

Crochet: Easy+

# Knitting Patterns for Sale from Lion Brand Yarn Lion Brand₀ Wool-Ease® Skipping Stones Afghan

Pattern Number: 70512AD

SKILL LEVEL: Easy +

**SIZE:** One Size 42 x 56 in. (106.5 x 142 cm)

## CORRECTIONS: None

## **MATERIALS**

- 620-197 <u>Lion Brand Wool Ease: Burgundy</u>
  5 Balls (A)
- 620-191 <u>Lion Brand Wool Ease: Violet</u>
  1 Ball (B)
- 620-172 Lion Brand Wool Ease: Lemongrass
  1 Ball (C)
- 620-129 <u>Lion Brand Wool Ease: Cocoa</u> 2 Balls (D)
- 620-104 Lion Brand Wool-Ease®: Blush Heather
  2 Balls (E)
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook Size K-10.5
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

## GAUGE:

One Square =  $14 \times 14$  in. (35.5 x 35.5 cm) 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:

#### COLOR SEQUENCE FOR CIRCLES

**NOTE:** When changing color, join new color with sl st in last st worked.

**Circle 1 (make 3):** Work \*2 rnds with E, 1 rnd with D, 1 rnd with C, 1 rnd with A, 1 rnd with D, 1 rnd with B; repeat from \* once more.

**Circle 2 (make 2):** Work 4 rnds with A, 2 rnds with C, 2 rnds with B, 2 rnds with E, 4 rnds with D.

**Circle 3 (make 4)**: Work \*2 rnds with E, 2 rnds with D, 2 rnds with C, 1 rnd with E; repeat from \* once more.

**Circle 4 (make 3):** Work \*2 rnds with A, 1 rnd with D, 1 rnd with A, 2 rnds with E, 1 rnd with D; repeat from \* once more.

## NOTES:

1) Rnds 1-14 create a striped circle.

2) Change colors in these rnds following Color Sequence.

3) Rnds 15-18 of all Squares are worked with A only and form a square around the striped circle.



#### SQUARE

Following Color Sequence, ch 2; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout), work 7 more hdc in ring; join with sl st in top of beg ch - 8 hdc.

Rnd 2: Ch 2, (2 hdc in next st) around, hdc in base of beg ch; join with sl st in top of beg ch - 16 hdc.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 2, (hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next st) 7 times, hdc in next st, hdc in base of beg ch; join with sl st in top of beg ch - 24 hdc.

**Rnd 4:** Ch 2, (hdc in next 2 sts, 2 hdc in next st) 7 times, hdc in next 2 sts, hdc in base of beg ch; join with sl st in top of beg ch - 32 hdc.

**Rnds 5-14:** Continue as established, working 8 increases on each round until Color Sequence has been completed. Change to A in joining sl st of Rnd 14, and continue with A only.

#### Rnd 15: With A, ch 2, hdc in each st around - 112 hdc.

**Rnd 16:** Ch 5 (counts as tr, ch 1 here and throughout), 2 tr in same st as join, \*tr in next 4 sts, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, tr in next 4 sts, (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in next st; rep from \* 2 more times, tr in next 4 sts, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 7 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 7 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, sc in next 7 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 7 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, hdc

**Rnd 17:** SI st in first ch-1 sp, ch 5, 2 tr in same ch-1 sp, \*tr in next st, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, sc in next 15 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, dc in next 3 sts, tr in next st, (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in next ch-1 sp; rep from \* 2 more times, tr in next st, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, sc in next 15 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, dc in next 3 sts, tr in next st, tr in base of beg ch; join with sI st in 4th ch of beg ch - 4 ch-1 sps and 35 sts on each side. **Rnd 18:** SI st in first ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as hdc, ch 1), 2 hdc in same ch-1 sp, \*hdc in next 7 sts, sc in next 21 sts, hdc in next 7 sts, (2 hdc, ch 1, 2 hdc) in next ch-1 sp; rep from \* 2 more times, hdc in next 7 sts, sc in next 21 sts, hdc in next 7 sts, hdc in base of beg ch; join with sI st in 2nd ch of beg ch - 4 ch-1 sps and 39 sts on each side. Fasten off.

#### FINISHING

Following Assembly Diagram, sew Squares together. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	ch(s) = chain(s)
ch-space = space previously made	<u>dc = double crochet</u>
hdc = half double crochet	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>
rnd(s) = round(s)	<u>sc = single crochet</u>
<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>	sp(s) = space(s)
<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>	tr = treble (triple) crochet

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