



**Free Knitting Pattern**  
**Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®**  
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Pattern Number: L50250B



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**SKILL LEVEL:** Easy (Level 2)

**SIZE:** One Size

About 36 x 42 in. (91.5 x 106.5 cm)

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Sep 28, 2016. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

#### MATERIALS

- 640-504 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick Yarn: Sandstone](#)  
4 Balls (A)
- 640-122 [Lion Brand Wool-Ease Thick & Quick Yarn: Taupe](#)  
3 Balls (B)
- [Lion Brand Size 15 \[10 mm\] 29-inch \[75 cm\] Circular Knitting Needles](#)
- [Lion Brand Split Ring Stitch Markers](#)
- [Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles \(Set of 6\)](#)

*\*Wool-Ease Thick & Quick (Article #640). Solids, Heathers, Twists, Prints, Stripes: 80% Acrylic, 20% Wool;  
Wheat & Wood: 86% Acrylic; 10% Wool; 4% Rayon;  
Oatmeal & Barley & Grey Marble: 82% Acrylic; 10% Wool; 8% Rayon;  
Metallics: 79% Acrylic, 20% Wool, 1% Metallic Poly;  
package size: Solids, Heathers, Twists, Tweeds: 6 oz./170g (106 yd/97 m)  
Prints, Stripes: 5 oz./140g (87 yd/80 m)  
Metallics: 5 oz./140g (92 yd/84 m)*



#### GAUGE:

9 sts + 13 rows = about 4 in. (10 cm) in Stockinette st (k on RS, p on WS).

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:

##### STITCH PATTERN

##### Seed St (multiple of 2 sts)

**Row 1:** \*K1, p1; rep from \* to end of row.

**Row 2:** P the knit sts, and k the purl sts.

Rep Row 2 for Seed st.

#### NOTES:

1. Blanket is worked in one piece in Stockinette st (k on RS, p on WS) with Seed st borders.
2. The yarn color is changed to make stripes.
3. A circular needle is used to accommodate the large number of sts. Work back and forth on the circular needle as if working on straight needles.



## BLANKET

Cast on 80 sts.

**Rows 1-4:** Beg with Row 1, work in Seed st.

**Row 5 (RS):** Work in Seed st for 7 sts, place marker (pm), knit to last 7 sts, pm, work in Seed st to end of row.

**Row 6:** Work in Seed st to marker, slip marker (sm), work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) to next marker, sm, work in Seed st to end of row.

**Rows 7-20:** Rep Row 6.

Change to B.

**Rows 21-40:** With B, rep Row 6.

Change to A.

**Rows 41-60:** With A, rep Row 6.

Change to B.

**Rows 61-80:** With B, rep Row 6.

Change to A.

**Rows 81-100:** With A, rep Row 6.

Change to B.

**Rows 101-120:** With B, rep Row 6.

Change to A.

**Rows 121-136:** With A, rep Row 6.

**Rows 137-140:** Work in Seed st across entire row.

Bind off.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends.

### ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

Click for explanation and illustration

k = knit

p = purl

rep = repeat(s)(ing)

RS = right side

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side

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Learn to knit instructions: <http://www.lionbrand.com/learn/how-to-knit>

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