



Free Crochet Pattern
Lion Brand® Fast-Track®
Black and White Bag
Pattern Number: L60291
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SKILL LEVEL – Easy

SIZE

Finished Circumference About 26 in. (66 cm)

Finished Width (flattened) About 13 in. (33 cm)

Finished Height About 10 1/2 in. (26.5 cm), including handles

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Fast-Track (Art. #521)
 - 100 Airstream 1 ball (A)
 - 153 Jet Black 1 ball (B)
 - or colors of your choice
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size K-10.5 (6.5 mm)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



GAUGE

9 sc + 9 rnds = about 4 in. (10 cm).

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

STITCH EXPLANATION

sc2tog (sc 2 sts together) (Insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook – 1 st decreased.

NOTES

1. Bag is worked in one piece in joined rounds beginning at center of base and with RS always facing.
2. Yarn color is changed at end of rnds to make stripes in base, top of sides and handles. On center of sides, yarn color is changed multiple times within each rnd to make a geometric pattern.
3. To change yarn color at end of rnd, work last st of rnd with old color, then work joining sl st as follows: Insert hook in first sc of rnd, yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete joining sl st. Proceed with new color.
4. To change yarn color within a rnd, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete the st. Proceed with new color. Do not fasten off old color. Work sts over the unused color to carry the unused color along until next needed.
5. The geometric pattern can be worked by following the written instructions or the chart. If working from the chart, read all rows of chart from right to left.
6. Handles are worked into the last few rnds at top of Bag.

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BAG

Wrap A around index finger. Insert hook into ring on finger, yarn over and draw up a loop. Carefully slip ring from finger and work the sts of Rnd 1 into the ring.

Base

Rnd 1 (RS): With A, ch 1, work 6 sc in ring; join with sl st in first sc and change to B – you will have 6 sc in this rnd. Gently but firmly, pull tail to tighten center of ring.

Rnd 2: With B, ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, 2 sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc and change to A – 12 sc.

Rnd 3: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next st, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc and change to B – 18 sc.

Rnd 4: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * to last st, sc in last st; join with sl st in first sc and change to A – 24 sc.

Rnd 5: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc and change to B – 30 sc.

Rnd 6: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * to last 2 sts, sc in last 2 sts; join with sl st in first sc and change to A – 36 sc.

Rnd 7: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc and change to B – 42 sc.

Rnd 8: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * to last 3 sts, sc in last 3 sts; join with sl st in first sc and change to A – 48 sc.

Rnd 9: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc and change to B – 54 sc.

Rnd 10: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, *sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * to last 4 sts, sc in last 4 sts; join with sl st in first sc – 60 sc.

Sides

Rnd 11: With B, ch 1, working in back loops only, sc in same st as join and in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 12: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in each st around; join with sl st in first sc and change to A.

Begin Geometric Pattern

Rnd 13: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join; with B, sc in next st, *with A, sc in next 3 sts; with B, sc in next st; rep from * to last 2 sts; with A, sc in last 2 sts; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 14: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join; with B, sc in next 3 sts, *with A, sc in next st; with B, sc in next 3 sts; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc.

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Rnd 15: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in next 2 sts; with A, sc in next st, *with B, sc in next 3 sts; with A, sc in next st; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 16: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in next st; with B, sc in next st, *with A, sc in next 3 sts; with B, sc in next st; rep from * to last st; with A, sc in last st; join with sl st in first st.

Rnds 17-24: Rep Rnds 13-16 twice, change to B at end of Rnd 24.

Rnds 25 and 26: With B, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc and change to A at end of Rnd 26.

Rnds 27 and 28: With A, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc and change to B at end of Rnd 28.

Rnd 29: With B, ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Handles

Rnd 30: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in next 9 sts, ch 15, sk next 10 sts, sc in next 20 sts, ch 15, sk next 10 sts, sc in last 10 sts; join with sl st in first sc and change to A – 40 sc and 2 ch-15 spaces.

Rnd 31: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in each sc and ch around; join with sl st in first sc – 70 sc.

Rnd 32: With A, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in next 8 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 18 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog, sc in last 9 sts; join with sl st in first sc and change to B – 66 sc.

Rnd 33: With B, ch 1, sc in same st as join and in next 7 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 16 sts, sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog, sc in last 8 sts; join with sl st in first sc – 62 sc.

Rnd 34: With B, ch 1, sl st in each st around.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

RS = right side

sc = single crochet

sk = skip

sl st = slip st

st(s) = stitch(es)

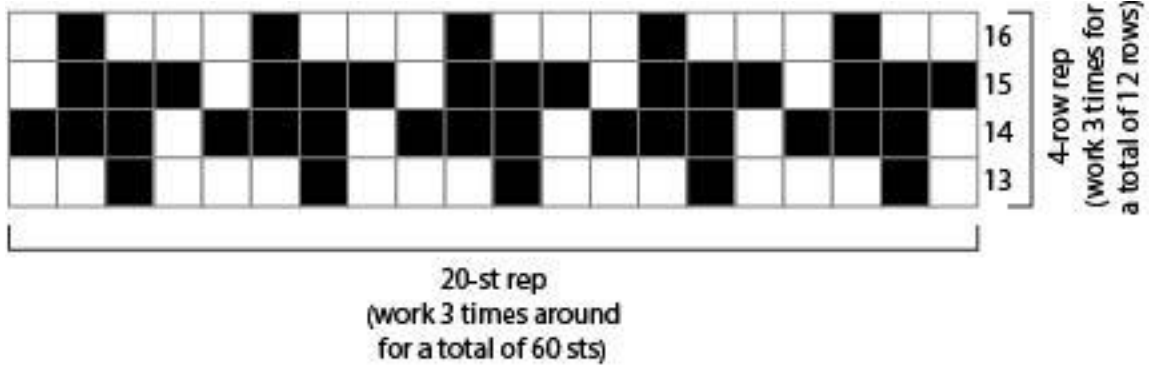
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