

# **Free Knitting Pattern** Lion Brand® Scarfie Westchester Cardigan Pattern Number: L50242



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**SKILL LEVEL:** <u>Intermediate (Level 3)</u>

**SIZE:** S/M, L/1X, 2X/3X

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

**Finished Bust** 45 (53, 60) in. (114.5 (134.5, 152.5) cm)

Finished Length 32 (33, 34) in. (81.5 (84, 86.5) cm), not including collar

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**CORRECTIONS:** (applied Feb 24, 2016)

# LEFT FRONT Shape Armhole

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Rep Rows 7 and 8 until armhole measures about 7 1/2 (8 1/2, 9 1/2) in. (19 (21.5, 24) cm), end with a Row  $\frac{7}{8}$  as the last row you work.

#### **MATERIALS**

 826-208 <u>Lion Brand Scarfie:</u> <u>Oxford/Claret</u> 5 6, 7 Balls

\*<u>Scarfie</u> (Article #826). 78% acrylic, 22% wool; package size: 5.30oz/150.00 gr. (312yds/285m) pull skeins

- Clover Bamboo Circular Knitting Needles 36" Size 9
- <u>Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch</u> <u>Markers</u>
- Lion Brand Stitch Holders
- <u>Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt</u> Needles (Set of 6)



# **GAUGE:**

14 sts + 20 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS); 14 sts + 28 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in Garter st (k every row).

When you match the <u>gauge</u> in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

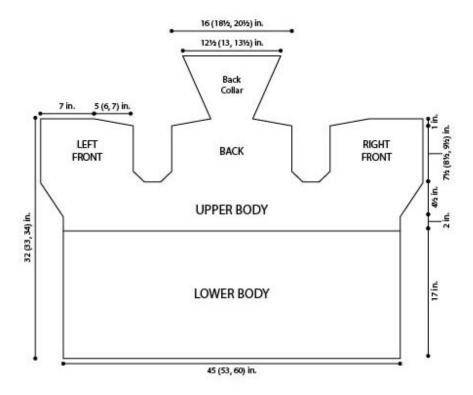
# STITCH EXPLANATION:

**kfb (knit in front and back)** Knit next st without removing it from left needle, then k through back of same st – 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.

#### NOTES:

- 1. Cardigan is worked in 3 pieces: Body and 2 Sleeves.
- 2. Lower portion of Body is worked in Garter st (k every row), then stitches for upper portion of Body are picked up along one long edge of lower portion.
- 3. The Body is divided at underarms, then Back and Fronts are worked separately.
- 4. The collar is worked directly onto the Cardigan.
- 5. A circular needle is used to accommodate the large number of sts. Work back and forth in rows as if working with straight needles.



# **CARDIGAN**

# BODY

# **Lower Body**

Cast on 60 sts.

Work in Garter st (k every row) until piece measures about 45 (53, 60) in.  $(114.5\ (134.5,\ 152.5)\ cm)$  from beg.

Bind off loosely.

# **Upper Body**

**Row 1 (RS):** From RS, pick up and k158 (184, 210) sts evenly spaced along one long edge of Lower Body.

**Row 2:** K12 for front collar, place marker (pm), p to last 12 sts, pm, k12 for front collar.

**Row 3:** Knit, slipping markers as you come to them.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 for 2 in. (5 cm), end with a Row 2 as the last row you work.

#### **Shape Collar**

**Row 1 (RS):** Slipping markers as you come to them, kfb, k to last st, kfb – you will have 160 (186, 212) sts at the end of this row.

**Row 2:** K to marker, slip marker (sm), p to next marker, sm, k to end of row.

**Rows 3 and 4:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 – 162 (188, 214) sts.

**Row 5:** Kfb, k to marker, sm, ssk, k to 2 sts before next marker, k2tog, sm, k to last st, kfb.

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

**Rows 7 and 8:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 – 164 (190, 216) sts.

**Rows 9-24:** Rep Rows 1-8 twice more – 176 (202, 228) sts.

**Rows 25 and 26:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 - 178 (204, 230) sts.

Keeping sts outside of markers in Garter st and sts between markers in St st (k on RS, p on WS), work until piece measures about 6 1/2 in. (16.5

cm) above pick up row, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

#### **Right Front**

#### Shape Armhole

**Row 1 (RS):** K to marker, sm, k23 (26, 29) for right front, place rem sts on a holder.

**Row 2:** P2tog, p to marker, sm, k to end of row – 47 (50, 53) sts.

Row 3: K to marker, sm, k to last 2 sts, k2tog - 46 (49, 52) sts.

**Rows 4 and 5:** Rep Rows 2 and 3 – 44 (47, 50) sts.

**Row 6:** Rep Row 2 - 43 (46, 49) sts.

**Row 7:** K to marker, sm, k to end of row.

**Row 8:** P to marker, sm, k to end of row.

Rep Rows 7 and 8 until armhole measures about 7 1/2 (8 1/2, 9 1/2) in. (19 (21.5, 24) cm), end with a Row 7 as the last row you work.

