

Free Knitting Pattern **Lion Brand®** LB Collection® Merino Yak Alpaca LB Collection® Baby Alpaca Fringed Cable Sweater Pattern Number: L80371

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SKILL LEVEL – Experienced

SIZES

S-L (1X/2X)

Finished Bust About 48 (56) in. (122 (142) cm)

Finished Length About 20 (21) in. (51 (53.5) cm)

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® LB Collection® Merino Yak Alpaca (Art. #498)
 - 123 Oatmeal 8 (10) balls (A)
 - 122 Taupe 1 ball (B)
 - 153 Black 1 ball (C)
 - 178 Teal 1 ball (D)
 - 189 Merlot 1 ball (E)
- Lion Brand® LB Collection® Baby Alpaca (Art. #488)
 - 098 Natural 1 ball (F)
- Lion Brand® cable needle
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Circular knitting needle size 5 (3.75 mm), 36 in. (91.5 cm) long Circular knitting needle size 5 (3.75 mm), 16 in. (40.5 cm) long Circular knitting needle size 7 (4.5 mm), 36 in. (91.5 cm) long

GAUGE

27 sts + 40 rows = about 5 in. (12.5 cm) in Honeycomb Cable pattern with larger needle.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATIONS

LT (left twist) Knit 2nd st on left needle through the back loop and leave on left needle. Then knit both the first and 2nd sts together through the back loop.

RT (right twist) Knit 2nd st on left needle and leave on left needle. Then knit first st on left needle and slip both sts off left needle.

2/1 LC (2 over 1 left cross) Slip 2 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k1, then k2 from cable needle.

2/1 RC (2 over 1 right cross) Slip 1 st to cable needle and hold in back, k2, then k1 from cable needle.

2/2 LC (2 over 2 left cross) Slip 2 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k2, then k2 from cable needle.

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2/2 RC (2 over 2 right cross) Slip 2 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k2, then k2 from cable needle.

4/4 LC (4 over 4 left cross) Slip 4 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k4, then k4 from cable needle.

4/4 RC (4 over 4 right cross) Slip 4 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k4, then k4 from cable needle.

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.

PATTERN STITCHES

K2, p2 Rib (worked over a multiple of 4 sts + 2 additional sts)

Row 1: K2, *p2, k2; rep from * to end of row.

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

Rep Row 2 for K2, p2 Rib.

Seed St (worked over an even number of sts)

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

Row 2: P the knit sts and k the purl sts.

Rep Row 2 for Seed st.

Left Cable (worked over 4 sts)

Row 1 (RS): 2/2 LC.

Rows 2-4: Work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) for 3 rows.

Rep Rows 1-4 for Left Cable pattern.

Right Cable (worked over 4 sts)

Row 1 (RS): 2/2 RC.

Rows 2-4: Work in St st for 3 rows. Rep Rows 1-4 for Right Cable pattern.

Left Twist (worked over 3 sts)

Row 1 (RS): LT, p1.

Row 2: K1, p2.

Rep Rows 1-4 for Left Twist pattern.

Right Twist (worked over 3 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P1, RT

Row 2: P2, k1.

Rep Rows 1-4 for Right Twist pattern.

Honeycomb Panel (worked over 36 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P2, (2/2 RC, 2/2 LC) 4 times, p2.

Row 2 and all WS rows: K2, p32, k2.

Row 3: P2, k32, p2.

Row 5: P2, (2/2 LC, 2/2 RC) 4 times, p2.

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Row 7: Rep Row 3. **Row 8:** K2, p32, k2.

Rep Rows 1-8 for Honeycomb Panel.

Left Diamond Cable Pattern (worked over 16 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P6, 2/2 LC, p6.

Row 2: K6, p4, k6.

Row 3: P5, 2/1 RC, 2/1 LC, p5.

Row 4: K5, p2, k1, p3, k5.

Row 5: P4, 2/1 RC, p1, k1, 2/1 LC, p4.

Row 6: K4, p2, (k1, p1) twice, p2, k4.

Row 7: P3, 2/1 RC, (p1, k1) twice, 2/1 LC, p3.

Row 8: K3, p2, (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, k3.

Row 9: P2, 2/1 RC, (p1, k1) 3 times, 2/1 LC, p2.

