

Free Crochet Pattern LION BRAND® I WANNA MAKE A BLANKIE PILLOW COW

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SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZES

About 13 in. (33 cm) tall, seated

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® I WANNA MAKE A BLANKIE (Art. #532)
 #100 Snow 1 ball (A)
 #152 Iron 1 ball (B)
- LION BRAND® crochet hook size K-10.5 (6.5 mm)
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



2 safety eyes, 12mm diameter Fiberfill stuffing

GAUGE

11 sc = about 4 in. (10 cm). **EXACT GAUGE IS NOT ESSENTIAL FOR THIS PROJECT.**

IMPORTANT NOTE

This piece is for decorative purposes only and should be kept out of the reach of a baby or small child. Never leave baby or small child unattended with the piece.

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. Cow is made in 11 pieces: Head/Body, Nose, 2 Ears, 2 Arms, 2 Legs, and 3 Spots.
- 2. Pieces are stuffed and then sewn together.
- 3. The tail is worked directly onto back of Cow.
- 4. Exact gauge is not critical for this project. Work tightly so that stuffing does not show through spaces between stitches.
- 5. To change yarn color, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete st. Proceed with new color. Fasten off old color.



HEAD/BODY

Head

With A, beg at top of head, ch 2.

Rnd 1: Work 10 sc in 2nd ch from hook; do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral).

Place a marker in last sc made to indicate end of rnd. Move marker up as each rnd is completed.

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in each st around – you will have 20 sc in this rnd.

Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 30 sc.

Rnd 4: *Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 40 sc.

Rnds 5-10: Sc in each st around.

Attach safety eyes between Rnds 5 and 6, about 6 sts apart.

Rnd 11: *Sc in next 3 sts, sk next st; rep from * around – 30 sc.

Rnd 12: *Sc in next 2 sts, sk next st; rep from * around – 20 sc.

Stuff head firmly but do not fasten off.

Body

Rnd 13: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 14: Work 2 sc in each st around – 40 sc.

Rnds 15 and 16: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 17: *Sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 45 sc.

Rnd 18: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 19: *Sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 50 sc.

Rnds 20-23: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 24: *Sc in next 4 sts, sk next st; rep from * around – 40 sc.

Rnd 25: *Sc in next 3 sts, sk next st; rep from * around – 30 sc.

Rnd 26: *Sc in next 2 sts, sk next st; rep from * around – 20 sc.

Stuff body firmly.

Rnd 27: *Sc in next st, sk next st; rep from * around – 10 sc.

Rnd 28: *Sc in next st, sk next st; rep from * around – 5 sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail for sewing.

Thread tail onto blunt needle and sew opening at bottom of body closed.

SMALL SPOTS (make 2)

With B, ch 5.

Rnd 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 2 ch, 3 sc in last ch; working along opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next 2 ch, 3 sc in last ch; join with sl st in first sc - 11 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, hdc in next st, dc in next st, 2 dc in next st, 2 tr in next st, ch 3, sl st in next st; leave rem sts unworked.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Sew one Small Spot on back of head and one to front right of body.

LARGE SPOT

With B, ch 5.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – 4 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 2 (does not count as a st), turn, dc in first st, dc in next st; leave rem sts unworked – 2 dc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 5: Ch 2 (does not count as a st), do not turn, work 5 dc evenly spaced along side edge.

Row 6: Ch 2 (does not count as a st), turn, dc in first 3 sts; leave rem sts unworked.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Sew Large Spot to front left of body.

NOSE

With A, ch 8.

Rnd 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 5 ch, 3 sc in last ch; working along opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next 5 ch, 2 sc in last ch; join with sl st in first sc – 16 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Sew Nose to head, one rnd below safety eyes. Stuff Nose lightly before completely sewing to head.

Thread a length of B onto blunt needle and embroider "X's" on each side of Nose.

EARS (make 2 - 1 each with A and B)

Ch 5.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across -4 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, (sc2tog) twice – 2 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Sew Ears to head.

ARMS (make 2)

With B, beg at hoof, ch 2.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc - 12 sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, working in back loops only, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, *sc2tog, sc in next 4 sts; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc – 10 sc.

Stuff piece firmly.

Change to A.

Note: Rnds 6-10 are not stuffed.

Rnds 6-10: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

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LEGS (make 2)

Work same as Arms through Rnd 10.

Rnd 11: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

TAIL

Join B with sl st in lower center back of body, ch 9.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail.

Cut 7 strands of A, about 4 in. (10 cm) long. Hold the strands together and fold in half. Tie long yarn tail, still attached to cow, tightly around center of the strands and knot securely. Cut a 6 in. (15 cm) length of A and wrap tightly around strands 1 in. (2.5 cm) below top knot. Knot securely then thread ends into needle and weave to center of tassel.

Trim tassel ends evenly.

FINISHING

Sew Arms and Legs to body. Sew Legs so that Cow is in a seated position.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)

ch = chain

dc = double crochet

hdc = half double crochet

rem = remain(ning)

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

sc = single crochet

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

tr = treble (triple) crochet

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