



Free Crochet Pattern
Lion Brand® 24/7 Cotton
Lovie's Blanket
Pattern Number: L60170



SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE:

About 30 x 30 in. (76 x 76 cm)

MATERIALS:

Lion Brand® 24/7 Cotton (Art. #761)

- #144 Magenta 1 ball (A)
 - #142 Rose 1 ball (B)
 - #098 Ecrú 1 ball (C)
 - #156 Mint 1 ball (D)
 - #178 Jade 1 ball (E)
 - #147 Purple 1 ball (F)
 - or colors of your choice
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size G-6 (4 mm)
 - Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



GAUGE:

Four pattern reps = about 4 in. (10 cm). Note: One pattern rep consists of one 3-dc group and the following ch-1 sp.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES:

1. Blanket is worked in joined rnds with RS always facing.
2. After Rnd 4, the yarn color is changed every other rnd.
3. To change yarn color, fasten off old color and draw up a loop of new color in any corner ch-3 sp.

BLANKET INSTRUCTIONS:

With A, ch 6, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 6 (counts as dc, ch 3), work 3 dc in ring, (ch 3, 3 dc in ring) twice, ch 3, 2 dc in ring; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – you will have 12 dc (four 3-dc groups) and 4 ch-3 sps in this rnd.

Rnd 2: Sl st in first ch-sp, ch 6 (counts as dc, ch 3), 3 dc in same ch-3 sp, *ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next ch-3 sp (corner made); rep from * 2 more times, ch 1, work 2 more dc in first ch-3 sp; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – 24 dc, 4 ch-1 sps, and 4 corner ch-3 sps (two 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-3 sps).

Rnd 3: Sl st in first ch-sp, ch 6 (counts as dc, ch 3), 3 dc in same ch-3 sp, *ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp; rep from * 2 more times, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, work 2 more dc in first ch-3 sp; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – 36 dc, 8 ch-1 sps, and 4 corner ch-3 sps (three 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-3 sps).

Rnd 4: Sl st in first ch-sp, ch 6 (counts as dc, ch 3), 3 dc in same ch-3 sp, *(ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) twice, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp; rep from * 2 more times, (ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) twice, ch 1, work 2 more dc in first ch-3 sp; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – 48 dc, 12 ch-1 sps, and 4 corner ch-3 sps (four 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-3 sps).

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Fasten off.

Rnd 5 (RS): From RS, draw up a loop of B in any corner ch-3 sp, ch 6 (counts as dc, ch 3), 3 dc in same ch-3 sp, *(ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) to next corner ch-3 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp; rep from * 2 more times, (ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) to first ch-3 sp, ch 1, work 2 more dc in first ch-3 sp; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – 60 dc, 16 ch-1 sps, and 4 corner ch-3 sps (five 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-3 sps).

Rnd 6: Sl st in first ch-sp, ch 6 (counts as dc, ch 3), 3 dc in same ch-3 sp, *(ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) to next corner ch-3 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp; rep from * 2 more times, (ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) to first ch-3 sp, ch 1, work 2 more dc in first ch-3 sp; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – 72 dc, 20 ch-1 sps, and 4 corner ch-3 sps (six 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-3 sps).

Fasten off.

Rnds 7-29: Rep Rnds 5 and 6 nine more times, changing yarn color as in following color sequence: Work next 2 rnds with C, 2 rnds with D, 2 rnds with E, 2 rnds with F, 2 rnds with A, 2 rnds with B, 2 rnds with C, 2 rnds with D, 2 rnds with E, 2 rnds with F, 2 rnds with A, and 1 rnd with B – you will have 348 dc, 112 ch-1 sps, and 4 corner ch-3 sps (twenty-nine 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides in Rnd 29).

Rnd 30: Ch 1, sc in each dc and ch-1 sp around, working 3 sc in each corner ch-3 sp; join with sl st in first sc.

Fasten off.

FINISHING INSTRUCTIONS:

Weave in yarn ends.

ABBREVIATIONS:

beg = begin(ning)

ch = chain

ch-sp(s) = space(s) previously made

dc = double crochet

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

RS = right side

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

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