



**Free Knitting Pattern**  
**Lion Brand® LB Collection® Cashmere - Sock-Ease™**  
**Luscious Lounge Socks**  
Pattern Number: 90056AD



Cover your feet in luxury with these super soft socks.

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**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate

**SIZE:** One Size

One adult size, length is adjustable

**CORRECTIONS:** (applied Jun 29, 2010)

Shape Toe

Next (Dec) Rnd: On first needle, ssk k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1; on second needle, k1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1; on third needle, k1, k2tog, k to end of rnd.

**MATERIALS**

- 483-098 Lion Brand LB Collection Cashmere: Natural  
3 Balls
- 240-201 Lion Brand Sock-Ease Yarn: Rock Candy  
1 Ball
- Lion Brand Double-Pointed Needles - Size 5
- Lion Brand Stitch Markers
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

**GAUGE:**

20 sts + 29 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in St st worked in the rnd (k every rnd). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE. 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. If it takes you less stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

**STITCH EXPLANATION:**

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

**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 knit them together.

**NOTES:**

Socks are worked with 1 strand each of A and B held tog throughout.

**SOCK (make 2)**

With 1 strand each of A and B held tog, cast on 40 sts. Divide sts evenly onto 3 needles and join, being careful not to twist. Place marker for beginning of rnd. Work in k1, p1 rib for 2 1/2 in. (6.5 cm). Work in St st in the rnd (k every rnd) until piece measures 8 in. (20.5 cm) from beg.

**Shape Heel Flap**

K 20 sts, turn.

Work back and forth in rows on these 20 sts only for Heel Flap.

**Row 1 (WS):** Sl 1, p19.

**Row 2:** \*Sl 1, k1; rep from \* across.

**Row 3:** Sl 1, purl across.

Rep last 2 rows until a total of 21 rows have been worked, ending with a Row 3.

**Short Row Shaping**

**Next Row (RS):** Sl 1, k11, ssk, k1, turn.

**Next Row:** Sl 1, p5, p2tog, p1, turn.

**Next Row:** Sl 1, k6, ssk, k1, turn.

**Next Row:** Sl 1, p7, p2tog, p1, turn.

Continue as established, having 1 more st before decs on each row until 12 heel sts rem.

**Gusset**

With first needle, k across 12 sts of heel, pick up and k12 sts along side of heel flap, M1 between heel flap and next (instep) needle; with second needle, k20 sts across 2 instep needles; with third needle, M1 between instep needle and heel flap, pick up and k12 sts along rem side of heel flap, with third needle, k across 6 sts of heel flap, place marker for beg of rnd – 58 sts.

**Dec Rnd:** On first needle, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1; on second needle, k across instep sts; on third needle, k1, ssk, k to end of rnd.

**Next Rnd:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rnds until 40 sts rem.

**Shape Foot**

Work even in St st in the rnd until foot measures about 1 1/2 in. (4 cm) less than desired length to beg of toes.

**Shape Toe**

**Next (Dec) Rnd:** On first needle, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1; on second needle, k1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, ssk, k1; on third needle, k1, k2tog, k to end of rnd.

**Next Rnd:** Knit.

Rep last 2 rnds until 16 sts rem. Divide sts evenly onto 2 needles. Cut yarn, leaving a long tail for grafting.

**Grafting**

Holding the 2 needles parallel with wrong sides of fabric together, thread a large-eyed blunt needle with one of the yarn ends and work as follows:

Insert needle as if to p into first stitch on front needle. Insert needle as if to k into first stitch on back needle. Then follow steps 1-4 as outlined below.

- 1) Insert needle as if to k through first st on front needle and let the st drop from needle.
- 2) Insert needle into 2nd st on front needle as if to p, and leave st on needle.
- 3) Insert needle into first st on back needle as if to p and let it drop from needle, then
- 4) Insert needle as if to k through 2nd st on back needle and pull the yarn through, leaving st on needle. Rep Steps 1-4 until all sts have been grafted. When finished grafting, adjust tension as necessary.

**FINISHING**

Weave in ends.

<b>ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES</b>	
Click for explanation and illustration	
<a href="#">beg = begin(s)(ning)</a>	<a href="#">dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</a>
<a href="#">k = knit</a>	<a href="#">k2tog = knit 2 together</a>
<a href="#">p = purl</a>	<a href="#">p2tog = purl 2 together</a>
<a href="#">rem = remain(s)(ing)</a>	<a href="#">rep = repeat(s)(ing)</a>
<a href="#">rnd(s) = round(s)</a>	<a href="#">RS = right side</a>
<a href="#">sl = slip</a>	<a href="#">St st = Stockinette stitch</a>
<a href="#">st(s) = stitch(es)</a>	<a href="#">tog = together</a>
<a href="#">WS = wrong side</a>	

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