Row 10: K2, p2, (k1, p1) 4 times, p2, k2.

Row 11: P1, 2/1 RC, (p1, k1) 4 times, 2/1 LC, p1.

Row 12: K1, p2, (k1, p1) 5 times, p2, k1.

Row 13: P1, k2, (p1, k1) 5 times, k2, p1.

Row 14: K1, p2, (p1, k1) 5 times, p2, k1.

Row 15: P1, 2/1 LC, (p1, k1) 4 times, 2/1 RC, p1.

Row 16: K2, p2, (p1, k1) 4 times, p2, k2.

Row 17: P2, 2/1 LC, (p1, k1) 3 times, 2/1 RC, p2.

Row 18: K3, p2, (p1, k1) 3 times, p2, k3.

Row 19: P3, 2/1 LC, (p1, k1) twice, 2/1 RC, p3.

Row 20: K4, p2, (p1, k1) twice, p2, k4.

Row 21: P4, 2/1 LC, p1, k1, 2/1 RC, p4.

Row 22: K5, p3, k1, p2, k5.

Row 23: P5, 2/1 LC, 2/1 RC, p5.

Row 24: K6, p4, k6.

Rep Rows 1-24 for Left Diamond Cable pattern.

Right Diamond Cable Pattern (worked over 16 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P6, 2/2 RC, p6.

Row 2: K6, p4, k6.

Row 3: P5, 2/1 RC, 2/1 LC, p5.

Row 4: K5, p2, k1, p3, k5.

Row 5: P4, 2/1 RC, p1, k1, 2/1 LC, p4.

Row 6: K4, p2, (k1, p1) twice, p2, k4.

Row 7: P3, 2/1 RC, (p1, k1) twice, 2/1 LC, p3.

Row 8: K3, p2, (k1, p1) 3 times, p2, k3.

Row 9: P2, 2/1 RC, (p1, k1) 3 times, 2/1 LC, p2.

Row 10: K2, p2, (k1, p1) 4 times, p2, k2.

Row 11: P1, 2/1 RC, (p1, k1) 4 times, 2/1 LC, p1.

Row 12: K1, p2, (k1, p1) 5 times, p2, k1.

Row 13: P1, k2, (p1, k1) 5 times, k2, p1.

Row 14: K1, p2, (p1, k1) 5 times, p2, k1.

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Row 15: P1, 2/1 LC, (p1, k1) 4 times, 2/1 RC, p1.

Row 16: K2, p2, (p1, k1) 4 times, p2, k2.

Row 17: P2, 2/1 LC, (p1, k1) 3 times, 2/1 RC, p2.

Row 18: K3, p2, (p1, k1) 3 times, p2, k3.

Row 19: P3, 2/1 LC, (p1, k1) twice, 2/1 RC, p3.

Row 20: K4, p2, (p1, k1) twice, p2, k4.

Row 21: P4, 2/1 LC, p1, k1, 2/1 RC, p4.

Row 22: K5, p3, k1, p2, k5.

Row 23: P5, 2/1 LC, 2/1 RC, p5.

Row 24: K6, p4, k6.

Rep Rows 1-24 for Right Diamond Cable pattern.

Plait Cable (worked over 14 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P1, 4/4 LC, k4, p1.

Row 2: K1, p12, k1.

Row 3: P1, k12, p1.

Row 4: Rep Row 2.

Row 5: P1, k4, 4/4 RC, p1.

Rows 6-8: Reps Rows 2-4.

Rep Rows 1-8 for Plait Cable pattern.

NOTES

- 1. Sweater is worked in 4 pieces: Back, Front and 2 Sleeves.
- 2. Each piece is worked back and forth in rows of Cable pattern sts, from lower edge upwards.
- 3. Back and Front are identical except for neck shaping.
- 4. Each piece is worked back and forth in rows from lower edge upwards.
- 5. Circular needles are used to accommodate the number of sts. Work back and forth in rows on the circular needle as if working on straight needles.
- Cable pattern sts can be worked by following written instructions or reading charts. Read RS rows of charts from right to left and WS rows from left to right.
- 7. The turtleneck is worked directly onto the Sweater.
- 8. 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.
- 9. When you see 'work in patterns as established' in the instructions, this means to work the next row of the pattern sts, lining up sts as in previous rows.

