



Free Knitting Pattern

# Cosmo Raglan Pullover



Pattern # -

M23097 WEFI

Yarn -

Lion Brand® Wool-Ease Fair Isle®

## SKILL LEVEL – EASY

## SIZES

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

**Finished Chest** About 42 (46, 50, 54, 58, 62) in. (106.5 (117, 127, 137, 147.5, 157.5) cm)

**Finished Length** About 23 1/2 (24 1/2, 25 1/2, 26 1/2, 27 1/2, 28 1/2) in. (59.5 (62, 65, 67.5, 70, 72.5) cm)

## MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® WOOL-EASE FAIR ISLE (Art. #629)  
#206 Rose/Blossom 3 (3, 4, 4, 5, 5) balls
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



## ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Circular knitting needle size 8 (5 mm), 16 in. (40 cm) long

Knitting needles size 8 (5 mm), 24 in. (60 cm) long

Knitting needles size 9 (5.5 mm), 24 in. (60 cm) long

## GAUGE

15 sts + 20 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) over St st (k on RS, p on WS) with larger needles.

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.

**sk2p (slip 1, k2tog, pass over)** Slip 1 as if to knit, knit 2 together, pass slipped stitch over – 2 sts decreased.

**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 an even number of sts)**

**Row 1:** \* K1, p1; 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. Pullover is made in 4 pieces: Back, Front and 2 Sleeves.
2. The colors in this yarn were designed to create stripes and Fair Isle-inspired patterning as you work. Your sweater may not look exactly like the photographed sweater! For the sample sweater, made in size Medium, the designer used one ball of yarn for the Front, one ball for the Back and one ball for the first Sleeve, then chose sections of color from the leftover yarn so the second Sleeve would resemble the first. For the neckband, designer worked with a solid color section of the yarn.
3. Circular needles are used to accommodate the sts. Work back and forth in rows on circular needles as if work with straight needles.

## BACK

With smaller long needle, cast on 78 (86, 94, 102, 108, 116) sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 2 1/2 in. (6.5 cm) from beg.

Change to larger long needle.

Beg with a RS (knit) row, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) until piece measures about 14 1/2 (15, 15, 15 1/2, 15 1/2, 15 1/2) in. (37 (38, 38, 39.5, 39.5, 39.5) cm) from beg, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

### ***Shape Raglan Armholes***

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 6 (7, 8, 9, 9, 10) sts, k to end of row – you will have 72 (79, 86, 93, 99, 106) sts in this row.

**Row 2:** Bind off 6 (7, 8, 9, 9, 10) sts, p to end of row – 66 (72, 78, 84, 90, 96) sts.

**Row 3 (Raglan Decrease):** K1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 64 (70, 76, 82, 88, 94) sts.

**Row 4:** Purl.

Rep Rows 3 and 4 for 20 (22, 24, 26, 28, 30) more times – 24 (26, 28, 30, 32, 34) sts when all decreases have been completed.

Bind off.

## FRONT

Make same as Back until you have 38 (40, 42, 44, 46, 48) sts, having completed a total of 14 (16, 18, 20, 22, 24) raglan decreases, end with a WS row as the last row you work.

### *Shape Neck*

Place a marker on each side of center 14 (16, 18, 20, 22, 24) sts.

**Row 1 (RS):** K1, k2tog, k to first marker for left side of neck; join 2nd ball of yarn and bind off center 14 (16, 18, 20, 22, 24) sts, remove markers, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 for right side of neck – 11 sts for each side of neck.

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

**Row 2 (WS):** Purl all sts of both sides using separate balls of yarn.

**Row 3:** On left side, k1, k2tog, k to last 2 sts of side, k2tog; on right side, ssk, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 9 sts for each side of neck.

**Rows 4-7:** Rep Rows 2 and 3 twice more – 5 sts for each side of neck.

**Row 8:** Purl all sts of both sides using separate balls of yarn.

**Row 9:** On left side, k1, (k2tog) twice; on right side, (ssk) twice, k1 – 3 sts for each side of neck.

**Row 10:** Purl all sts of both sides using separate balls of yarn.

**Row 11:** On left side, sk2p and fasten off; on right side, sk2p and fasten off.

## LEFT SLEEVE

With smaller long needle, cast on 36 (38, 40, 42, 44, 46) sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 2 1/2 in. (6.5 cm) from beg.

Change to larger long needle.

Beg with RS (knit) row, work in St st for 4 (4, 2, 2, 2, 2) rows.

**Increase Row (RS):** K1, M1, k to last st, M1, k1 – 38 (40, 42, 44, 46, 48) sts.

Work in St st for 3 (3, 1, 1, 1, 1) row(s).

Rep Increase Row – 40 (42, 44, 46, 48, 50) sts.

Rep last 4 (4, 2, 2, 2, 2) rows 6 (11, 1, 5, 8, 12) more times – 52 (64, 46, 56, 64, 74) sts.

Work in St st for 5 (5, 3, 3, 3, 3) rows.

Rep Increase Row – 54 (66, 48, 58, 66, 76) sts.

