



Free Knitting Pattern

Tula Hooded Top



Pattern #-

M21290 APP

Yarn-

Lion Brand® Let's Get Cozy:
Chenille Appeal

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SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZES

XS (S, M, L, 1X, 2X, 3X)

Finished Bust About 36 (40 1/2, 44, 48, 51 1/2, 56, 59 1/2) in. (91.5 (103, 112, 122, 131, 142, 151) cm)

Finished Length About 19 1/2 (20, 20 1/2, 21, 21 1/2, 22, 22 1/2) in. (49.5 (51, 52, 53.5, 54.5, 56, 57) 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® LET'S GET COZY: CHENILLE APPEAL (Art. #941)
#101 Peach Whip 4 (4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6) balls
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® stitch holders
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

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

GAUGE

16 sts = about 3 1/2 in. (9 cm); 24 rows/rnds = about 4 in. (10 cm) over St st worked in rows (k on RS, p on WS) or over St st worked in rnds (k every st of every rnd).

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATIONS

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.

ssk (slip, slip, knit) Slip next 2 sts as if to knit, one at a time, to right needle; insert left needle into fronts of these 2 sts and knit them tog – 1 st decreased.

PATTERN STITCHES

K2, p2 Rib worked in rnds (worked over a multiple of 4 sts)

Rnd 1: *K2, p2; rep from * to end of rnd.

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

Rep Rnd 2 for K2, p2 Rib worked in rnds.

K2, p2 Rib worked in rows (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 worked in rows.

NOTES

1. Top is made in 4 sections: Body, 2 Sleeves and Hood.
2. Body is worked in rnds from the lower edge up to underarms. Piece is then divided and Front and Back are worked separately, back and forth in rows, up to shoulders.
3. Sleeves are worked separately, back and forth in rows, and sewn to Body.
4. Hood is worked, back and forth in rows, directly onto neck edge of Top.
5. Cord is worked separately, then threaded through the neckband.
6. 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.

BODY

Cast on 164 (184, 200, 220, 236, 256, 272) sts.

Place marker for beg of rnd. Join by working the first st on left hand needle with the working yarn from the right hand needle and being careful not to twist sts.

Work in K2, p2 Rib worked in rnds until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg.

Work in St st worked in rnds (k every st of every rnd) until piece measures about 10 in. (25.5 cm) from beg.

Divide for Back and Front

Dividing Row (RS): K82 (92, 100, 110, 118, 128, 136) for back; place rem 82 (92, 100, 110, 118, 128, 136) sts on a holder for front.

Back

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

Work in St st worked in rows (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures about 7 1/2 (8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2) in. (19 (20.5, 21.5, 23, 24, 25.5, 26.5) cm) from Dividing Row.

Shape Back Shoulders

Next 10 Rows: Bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 8) sts, work in St st to end of row – you will have 42 (42, 50, 50, 58, 58, 56) sts when all bind offs have been completed.

Next 2 Rows: Bind off 6 (6, 9, 9, 11, 11, 10) sts, work in St st to end of row – you have 30 (30, 32, 32, 36, 36, 36) sts when both bind offs have been completed.

Bind off rem 30 (30, 32, 32, 36, 36, 36) sts.

Front

Return 82 (92, 100, 110, 118, 128, 136) front sts from holder to circular needle.

Work back and forth in rows on circular needle as if working with straight needles.

Work in St st worked in rows until piece measures about 5 1/2 (6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2) in. (14 (15, 16.5, 18, 19, 20.5, 21.5) cm) from Dividing Row, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Shape Front Neck

Place markers on each side of center 12 (12, 14, 14, 18, 18, 18) sts for front neck.

Row 1 (RS): Knit to first marker for left side of neck; join 2nd ball of yarn and bind off 12 (12, 14, 14, 18, 18, 18) front neck sts between markers and remove markers, k1, ssk, k to end of row for right side of neck – 35 (40, 43, 48, 50, 55, 59) sts for left side and 34 (39, 42, 47, 49, 54, 58) sts for right side.

