



Free Knitting Pattern

# Mountain Scene Bag



Pattern # -

M22277 HT

Yarn -

Lion Brand® Hometown®

## SKILL LEVEL – EASY

## SIZE

About 16 1/2 in. (42 cm) wide x 14 1/2 in. (37 cm) high, not including straps.

## MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® HOMETOWN® (Art. #135)
  - #124 Cocoa Beach 1 ball (A)
  - #180 Ashland Pine 1 ball (B)
  - #238 Catskills Corner 1 ball (C)
  - #237 Sleepy Hollow Spirit 1 ball (D)
- LION BRAND® knitting needles size 11 (8 mm)
- LION BRAND® knitting needles size 13 (9 mm)
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



## GAUGE

11 sts + 14 rows = about 4 1/2 in. (11.5 cm) over St st (k on RS, p on WS) with larger needles.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

## NOTES

1. Bag is worked in one piece as a rectangle, then folded and seamed.
2. Straps are worked separately and sewn to Bag.
3. Top edges of Front and Back sections of Bag rectangle are worked in Garter st (k every st of every row). Back section is worked in St st (k on RS, p on WS), changing yarn color to form stripes. Front section is worked in St st and intarsia colorwork following a Chart.
4. When following chart, read RS rows of Chart from right to left and WS rows from left to right.
5. When working intarsia, do not carry yarn across WS of work between color changes, use a separate ball for each section of color. On WS, twist yarns to prevent holes. If carrying color across 5 or more sts, twist yarns on WS to prevent overly long strands (floats).

This design is part of our Scenic collection of patterns - meant to inspire makers to personalize their piece with their choice of scene.

We've created 4 Scenic charts that are meant to be interchangeable between the projects.

Any of the charts can be used on whichever piece you choose to make, whether knit or crochet.

Before beginning, review the suggested colors for the specific chart you intend to use! And of course always feel free to change the colors as you like.

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## BAG

### *Back*

With larger needles and A, cast on 40 sts.

**Rows 1-6 (Top of Bag):** With A, work in Garter st (k every st of every row) for 6 rows.

**Rows 7-22:** With A, beg with a RS (knit) row, work in St st (k on RS, p on WS) for 16 rows.

**Rows 23-48:** With B, continue in St st for 26 rows.

Cut B.

### *Front*

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit AND change yarn color following Row 1 of Chart.

**Rows 2-40:** Continue in St st AND change yarn color following Chart until all 40 rows of Chart have been completed.

Cut all yarn colors except D.

**Rows 41 and 42:** With D, work 2 rows in St st.

**Rows 43-48 (Top of Bag):** With D, work in Garter st for 6 rows.

Bind off.

## STRAPS (make 2)

With smaller needles and C, cast on 5 sts.

**Row 1:** Slip 1 as if to purl, k4.

Repeat Row 1 until piece measures about 26 in. (66 cm) from beg.

Bind off.

## FINISHING

Fold Bag rectangle in half, matching sts along bind-off and cast-on edges. Sew side edges together.

Sew ends of one Strap to top edge of front of Bag, about 3 1/2 in. (9 cm) in from corners.

Sew ends of second Strap to top edge of back of Bag.

Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**k** = knit

**p** = purl

**RS** = right side

**St st** = Stockinette stitch

**st(s)** = stitch(es)

**WS** = wrong side



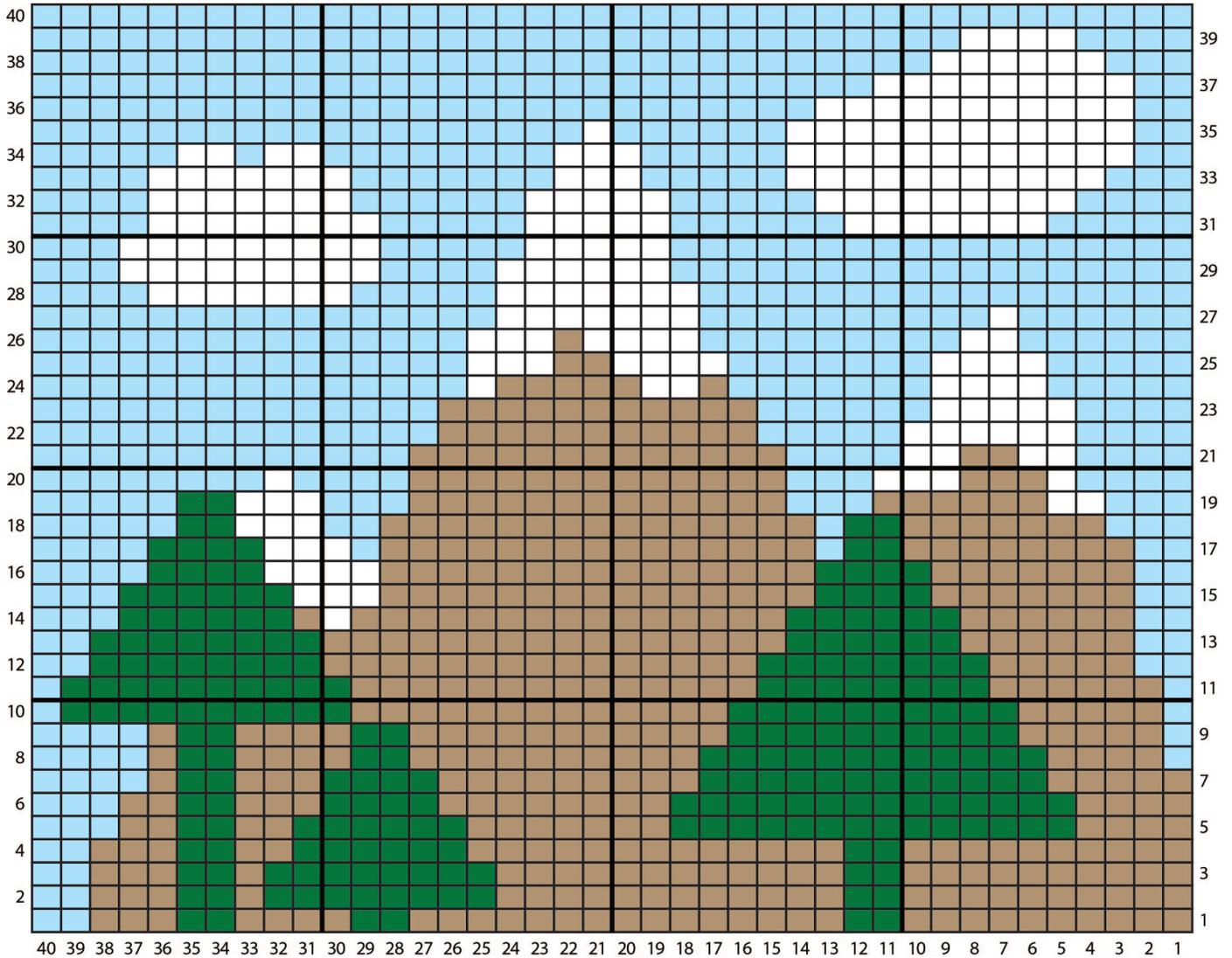
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