



***Free Knitting Pattern***  
**Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®**  
**Oversized Beret**  
Pattern Number: 70052



## **SKILL LEVEL** – Easy

### **SIZE**

One size

**Finished Circumference** 20 in. (51 cm). Beret will stretch to fit a wide range of sizes.

### **MATERIALS**

- Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick® (Art. #640)
  - 099 Fisherman 1 ball
  - or color of your choice
- Lion Brand® knitting needles size 10.5 (6.5 mm)
- Lion Brand® knitting needles size 17 (13 mm)
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



### **GAUGE**

10 sts + 20 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in Double Knit with larger needles.  
**BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.**

### **PATTERN STITCHES**

#### **K1, p1 Rib**

**Row 1 (RS):** \*K1, p1; rep from \* to last st, k1.

**Row 2:** K the knit sts and p the purl sts.

Rep Row 2 for k1, p1 Rib.

#### **Double Knit**

**Note:** Double Knit fabric will look the same on both sides.

**Row 1 (WS):** \*Sl 1 with yarn in front, k1; rep from \*, end sl 1 with yarn in front.

**Row 2 (RS):** \*K1, sl 1 with yarn in front; rep from \*, end k1.

Rep Rows 1 and 2 for Double Knit.

### **BERET**

#### **Band**

With smaller needles cast on 41 sts.

Work 4 rows in k1, p1 Rib.

**Increase Row:** K1, \*yarn over, k1; rep from \* 40 times – 81 sts.

Change to larger needles.

Work in Double Knit until piece measures 4 in. (10 cm) from beg. In last row, place marker after 3rd, 23rd, 43rd and 63rd sts.

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**Decrease Row (RS):** \*Work in Double Knit to next marker, sl marker, p3 tog; rep from \* 3 more times, work in pattern to end of row – 73 sts.

**Next 3 Rows:** Work even in Double Knit.

Rep last 4 rows 7 times – 17 sts.

**Last Row:** K2 tog across to last st, k1. Cut yarn, leaving a long end. Draw end through rem 9 sts on needle, pull tightly tog and knot .

### **FINISHING**

Sew back seam. Weave in ends.

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

beg = begin(ning)

k = knit

p = purl

rem = remaining

rep = repeat

RS = right side

sl = slip

st(s) = stitch(es)

tog = together

WS = wrong side

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