



Free Knitting Pattern

Lion Brand® LB Collection® Wool Stainless Steel - LB Collection®
Silk Mohair

Cozy Collared Cardi

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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate (Level 3)

SIZE: Small, Medium, Large, 1X, 2X

Finished Bust 34 (38, 42, 46, 50) in. (86.5 (96.5, 106.5, 117, 127) cm)

Finished Length 20 (20 1/2, 21, 21 1/2, 22) in. (51 (52, 53.5, 54.5, 56) 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.

CORRECTIONS: None as of May 25, 2014. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 485-178 Lion Brand LB Collection Wool Stainless Steel Yarn: Teal

3 4, 4, 5, 5 Balls (A)

- 484-106 Lion Brand LB Collection Silk Mohair Yarn: Azure

6 7, 8, 9, 10 Balls (B)

- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 5 [3.75 mm]

- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 9 [5.5 mm]

- Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size E-4 (3.5 mm)

- Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

- Additional Materials
Crochet hook size C-2 (2.75 mm), for crochet buttons

**LB Collection Wool Stainless Steel (Article #485). 75% Wool, 25% Stainless Steel; package size: 0.50oz/14.00 gr. (273yds/244m) pull skeins*



**LB Collection Silk Mohair (Article #484). 70% Super Kid Mohair, 30% Silk; package size: 0.88oz/25.00 gr. (231yds/212m) pull skeins*



GAUGE:

16 sts + 22 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) with larger needles and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog.

When you match the gauge 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:

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 STITCH

K1, p1 Rib (worked over a multiple of 2 sts + 1 additional st)

Row 1 (RS): K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end of row.

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

Rep Row 2 for K1, p1 Rib.

NOTES:

1. Cardi is worked in 6 pieces: Back, 2 Fronts, 2 Sleeves and Collar. Front borders are worked in one piece with each Front.
2. The Collar is worked separately, then shaped by working a row of crochet across one long edge, drawing in the length slightly along the neck edge.
3. Instructions are provided for crocheted buttons. If you prefer to purchase buttons, you will need 6 buttons, 3/4 in. (19 mm) diameter and 1 button, 1/2 in. (13mm) diameter.
4. When you see 'work even' in the instructions, this means to continue in the pattern st you have established without changing the st count by increasing, decreasing, or binding off.

BACK

With smaller needles and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog (for a total of 3 strands), cast on 59 (67, 75, 83, 91) sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 2 in. (5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row. **Note:** End with a WS row means that the last row you work should be a WS row, and the next row that you are ready to work will be a RS row.

Increase Row (RS): Work in K1, p1 Rib over first 8 (9, 5, 5, 5) sts, *M1, work in K1, p1 Rib over next 6 (7, 8, 9, 10) sts; rep from * to last 9 (9, 6, 6, 6) sts, M1, work in K1, p1 Rib to end of row – 67 (75, 84, 92, 100) sts at the end of this row.

Change to larger needles.

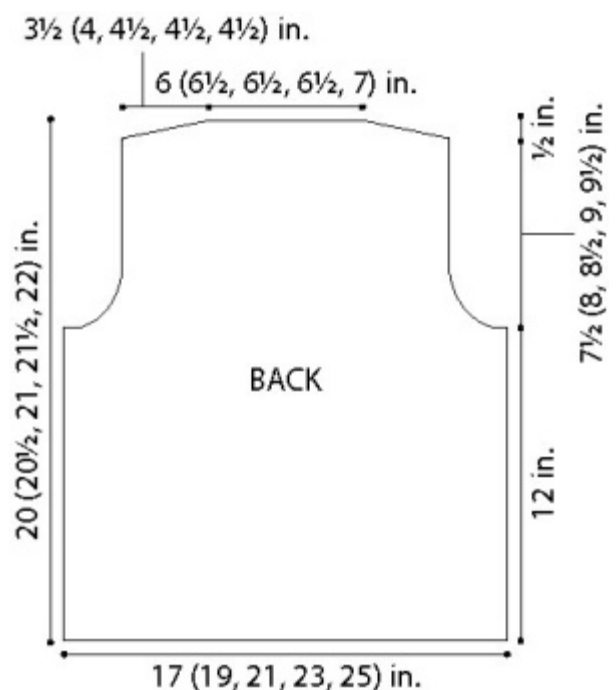
Beg with a WS (purl) row, work even in St st (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures about 12 in. (30.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Armholes

Next Row (RS): Bind off 3 (3, 4, 7, 8) sts, k to end of row – 64 (72, 80, 85, 92) sts.

