

stocking ornament with tree

free

skill level **3**



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SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- 1 skein ea. Lion Brand® Vanna's Choice®: Beige (A), Kelly Green (B)
- or colors of your choice
- Lion Brand® knitting needles size 9
- Lion Brand® stitch holders
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle
- Scissors

DIRECTIONS:

GAUGE

16 sts = 4" over Stockinette st (k on RS, p 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 fewer stitches and rows to match the gauge, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

STITCH EXPLANATION

ssk (slip, slip, knit) Slip next 2 sts as if to knit, one at a time, to right needle; insert left needle into fronts of these 2 sts and knit them tog — 1 st decreased.

NOTES

Stocking is worked in one piece, then tree is worked in duplicate st and Stocking is seamed.

Materials are sufficient to make multiple Ornaments.

STOCKING

Cuff

With A, cast on 24 sts.

Rows 1-18: Knit.

Change to B. Cut A, leaving a long yarn tail.

Row 19 (WS): Purl.

Work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) for 10 rows.

Shape Top of Foot

Next Row (RS): K16, sl the last 8 sts onto a st holder.

Next Row: P8, sl the last 8 sts onto a st holder.

Working across 8 center sts only, work in St st for 4 rows.

Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail.

Next Row (RS): With empty needle, k8 sts from holder, pick up and k6 sts evenly spaced along the side edge of the 4 rows you just worked, k8 sts from needle, pick up and k6 sts evenly spaced along the side edge of the 4-row St st section, then pick up and k8 sts from next holder – 36 sts.

Shape Foot

Purl one row.

Shape Foot

Next Row: K16, k2tog, ssk, k to end – 34 sts.

Next Row: Purl.

Next Row: K1, ssk, k12, k2tog, ssk, k12, k2tog, k1 – 30 sts.

Next Row: Purl.

Next Row: K1, ssk, k10, k2tog, ssk, k10, k2tog, k1 – 26 sts.

Next Row: Purl.

Next Row: K1, ssk, k8, k2tog, ssk, k8, k2tog, k1 – 22 sts.

Next Row: P9, (p2tog) twice, p9 – 20 sts.

Bind off. Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail.

FINISHING

With A, and following Chart, duplicate st a tree onto each side of Stocking with top of tree about 2 sts below lower edge of cuff.

With yarn tail, sew bottom of foot, back of leg and cuff. Fold cuff down.

Hanging Loop

With A, cast on 20 sts. Without working any rows, bind off. Cut yarn, leaving a long yarn tail. Fold piece in half, and with yarn tail, sew ends to cuff.

Weave in ends.

SIZE: About 5" long

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit

k2tog = knit 2 together

p = purl

p2tog = purl 2 together

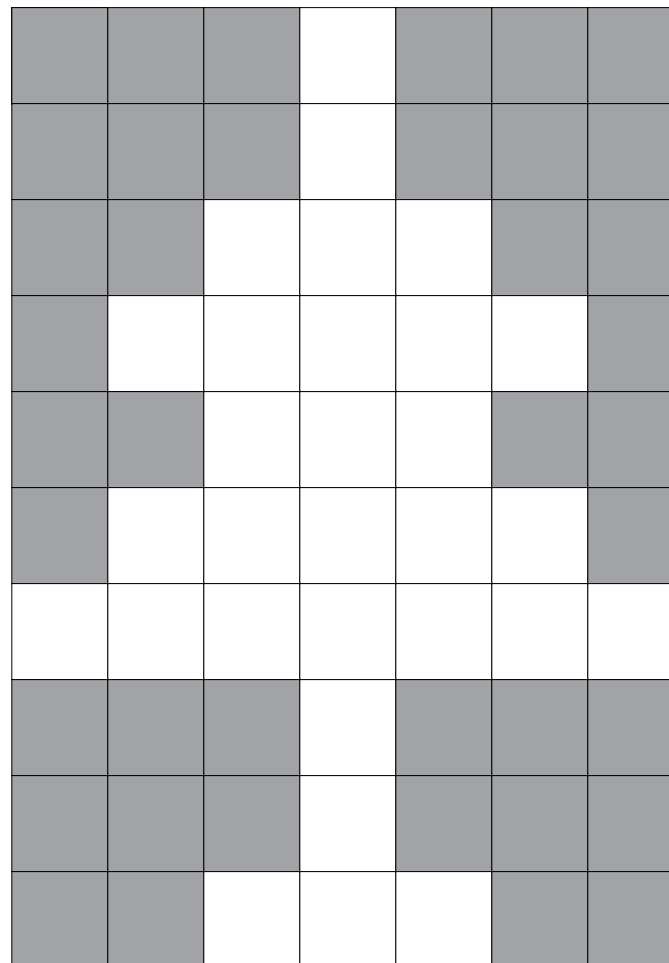
rep = repeat

RS = right side(st) = stitch(es)

St st = Stockinette stitch

tog = together

WS = wrong side



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Skill Level 3: experience necessary

Approx. Crafting Time: varies

Please read and follow all manufacturers' instructions for all tools and materials used.
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