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

Row 2: On right side: p to end of side; on left side: k1, p2tog, p to end of side – 34 (39, 42, 47, 49, 54, 58) sts for each side.

Row 3: On left side: k to end of side; on right side: k1, ssk, k to end of side – 34 (39, 42, 47, 49, 54, 58) sts for left side and 33 (38, 41, 46, 48, 53, 57) sts for right side.

Row 4: On right side: p to end of side; on left side: k1, p2tog, p to end of side – 33 (38, 41, 46, 48, 53, 57) sts for each side.

Rows 5-12: Rep Rows 3 and 4 for 4 more times – 29 (34, 37, 42, 44, 49, 53) sts for each side in Row 12.

Shape Shoulders and Continue to Shape Neck

Row 1 (RS): On left side: bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 8) sts, k to end of side; on right side, k1, ssk, k to end of side – 25 (29, 32, 36, 38, 42, 45) sts for left side and 28 (33, 36, 41, 43, 48, 52) sts for right side.

Row 2: On right side: bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 8) sts, p to end of side; on left side: k1, p2tog, p to end of side – 24 (28, 31, 35, 37, 41, 44) sts for each side.

Rows 3-6: Rep Rows 1 and 2 for 2 more times – 14 (16, 19, 21, 23, 25, 26) sts for each side.

Row 7: On left side: bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 8) sts, k to end of side; on right side, k to end of side – 10 (11, 14, 15, 17, 18, 18) sts for left side and 14 (16, 19, 21, 23, 25, 26) sts for right side.

Row 8: On right side: bind off 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 8) sts, p to end of side; on left side: p to end of side – 10 (11, 14, 15, 17, 18, 18) sts for each side.

Rows 9 and 10: Rep Rows 7 and 8 – 6 (6, 9, 9, 11, 11, 10) sts for each side.

Row 11: On left side: bind off rem 6 (6, 9, 9, 11, 11, 10) sts; on right side: k to end of side.

Row 12: Bind off rem 6 (6, 9, 9, 11, 11, 10) sts of right side.

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SLEEVES (make 2)

Cast on 38 (42, 42, 42, 46, 46, 46) sts.

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

Work in K2, p2 Rib worked in rows until piece measures about 3 in. (7.5 cm) from beg.

Note: Selvedge sts are edge sts that will 'disappear' into the seams when pieces are sewn together.

Increase Row (RS): Sl 1 (selvedge st), M1, k to last st, M1, p1 (selvedge st) – 40 (44, 44, 44, 48, 48, 48) sts.

Slipping first st and purling last st for selvedges, work in St st worked in rows for 5 (5, 5, 3, 3, 3, 3) rows.

Rep Increase Row – 42 (46, 46, 46, 50, 50, 50) sts.

Rep last 6 (6, 6, 4, 4, 4) rows for 11 (11, 13, 16, 16, 18, 21) more times – 64 (68, 72, 78, 82, 86, 92) sts.

Work even in St st until piece measures about 17 1/2 (18, 18, 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 19, 19) in. (44.5 (45.5, 45.5, 47, 47, 48.5, 48.5) cm) from beg.

Shape Top of Sleeve

Next 12 (12, 12, 14, 14, 14, 16) Rows: Bind off 5 sts, work in St st to end for row.

Bind off rem 4 (8, 12, 8, 12, 16, 12) sts.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Neckband

Pick Up Row (RS): From RS, beg at center front of neck, pick up and k24 sts evenly spaced along right front neck to shoulder seam, 30 (30, 32, 32, 36, 36, 36) sts along back neck, and 24 sts along left front neck – 78 (78, 80, 80, 84, 84, 84) sts.

Do not join in a round. Work back and forth in rows on circular needle as if working on straight needles.