Next Row: Bind off 3 (3, 4, 7, 8) sts, p to end of row – 61 (69, 76, 78, 84) sts.

Decrease Row (RS): K1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 59 (67, 74, 76, 82) sts.



Next Row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 4 (5, 6, 7, 9) times – 51 (57, 62, 62, 64) sts.

Work even in St st until armholes measure 7 1/2 (8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2) in. (19 (20.5, 21.5, 23, 24) cm).

Shape Neck and Shoulders

Continue to work in St st and bind off 4 (5, 6, 6, 6) sts at beg of next 4 rows – 35 (37, 38, 38, 40) sts rem.

Bind off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Bind off remaining 23 (25, 26, 26, 28) sts for neck.

LEFT FRONT

With smaller needles and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, cast on 37 (41, 45, 49, 53) sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 2 in. (5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Increase Row (RS): Work in K1, p1 Rib over first 8 (4, 8, 4, 6) sts, *M1, work in K1, p1 Rib over next 7 (8, 7, 10, 10) sts; rep from * to last 8 (5, 9, 5, 7) sts, M1, work in K1, p1 Rib to end of row – 41 (46, 50, 54, 58) sts at the end of this row.

Change to larger needles.

Next Row (WS): Work in K1, p1 Rib over first 6 sts for front band, p to end of row.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in K1, p1 Rib, work even in St st until piece measures same as Back to armholes, end with a WS row.

Shape Armhole

Next Row (RS): Bind off 3 (3, 4, 7, 8) sts, k to last 6 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib over last 6 sts – 38 (43, 46, 47, 50) sts.

Next Row: Work in K1, p1 Rib over first 6 sts, p to end of row.

Decrease Row (RS): K1, ssk, k to last 6 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib over last 6 sts – 37 (42, 45, 46, 49) sts.

Rep last 2 rows 4 (5, 6, 7, 9) more times – 33 (37, 39, 39, 40) sts rem.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in K1, p1 Rib, work even in St st until armhole measures 5 1/2 (6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2) in. (14 (15, 16.5, 18, 19) cm), end with RS row.

Shape Neck

Row 1 (WS): Bind off 10 sts, p to end of row – 23 (27, 29, 29, 30) sts.

Row 2: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 22 (26, 28, 28, 29) sts.

Row 3: P1, p2tog, p to end of row – 21 (25, 27, 27, 28) sts. Rep last 2 rows 2 more times – 17 (21, 23, 23, 24) sts rem.

Next Row (RS): Rep Row 2 – 16 (20, 22, 22, 23) sts.

Shape Shoulder and Continue Neck Shaping

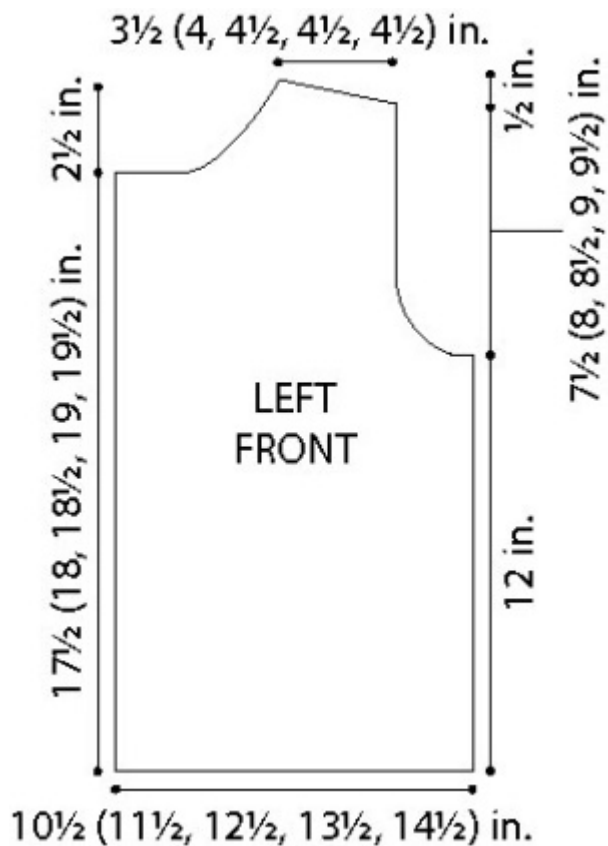
Next Row (WS): Purl.

Next Row: Bind off 4 (5, 6, 6, 6) sts, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 11 (14, 15, 15, 16) sts.

Rep last 2 rows – 6 (8, 8, 8, 9) sts rem.

Bind off rem 6 (8, 8, 8, 9) sts as if to purl.

