

## **NOTES**

Yarn: Approx. 1/3 skein used for square.

Blocking: Knit your square to 9" x 9" and then wet block to obtain final square size. Immerse square in a small bowl or pot of cold water only for approximately 10 minutes. Once your square has finished soaking, lift it out of the water. Gently squeeze (don't wring) to remove excess water. Then roll your square between a thick dry towel with light pressure to remove moisture. Use a blocking mat + pins to shape your square to 10" x 10".

**Casting on:** This pattern square size requires a specific number of stitches, but if you would like to make this square in various sizes co on a multiple of 4+2.

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

beg	begin/beginning
bo	bind off
со	cast on
k	knit
р	purl
rep	repeat
RS	right side
st(s)	stitch(es)
WS	wrong side

# **TOOLS**

#### **NEEDLES**

5.00 mm • US size 8

#### **YARN**

1 ball of Lion Brand Wool-Ease in the color Fisherman [620-099] Weight: 4 Medium

#### **KNIT SKILL LEVEL**

**Easy Beginner** 

## GAUGE (4 x 4"/10 cm)

14 sts and 20 rows = 4" in stitch pattern after blocking

#### **FINAL SIZE**

10" wide (25.5 cm) 10" long (25.5 cm)

#### **NOTIONS**

Scissors

Tapestry needle

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# **ABOUT THE PROJECT**

This square is apart of a year-long project sponsored by Lion Brand Yarn called the *Traveling Afghans*. In conjunction with Lion Brand's "My Life in Yarn" 2020 campaign, the Traveling Afghan is a collaborative effort amongst 49 knitwear designers and bloggers from seven different countries! Starting in January, the Traveling Afghan set sail from NYC and has journeyed to a new designer every two weeks. Indulge in a vibrant garter rib stitch to create this 10"x10" square for the ultimate warm, soft and versatile wool yarn blend knit blanket.

# THE PATTERN

Begin Beg with your knitting needles, ch 38 sts.

Row 1 (RS): K38

**Row 2 (WS):** P2, \*k2, p2\*, rep from \* to end of row.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2 until you reach row 50.

BO 38 sts

#### **Finish**

Block to 10" x 10" / 25.5cm x 25.5cm dimensions.

Weave in ends with tapestry needle.









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