Beg with a WS (purl) row, work in St st worked in rows for 6 rows.

Next Row (Garter Row - WS): Knit.

Next Row: Knit.

Work in St st for 8 rows.

Bind off.

Fold neckband in half and sew bound off edge to inside of Pick Up Row. Do not sew edges at center front neck together, leave this open for neck cord.

Hood

Pick Up Row (RS): From RS pick up and k78 (78, 80, 80, 84, 84, 84) sts evenly spaced along Garter Row of neckband.

Next Row (WS): K5, p to last 5 sts, k5.

Place a marker on each side of center 2 sts.

Increase Row (RS): K to first marker, M1, slip marker (sm), k to 2nd marker, sm, M1, k to end of row – 80 (80, 82, 82, 86, 86, 86) sts.

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Next Row (WS): K5, p to last 5 sts slipping markers as you come to them, k5.

Rep last 2 rows for 5 (5, 4, 4, 3, 3, 3) more times – 90 (90, 90, 90, 92, 92, 92) sts when all decreases have been completed.

Keeping first and last 5 sts in Garter st (k every st of every row), work in St st until hood measures about 14 in. (35.5 cm) from Pick Up Row, slipping markers as you come to them, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

Decrease Row (RS): K to 2 sts before first marker, k2tog, sm, k to 2nd marker, sm, ssk, k to end of row – 88 (88, 88, 88, 90, 90, 90) sts.

Next Row (WS): K5, p to last 5 sts slipping markers as you come to them, k5.

Rep Decrease Row – 86 (86, 86, 86, 88, 88) sts.

Rep last 2 rows for 8 more times – 70 (70, 70, 70, 72, 72, 72) sts when all decreases have been completed.

Bind off.

Fold bound off edge in half and sew edges together for top of hood.

Sew Sleeve seams.

Sew Sleeves into armholes.

Neck Cord

Cast on 3 sts. Knit the 3 sts. Do not turn work. * Slide sts to other end of needle and knit them, pulling yarn tightly across the back of the work, (do not turn work); rep from * until cord measures about 56 in. (142 cm) long.

Bind off.

Thread cord through neckband. Tip: To thread the cord, pin a safety pin to one end of cord, then slide safety pin through the neckband.

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

rnd(s) = round(s)



