

# Free Crochet Pattern Lion Brand® Vanna's Choice® Newport Baby Afghan Pattern Number: L60058

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### SKILL LEVEL - Easy+

#### SIZE

About 32 x 38 in. (81.5 x 96.5 cm)

#### **MATERIALS**

- Lion Brand® Vanna's Choice® (Art. #860)
  - 100 White 4 balls (A)
  - 158 Mustard 1 ball (B)
  - 104 Pink Grapefruit 1 ball (C)
  - 139 Rose Shocking 1 ball (D)
  - 102 Aqua 1 ball (E)
  - 106 Aquamarine 1 ball (F)
  - 111 Sky Blue 1 ball (G)
  - 183 Periwinkle 1 ball (H)
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size I-9 (5.5 mm)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



#### **GAUGE**

1 Hexagon = about 5 in. (12.5 cm) measured diagonally from one corner to opposite corner.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

# **STITCH EXPLANATION**

tr2tog-over-3 (treble crochet decrease worked over 3 sts) (Yarn over) twice, insert hook in next tr and draw up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice, skip next sc of Rnd 3, (yarn over) twice, insert hook in first ch of ch-5 foundation ch of next point and draw up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

#### **NOTES**

- 59 Hexagons are worked, then sewn together following a diagram to make the Afghan.
- 2. Each Hexagon is worked in joined rnds with RS always facing. A starshaped center is worked first. Sts are worked around star to shape piece into a hexagon.
- 3. A stitch diagram is provided to clarify the Hexagons.

#### **HEXAGONS** (make 59)

Make 8 using B for center star, 7 using C for center star, 11 using D for center star, 8 using E for center star, 9 using F for center star, 7 using G for center star, and 9 using H for center star.

#### **Center Star**

Ch 4; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2 (counts as hdc), work 11 more hdc in ring; join with sl st in top of beg ch –12 hdc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as joining and in each st around; join with sl st in first sc – you will have 24 sc.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 1, sc in same st as joining, \*ch 5, working in back bumps of ch, sc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in next ch, dc in next ch, tr in next ch (point made), sk next 3 sts of Rnd 2, sc in next st; rep from \* around omitting last sc; join with sl st in first sc – 6 points and 6 sc.

Fasten off.

## Shape into Hexagon

Rnd 4 (RS): From RS, working in back loops only, draw up a loop of A in any hdc, ch 2 (counts as hdc), \*dc in next dc, tr2tog-over-3; continuing across foundation ch of point, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in next ch, sl st in skipped ch at tip of point; working in sts along other side of point, sc in next sc, hdc in next hdc; rep from \* around omitting last hdc; join with sl st in top of beg ch – 48 sts (including the sl sts).

**Rnd 5:** Ch 1, \*sc in each st to next sl st at tip of point, 2 sc in sl st; rep from \* 5 more times, sc in last st; join with sl st in first sc – 54 sc (9 sc on each of 6 sides). Fasten off.

#### **FINISHING**

Following diagram, sew Hexagons into 9 strips with color of center stars in the following orders:

**Strip #1:** F, B, D, H, E, D, H.

**Strip #2:** C, F, H, D, G, E.

**Strip #3:** E, H, D, B, F, C, B.

Strip #4: C, E, G, C, E, G.

**Strip #5:** B, H, C, F, B, D, F.

Strip #6: D, G, H, D, H, E.

**Strip #7:** E, F, D, B, F, D, H.

**Strip #8:** C, G, E, C, B, F.

Strip #9: G, B, D, F, H, D, G.

Sew strips together to make Afghan.

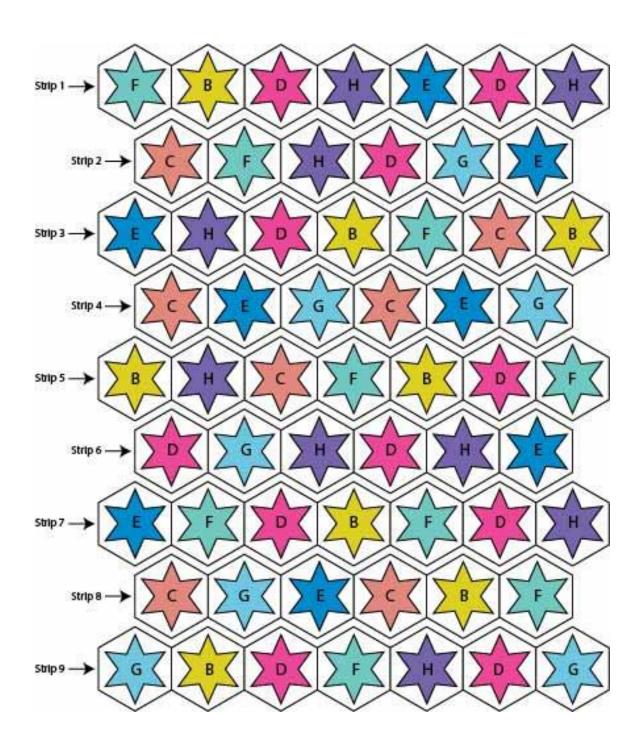
Weave in ends.

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# **ABBREVIATIONS**

beg = begin(ning)(s)
ch = chain
dc = double crochet
hdc = half double crochet
rep = repeat
rnd(s) = round(s)
RS = right side
sc = single crochet
sl st = slip stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)
tr = treble (triple) crochet

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