

## Free Crochet Pattern Lion Brand<sup>®</sup> Vanna's Choice<sup>®</sup> Floral Hexagon Afghan Pattern Number: 90544AD



This colorful hexagon afghan is made in pieces and then crocheted together, making it a great travel project.

# Free Crochet Pattern from Lion Brand Yarn Lion Brand<sup>®</sup> Vanna's Choice<sup>®</sup> Floral Hexagon Afghan

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#### SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

SIZE: One Size About 36 x 52 in. (91.5 x 132 cm)

CORRECTIONS: None as of Apr 12, 2010. To check for later updates, click here.

#### MATERIALS

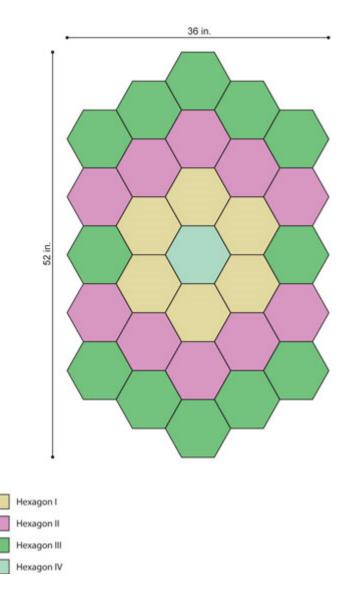
- 860-143 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Yarn: Antique Rose
   2 Balls (A)
- 860-170 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Yarn: Pea Green 1 Ball (B)
- 860-123 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Yarn: Beige 2 Balls (C)
- 860-140 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Yarn: Dusty Rose
   2 Balls (D)
- 860-173 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Yarn: Dusty Green
   2 Balls (E)
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook Size K-10.5
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

#### GAUGE:

1 Hexagon = 8 in. (20.5 cm) at widest point. 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:

2-dc Cl (2-dc cluster) (Yarn over, insert hook in ring and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops) 2 times, yarn over and draw through all loops on hook.
3-dc Cl (3-dc cluster) (Yarn over, insert hook in ring and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops) 3 times, yarn over and draw through all loops on hook.



#### THROW

Hexagon I (make 6) With A, ch 5; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 3, 2-dc Cl in ring, ch 3, (3-dc Cl, ch 3) 5 times; join with sl st in top of first cluster – 6 clusters at the end of this rnd.

**Rnd 2:** SI st in first ch-3 sp, ch 3, (2-dc CI, ch 3, 3-dc CI) in same ch-3 sp, ch 3, \*(3-dc CI, ch 3, 3-dc CI) in next ch-3 sp, ch 3; rep from \* around; join with sI st in top of first cluster – 12 clusters at the end of this rnd. Fasten off A. **Rnd 3:** Join B in first ch-3 sp, ch 3, 2-dc CI in same ch-3 sp, ch 3, (3-dc CI, ch 3, 3-dc CI) in next ch-3 sp (corner made), ch 3, \*3-dc CI in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, (3-dc CI, ch 3, 3-dc CI) in next ch-3 sp (corner made), ch 3, \*3-dc CI in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, (3-dc CI, ch 3, 3-dc CI) in next ch-3 sp (corner made), ch 3; rep from \*

around; join with sl st in top of first cluster – 18 clusters at the end of this rnd. Fasten off B.

Note: Do not work clusters on Rnds 4 and 5, instead work regular double crochet sts.

**Rnd 4:** Join C in any corner ch-3 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-3 sp, 3 dc in each of next 2 ch-3 sps, \*(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp, 3 dc in next 2 ch-3 sps; rep from \* around; join with sl st in top of beg ch – 72 dc and 6 ch-2 sps at the end of this rnd.

**Rnd 5:** Ch 3, dc in each dc around, working (dc, ch 2, dc) in each corner ch-2 sp; join with sl st in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.

#### Hexagon II (make 10)

Make as for Hexagon I, but using C for Rnds 1 and 2, B for Rnd 3, and D for Rnds 4 and 5.

#### Hexagon III (make 12)

Hexagon IV (make 1)

Make as for Hexagon I, but using D for Rnds 1 and 2, A for Rnd 3, and E for Rnds 4 and 5.

### Make as for Hexagon I, but using D for Rnds 1 and 2, E for Rnd 3, and C for Rnds 4 and 5.

#### FINISHING

Arrange Hexagons according to Assembly Diagram. From RS, work sl st through both thicknesses with color of your choice to join.

#### Edging

From RS, join C with sl st in a ch-sp immediately before an inner corner where two Hexagons are joined. **Rnd 1:** Ch 1. Working in back loops only, \*sc in corner ch-sp of Hexagon, sc in corner ch-sp of next Hexagon, sc in each dc and ch of ch-2 sp across edges of Hexagon to next inner corner ch-sp; rep from \* around entire outside edge of Afghan; join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
ch(s) = chain(s)	ch-space = space previously made
dc = double crochet	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>
rnd(s) = round(s)	RS = right side
$\underline{sc} = single crochet}$	<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>
st(s) = stitch(es)	

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\*<u>Vanna's Choice<sup>®</sup></u> (Article #860) is a 4-ply worsted-weight 100% acrylic yarn. • Solids in 3.5 oz/100g (170 yd/156 m) balls • Prints in 3 oz/85 g (145 yd/133 m) balls 100% acrylic



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