Mark position for 6 buttons on left front border, with first button 1 in. (2.5 cm) above lower edge, last button 1/2 in. (1.5 cm) below neck shaping and rem buttons spaced evenly



between.

RIGHT FRONT

With smaller needles and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, cast on 37 (41, 45, 49, 53) sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures distance to first button marker on Left Front, end with a WS row.

Next Row (buttonhole): Work K1, p1 Rib over first 2 sts, bind off next 2 sts, (3 sts on right needle) work in K1, p1 Rib to end of row.

Next Row (buttonhole): Work in K1, p1 Rib to bound-off sts, cast on 2 sts over the bound-off sts, work in K1, p1 Rib to end of row.

Work even in K1, p1 Rib until ribbing measures 2 in. (5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Increase Row (RS): Work in K1, p1 Rib over first 8 (4, 8, 4, 6) sts, *M1, work in K1, p1 Rib over next 7 (8, 7, 10, 10) sts; rep from * to last 8 (5, 9, 5, 7) sts, M1, work in K1, p1 Rib to end of row – 41 (46, 50, 54, 58) sts at the end of this row.

Change to larger needles.

Next Row (WS): P to last 6 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib as established to end of row for front border.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in K1, p1 Rib, continue to work even in St st until piece measures distance to next button marker on Left Front, end with a WS row.

Buttonhole Row 1 (RS): Work K1, p1 Rib over first 2 sts, bind off next 2 sts (3 sts on right needle), work in K1, p1 Rib over next st, k to end of row.

Buttonhole Row 2: P to last 4 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib over next 2 sts, cast on 2 sts over the bound-off sts, work in K1, p1 Rib to end of row.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in K1, p1 Rib, work even in St st until piece measures distance to next button marker on Left Front, end with a WS row.

Rep from Buttonhole Row 1 until piece measures same as Left Front to armhole, end with a RS row.

Shape Armhole

Continue to work buttonholes, as before, each time piece measures distance to next button marker on Left Front.

Next Row (WS): Bind off 3 (3, 4, 7, 8) sts, p to last 6 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib over last 6 sts – 38 (43, 46, 47, 50) sts.

Decrease Row (RS): Work in K1, p1 Rib over first 6 sts, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 37 (42, 45, 46, 49) sts.

Next Row: P to last 6 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib over last 6 sts. Rep last 2 rows 4 (5, 6, 7, 9) more times – 33 (37, 39, 39, 40) sts rem.

Keeping 6 sts at front edge in K1, p1 Rib, work even in St st until armhole measures 5 1/2 (6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2) in. (14 (15, 16.5, 18, 19) cm), end with WS row.

Shape Neck

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 10 sts, k to end of row – 23 (27, 29, 29, 30) sts.

Row 2: P to last 3 sts, p2tog through back loops, p1 – 22 (26, 28, 28, 29) sts.

Row 3: K1, ssk, k to end of row – 21 (25, 27, 27, 28) sts. Rep last 2 rows 2 more times – 17 (21, 23, 23, 24) sts rem.

Next Row (WS): Rep Row 2 – 16 (20, 22, 22, 23) sts.

Shape Shoulder and Continue Neck Shaping

Next Row (RS): Knit.

Next Row: Bind off 4 (5, 6, 6, 6) sts, p to end of row – 12 (15, 16, 16, 17) sts.

Next Row: K1, ssk, k to end of row – 11 (14, 15, 15, 16) sts.

Rep last 2 rows – 6 (8, 8, 8, 9) sts rem.

Bind off rem 6 (8, 8, 8, 9) sts as if to purl.

SLEEVES

With smaller needles and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, cast on 35 (37, 39, 41, 43) sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures 2 in. (5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Change to larger needles.

Increase Row (RS): K1, M1, k to last st, M1, k1 – 37 (39, 41, 43, 45) sts at the end of this row.

Work even in St st for 7 rows.

Rep last 8 rows 5 (5, 6, 7, 8) more times – 47 (49, 53, 57, 61) sts when all reps have been completed.

Rep Increase Row – 49 (51, 55, 59, 63) sts.

Work in St st until piece measures 14 (14, 14 1/2, 15, 16) in. (35.5 (35.5, 37, 38, 40.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Shape Cap

Row 1 (RS): Bind off 3 (3, 4, 7, 8) sts, k to end of row – 46 (48, 51, 52, 55) sts.

Row 2: Bind off 3 (3, 4, 7, 8) sts, p to end of row – 43 (45, 47, 45, 47) sts.

