



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Chunky
Chunky Diagonal Throw-Knit
Pattern Number: 30038



A great take-along project, this afghan is made in strips

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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate (Level 3)

SIZE: One Size

44 inches x 60 inches, including border

CORRECTIONS: None as of Oct 2, 2016. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 630-178 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Chunky](#)
Yarn: [Nantucket](#)
2 Balls A
- 630-147 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Chunky](#)
Yarn: [Boysenberry \(discontinued\)](#)
4 Balls B
- 630-187 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Chunky](#)
Yarn: [Foliage \(discontinued\)](#)
2 Balls C
- 630-180 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Chunky](#)
Yarn: [Evergreen](#)
3 Balls D
- 630-173 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Chunky](#)
Yarn: [Willow](#)
2 Balls E
- [Lion Brand Knitting Needles Size 11 \[8 mm\]](#)
- [Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles \(Set of 6\)](#)

**Wool-Ease Chunky (Article #630). Solids: 80% Acrylic, 20% Wool;
301 Tinsel White: 78% Acrylic, 19% Wool, 3% Other;
402 Wheat: 86% Acrylic, 10% Wool, 4% Other;
package size: 5.00oz/140.00 gr. (153yds/140m)
pull skeins*



GAUGE:

10.5 sts and 24 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Garter st (knit every row). Each strip = 10" wide x 56" long (25.5 x 142.25 cm)

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:

Inc 1 (increase 1 stitch)

Knit into the top loop of the purl st of the row below the next st on left needle (inserting needle point from bottom up into purled head of st); then knit into the front of next st on left needle.

Dec 1 (decrease 1 stitch)

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.

NOTES:

All colors are worked for 20 rows, each as described below.

DIAGONAL STRIPE SEQUENCE

Strip I A, B, C, D, E, B, C, A, D, E, B, C, A.

Strip II B, E, D, C, B, A, B, D, E, C, B, D, E.

Strip III C, B, A, D, E, D, C, B, D, A, C, B, A.

Strip IV B, C, D, E, B, A, B, E, D, C, B, D, E.

BLANKET

With first color, cast on 1 st.

Bottom Horizontal Shaping

Row 1 (RS) Knit into (front, back, front) of st – 3 sts.

Row 2 and all WS rows Knit even.

Row 3 Inc 1, k 1, inc 1 – 5 sts.

Row 5 Inc 1, k to last st, inc 1 – 7 sts.

Row 6 Knit even

Cont in this manner, rep Rows 5 and 6, inc 1 st each end every RS row and knit even every WS row until 20 rows have been worked – 21 sts. Break off first color; join second color; and continue as above until 20 more rows have been completed – 41 sts. Bottom edge will measure 10".

Vertical Shaping

Cont in Stripe Sequence as follows:

Row 7 (RS) Inc 1, k to last 2 sts, dec 1.

Row 8 Knit even.

Rep Rows 7 and 8 until longest edge of strip measures 56" – 220 rows of strip are completed.

Horizontal Top Shaping

Cont in Stripe Sequence as follows:

Row 9 Dec 1, k to last 2 sts, dec 1.

Row 10 Knit even.

Rep Rows 9 and 10 until 3 sts rem.

Next Row K3tog.

FINISHING

Assemble Strips in numerical order so that # I is on the left and # IV is on the right. Sew together invisibly.

Border

With RS facing, join D at upper right corner of Throw. Pick up and k 100 sts evenly spaced across top. Knit 1 row. Break off D and join B. Work 8 rows in Garter st, inc 1 st each end every other row – 108 sts. Break off B and join A. Continue in this way for 2 rows more – 110 sts. Bind off as if to purl. Work bottom border same as top. For side borders, pick up and k 136 sts evenly spaced and work as above – 146 sts. Sew corner seams invisibly.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES	
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<u>cont = continu(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u>
<u>inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)</u>	<u>k = knit</u>
<u>p = purl</u>	<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>
<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>	<u>RS = right side</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	<u>tog = together</u>
<u>WS = wrong side</u>	

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