Rep last 6 (6, 4, 4, 4, 4) rows 5 (2, 14, 12, 10, 8) more times – 64 (70, 76, 82, 86, 92) sts.

Work even in St st until piece measures about 17 (17, 16 1/2, 16 1/2, 16, 16) in. (43 (43, 42, 42, 40.5, 40.5) cm) from beg, end with WS row.

## ***Shape Raglans***

**Row 1 (RS):** Bind off 6 (7, 8, 9, 9, 10) sts, k to end of row – 58 (63, 68, 73, 77, 82) sts.

**Row 2:** Bind off 6 (7, 8, 9, 9, 10) sts, p to end of row – 52 (56, 60, 64, 68, 72) sts.

**Row 3 (Raglan Decrease):** K1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 50 (54, 58, 62, 66, 70) sts.

**Row 4:** Purl.

Rep Rows 3 and 4 for 17 (19, 21, 23, 25, 27) more times – 16 sts when all decreases have been completed.

**Next Row:** Rep Row 3 – 14 sts.

## ***Shape Top***

**Row 1 (WS):** Bind off 4 sts, p to end of row – 10 sts.

**Row 2:** K1, k2tog, k to end of row – 9 sts.

**Rows 3 and 4:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 – 4 sts in Row 4.

Bind off.

## **RIGHT SLEEVE**

Make same as Left Sleeve to Shape Top.

## ***Shape Top***

**Row 1 (WS):** Purl.

**Row 2:** Bind off 4 sts, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1 – 9 sts.

**Rows 3 and 4:** Rep Rows 1 and 2 – 4 sts in Row 4.

Bind off.

## **FINISHING**

Sew raglan seams of Front, Back and Sleeves.

Sew side and Sleeve seams.

## ***Neckband***

From RS with short needle, pick up and k74 (76, 82, 94, 94, 102) sts evenly spaced around neck edge.

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.

**Rnd 1:** \* K1, p1; rep from \* around.

Rep Rnd 1 for about 1 in. (2.5 cm).

Bind off.

Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**beg** = begin(ning)

