

# Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Mandala® Simple Striped Blanket Pattern Number: L70054

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# **SKILL LEVEL - Easy**

#### SIZE

About 44 x 60 in. (112 x 152.5 cm)

## **MATERIALS**

- Lion Brand® Mandala® (Art. #525)
  - 217 Genie 1 ball (A)
  - 208 Valkyrie 1 ball (B)
  - 205 Pixie 1 ball (C)
  - 206 Serpent 1 ball (D)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



# **ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

Circular knitting needle size 6 (4 mm), 36 in. (91.5 cm) long

## **GAUGE**

21 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (knit on RS, purl on WS). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

#### **NOTES**

- 1. Blanket is worked in one piece in St st (knit on RS, purl on WS) with Garter st (knit every stitch on every row) borders.
- 2. A circular needle is used to accommodate the large number of stitches. Work back and forth on the circular needle as if working on straight needles.

#### **BLANKET**

With A, cast on 230 sts.

#### **Lower Border**

Work in Garter st for 14 rows.

## Center

Row 1 (RS): Work in Garter st for 8 sts, knit to last 8 sts, work in Garter st to end of row

**Row 2:** Work in Garter st for 8 sts, work in St st to last 8 sts, work in Garter st to end of row.

Rep Row 2, changing to B, C and D as you finish each ball, until piece measures about 58 in. (147.5 cm) (or about 85 yds. (85 m) of D remains).

# **Upper Border**

Work in Garter st for 14 rows. Bind off.

# **FINISHING**

Weave in ends.

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

k = knit

p = purl

rep = repeat

RS = right side

st(s) = stitch(es)

St st = Stockinette stitch

WS = wrong side

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