



**Free Knitting Pattern**  
**Lion Brand® Microspun**  
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These great hacksack-style juggling blocks are easy to make!

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**SKILL LEVEL:** Beginner (Level 1)

**SIZE:** One Size

Cube approximately 2 inches [5 cm] per side

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Oct 3, 2016. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

### MATERIALS

- 910-158 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Buttercup  
1 Ball (A)
- 910-146 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Fuchsia  
1 Ball (B)
- 910-144 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Lilac  
1 Ball (C)
- 910-194 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Lime  
1 Ball (D)
- 910-148 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Turquoise  
1 Ball (E)
- 910-147 Lion Brand Microspun Yarn: Purple  
1 Ball (F)
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles - Size 7 [4.5 mm]
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials  
Plastic pellets (from fabric store or upholstery store) or beans for stuffing. Note: Plastic pellets are sold for making 'beanbag' chairs, hacky sacks, etc. If you use real beans, they will rot or sprout if the juggling ball gets wet!

*\*Microspun (Article #910). 100% Micro-Fiber Acrylic; package size: 2.50oz/70.00 gr. (168yds/154m) pull skeins*



Note: (the list below is for the assembly example shown in the instructions; blocks in the photograph also use #100 lily white, #153 cherry red and #153 black)

### GAUGE:

20 sts + 36 rows = 4 inches [10 cm] in garter stitch (knit every row) 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](#)

### JUGGLING BALL

#### SIDE 1

With A, Cast on 10 sts. Knit until piece measures 2 inches.

Change to B. Knit until piece measures 4 inches

Change to C. Knit until piece measures 6 inches.

Bind off all sts.



## SIDE 2

With D, Cast on 10 sts. Knit until piece measures 2 inches.

Change to E. Knit until piece measures 4 inches

Change to F. Knit until piece measures 6 inches.

Bind off all sts. Cut yarn, leaving a tail of approximately 18 inches.



## FINISHING:

Assemble the two pieces into a solid as shown (this item is assembled in the same way as a baseball or tennis ball.)

Thread yarn tail into the large-eyed, blunt needle. Sew all the edges shut except one

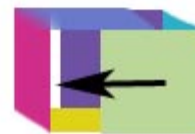


Note: When you join a knitted or crocheted piece, you do so on the right side so you can see how the finished seam will look.

Fill ball with stuffing through the edge that is still open.

Sew last edge closed

Assemble as shown



Sew edges together, leaving one edge open for stuffing; fill; stitch shut

## ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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k = knit

st(s) = stitch(es)

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