

# **Free Crochet Pattern Lion Brand® Holiday Homespun®** Home for the Holidays Afghan Pattern Number: 90010AD



This subtly sparkly granny square afghan is perfect for decorating your home during the Christmas season.

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**SKILL LEVEL**: Easy

SIZE: One Size

About 44 x 48 in. (112 x 122 cm)

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Aug 20, 2009. To check for later updates, click <u>here</u>.

#### **MATERIALS**

- 791-201 Lion Brand Holiday Homespun Yarn: Berry
  - 3 Balls (A)
- 791-203 Lion Brand Holiday Homespun Yarn: Mistletoe
  - 3 Balls (B)
- 791-200 Lion Brand Holiday Homespun Yarn: Starlight
  - 4 Balls (C)
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook Size K-10.5
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

#### **GAUGE:**

One Square =  $4\ 1/4\ x\ 4\ 1/4$  in. (11 x 11 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.

#### **AFGHAN**

### SQUARE 1 (make 55)

With A, ch 4; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), 2 dc in ring, ch 1, (3 dc in ring, ch 1) 3 times; join with sl st in top of beg ch - 12 dc and 4 ch-1 corner sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: Join B with sl st in any corner ch-1 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, \*(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* 2 more times; join with sl st in top of beg ch. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: Join C with sl st in any corner ch-1 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, \*(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next corner ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* 2 more times; join with sl st in top of beg ch. Fasten off.

## SQUARE 2 (make 55)

Make same as Square 1, working Rnd 1 with C, Rnd 2 with B, and Rnd 3 with A.

#### **FINISHING**

Arrange Squares and sew into strips, as follows:

Strip 1 (make 5): Beg with Square 1 sew 11 squares together, alternating Square 1 and Square 2.

Strip 2 (make 5): Beg with Square 2 sew 11 squares together, alternating Square 2 and Square 1.

Sew strips together along long edges, alternating Strip 1 and Strip 2.

#### **Border**

Join C with sl st in any corner ch-1 sp.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), (2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same ch-1 sp, dc in each dc around, working (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in each corner ch-1 sp; join with sl st in top of beg ch.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each dc around, working (sc, ch 1, sc) in each corner ch-1 sp; join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

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

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