

Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand[®] Superwash Merino Cashmere Booties Pattern Number: L10256D



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<u>SKILL LEVEL –</u> Easy+

<u>SIZE</u>

6 months Length 3 1/2 in. (9 cm)

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Superwash Merino Cashmere (Art. #821)
 - 126 Cacao 1 ball
 - or color of your choice
- Lion Brand[®] knitting needles size 4 (3.5 mm)
- Lion Brand® knitting needles size 5 (3.75 mm)
- Lion Brand® stitch markers
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



<u>GAUGE</u>

 $\overline{21 \text{ sts} + 48 \text{ rows}} = 4 \text{ in.}$ (10 cm) in Garter st (knit every row). BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

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. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

STITCH EXPLANATION

M1 (make 1 st) An increase worked by lifting the horizontal thread lying between the needles and placing it onto the left needle. Work this new stitch through the back loop.

BOOTIE (make 2)

With larger needles, cast on 27 sts.

Row 1 (WS): K 13, place marker, k 1, place marker, knit to end.

Row 2 (RS): K 1, M1, knit to marker, M1, slip marker, k 1, slip marker, M1, knit to last st, M1, k 1 - 31 sts.

Repeat last row 2 more times – 39 sts.

Work 11 rows in Garter st, removing markers on first row.

Next Row (RS): K 16, k2tog, place marker, k 3, place marker, k2tog, k 16 – 37 sts.

Next Row (WS): Knit to 2 sts before marker, k2tog, k 3, k2tog, knit to end – 35 sts.

Repeat last row 4 more times – 27 sts.

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FINISHING

Thread yarn tail through large-eyed needle and sew sides of ribbing tog. Continue sewing along rem sides of Garter st portion of Bootie and across open end to close toe. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit k2tog = knit 2 together p = purl RS = right side st(s) = stitch(es) tog = together WS = wrong side

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