

Free Crochet Pattern Lion Brand® Homespun® Heartland® Ulla Top Pattern Number: L80233 Designed by Teresa Chorzepa



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<u>SKILL LEVEL</u> – Easy

<u>SIZES</u>

S-L (1X-3X)

Finished Width About 66 (76) in. (157.5 (193) cm)

Finished Length About 26 (27) in. (66 (68.5) cm), not including cowl neck. **Note:** Pattern is written for smallest size with changes for larger size in parentheses. When only one number is given, it applies to both sizes. To follow pattern more easily, circle all numbers pertaining to your size before beginning.

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Homespun® (Art. #790)
 - 600 Clouds 3 (4) skeins (A)
 - Lion Brand® Heartland® (Art. #136)
 - 149 Great Smoky Mountains 3 (4) balls (B)
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size K-10.5 (6.5 mm)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Crochet hook size L-11 (8 mm)

<u>GAUGE</u>

 $\overline{12 \text{ hdc}}$ = about 4 3/4 in. (12 cm) with smaller hook and A.

12 hdc = about 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm); 10 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) with smaller hook and B.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION

hdc2tog (hdc 2 sts together) (Yarn over, insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 5 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

<u>NOTES</u>

- 1. Top is made from 2 identical pieces: Back and Front.
- 2. Front and Back each begin with a center panel worked from lower edge. Side panels are worked along side edges of center panel.
- 3. Stitches are picked up around the neck edge to work cowl neck in the round.

BACK

Center Panel

With smaller hook and A, ch 34 (47).

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – you will have 33 (46) sc.

Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st across working last hdc in top of beg ch-2.

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Rep Row 3 until piece measures about 26 (27) in. (66 (68.5) cm) from beg. Fasten off.

First Side Panel

Note: If you are right-handed this panel is worked along the right side edge of the center panel. If you are left-handed this panel is worked along the left side edge of the center panel.

From RS with smaller hook, join B with a sl st in lower corner of center panel so that you are ready to work along one long side edge.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1, work 70 (73) sc evenly spaced along side edge.
Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st across.
Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st across, working last hdc in top of beg ch-2.
Row 4 (Decrease Row – WS): Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc2tog, hdc in each st across, working last hdc in top of beg ch-2 – 69 (72) hdc.
Row 5 (Decrease Row – RS): Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st to last 3 sts, hdc2tog, hdc in top of beg ch-2 – 68 (71) sts.
Rows 6-25: Rep Rows 4 and 5 for 10 more times – 48 (51) sts in Row 25.

Second Side Panel

Note: If you are right-handed this panel is worked along the left side edge of the center panel. If you are left-handed this panel is worked along the right side edge of the center panel.

From RS with smaller hook, join B with a sl st in upper corner of center panel so that you are ready to work along the remaining long side edge.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1, work 70 (73) sc evenly spaced along side edge.

Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st across working last hdc in top of beg ch-2.

Row 4 (Decrease Row – WS): Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc in each st to last 3 sts, hdc2tog, hdc in top of beg ch-2 – 69 (72) sts.

Row 5 (Decrease Row – RS): Ch 2 (counts as hdc), turn, sk first st, hdc2tog, hdc in each st across, working last hdc in top of beg ch-2 – 68 (71) hdc.

Rows 6-25: Rep Rows 4 and 5 for 10 more times – 48 (51) sts in Row 25. Fasten off.

FRONT

Make same as Back.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams, leaving center 10 (11) in. (25.5 (28) cm) open for neck.

Cowl Neck

From RS with smaller hook, join A with a sl st in either shoulder seam.

Rnd 1: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), work 26 (28) hdc evenly spaced along neck edge to next shoulder seam, work 26 (28) hdc evenly spaced along neck edge to beg of rnd; join with sl st in top of beg ch-2 – 52 (56) hdc.

Rnds 2-6: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in next st and each st around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-2.

Change to larger hook.

Rnds 7-13: Ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in next st and each st around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-2.

Fasten off.

Sew side edges of Front and Back together beg at lower corners and leaving about 9 (10) in. (23 (25.5) cm) unsewn for armholes.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning) ch = chain hdc = half double crochet rep = repeat rnd(s) = round(s) RS = right side sc = single crochet sk = skip sl st = slip stitch st(s) = stitch(es) WS = wrong side

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