



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Cotton-Ease®
Starry Treasure Pillow
Pattern Number: 70253A



Knit up a new tradition in cotton-ease. This pillow, knit back and forth on straight needles, is a charming way to deliver a little note or hold a tiny gift

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy + (Level 3)

SIZE: One Size

6½ x 6½ in. (16.5 x 16.5 cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Nov 17, 2016. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 830-100 Lion Brand Cotton-Ease Yarn: Snow
1 Ball (A)
- 830-191 Lion Brand Cotton-Ease Yarn: Violet
1 Ball (B)
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles-Size 8 [5 mm]
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials
Fiberfill stuffing

**Cotton-Ease (Article #830). 50% Cotton, 50% Acrylic;
package size: 3.50oz/100.00 gr. (207yds/188m) pull skeins*



GAUGE:

17 sts + 24 rows=4 in. [10cm] in Stockinette st (k on RS, p on WS). When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but it is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

[Making a Gauge Swatch](#)

STITCH EXPLANATION:

M1p (make 1 purl st) Lift the horizontal thread lying between the needles and place it onto left needle. Purl this new stitch through the back loop.

STITCH PATTERN

Closed Star Pattern

Row 1 (RS): With A, k1, *k3, pass first of 3 k sts over first 2 sts; rep from * across, end k1.

Row 2: With B, p1, *M1p, p2; rep from * across, end p1.

Row 3: With B, k2, *k3, pass first of 3 knit sts over first 2 sts; rep from * across.

Row 4: With A, p2, *M1p, p2; rep from * across.

Rep Rows 1-4 for Closed Star pattern.

PILLOW

Front section

With A, cast on 38 sts. Purl 1 row.

Work in Closed Star Stitch Pattern until piece measures about 7 in. (18 cm) from beginning, end with a Row 3. Cut A.

Back section

With B, and beginning with a purl row, work in Stockinette st until same length as front, end with a WS row. Purl next RS row for turning row.

Pocket section

Beginning at pocket section, RS of work will reverse.

Beginning with Row 2, work in Closed Star Stitch pattern for about 6 in. (15 cm), end with a Row 4.

With A, purl 1 row.

Bind off.

FINISHING

With WS together, fold cast-on edge to beginning of back section. Seam sides. Stuff with fiberfill, sew remaining side closed.

With WS of pocket against RS of back section, fold pocket over back section. Seam sides. Leave bound-off edge of pocket open. Weave in ends.

Leave notes or treats inside the secret pocket.

| ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES | |
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| Click for explanation and illustration | |
| <u>k = knit</u> | <u>p = purl</u> |
| <u>RS = right side</u> | <u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u> |
| <u>WS = wrong side</u> | |

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