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**Lion Brand® Fishermen's Wool® - Pelt - Bonbons**  
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**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate (Level 3)

**SIZE:** One Size

**Finished circumference** About 12 in. (30.5 cm), after felting

**Finished length** About 20 in. (51 cm), after felting

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Oct 25, 2014. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

#### MATERIALS

- 150-126 [Lion Brand Fishermen's Wool](#) Yarn: Nature's Brown

\**Fishermen's Wool® (Article #150). 100% Pure Virgin Wool*

**202:** 78% Pure Virgin Wool, 13% Acrylic, 9% Rayon; package size: 8 oz (227 g), 465 yards (425 m)

**202:** 6 oz (170 g), 348 yards (318 m)



- 150-123 [Lion Brand Fishermen's Wool](#) Yarn: Oatmeal

\**Pelt (Article #321). 68% Nylon, 32% Polyester; package size: 1.75oz/50.00 gr. (47yds/43m) pull skeins*



- 321-203 [Lion Brand Pelt: Fisher](#)

\**Bonbons (Article #601).*

**Cotton:** 100% Cotton. **Care:** Machine Wash Cool, Gentle Cycle, Do Not Bleach, Dry Flat, Low Iron, Dry Clean Any Solvent Except Trichloroethylene.

**Acrylic:** 100% Acrylic. **Care:** Machine Wash and Dry, Do Not Bleach, Do Not Iron, Tumble Dry Normal, Dry Clean and Solvent Except Trichloroethylene.

**Metallic:** 96% Acrylic, 4% Metallic Polyester. **Care:** Machine Wash Cool, Lay Flat to Dry, Do Not Bleach, Do Not Iron, Dry Clean Any Solvent Except Trichloroethylene.; package size: **Cotton:**

8 x .35oz/10g

8 x 28yd/26m

**Acrylic:** Weight Category 3: DK Weight

8 x .35oz/10g

8 x 28yd/26m

**Metallic:** Weight Category 2: Sport Weight

- 601-660 [Lion Brand Bonbons](#) Yarn: Celebrate

**Cotton:** 100% Cotton. **Care:** Machine Wash Cool, Gentle Cycle, Do Not Bleach, Dry Flat, Low Iron, Dry Clean Any Solvent Except Trichloroethylene.

**Metallic:** 96% Acrylic, 4% Metallic Polyester. **Care:** Machine Wash Cool, Lay Flat to Dry, Do Not Bleach, Do Not Iron, Dry Clean Any Solvent Except Trichloroethylene.; package size: **Cotton:**

8 x .35oz/10g

8 x 28yd/26m

**Acrylic:** Weight Category 3: DK Weight

8 x .35oz/10g

8 x 28yd/26m

**Metallic:** Weight Category 2: Sport Weight

- [Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size G-6 \(4 mm\)](#)

- [Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size I-9](#)

- [Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size N-13 \(9 mm\)](#)

- [Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers](#)

- [Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles \(Set of 6\)](#)



8 x .35oz/10g  
8 x 38.3 yd/35m

## GAUGE:

14 sc + 14 rnds = about 4 in. (10 cm) with largest hook and A, before felting.  
EXACT GAUGE IS NOT ESSENTIAL FOR THIS PROJECT.

## STITCH EXPLANATION:

**sc2tog (sc 2 sts together)** (Insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

## SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

### Adjustable Ring Method

Wrap yarn around index finger. Insert hook into ring on finger, yarn over and draw up a loop. Carefully slip ring from finger and work the stitches of Rnd 1 (in pattern, below) into the ring. When Rnd 1 is complete, gently but firmly, pull tail to tighten center of ring.

## NOTES:

1. Stocking is worked in joined rnds, with RS always facing and then felted.
2. Felting is not an exact science! Your piece may vary in size.
3. The decorative embellishments are worked separately then sewn to felted Stocking.
4. D yarns are worked with 2 strands held together. Wind D yarns into 2 separate balls before beginning.
5. When you see "- 12 sts" in the instructions, this lets you know how many sts you will have at the end of that specific row.

## STOCKING

### Leg

With largest hook and A, ch 46. Join with a sl st in first ch, being careful not to twist chain.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining and in each ch around, join with a sl st in first sc – 46 sc.

**Rnds 2-16:** Ch 1, sc in same sc as joining, sc in each sc around, join with a sl st in first sc.

**Rnd 17:** With A, ch 1, sc in same st as joining, with B, sc in next st, \*with A, sc in next st, with B, sc in next st; rep from \* around; join with a sl st in first sc.

Do not cut A, carry A across WS of piece until next needed.

**Rnds 18-20:** With B, rep Rnd 2.

**Rnd 21:** Rep Rnd 17.

Cut B.

**Rnds 22-32:** With A, rep Rnd 2.

**Rnds 33-37:** Rep Rnds 17-21.

**Rnds 38-48:** With A, rep Rnd 2.

Cut A.