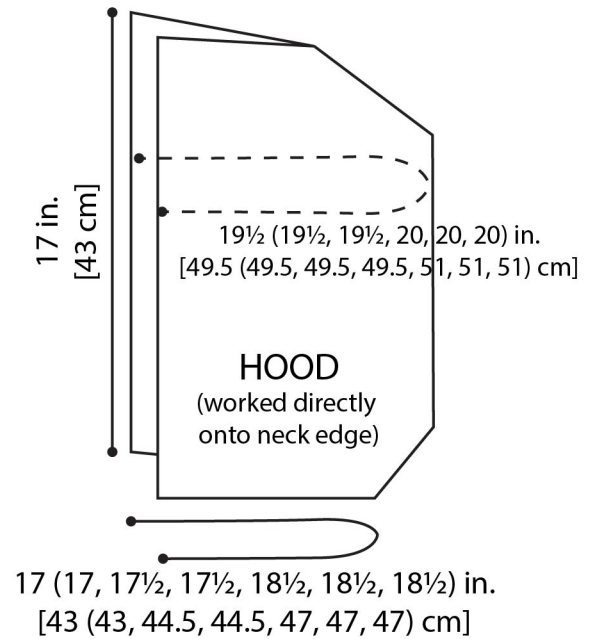
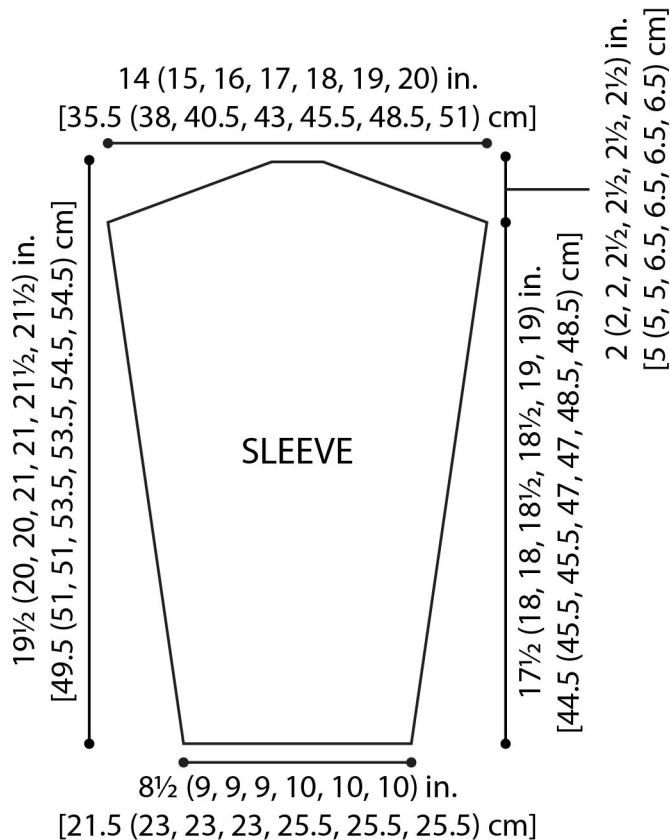
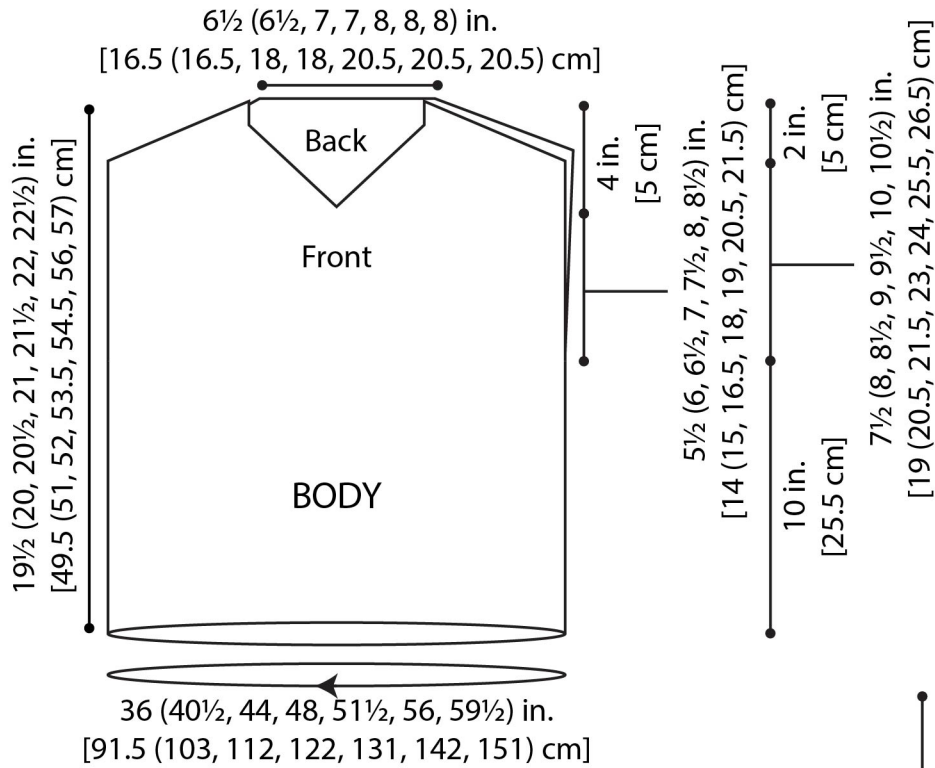
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