



**Free Knitting Pattern**  
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This fabulous felted purse is perfect for your everyday needs.

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**SKILL LEVEL:** [Easy](#)

**SIZE:** One Size

About 9 1/2 x 14 in. (24 x 35.5 cm) after felting

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Jun 11, 2009. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

#### MATERIALS

- 150-126 [Lion Brand Fishermen's Wool Yarn: Nature's Brown](#)  
1 Ball (A)
- 150-123 [Lion Brand Fishermen's Wool Yarn: Oatmeal](#)  
1 Ball (B)
- [Lion Brand Knitting Needles - Size 10.5 \[6.5 mm\]](#)

#### GAUGE:

16 sts + 20 rows = 4 in. (10 cm) in St st (k on RS, p on WS) before felting. 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.

#### TOTE

With A, cast on 86 sts.

**Rows 1-5:** With A, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS).

**Rows 6-10:** With B, work in St st.

Rep Rows 1-10, 21 more times, then rep Rows 1-5 once.

Bind off.

#### HANDLES (make 2)

With A, cast on 7 sts. Work in St st until piece measures 35 in. (89 cm) from beginning. Bind off.

#### FINISHING

Fold Tote in half and sew side seams. Fold up corners and sew in place. Sew Handles to Tote 5 in. (12.5 cm) from sides and 3 in. (7.5 cm) below top edge. Weave in ends.

#### FELTING

Wash by machine on a hot wash/cold rinse cycle with detergent and several pieces of clothing to agitate. To felt additionally, dry by machine on a regular setting until almost dry. Remove from dryer and pull into shape.

#### ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

[Click for explanation and illustration](#)

[k = knit](#)

[RS = right side](#)

[st\(s\) = stitch\(es\)](#)

[p = purl](#)

[St st = Stockinette stitch](#)

[WS = wrong side](#)

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