



Free Knitting Pattern
Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®
Cable Bag
Pattern Number: 80396AD



This classic cabled bag looks great with any outfit.

Free Knitting Pattern from Lion Brand Yarn Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick® Cable Bag

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SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

SIZE: One Size

About 12 x 12 in. (30.5 x 30.5 cm) not including handles

CORRECTIONS: None as of Jul 13, 2009. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

MATERIALS

- 640-099 Lion Brand Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick Yarn: Fisherman
1 Ball
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles Size 11 [8 mm]
- Lion Brand Cable Needles (Set of 2)
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials
 - 2 wooden dowels, each 12 in. (30.5 cm) long, 3/8 in. (10 mm) diameter
 - 4 wooden ball caps to fit dowels
 - 12 x 24 in. (38 x 61 cm) piece of fabric for lining
 - Sewing needle and thread
 - Craft glue

GAUGE:

9 sts + 14 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in rev St st (p on RS, k on WS) 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 less 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:

2/2 RC (2 over 2 right cross) Sl 2 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k2, then k2 from cable needle.
2/3 RC (2 over 3 right cross) Sl 2 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k3, then k2 from cable needle.
2/3 LC (left cross of 2 over 3) Sl next 2 sts to a cable needle and leave at the front of your work, k3 then k2 from cable needle.

BAG

FRONT

Cast on 29 sts. Work in rev St st (p on RS, k on WS) until piece measures 4.5 in. (11.5 cm) from beg, end with a WS row.

Cable Pattern

Row 1 (RS): P14, k1, p14.

Row 2 and all WS rows: K the knit sts and p the purl sts.

Row 3: P13, k3, p13.

Row 5: P12, k5, p12.

Row 7: P11, k7, p11.

Row 9: P10, k2, 2/3 RC, k2, p10.

Row 11: P9, k11, p9.

Row 13: P8, k13, p8.

Row 15: P7, k2, 2/3 LC, k1, 2/3 LC, k2, p7.
Row 17: P6, k17, p6.
Row 19: P5, k19, p5.
Row 21: P4, k2, 2/3 RC, k1, 2/3 RC, k1, 2/3 RC, k2, p4.
Row 23: P3, k23, p3.
Row 25: P2, k25, p2.
Row 27: K3, (2/3 LC, k1) 3 times, 2/3 LC, k3.

Work 5 rows in rev St st. Bind off.

BACK

Work as for Front.

STRAP (make 2)

Cast on 6 sts.

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2: Purl.

Rows 3-10: Rep Rows 1 and 2.

Row 11: K1, 2/2 RC, k1.

Row 12: Purl.

Rep Rows 1-12 until piece measures about 22 in. (56 cm) from beg. Bind off.

FINISHING

Seam cast on edges of Back and Front for bottom of Bag. Seam sides to within 5 in. (12.5 cm) of top. From WS, sew diagonally across bottom corners to square base of Bag. Weave in ends.

Lining

Fold fabric lining piece in half. Seam sides. Slip lining into Bag. Fold top, raw edge of lining to WS. Sew folded lining edge to WS of Bag. Fold top edge of Front and Back of Bag about 1 1/2 in. (3.8 cm) to WS and sew in place to make casing for dowels. Slide dowels into casings, then glue caps onto dowels. Sew straps to WS at top edge of Back and Front of Bag. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES	
Click for explanation and illustration	
beg = begin(s)(ning)	k = knit
p = purl	rep = repeat(s)(ing)
Rev St st = reverse stockinette stitch	RS = right side
sl = slip	St st = Stockinette stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)	WS = wrong side

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