#### **Shape Shoulder**

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 6 (7, 8) sts, p to marker, sm, k to end of row – 37 (39, 41) sts.

**Row 2:** K to marker, sm, k to end of row.

Rows 3-6: Rep Rows 1 and 2 twice - 25 sts.

Bind off loosely.

#### **Back**

SI first 74 (88, 102) sts from holder back to needle, ready to work a RS row. Leave remaining 56 (65, 74) sts on holder for Left Front.

**Note:** In the following section, you'll be binding off sts for the right underarm, then shaping both the left and right armholes. Sts for the left underarm will be bound off when you continue work on the Left Front.

#### **Shape Armholes**

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off first 8 (14, 20) sts for right underarm, k to end of row – 66 (74, 82) sts.

Row 2: P2tog, p to last 2 sts, p2tog through back loops - 64 (72, 80) sts.

**Row 3:** Ssk, k to last 2 sts, k2tog - 62 (70, 78) sts.

**Rows 4 and 5:** Rep Rows 2 and 3 – 58 (66, 74) sts.

**Row 6:** Rep Row 2 - 56 (64, 72) sts.

Continue in St st until armholes measure about 7 1/2 (8 1/2, 9 1/2) in. (19 (21.5, 24) cm), end with a WS row as the last row you work.

### **Shape Shoulders**

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 6 (7, 8) sts, k to end of row – 50 (57, 64) sts.

**Row 2:** Bind off 6 (7, 8) sts, p to end of row – 44 (50, 56) sts.

**Rows 3-6:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 twice – 20 (22, 24) sts.

**Back Collar** 

Rows 1-3: Knit.

Row 4 (Increase Row): Kfb, k to end of row, kfb – 22 (24, 26) sts.

**Rows 5-48:** Rep Rows 1-4 eleven more times – 44 (46, 48) sts.

Bind off loosely.

#### **LEFT FRONT**

From RS, sl rem 56 (65, 74) sts from holder back to needle, ready to work a RS row.

# **Shape Armhole**

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 8 (14, 20) sts, k to marker, sm, k to end of row – 48 (51, 54) sts.

**Row 2:** K to marker, sm, p to last 2 sts, p2tog through back loops – 47 (50, 53) sts.

**Row 3:** Ssk, k to marker, sm, k to end of row - 46 (49, 52) sts.

**Rows 4 and 5:** Rep Rows 2 and 3 – 44 (47, 50) sts.

**Row 6:** Rep Row 2 - 43 (46, 49) sts.

**Row 7:** K to marker, sm, k to end of row.

**Row 8:** K to marker, sm, p to end of row.

Rep Rows 7 and 8 until armhole measures about 7 1/2 (8 1/2, 9 1/2) in. (19 (21.5, 24) cm), end with a Row 8 as the last row you work.

#### Shape Shoulder

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 6 (7, 8) sts, k to marker, sm, k to end of row - 37

(39, 41) sts.

Row 2: K to marker, sm, p to end of row.

Rows 3-6: Rep Rows 1 and 2 twice - 25 sts rem.

Bind off loosely.

# SLEEVES (make 2)

Cast on 35 (41, 47) sts.

Work in Garter st for about 2 in. (5 cm) from beg.

### **Shape Sleeve**

Beg with a RS (knit) row, work in St st for 6 rows.

**Increase Row (RS):** Kfb, k to last st, kfb - 37 (43, 49) sts.

Continue in St st for 7 rows.

Rep Increase Row - 39 (45, 51) sts.

Rep last 8 rows 7 (7, 8) more times – 53 (59, 67) sts.

Continue in St st until piece measures about 20 in. (51 cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

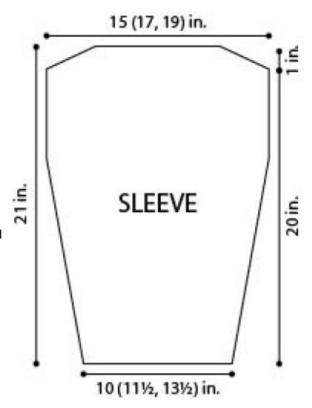
# **Shape Sleeve Cap (top of Sleeve)**

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 4 sts, k to end of row - 49 (55, 63) sts.

**Row 2:** Bind off 4 sts, p to end of row – 45 (51, 59) sts.

**Rows 3-6:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 twice - 29 (35, 43) sts.

Bind off loosely.



#### **FINISHING**

Sew shoulders. Sew side edges of back collar to bound-off edges of front collar. Sew Sleeve seams, leaving top 1 (2, 3) in. (2.5 (5, 7.5) cm) unsewn.

Sew in Sleeves, sewing unsewn top 1 (2, 3) in. (2.5 (5, 7.5) cm) edges to underarm edge of Cardigan. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES  Click for explanation and illustration				
<pre>beg = begin(s)(ning)</pre>	k = knit			
k2tog = knit 2 together	p = purl			
p2tog = purl 2 together	<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>			
<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>	RS = right side			
St st = Stockinette stitch	st(s) = stitch(es)			
WS = wrong side				

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