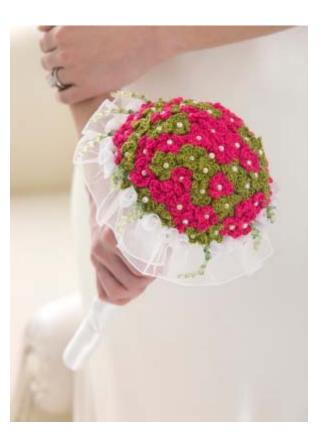


Free Crochet Pattern Lion Brand[®] Bonbons Wedding Bouquet Pattern Number: L50080



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Free Crochet Pattern from Lion Brand Yarn Lion Brand[®] Bonbons Wedding Bouquet

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy (Level 2)

SIZE: One Size

About 14 1/2 in. (37 cm) long

CORRECTIONS: None as of Apr 8, 2015. To check for later updates, click <u>here</u>. **MATERIALS**

- 601-660 <u>Lion Brand Bonbons</u> <u>Yarn: Celebrate</u>
 1 Ball
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook -Size F-5 (3.75 mm)
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt <u>Needles (Set of 6)</u>
- Additional Materials One green craft foam ball, 6 in. (15 cm) in diameter About 75 dressmaker straight pins About 75 small pearl beads with holes large enough to fit onto straight pins 12 green beaded stems (small beads on a strand of wire), each about 2 in. (5 cm) long 24 small white organza rosebuds with rhinestone centers One 8 in. (20.5 cm) white plastic bouquet holder with tulle ruffle 20 green wood plant stakes, about 12 in. (30.5 cm) long 1 1/2 yds. (1.5 m) of white satin ribbon, 2 1/2 in. (6.5 cm) wide Paper plate or small piece of foil wrap Toothpicks

Craft aluo

Craft glue

*Bonbons (Article #601).

Cotton: 100% Cotton. **Care:** Machine Wash Cool, Gentle Cycle, Do Not Bleach, Dry Flat, Low Iron, Dry Clean Any Solvent Except Trichloroethylene. **Acrylic:** 100% Acrylic. **Care:** Machine Wash and Dry, Do Not Bleach, Do Not Iron, Tumble Dry Normal, Dry Clean and Solvent Except Trichloroethylene. **Metallic:** 96% Acrylic, 4% Metallic Polyester. **Care:** Machine Wash Cool, Lay Flat to Dry, Do Not Bleach, Do Not Iron, Dry Clean Any Solvent Except Trichloroethylene.; package size: **Cotton:** Weight Category 2: Sport Weight 8 x .35oz/10g 8 x 28yd/26m

Acrylic: Weight Category 3: DK Weight 8 x .35oz/10g 8 x 28yd/26m

Metallic: Weight Category 2: Sport Weight 8 x .35oz/10g 8 x 38.3 yd/35m

GAUGE:

Exact gauge is not essential to this project.

STITCH EXPLANATION:

2dcCl (2 double crochet cluster) [Yarn over, insert hook in indicated chain and draw up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook)] twice in same chain, yarn over and draw through all loops on hook.

NOTES:

1. Two flower chains are crocheted using yarn colors as desired or to match your special color scheme.

2. Foam ball is cut in half to make the base of the Bouquet. Flower chains and other trims are glued or pinned onto the base.

3. Purchased bouquet holder is embellished, then finished Bouquet is attached.

4. This project is meant to bring a handmade touch to your special day. Use the colors and trims that you love, then use this pattern as a general guide for how to create your Bouquet.

FLOWER CHAINS (make 2 – 1 with pea green yarn and 1 with hot pink)

Chain 4, *work a 2dcCl in 4th chain from hook, chain 3, slip stitch in same chain; (chain 3, 2dcCl, chain 3, slip stitch) 3 times all in same chain – flower made. Chain 9.

Repeat from * to continue making the flower chain, working until almost all yarn has been used. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Cut foam ball in half (a serrated kitchen knife works well for this). Set one half aside – you'll need just one half for the bouquet.

Lay half ball flat side down onto a work surface.

Arrange both of the flower chains over the half ball, leaving the lower edge of ball uncovered. When you are satisfied with the arrangement, pin in place as follows: slide a pearl bead onto one straight pin, then insert pin through the center of one flower, then into foam ball.

Repeat until every flower has been pinned in place.

Squeeze a small amount of craft glue onto paper plate or a small piece of foil.

Use a toothpick to apply glue to one organza rosebud.

Glue rosebud to lower edge of foam ball. In same way, glue remaining rosebuds evenly spaced around base of ball.

Dip one end of a beaded stem into glue then insert into foam ball, spaced between organza rosebuds. Insert remaining beaded stems spaced evenly around between organza rosebuds.

Hold plant stakes together with points facing in one direction.

Insert pointed ends of stakes through center of bouquet holder.

Insert pointed ends gently into center of base of foam ball to create a hole, then remove.

Apply a small amount of glue into the hole then re-insert the stakes.

Allow to dry.

Glue one end of white satin ribbon to plant stakes just below bouquet holder. Wrap ribbon around stakes, covering stakes evenly, to base. Trim end of ribbon and glue in place.

Learn to crochet instructions: http://learnToCrochet.LionBrand.com

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