

# Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Lion Cashmere Blend T-Strap Booties Pattern Number: 60088



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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

**SIZE:** 3-6 mos, 9 mos

Finished Sole 3 (3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 4) in. [7.5 (9, 10) 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

#### MATERIALS

- 270-098 Lion Brand Lion Cashmere Blend: Cream
   1 Skeins
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 9 [5.5 mm]
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

# GAUGE:

18 sts + 24 rows = 4 in. [10 cm] in Garter st (knit every row). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

# STITCH EXPLANATION:

M1 (make 1) An increase worked by lifting horizontal thread lying between needles and placing it onto left needle. Work this new stitch through the back loop.

**sk2p** 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 k them tog.

#### LEFT BOOTIE

\*Beg at center of sole, cast on 24 (28, 32) sts.
Row 1: Purl.
Row 2: Knit.
Row 3: P 10 (12, 14), (m1, p 1) 4 times, m1, p 10 (12, 14) – 29 (33, 37) sts.
Row 4: Cast on 2 sts, knit to end of row.
Row 5: Cast on 2 sts, purl to end of row – 33 (37, 41) sts.
Knit 4 (6, 6) rows.

#### Shape Top

Row 1: K 11 (13, 15), ssk, k 7, k2tog, k 11 (13, 15) – 31 (35, 39) sts.
Row 2: Knit.
Row 3: K 11 (13, 15), ssk, k 1, sk2p, k 1, k2tog, k 11 (13, 15) – 27 (31, 35) sts.
Row 4: Knit.
Row 5: K 6 (7, 8) and sl to a holder for button tab, bind off next 6 (7, 8) sts, k 2, sl last 3 sts from right hand needle to holder for t-strap, bind off next 6 (7, 8) sts, knit to end of row. \*\*

#### Strap

Continuing on last 6 (7, 8) sts, k 6 (7, 8), cast on 10 (12, 14) sts for strap. Turn. **Next Row:** Ssk, yo (buttonhole), knit to end of row. Bind off.

#### **Button Tab**

SI 6 (7, 8) sts from holder back to needle and k 2 rows. Bind off.

Place 3 sts from holder on needle, attach yarn and knit 15 (17, 19) rows. Bind off.

# **RIGHT BOOTIE**

Work as for Left Bootie from \* to \*\*.

# **Button Tab**

Continuing on last 6 (7, 8) sts, k 2 rows. Bind off.

# Strap

Cast 10 (12, 14) sts onto empty needle, with same needle k across 6 (7, 8) sts from holder. **Next Row:** K to last 2 sts, yo, k2 tog (buttonhole). Bind off.

Work T-Strap as for Left Bootie.

#### FINISHING

Seam cast on edges together for center of sole. Sew back seam and seam at base of heel. Fold ¾ in. [2 cm] of T-Strap to wrong side and sew in place. Thread strap through T-strap loop. Sew button onto side of Bootie.

| ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES<br>Click for explanation and illustration |                                      |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| beg = begin(s)(ning)   | <pre>cont = continu(e)(s)(ing)</pre> |
| <u>k = knit</u>  | k2tog = knit 2 together              |
| $\underline{M1 = make 1}$  | <u>p = purl</u>                      |
| rep = repeat(s)(ing)   | RS = right side                      |
| sk2p = Slip 1, k2tog, pass sl st over                                | <u>ssk = slip, slip, knit</u>        |
| st(s) = stitch(es)   | tog = together                       |
| WS = wrong side  | <u>yo = yarn over</u>                |

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\*<u>Lion Cashmere Blend</u> (Article #270) is a luxurious blend of cashmere and merino wool. It is packaged in 1 1/2 oz [40 g]/77 yd [70 m] balls

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