

Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Cotton-Ease® (new) Early to Bed Hot Water Bottle Cozy

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Use this cozy to protect your skin and keep your hot water bottle warmer longer! For the Spa Step Mat seen in the image, <u>click here</u>.

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy +

SIZE: One Size

About 7 1/2 x 15 in. (19 x 38 cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Jan 4, 2010. To check for later updates, click <u>here</u>.

MATERIALS

- 830-132 <u>Lion Brand New Cotton-Ease: Cactus</u>
 2 Balls
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 9 [5.5 mm]
- · Large-Eyed Blunt Needles
- · Additional Materials
 - 3 buttons, 1 in. (2.5 cm) diameter

GAUGE:

14 sts = 4 in. (10 cm) in Garter st (k every row), with 2 strands of yarn held tog. 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:

K1, p1 Rib (over an odd number of sts)
Row 1: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * across.
Row 2: K the knit sts and p the purl sts.

Rep Row 2 for K1, p1 Rib.

NOTES:

Cozy is worked with 2 strands of yarn held tog throughout.

FRONT

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, cast on 25 sts.

Work in Garter st (k every row) until piece measures about 9 1/2 in. (24 cm) from beg.

Next Row: (K2tog) twice, k to last 4 sts, (k2tog) twice – 21 sts remain at the end of this row.

Shape Neck

Next Row: Bind off 4 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib to last 4 sts, k4 – 17 sts at end of this row.

Next Row: Rep last row – 13 sts.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 5 1/2 in. (14 cm), from bound-off sts.

Bind off.

BACK

With 2 strands of yarn held tog, cast on 25 sts.

Knit 1 row.

Buttonhole Row: K3, yo, k2tog (buttonhole made), k7, yo, k2tog (bu

Work in Garter st until piece measures about 12 in. (30.5 cm) from beg.

Next Row: (K2tog) twice, k to last 4 sts, (k2tog) twice – 21 sts at the end of this row.

Shape Neck

Next Row: Bind off 4 sts, work in K1, p1 Rib to last 4 sts, k4 – 17 sts.

Next Row: Rep last row – 13 sts at the end of this row.

Work in K1, p1 Rib until piece measures about 5 1/2 in. (14 cm) from bound-off sts.

Bind off.

FINISHING

Beg at top of neck, seam Front and Back together along sides of neck, across bound-off sts, and along sides. Fold lower Back edge over Front and mark placement of buttons. Sew on buttons. Weave in ends.

| ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration | |
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| <pre>beg = begin(s)(ning)</pre> | k = knit |
| k2tog = knit 2 together | p = purl |
| rep = repeat(s)(ing) | st(s) = stitch(es) |
| tog = together | yo = yarn over |

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*CottonEase (Article #700) is a versatile, soft cotton blend worsted weight yarn 50% Cotton/50% Acrylic. It comes in 3.5 oz/100g (207 yd/188m) balls



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