**k** = knit

**k2tog** = knit 2 stitches together

**p** = purl

**rep** = repeat

**rnd** = round

**RS** = right side

**st(s)** = stitch(es)

**St st** = Stockinette stitch

**WS** = wrong side



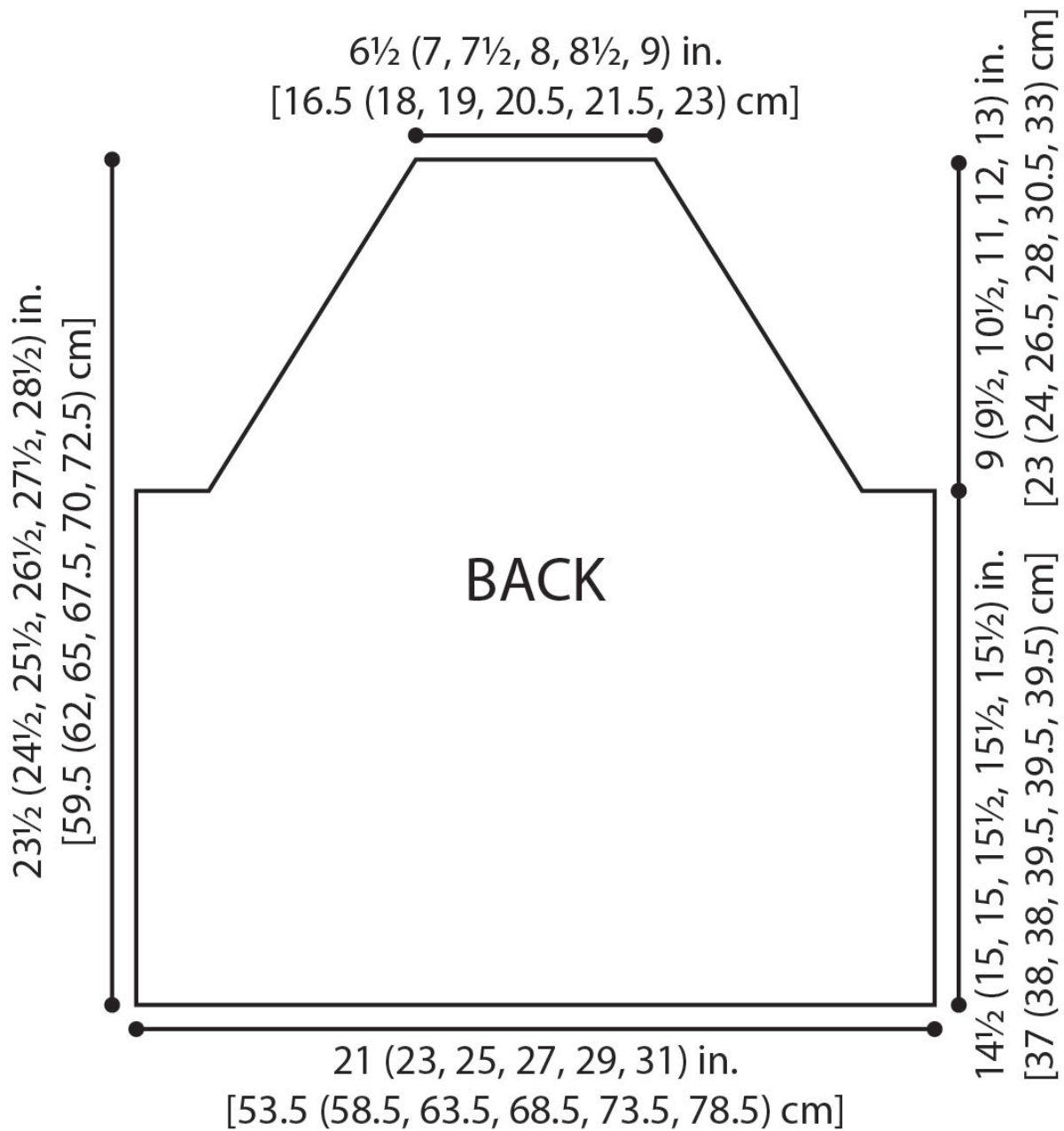
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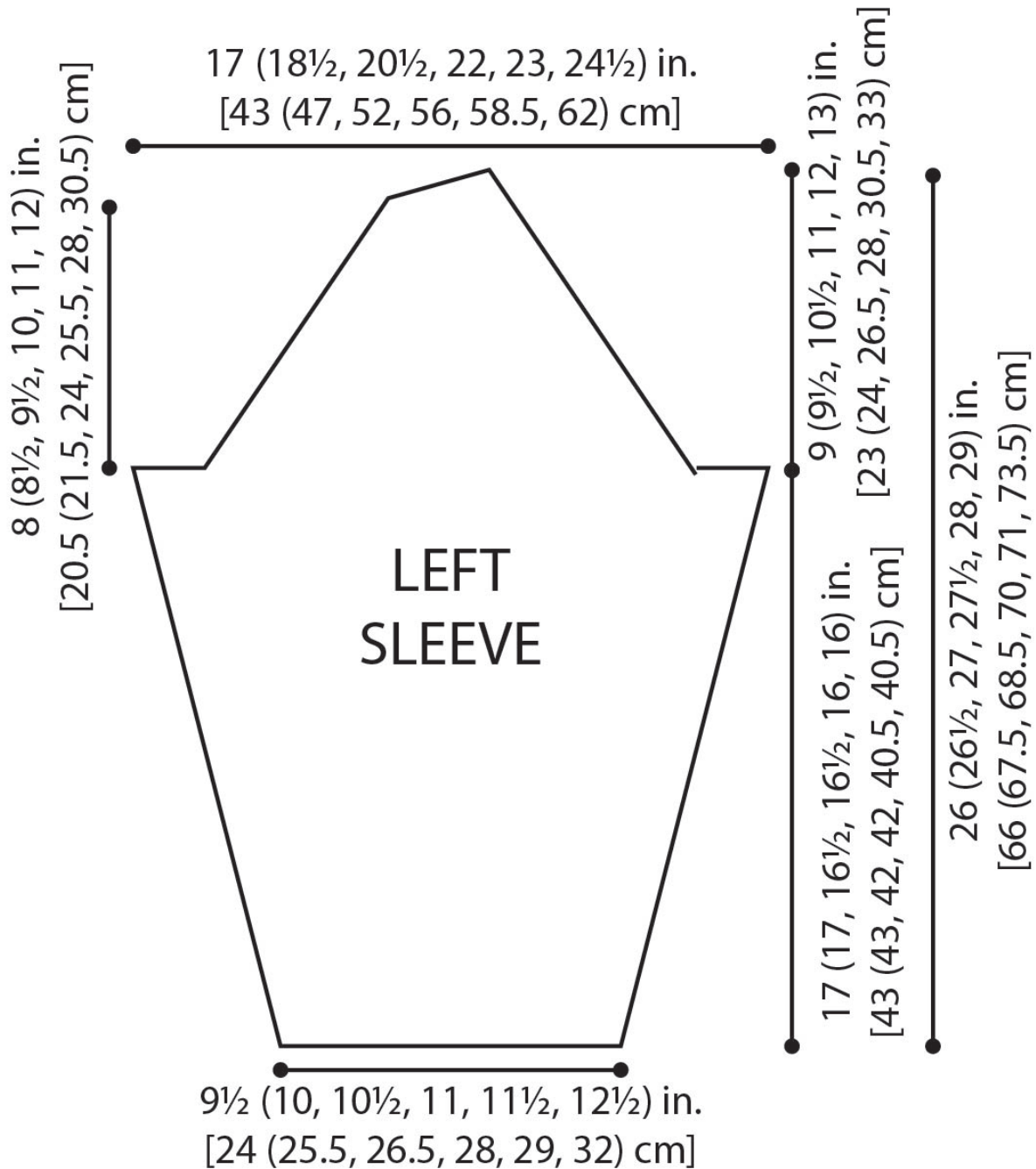
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