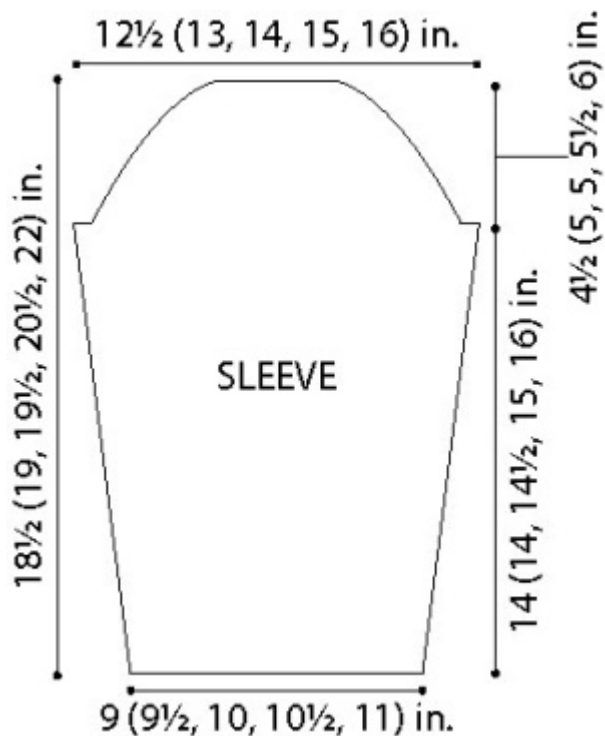
Row 3: K1, ssk, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1 – 41 (43, 45, 43, 45) sts.

Row 4: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 8 (9, 10, 11, 12) more times – 25 (25, 25, 21, 21) sts.

Bind off 3 (3, 3, 2, 2) sts at beg of next 4 rows.

Bind off rem 13 sts.



COLLAR

With larger needles and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, cast on 26 sts.

Purl Rib

Rows 1 and 3 (RS): Purl.

Rows 2 and 4: Knit.

Knit Rib

Rows 5 and 7: Knit.

Rows 6 and 8: Purl.

Rep Rows 1-8 until piece measures about 28 (30, 30 1/2, 30 1/2, 31 1/2) in. (71 (76, 77.5, 77.5, 80) cm) from beg, end with a Row 4.

Note: The following instructions are for working a row of crochet along one edge of Collar. If you prefer, cut yarn leaving a long yarn tail. Thread yarn tail into a blunt needle, then work a row of straight sts along long side of Collar.

Draw up the sts so that the Collar is about 1 1/2 in. (4 cm) less than neck edge of Cardi and fasten off.

Bind off as if to purl, but do not cut yarn. Insert larger crochet hook into rem st. Working across long side

edge, work 2 sc in first purl rib, *sk knit rib, 2 sc in next purl rib; rep from * across, drawing neck edge in so that it is about 1 1/2 in. (4 cm) shorter than distance around neck edge. Fasten off.

LARGER BUTTONS (make 6)

With smaller crochet hook and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, ch 2.

Rnd 1: Work 8 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Place marker in first st for beg of rnd; move marker up as each rnd is completed.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around – 16 sts at the end of this rnd.

Rnd 3: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 4: *Sc in next st, sk next st; rep from * around – 8 sts at the end of this rnd.

Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 4 – 4 sts at the end of this rnd.

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail.

SMALLER BUTTON (make 1)

With smaller crochet hook and 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, ch 2.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Place marker in first st for beg of rnd; move marker up as each rnd is completed.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around – 12 sts at the end of this rnd.

Rnd 3: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 4: *Sc in next st, sk next st; rep from * around – 6 sts at the end of this rnd.

Rnd 5: Rep Rnd 4 – 3 sts at the end of this rnd.

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail.

FINISHING

Sew shoulder seams.

Front and Neck Edging

From RS, with 1 strand of A and 2 strands of B held tog, join yarn in lower Right Front corner. Work one sc in end of every other row to neck edge, work 2 sc at corner, ch 2 for buttonloop, sk 1 st, work sc evenly spaced around neck edge, work 2 sc at Left Front corner, then work one sc in end of every other row to lower Left Front corner. Fasten off.

Sew in Sleeves. Sew side and Sleeve seams. Sew neck edge of Collar to neck edge of Cardi, with ends about 3/4 in. (2 cm) in from front edges. Sew larger buttons opposite buttonholes, and smaller button opposite buttonloop.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES	
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beg = begin(s)(ning)	k = knit
p = purl	rem = remain(s)(ing)
rnd(s) = round(s)	RS = right side
sc = single crochet	sk = skip
St st = Stockinette stitch	st(s) = stitch(es)
tog = together	WS = wrong side

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