

WOOL-EASE® FALLING LEAVES AFGHAN



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#### Item #860

SIZE:

48" x 62"

#### **MATERIALS:**

- LION BRAND Wool-Ease® (Art. No. 620): 14 balls #130 Green Heather or 3 oz. color of your choice or 16 balls 2.5 oz. color of your choice. Note: Solids, heathers, twists and sprinkles colors come in 3 oz. balls; prints, frosts, and multi/glitter colors come in 2.5 oz. balls.
- Knitting needles Size 9 U.S. (5 U.K.) (5.50 mm) straight and circular 29" or SIZE NEEDED TO **OBTAIN GAUGE**

#### **GAUGE:**

Each square measures 7 1/4" x 7 1/4". TO INSURE PROPER SIZE, BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

#### **STITCH EXPLANATIONS:**

M1 With point of right-hand needle, lift running thread between last st worked and next st, place thread over left-hand needle and knit into back of this thread. **3-st psso** Slip 2 sts as if to k, k 1, pass the slipped sts over the k st.

**SQUARES:** Make 48.

Starting at one corner, with straight needles, cast on 1 st.

Row 1: Work (k 1, yo, k 1) in front lp of st -- 3 sts.

**Row 2:** P 3.

**Row 3:** P 1, M1, k 1, M1, p 1.

Row 4: K 1, M1, p 2, (p in front lp,then k in back lp)

of next st, k 1.

**Row 5:** P 2, (k 1, yo) twice, k 1, p 2.

**Row 6:** K 1, M1, k 1, p 5, k 1, M 1, k 1.

**Row 7:** P 3, k 2, yo, k 1, yo, k 2, p 3.

Row 8: K 1, M1, k 2, p 7, k 2, M 1, k 1.

**Row 9:** P 4, k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 4.

**Row 10:** K 1, M1, k 3, p 9, k 3, M 1, k 1.

**Row 11:** P 1, k 1, p 3, k 3, 3-st psso, k 3,p 3, k 1, p 1.

Row 12: K 1, M1, p 1, k 3, p 7, k 3,

(p in front lp, then k in back lp) of next st, k 1.

**Row 13:** P 2, M1, k 1, M 1, p 3, k 2, 3-st psso,

k 2, p 3, M 1, k 1, M 1, p 2.

Row 14 and all even-numbered rows through Row 30: K 1, M 1, k the k sts and p the p sts and all yo's and M1's

to last st, M 1, k 1.

**Row 15:** P 3, k 1, (yo, k 1) twice, p 3, k 1, 3-st psso,

k 1, p 3, (k 1, yo) twice, k 1, p 3.

**Row 17:** P 4, k 2, yo, k 1, yo, k 2, p 3, 3-st psso, p 3,

k 2, yo, k 1, yo, k 2, p 4.

**Row 19:** P 5, k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 7, k 3, yo, k 1,

yo, k 3, p 5.

**Row 21:** P 2, k 1, p 3, k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 3, k 1, p 3,

k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 3, k 1, p 2.

**Row 23:** P 3, M1, k 1, M1, p 3, k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 3, M1, k 1, M1, p 3, k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 3, M1, k 1, M1, p 3. **Row 25:** P 4, (k 1, yo, k 1, yo, k 1, p 3, k 1, 3-st psso, k 1, p 3) twice, (k 1, yo) twice, k 1, p 4.

Row 27: P 5, (k 2, yo, k 1, yo, k 2, p 3, 3-st psso, p 3) twice, k 2, yo, k 1, yo, k 2, p 5.

Row 29: P 6, (k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 7) twice, k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 6 -- 53 sts.

**Row 31:** P 1, p2tog, p 4, (k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 3, k 1, p 3) twice, k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 4, p2tog, p 1.

Row 32 and all remaining even-numbered rows:

K the k sts, p the p sts and all yo's and M1's.

Row 33: P 1, p2tog, p 3, (k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 3, M1, k 1, M1, p 3) twice, k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 3, p2tog, p 1.

**Row 35:** P 1, p2tog, p 2, (k 1, 3-st psso, k 1, p 3, k 1, yo, k 1, yo, k 1, p 3) twice, k 1, 3-st psso, k 1, p 2, p2tog, p 1. Row 37: P 1, p2tog, p 1, (3-st psso, p 3, k 2, yo, k 1, yo,

k 2, p 3) twice, 3-st psso, p 1, p2tog, p 1.

Row 39: P 1, p2tog, p 4, k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 7, k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 4, p2tog, p 1.

**Row 41:** P 1, p2tog, p 3, k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 3, k 1, p 3, k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 3, p2tog, p 1.

Row 43: P 1, p2tog, p 2, k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 3, M1, k 1,

M1, p 3, k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 2, p2tog, p 1. **Row 45:** P 1, p2tog, p 1, k 1, 3-st psso, k 1, p 3, k 1, (yo,

k 1) twice, p 3, k 1, 3-st psso, k 1, p 1, p2tog, p 1. **Row 47:** P 1, p2tog, 3-st psso, p 3, k 2, yo, k 1, yo, k 2,

p 3, 3-st psso, p2tog, p 1.

Row 49: P 1, p2tog, p 3, k 3, yo, k 1, yo, k 3, p 3, p2tog, p 1.

**Row 51:** P 1, p2tog, p 2, k 3, 3-st psso, k 3, p 2, p2tog, p 1. **Row 53:** P 1, p2tog, p 1, k 2, 3-st psso, k 2, p 1, p2tog, p 1.

**Row 55:** P 1, p2tog, k 1, 3-st psso, k 1, p2tog, p 1.

**Row 57:** P 2, 3-st psso, p 2.

Row 59: P 1, p3tog, p 1.

Row 61: P3tog. Fasten off.

## **FINISHING:**

**Assembly:** With cast-on corners touching at center of block, join 4 squares to form a 14 1/2" square block (leaves radiate from center out to corners of block). Make 12 blocks. Join blocks to form a panel, 3 blocks by 4 blocks. Border: On RS, using circular needle, pick up and k 180 sts (30 sts for each square) across one narrow end of panel. Work in garter st (k each row) and inc 1 st each end of every other row. Work until there are 8 ridges (16 rows) on RS. Bind off on next WS row. Repeat on other narrow end of panel. Work in same manner, pcking up 240 sts along each side edge. Neatly sew shaped border edges together to form mitered corners.

## **ABBREVIATIONS:**

RS = right side inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)st(s) = stitch(esk = knittog = together lp = loopp = purlWS = wrong side psso = pass slipped yo = yarn over stitch over

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