



Free Crochet Pattern
Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Hand Dyed-Wool-Ease®
Balboa Granny Bag
Pattern Number: L90090



SKILL LEVEL – Easy

SIZES

About 12 1/2 x 12 in. (32 x 30.5 cm), not including strap.

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Hand Dyed (Art. #623)
 - #210 Butterfinger 1 ball (A)
- Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® (Art. #620)
 - #098 Natural Heather 1 ball (B)
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size J-10 (6 mm)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



GAUGE

1 Square = about 4 x 4 in. (10 x 10 cm).
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES

1. 8 Squares are made separately, then sewn together to make the Bag.
2. Each Square is worked in joined rnds with the RS always facing.

SQUARES (MAKE 8)

With A, ch 4; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout this pattern), 2 dc in ring, ch 2, (3 dc in ring, ch 2) 3 times; join with sl st in top of beg ch.

Rnd 2: With A, ch 4 (counts as dc, ch-1 here and throughout this pattern), *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp (corner made), ch 1; rep from * 2 more times, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner ch-2 sp; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: Join B with sl st in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * 2 more times; join with sl st in top of beg ch.

FINISHING

On a flat surface, arrange Squares into 2 rows of 2 Squares for each side of Bag. Sew the Squares together to make Front and Back.

BORDER

From RS, join A with a sl st in any corner ch-2 sp of Front.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 3 (counts as dc), work 2 more dc in same corner ch-2 sp, dc in each dc and ch-1 sp around, working 3 dc in each corner ch-2 sp; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3.

Fasten off.

Repeat for Back.

Hold Front and Back together, WS facing each other. Turn the squares so the Bag resembles a diamond.

Following diagram and working through both thicknesses, join B with a sl st as indicated on the diagram. Work double crochet evenly around Bag, working 3 dc in the corners.

Fasten off according to diagram.

STRAP

With B, ch 6.

Row 1: Dc in 4h ch from hook, and in each ch across – 3 sts.

Row 2: Turn, ch 3, dc in each st across.

Repeat Row 2 until Strap measures about 8 in. (20.5 cm) from beg.

Fasten off.

Sew Strap to Bag.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)(s)

ch = chain

ch-sp(s) = chain 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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