

# Genevieve

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**DIFFICULTY:** Intermediate

**FINISHED SIZE:** The pattern is written in one size, which accommodates a bust measurement from 38-44 inches. Guidelines are given to customize the pattern to your own measurements!

## *Materials*

- ❖ 8 balls Lion Brand Wool-Ease in Fisherman (amount will differ for custom-fit)
- ❖ J/10 (6mm) hook
- ❖ Yarn Needle
- ❖ Ruler or Measuring Tape

**GAUGE:** 4 sts x 4 rows = 1 inch

## *Abbreviations*

ch = chain  
ch-sp = chain space  
pat = pattern  
rep = repeat  
sc = single crochet  
sk = skip  
sl st = slip stitch  
st = stitch

**To Customize:** Take the measurements listed at the end of the pattern, and work widths or lengths as indicated in the pattern.



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## Directions

### Back:

Row 1: To begin, ch 72 (*or A*), sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook and each ch across (71 sc), ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across. Ch 1, turn.

Row 3: Sc, sc in ch-sp, [ch 1, sk 1 sc, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 sc remains; sc. Ch 1, turn.

Rep Rows 2-3 alternately until work measures 11 inches (*or B*), ending with a repetition of Row 3.

### Sleeves:

Row 1: Sc, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across, Ch 53 (*or C*), turn.

Row 2: Sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook, sc in next st, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across till 1 sc remains: sc in last sc (123 sts), ch 53 (*or C*), turn.

Row 3: Sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across. (175 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 4: Sc, sc in ch-sp, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across till 1 sc remains, sc. (175 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 5: Sc, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across. Ch 1, turn.

Rep Rows 4 and 5 alternately for pat until sleeve width measures 11 1/2 inches (*or D*), being careful to end on a repetition of Row 4. CAUTION: do not stretch fabric to achieve this measurement.

### Front:

Row 1: Sc, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next st] across until 52 sts (*or C*) remain. (123 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc, sc in ch-sp, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch sp] across until 53 sts (*or C*) remain, sc in next st. (71 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Row 3: Sc, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] 14 times for a total of 29 sts (*or E*). Ch 1, turn.

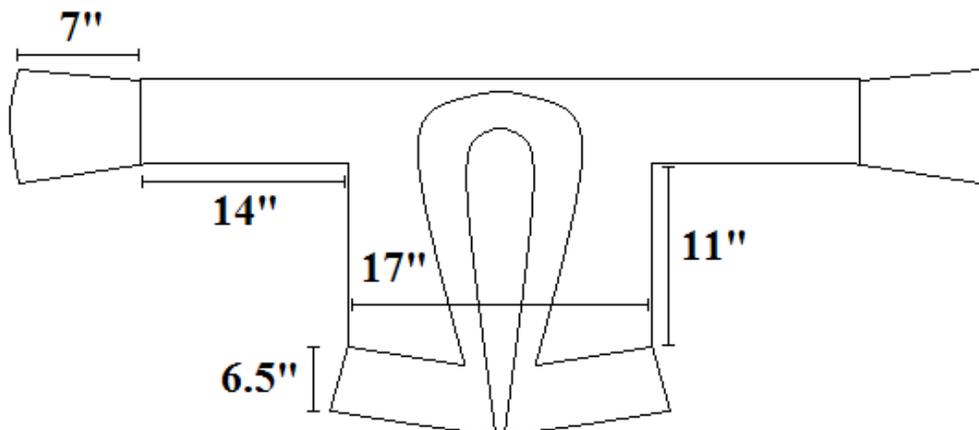
Row 4: Sc, sc in ch-sp, [ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in next ch-sp] across until 1 st remains, sc. (29 sts) Ch 1, turn.

Rep Rows 3 and 4 alternately for pat until front measures approximately 11 inches. If you fold your sweater in half, the front should be only a little shorter than the back. To finish, sc in each st across. Finish off, weave in ends.

For the other half of front, join in first st of Row 2, ch 1, and begin with Row 3. Follow directions to end, weave in all ends.

## Assembly

Sew sleeve and side seams. **IMPORTANT:** there is no seam allowance in this design, so sew seams as follows. Align edges flat, side by side and whipstitch to create a flat seam.



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**Edging:** Please note, the edging is worked around, perpendicular to the edge. Each row of the body will form the base for one stitch of edging.

Row 1: Join at bottom of side seam and ch 21 (or F). Sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook and each ch across (20 sc), sl st into edge. Sl st in next st of edge, turn.

Row 2: [Sk 1 st, dc, dc in skipped stitch] across (20 sts), ch 2, turn.

Row 3: [Sk 1 st, dc, dc in skipped stitch] across (20 sts), sl st in edge, sl st in next edge st, turn.

Row 4: Sc in each st across (20 sts), ch 1, turn.

Row 5: Sc in each st across (20 sts), sl st in edge, sl st in next edge st, turn.

Rep Rows 2-5 for pat, all the way around to the first row of edging. (It does not matter which row of edging you end with.)

Finish off, sew together first and last rows using seaming technique previously described. Weave in ends.

**Cuffs:** Please note, the cuff is worked around, perpendicular to the edge. Each row of the sleeve will form the base for one stitch of the cuff.

Row 1: Join at seam of sleeve with sl st, ch 23 (or F). Sc in 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from hook and each ch across (22 sc), sl st into edge. Sl st in next st of edge, turn.

Row 2: [Sk 1 st, dc, dc in skipped stitch] across (22 sts), ch 2, turn.

Row 3: [Sk 1 st, dc, dc in skipped stitch] across (22 sts), sl st in edge, sl st in next edge st, turn.

Row 4: Sc in each st across (22 sts), ch 1, turn.

Row 5: Sc in each st across (22 sts), sl st in edge, sl st in next edge st, turn.

Rep Rows 2-5 for pat, all the way around to the first row of edging. (It does not matter which row of edging you end with.)

Finish off, sew together first and last rows using seaming technique previously described. Weave in ends.

Using a long pin or large brooch to hold your sweater closed allows for an adjustable fit and enables you to mix up your look!



### Custom Measurements:

A: Low waist measurement divided by two

B: Low waist to underarm

C: Underarm to desired sleeve length minus cuff width

D: Upper arm circumference

E: Approximately half of A

F: Desired length

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