11 (13, 15) in.
[28 (33, 38) cm]