

Free Crochet Pattern Lion Brand[®] Vanna's Choice[®] Baby Crochet Sampler Squares Pattern Number: 81068



SKILL LEVEL - Easy

<u>SIZE</u>

About 8 1/2 x 8 1/2 in. (21.5 x 21.5 cm) each, (set of 4)

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Vanna's Choice Baby (Art. #840)
 - 138 Pink Poodle 1 ball (A)
 - 106 Little Boy Blue 1 ball (B)
 - 157 Duckie 1 ball (C)
 - 169 Sweet Pea 1 ball (D)
 - or colors of your choice
- Lion Brand[®] crochet hook size J-10 (6 mm)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle

<u>GAUGE</u>

Shell Stitch Sampler Square

2 shells = about 4 in. (10 cm)

V-stich Sampler Square

4 V-sts = about 4 in. (10 cm)

Popcorn Stitch Sampler Square

12 dc = about 4 in. (10 cm)

Thistle Stitch Sampler Square

11 sts = about 4 in. (10 cm) over Thistle St. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATIONS

Shell- 5 dc in indicated st. **Popcorn-** work 4 dc in indicated st, remove hook and insert in first dc of 4-dc group, hook dropped loop, and pull through.

SAMPLER SQUARES

SHELL STITCH SAMPLER SQUARE

With A, ch 23.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – 22 sts. **Row 2:** Ch 3, turn. Work 3 dc in 1st sc, *sk next 2 sc, sc in next sc, sk next 2 sc, shell in next sc; rep from * to last 3 sc, sk next 2 sc, sc in last sc.

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Row 3: Ch 3, turn. Work 3 dc in 1st sc, *sc in 3rd dc of next shell, shell in next sc; rep from * 3 more times, sc in t-ch.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 8 1/2 in. (21.5 cm) from beg. Fasten off.

V-STITCH SAMPLER SQUARE

With B, ch 34.

Row 1: Dc in 5th ch from hook, ch 1, dc in same ch (V-stitch made), *sk 2 ch, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch (V-st made); rep from * to last 2 ch, sk 1 ch, dc in last ch. **Row 2:** Ch 3, turn. (Dc, ch 1, dc) in each ch-1 sp across, dc in 3rd ch of t-ch. Rep Row 2 until piece measures about 8 1/2 in. (21.5 cm) from beg. Fasten off.

POPCORN STITCH SAMPLER SQUARE

With C, ch 26.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – 25 sts.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn. Sk 1 sc, *popcorn in next sc, dc in next 3 sc; rep from * across.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn. Sc in each st and in top of each popcorn across, end with sc in 3rd ch of t-ch.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn. Sk 1 sc, *dc in next 2 sc, popcorn in next sc, dc in next 3 sc; rep from * to last 2 sc, popcorn in next sc, dc in last sc.

Row 5: Rep Row 3.

Rep Rows 2-5 until piece measures about 8 1/2 in. (21.5 cm) from beg. Fasten off.

THISTLE STITCH SAMPLER SQUARE

With D, ch 23.

Row 1: Work 2 sc in 3rd ch from hook, *sk 1 ch, 2 sc in next ch; rep from * to end.

Row 2: Ch 2, turn. *Sk 1 sc, 2 sc in next sc; rep from * to end.

Rep Row 2 until piece measures about 8 1/2 in. (21.5 cm) from beg. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)
ch = chain
ch-sp = chain space
dc = double crochet
sc = single crochet
rep = repeat
sc = single crochet

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