



Free Crochet Pattern

Mushroom House



Pattern #-

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Yarn-

Lion Brand® Wool-Ease®

SKILL LEVEL – EASY

SIZES

About 7 in. (18 cm) tall

MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® WOOL-EASE® (Art. #620)
 - #138 Cranberry 1 ball (A)
 - #099 Fisherman 1 ball (B)
 - #024 Oatmeal 1 ball (C)
 - #180 Forest Green Heather 1 ball (D)
 - #087 Arrowwood 1 ball (E)
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle



ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Crochet hook size F-5 (3.75 mm)

Fiberfill stuffing

GAUGE

20 sc + 20 rnds = about 4 in. (10 cm).

EXACT GAUGE IS NOT ESSENTIAL FOR THIS PROJECT.

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.

TECHNIQUE EXPLANATION

Magic Ring: Wrap yarn around index finger. Insert hook in ring on finger, yarn over and draw up a loop. Carefully slip ring from finger and work the sts of Rnd 1 in the ring.

NOTES

1. Mushroom House is worked in 12 pieces: Mushroom, Base, Chimney, and 9 Spots.
2. Mushroom is worked from the cap downwards. Base is worked directly onto Mushroom. Chimney and Spots are worked separately and sewn to Mushroom.
3. All pieces are worked in continuous rnds (spiral). Do not join first st of rnds to last st with a sl st. Do not turn at the beg of rnds, unless instructed.
4. Yarn color is changed to form front door. 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. Do not cut old color until instructed. Carry color not in use along tops of sts of previous rnd and work sts of current rnd over the carried strand, enclosing it inside the fabric.
5. Exact gauge is not essential for this project. We worked tightly with a small hook so that stuffing wouldn't show through.

SAFETY NOTE

The Mushroom House is meant for decorative use only and is not intended as a toy. Don't leave a baby or child unattended with the Mushroom House!

MUSHROOM

With A, make a magic ring.

Cap

Rnd 1 (RS): Work 8 sc in ring; do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral).

Gently but firmly, pull tail to tighten center of ring.

Place a marker in last st 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 16 sc in this rnd.

Rnd 3: * Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 24 sc.

Rnds 4 and 5: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 6: * Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 32 sc.

Rnds 7 and 8: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 9: * Sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 36 sc.

Rnd 10: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 11: * Sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 40 sc.

Rnds 12 and 13: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 14: * Sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 48 sc.

Rnd 15: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 16: * Sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 56 sc.

Rnd 17: Sc in each st around.

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Rnd 18: * Sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 64 sc.

Rnd 19: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 20: * Sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 72 sc.

Rnd 21: * Sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 80 sc.

Rnd 22: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 23 (WS): TURN, working in front loops only, hdc in each st around; change to B in last st.

Fasten off A.

Stalk

Rnd 24 (RS): TURN, with B and working in back loops of Rnd 23 sts only, * sc in next 6 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 70 sc.

Rnd 25: * Sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 60 sc.

Rnd 26: * Sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 50 sc.

Rnd 27: * Sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 40 sc.

Begin stuffing piece. Continue stuffing until piece is complete.

Rnd 28: * Sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 30 sc.

Rnd 29: * Sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 24 sc.

Rnd 30: Working in front loops only, sc in each st around.

Rnds 31-33: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 34: * Sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 28 sc.

Rnds 35-37: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 38: * Sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 32 sc.

Make door

Rnd 39: With B, (sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st) twice, sc in next st; with C, sc in next 5 sts (for front door); with B, sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in last st – 36 sc.

Rnd 40: With B, sc in next 19 sts; with C, sc in next 5 sts; with B, sc in last 12 sts.

Rnd 41: With B, (sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st) twice, sc in next st; with C, sc in next 5 sts; with B, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in last st – 40 sc.

Rnd 42: With B, sc in next 21 sts; with C, sc in next 5 sts, with B, sc in last 14 sts – 40 sc.

Rnd 43: With B, * sc in next 8 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 36 sc.

Rnd 44: Working in back loops only, * sc in next st, sc2tog; rep from * around – 24 sc.

Rnd 45: * Sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog; rep from * around – 18 sc.

Rnd 46: * Sc2tog; rep from * around – 9 sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail. Thread tail through top of sts of last rnd and pull to close opening. Knot securely.

BASE

Hold Mushroom upside down, draw up a loop of D in free front loop of any st of Rnd 43.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, * sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st; rep from * around – 48 sc.

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

Rnds 2 and 3: Sc in each st around.

Fasten off.

CHIMNEY

With A, make a magic ring.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in ring; do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral).

Gently but firmly, pull tail to tighten center of ring.

Place a marker in last st 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 12 sc in this rnd.

Rnd 3: Working in back loops only, * sc in next st, sc2tog; rep from * around – 8 sts.

Rnds 4 and 5: Hdc in next 4 sts, sl st in next 4 sts.

Rnd 6: Sc in each st around.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing Chimney to Mushroom Cap.

Stuff Chimney.

Note: We made 3 Dots of each size – but make as many as you like!.

LARGE DOTS (make 3)

With B, make a magic ring.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in ring; do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral).

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in next 6 sts – 12 sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing Dots to Mushroom Cap.

MEDIUM DOTS (make 3)

With B, make a magic ring.

Rnd 1: Work 9 sc in ring.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing Dots to Mushroom Cap.

SMALL DOTS (MAKE 3)

With B, make a magic ring.

Rnd 1: Work 6 sc in ring.

Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing Dots to Mushroom Cap.

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FINISHING

Using photo as a guide and yarn tails still attached to pieces whenever possible, assemble Mushroom as follows:

With C, embroider gills by sewing straight sts on the flat section underneath Mushroom Cap, between Rnds 24 and 30.

With C, embroider straight sts along sides and top of door.

With E, embroider a straight stitch circle for doorknob.

With A, sew Chimney to Mushroom Cap between Rnds 14 and 17.

Pull some fiberfill from center of magic ring of Chimney to create smoke.

With B, sew Dots randomly onto Mushroom Cap.

With D, embroider straight stitch blades of grass on side of Mushroom Stalk.

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ninig)

ch = chain

hdc = half double crochet

rep = repeat

rnd(s) = round(s)

RS = right side

sc = single crochet

sl st = slip stitch

st(s) = stitch(es)

WS = wrong side



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