Note:

As you knit each piece, you can choose where to add colorwork and fringe.

For Sleeves:

After we knit the K2, p2 Rib cuff, we worked colorwork as follows:

Work 2-3 rows in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with any color B-E

Work 2-3 rows in St st with 4 sts C alternating with 4 sts of E

Work 2 rows in St st with 4 sts C alternating with 4 sts of F

Work 4 rows in St st with A

Work 6 rows in Garter st (k every st on every row) with D

Embroider straight sts across D section with F

For Back and Front:

You can interrupt your pattern sts at any point, and work some of the sts in colorwork rows as outlined for Sleeves.

We made fringe by simply leaving the yarn tails hanging on the RS of Sweater when we did the colorwork.

Make this sweater your own!

Omit the colorwork and/or fringes if you like!

BACK

With smaller long needle and A, cast on 122 (138) sts.

Work in K2, p2 Rib until piece measures about 2 in. (5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Increase Row (RS): (K14 (11), M1) 8 (12) times, k to end – you will have 130 (150) sts in this row.

Beg Patterns

Change to larger needle.

Set-Up Row (WS): K2, work in Seed st over next 4 (14) sts, place marker (pm), k1, p2 for Left Twist pattern, pm, k1, p12, k1 for Plait Cable pattern, pm, p4 for Left Cable pattern, pm, k6, p4, k6 for Left Diamond Cable pattern, pm, p4 for Left Cable pattern, pm, k2, p32, k2 for Honeycomb Panel, pm, p4 for Right Cable pattern, pm, k6, p4, k6 for Right Diamond Cable pattern, pm, p4 for Right Cable pattern, pm, k1, p12, k1 for Plait Cable pattern, pm, p2, k1 for Right Twist pattern, pm, work in Seed st to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 1 (RS): P2, work in Seed st to next marker, slip marker (sm), work Row 1 of Right Twist pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Plait Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Right Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Right Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Honeycomb Panel, sm, work Row 1 of Left Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Left Diamond Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Left Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Plait Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Left Twist pattern, sm, work in Seed st to last 2 sts, p2.

Keeping first and last 2 sts in Rev St st (p on RS, k on WS), work in patterns as established until piece measures about 17 (18) in. (43 (45.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulders

Rows 1-10: Bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of row – 100 (120) sts in Row 10.

Rows 11-16: Bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of row – 76 (90) sts in Row 16.

Shape Neck and Continue Shaping Shoulders

Place markers on each side of center 32 (34) sts.

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to first marker for right side, join a 2nd ball of yarn and bind off center 32 (34) sts and remove markers, work in patterns as established to end for left side – 18 (23) sts on right side and 22 (28) sts on left side.

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

Row 2: On left side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end -15 (20) sts on right side and 18 (23) sts on left side.

Row 3: On right side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end - 11 (15) sts on right side and 15 (20) sts on left side.

Row 4: On left side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end -9 (13) sts on right side and 11 (15) sts on left side.

Row 5: On right side, bind off 4 (6) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end -5 (7) sts on right side and 9 (13) sts on left side.

Row 6: On left side, bind off 4 (6) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, work in patterns as established to end -5 (7) sts on each side.

Row 7: On right side, bind off rem 5 (7) sts; on left side, work in patterns as established to end -5 (7) sts rem on left side.

Bind off rem 5 (7) sts of left side.

FRONT

Work same as Back to Shape Shoulders, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Shoulders

Rows 1-4: Bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of row – 118 (138) sts in Row 4.

Shape Neck and Continue Shaping Shoulders

Place markers on each side of center 12 (14) sts.

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to first marker for left side, join a 2nd ball of yarn and bind off center 12 (14) sts and remove markers,

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work in patterns as established to end for right side – 50 (59) sts on left side and 53 (62) sts on right side.

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

Row 2: On right side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end -47 (56) sts on left side and 50 (59) sts on right side.

Row 3: On left side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end -44 (53) sts on left side and 47 (56) sts on right side.

Rows 4 and 5: Rep Rows 2 and 3 - 38 (47) sts on left side and 41 (50) sts on right side in Row 5.

