



Free Crochet Pattern

**LION BRAND® VEL-LUXE JUMBO
ALAMOGORDO CROCHET MAT**

Pattern Number: M20447 VLJ



SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZE

About 20 in. (51 cm) diameter

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® VEL-LUXE JUMBO (Art. #537)
 - #195 Cabaret 2 balls (A)
 - #142 Mulberry 3 balls (B)
 - #170 Tender Shoots 2 balls (C)
 - #159 Mineral Yellow 1 ball (D)
- LION BRAND® crochet hook size Q-19 (15 mm)
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



GAUGE

Rnds 1-3 = about 8 1/2 in. (21.5 cm) diameter.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES

1. Mat is worked in joined rnds from the center outwards.
2. Yarn color is changed every round to make stripes. To change yarn color, fasten off old color at end of round and draw up a loop of new color in indicated stitch or space to beg next rnd.

MAT

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

Rnd 1 (RS): With A, ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), (dc in ring, ch 1) 7 times; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-4 – you will have 8 dc and 8 ch-1 sps in this rnd.

Fasten off.

Rnd 2: From RS, draw up a loop of B in any ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, * 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 16 dc and 8 ch-1 sps (eight 2-dc groups with ch-1 sps between groups).

Fasten off.

Rnd 3: From RS, draw up a loop of C in any ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, * 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 24 dc and 8 ch-1 sps (eight 3-dc groups with ch-1 sps between groups).

Fasten off.

Rnd 4: From RS draw up a loop of D in any ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, * (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 32 dc and 16 ch-1 sps (sixteen 2-dc groups with ch-1 sps between groups).

Fasten off.

Rnd 5: From RS, draw up a loop of A in any ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, * 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 48 dc and 16 ch-1 sps (sixteen 3-dc groups with ch-1 sps between groups).

Fasten off.

Rnd 6: From RS, draw up a loop of B in any ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, * (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 64 dc and 32 ch-1 sps (thirty-two 2-dc groups with ch-1 sps between groups).

Fasten off.

Rnd 7: From RS, working loosely, join C with sl st in first dc of any 2-dc group, sl st in next st, sk next ch-1 sp, * sl st in next 2 dc, sk next ch-1 sp; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sl st – 64 sl st.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)

ch = chain

ch-sp(s) = chain space(s) previously made

dc = double crochet

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

RS = right side

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

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