

# Sweater Ornaments



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M23244 TCDK

Marn-

Lion Brand® 24/7 Cotton® Dk

## **SKILL LEVEL** – EASY

## **SIZES**

About 3 in. (7.5 cm) tall x 6 in. (15 cm) wide

### **MATERIALS**

- LION BRAND® 24/7 COTTON® DK (Art. #769)
  #113 Grenadine 1 ball (A)
  #306 Calypso 1 ball (B)
  #305 Star 1 ball (C)
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



## ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Crochet hook size C-2 (3 mm)

## **GAUGE**

7 sc + 7 rnds = about 1 in. (2.5 cm). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

## STITCH EXPLANATIONS

sc2tog (sc 2 sts together) (Insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

**V-st (V-stitch)** Work (dc, ch 2, dc) in indicated st or sp.

## **NOTES**

- 1. Sweater is worked in 4 separate pieces: Body, 2 Sleeves, and Hanging Loop.
- 2. Body is worked in joined rnds.
- 3. Yarn color is changed to form stripes and spots of color. To change yarn color, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete st. Proceed with new color. Do not cut old color until instructed. Carry color not in use carefully along WS (inside) of Body.
- 4. Sleeves are worked in continuous rnds (spiral).
- 5. Hanging Loop is made from a length of crochet chain sewn to Sweater.
- 6. One ball of yarn A or B is sufficient to make about 8 or 9 Sweaters.

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# **SAFETY NOTE**

This piece is not a toy! Never leave a baby or child unattended with this project!

## **SWEATER BODY**

Choose yarn color A or B for the main color (MC) of your Sweater. Your color choice is referred to as MC in the remainder of these instructions.

With MC, ch 30; join with a sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): With MC, ch 2 (does not count as a st), dc in same ch as joining sl st, dc in next 3 ch, V-st in next ch, dc in next 5 ch, V st in next ch, dc in next 8 ch, V st in next ch, dc in next 5 ch, V st in next ch, dc in last 4 ch; join with sl st in first dc – you will have 34 dc and 4 ch-2 sps in this rnd.

Note: Work first st of each rnd in same st as joining sl st, unless otherwise instructed.

Rnd 2: With MC, ch 2, dc in next 5 sts, V st in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 7 sts, V st in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 10 sts, V-st in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 7 sts, V-st in next ch-2 sp, dc in last 5 sts; join with sl st in first dc – 42 dc.

Change to C. Do not cut MC, carry color not in use carefully along WS (inside) of piece.

## **Make Armholes**

Rnd 3: With C, ch 1, sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2 (for underarm), sk next 9 sts (for sleeve), 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2 (for underarm), sk next 9 sts (for sleeve), 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in last 6 sts; join with sl st in first sc -32 sc and 2 ch-2 underarm ch.

**Rnd 4:** With C, ch 1, sc in each st and ch around; join with sl st in first sc - 36 sc.

**Rnd 5:** With MC, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc - 36 sc.

**Rnd 6:** With MC, ch 1, \* with MC, sc in next 2 sts; with C, sc in next 2 sts; rep from \* around; join with sl st in first sc – 36 sc.

**Rnd 7:** With MC, ch 1, \* sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from \* around; join with sl st in first sc – 40 sc.

Rnds 8 and 9: With C, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Cut C.

**Rnds 10-14:** With MC, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc - 40 sc.

**Rnd 15:** With MC, sk same st as joining sl st, sl st in next 39 sts.

Fasten off.

## Neck Border

From RS, working along opposite side of foundation ch at neck edge, draw up a loop of C in ch at base of first dc of Rnd 1, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog, \* sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog; rep from \* around – 24 sc. Fasten off.

### Sleeves

Rnd 1: From RS, draw up a loop of MC in first skipped dc of one of the armholes, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each skipped st to underarm ch, sc in each ch of underarm ch; do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral) – 11 sc. Place a marker in last st made to indicate end of rnd. Move marker up as each rnd is completed.

Rnds 2-9: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 10: Sk next st, sl st in next 10 sts.

Fasten off.

Rep around opposite armhole.

# HANGING LOOP

With C, leaving a long beginning tail, ch 16 very tightly.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

With long tails, sew Hanging Loop to back neck of Sweater.

# **FINISHING**

Weave in ends.

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

**ch** = chain

ch-sp(s) = chain space(s) previously made

**dc** = double crochet

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

**RS** = right side

**sc** = single crochet

 $\mathbf{sk} = \mathbf{skip}$ 

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

**WS** = wrong side