Row 6: On right side, bind off 3 sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end -36 (45) sts on left side and 38 (47) sts on right side.

Row 7: On left side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end -32 (40) sts on left side and 36 (45) sts on right side.

Row 8: On right side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 2 sts, work in patterns as established to end -30 (38) sts on left side and 32 (40) sts on right side.

Rows 9 and 10: Rep Rows 7 and 8 - 24 (31) sts on left side and 26 (33) sts on right side in Row 10.

Row 11: Rep Row 7 - 20 (26) sts on left side and 24 (31) sts on right side.

Row 12: On right side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, bind off 1 st, work in patterns as established to end - 19 (25) sts on left side and 20 (26) sts on right side.

Row 13: On left side, bind off 4 (5) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 1 st, work in patterns as established to end - 15 (20) sts on left side and 19 (25) sts on right side.

Rows 14 and 15: Rep Rows 12 and 13 - 10 (14) sts on left side and 14 (19) sts on right side in Row 15.

Row 16: Rep Row 12 - 9 (13) sts on left side and 10 (14) sts on right side.

Row 17: On left side, bind off 4 (6) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on right side, bind off 1 st, work in patterns as established to end -5 (7) sts on left side and 9 (13) sts on right side.

Row 18: On right side, bind off 4 (6) sts, work in patterns as established to end of side; on left side, work in patterns as established to end -5 (7) sts on each side.

Row 19: On left side, bind off rem 5 (7) sts; on right side, work in patterns as established to end -5 (7) sts rem on right side.

Bind off rem 5 (7) sts of right side.

SLEEVES (make 2)

With smaller long needle and A, cast on 122 (138) sts.

Work in K2, p2 Rib until piece measures about 2 in. (5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Increase Row (RS): (K25 (69), M1) 4 (0) times, k to end – you will have 126 (138) sts in this row. **Note:** When you see '0' repeats in an instruction, this means that for that size, you should not work any sts, just skip to the next part of the instruction.

Beg Patterns

Change to larger needle.

Set-Up Row (WS): K2, work in Seed st over next 2 (8) sts, pm, k1, p2 for Left Twist pattern, pm, k1, p12, k1 for Plait Cable pattern, pm, p4 for Left Cable pattern, pm, k6, p4, k6 for Left Diamond Cable pattern, pm, p4 for Left Cable pattern, pm, k2, p32, k2 for Honeycomb Panel, pm, p4 for Right Cable pattern, pm, k6, p4, k6 for Right Diamond Cable pattern, pm, p4 for Right Cable pattern, pm, k1, p12, k1 for Plait Cable pattern, pm, p2, k1 for Right Twist pattern, pm, work in Seed st to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 1 (RS): P2, work in Seed st to next marker, sm, work Row 1 of Right Twist pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Plait Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Right Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Right Diamond Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Right Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Honeycomb Panel, sm, work Row 1 of Left Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Left Diamond Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Left Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Plait Cable pattern, sm, work Row 1 of Left Twist pattern, sm, work in Seed st to last 2 sts, p2.

Keeping first and last 2 sts in Rev St st, work in patterns as established until piece measures about 12 (11) in. (30.5 (28) cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Cap (top of Sleeve)

Rows 1-8: Bind off 6 (7) sts, work in patterns as established to end of row -78 (82) sts in Row 8.

Rows 9-14: Bind off 7 sts, work in patterns as established to end of row -36 (40) sts in Row 14.

Bind off.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Turtleneck

Pick-Up Edge (RS): From RS with short needle and A, beg at one shoulder seam, pick up and k96 (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.

Rnd 1: *K2, p2; rep from * around.

Rep Rnd 1 for about 8 in. (20.5 cm).

Bind off.

Fold turtleneck to WS and sew bound-off edge to pick-up row.

Place markers on side edges of Front and Back about 11 1/2 (12 1/2) in. (29 (32) cm) below shoulder seams.

Sew tops of Sleeves between markers.

Sew side and Sleeve seams.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)

k = knit

p = purl

rem = remain(ing)

rep = repeat

Rev St st = Reverse Stockinette stitch

rnd = round

RS = right side

st(s) = stitch(es)

St st = Stockinette stitch

WS = wrong side

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