### Shape Heel Flap

Count back the last 11 sts you worked, and join B with a sl st in this st, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in next 22 sts, leave rem sts unworked for instep (top of foot) – 23 sc.

**Next Row:** Working back and forth in rows on these 23 sts only, ch 1, turn, sc in each sc to end of row. Rep last row until flap measures 2 1/4 in. (5.5 cm), end with a WS row as the last row you work.

### Turn Heel

**Row 1 (RS):** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 15 sc, sc2tog, sc in next sc, leave rem sts unworked.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 9 sc, sc2tog, sc in next sc, leave rem sts unworked.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 10 sc, sc2tog, sc in next sc, leave rem sts unworked.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 11 sc, sc2tog, sc in next sc, leave rem sts unworked.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 12 sc, sc2tog, sc in next sc, leave rem sts unworked.

**Row 6:** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 13 sc, sc2tog, sc in next sc, leave rem sts unworked.

**Rows 7 and 8:** Ch 1, turn, sc in next 14 sc, sc2tog – you will have 15 sc at the end of Row 8.

Cut B.

### Gusset

**Note:** Two markers are placed in the next rnd.

You may wish to use a different color marker to indicate beg of rnd.

**Joining Rnd (RS):** From RS, join A with a sl st at beg of instep (top of foot) sts; ch 1, sc in next 23 sts, place marker (pm), work 7 sc evenly spaced along side edge of heel flap, sc in next 15 sc across bottom of heel flap, work 7 sc evenly spaced along side edge of heel flap, join with a sl st to first sc, pm for beg of rnd. Move markers up as each rnd is completed – 52 sc.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, sc in each sc to marker, sc2tog, sc in each sc to last 2 sc, sc2tog, join with a sl st in first sc – 50 sc.

**Rnds 2-4:** Rep Rnd 1 – 44 sc at the end of Rnd 4.

Remove markers.

**Rnd 5:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around; join with a sl st in first sc.

Rep Rnd 5 until piece measures about 6 in. (15 cm) from Joining Rnd.

Cut A and join B.

**Next Rnd:** With B, rep Rnd 5.

### Shape Toe

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, (sc in next 9 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 40 sc.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, (sc in next 8 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 36 sc.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 1, (sc in next 7 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 32 sc.

**Rnd 4:** Ch 1, (sc in next 6 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 28 sc.

**Rnd 5:** Ch 1, (sc in next 5 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 24 sc.

**Rnd 6:** Ch 1, (sc in next 4 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 20 sc.

**Rnd 7:** Ch 1, (sc in next 3 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 16 sc.

**Rnd 8:** Ch 1, (sc in next 2 sc, sc2tog) 4 times, join with a sl st in first sc – 8 sc.

Turn Stocking inside out and flatten toe. Working through both layers, sl st toe closed.

Fasten off.

## FINISHING

### Hanging Loop

With largest hook, join A with sl st at top back edge of Stocking.

Ch 25.

**Row 1:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across.

Fasten off. Sew end of hanging loop to inside of Stocking close to beginning sl st.

Weave in ends.

### Felting

Wash piece by machine on a hot wash/cold rinse cycle with detergent and several pieces of clothing to agitate. Pull into shape, then allow piece to dry thoroughly.

### Cuff

From RS and with medium sized hook, join C with a sl st anywhere along top edge of Stocking. Ch 1, work 48 sc evenly spaced around top edge; join with sl st in first sc.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around; join with a sl st in first sc.

Rep Rnd 2 until cuff measures about 2 1/2 in. (5.5 cm).

Fasten off.

**Note:** Work Cord Trim and Dots with D colors as desired.

### CORD TRIM

With smallest hook and 2 strands of any D color held together, ch 3.

**Rnd 1:** Sc in 3rd ch from hook, sc in 2nd ch, then sc in first ch.

Working in continuous rnds, sc in each sc until piece measures about 14 1/2 in. (37 cm) from beg.

Fasten off.

Sew Cord to Stocking in an S-shape, curling the ends into spirals.

**DOTS (make as many and in D colors as desired. Our designer made 8, each in a different color)**

With smallest hook and 2 strands of D held together, make an adjustable ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 3, work 15 tr in ring, pull on yarn tail to close ring.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, sc in each tr around; join with a sl st in first sc.

**Rnd 3:** \*2 sl st in next sc, sl st in next sc; rep from \* around.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail.

With yarn tails, sew Dots to Stocking as desired.

Weave in ends.

<b>ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES</b>	
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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u>
<u>rem = remain(s)(ing)</u>	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>
<u>rnd(s) = round(s)</u>	<u>RS = right side</u>
<u>sc = single crochet</u>	<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	<u>tog = together</u>
<u>tr = treble (triple) crochet</u>	<u>WS = wrong side</u>

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