



**WOOL-EASE®
QUILT-LOOK
KNIT AFGHAN**



LION BRAND WOOL-EASE® KNIT QUILT-LOOK AFGHAN

Item #929

SIZE:

48" x 60"

MATERIALS:

- LION BRAND Wool-Ease® (Art. No. 620); 9 balls #403 Mushroom (MC), 2 balls #402 Wheat (CC) or 3 oz. colors of your choice. **Note:** Solids, heathers, twists and sprinkles colors come in 3 oz. balls; prints, frosts, and multi/glitter colors come in 2.5 oz. balls.
- Double-pointed knitting needles: Set of 5 Size 8 U.S. (6 U.K.) (5.00 mm) or SIZE NEEDED TO OBTAIN GAUGE
- Circular knitting needles: Size 8 - 29"
- Stitch markers in two colors

GAUGE:

16 sts and 32 rows = 4" in garter stitch. TO INSURE PROPER SIZE, BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION:

l/r dec (left/right decrease): On left needle, pull the second stitch over the first stitch, knit first stitch.

OCTAGONAL STARS (make 20):

With MC and dpns, cast on 8 sts; divide evenly on 4 dpns. Join and place marker at beg of rnd. **Note:** Change to circular needle when there are too many sts for dpns.

Rnd 1 & all odd number rnds: Knit.

Rnd 2: *Yo, k 1; rep from * 7 more times -- 16 sts.

Rnd 4: *Yo, k 2; rep from * 7 more times -- 24 sts.

Rnd 6: *Yo, k 3; rep from * 7 more times -- 32 sts.

Rnd 8: *Yo, k 4; rep from * 7 more times -- 40 sts.

Rnd 10: *Yo, k 5; rep from * 7 more times -- 48 sts.

Rnd 12: *Yo, k 6; rep from * 7 more times -- 56 sts.

Rnd 14: *Yo, k 7; rep from * 7 more times -- 64 sts.

Rnd 16: *Yo, k 8; rep from * 7 more times -- 72 sts.

Rnd 18: *Yo, k 1, yo, l/r dec, k 6; rep from * 7 more times -- 80 sts.

Rnd 20: *Yo, k 1, (yo, l/r dec) twice, k 5; rep from * 7 more times -- 88 sts.

Rnd 22: *Yo, k 1, (yo, l/r dec) 3 times, k 4; rep from * 7 more times -- 96 sts.

Rnd 24: *Yo, k 1, (yo, l/r dec) 4 times, k 3; rep from * 7 more times -- 104 sts.

Rnd 26: *Yo, k 1, (yo, l/r dec) 5 times, k 2; rep from * 7 more times -- 112 sts.

Rnd 28: *Yo, k 1, (yo, l/r dec) 6 times, k 1; rep from * 7 more times -- 120 sts.

Rnd 30: *Yo, k 1, (yo, l/r dec) 7 more times -- 128 sts.

Rnd 31: Knit. Bind off.

SQUARES (make 12):

With CC and circular needle, cast on 16 sts.

Note: Work back and forth on circular needle.

Row 1 & all odd number rows: P.

Row 2: K 1, (yo, l/r dec) 7 times, end k 1.

Row 4: K 2, (yo, l/r dec) 7 times.

Rows 6, 10, 14 & 18: Rep Row 2.

Rows 8, 12, 16, & 20: Rep Row 4.

Row 21: P. Bind off.

ASSEMBLY:

Crochet or sew stars into strips of 5 stars. Crochet or sew into 4 strips of stars. Connect strips, placing squares to fill space between stars. Do not connect squares to outside edges of Afghan.

BORDER:

(**Notes:** Work across 3 sides of each octagon across top and bottom edges. Work across 2 sides of first and last octagons and 3 sides of all other octagons along side edges. Use one color marker for incs and another for decs.)

Top edge: *With circular needle and CC, pick up and k 16 sts across side of octagon on top edge, place inc marker, rep from * once, pick up and k 16 sts across next side of octagon, place dec marker, rep placement of 2 inc markers, one dec marker 2 more times across edge, end by placing 2 inc markers, pick up and k 16 sts to end of row.

Next row (WS): K even. **Next row (RS):** Inc 1 st in first st of row, k to st before inc marker, inc 1 st in st before and inc 1 st in st after marker (2 sts made), cont across row making incs before and after each inc marker and working to 2 sts before dec marker, k2tog before dec marker, k2tog after dec marker, cont across row working incs and decs where indicated, inc in last st of row. **Next row (WS):** K even.

Repeating incs and decs on RS rows, k 16 rows (8 ridges) of CC, 4 rows of MC, binding off across last WS row of MC. Rep for bottom edge. **Side edges:** Pick up and k 16 sts along one side of octagon, place inc marker, pick up and k 16 sts along next side of octagon, place dec marker, (place 2 inc markers, 1 dec marker) 3 times, ending placing 1 inc marker, work 16 sts to end of row. Work rem edging as for top edge. Rep for other side edge. Sew edging seams with flat seam. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS:

beg = begin(ning)	p = purl
CC = contrasting color	rem = remain(s)(ing)
cont = continu(e)(s)(ing)	rep = repeat
dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)	rnd(s) = round(s)
dpn = double-pointed needle	RS = right side
inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)	st(s) = stitch(es)
k = knit	WS = wrong side
k2tog = knit 2 together	yo = yarn over
MC = main color	

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