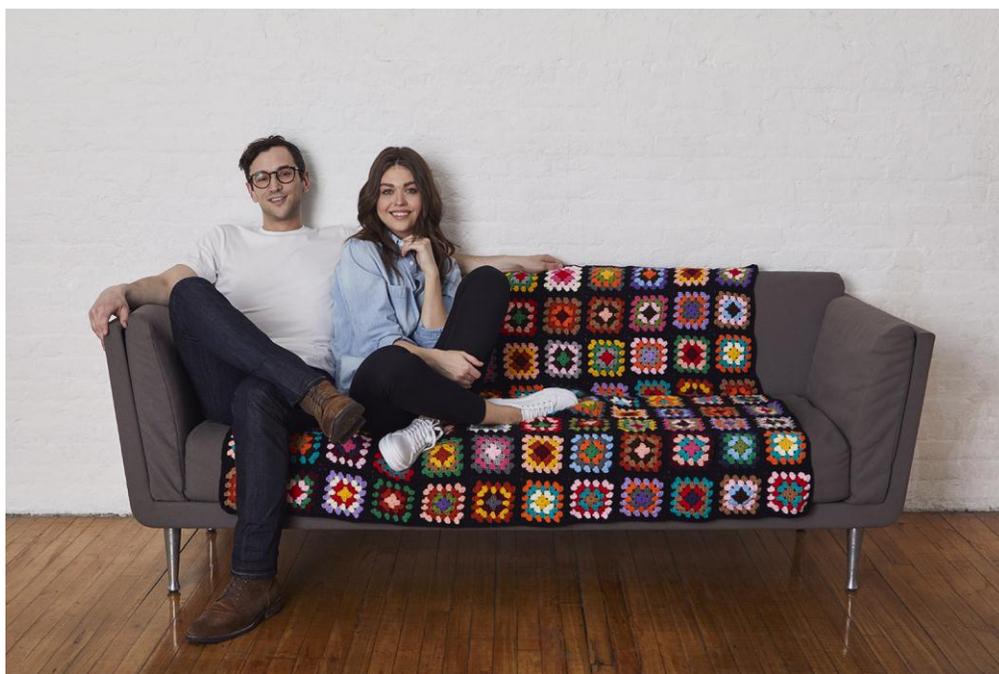




Free Crochet Pattern
Lion Brand® Pound of Love®
DIYarn
Iconic Granny Couch Afghan
Pattern Number: L80083
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SKILL LEVEL – Easy

SIZE

About 47 1/2 x 63 1/2 in. (120.5 x 161.5 cm)

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand® Pound of Love® (Art. #550)
 - 153 Black 1 ball (A)
- Lion Brand® DIYarn (Art. #205)
 - 101 Pink 2 balls (B)
 - 142 Burgundy 2 balls (C)
 - 132 Pumpkin 2 balls (D)
 - 184 Peach 2 balls (E)
 - 157 Yellow 2 balls (F)
 - 178 Teal 2 balls (G)
 - 124 Camel 2 balls (H)
 - 113 Red 2 balls (I)
 - 130 Green 2 balls (J)
 - 133 Orange 2 balls (K)
 - 195 Hot Pink 1 ball (L)
 - 172 Grass 1 ball (M)
 - 107 Sky 1 ball (N)
 - 110 Navy 1 ball (O)
 - 147 Purple 1 ball (P)
 - 146 Lilac 1 ball (Q)
 - 126 Brown 1 ball (R)
 - 098 Cream 1 ball (S)
 - 149 Grey 1 ball (T)
 - 150 Charcoal 1 ball (U)
- Lion Brand® crochet hook size H-8 (5 mm)
- Lion Brand® large-eyed blunt needle



GAUGE

1 Square = about 5 1/4 x 5 1/4 in. (13.5 x 13.5 cm).

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

NOTES

1. 108 Squares are worked separately, then sewn together to make the Afghan.
2. Each Square is worked in joined rnds with RS always facing.
3. Use any yarns colors B-U for Rnds 1-4 of each Square. Rnd 5 of each Square is worked with yarn A.
4. Have fun with the yarn colors and arrange the Squares any way you like!
5. A simple single crochet border is worked around the assembled Afghan.
6. For those who find a visual helpful, we've included a stitch diagram.

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SQUARES (make 108)

Use any 4 yarn colors from colors B-U for each of the first 4 rnds.

With first yarn color, ch 4; join with a sl st in first ch to make a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in ring, (ch 2, 3 dc in ring) 3 times, ch 2; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – you will have 4 ch-2 sps and 12 dc in this rnd (Four 3-dc groups).

Fasten off.

Rnd 2: From RS, join 2nd color with a sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch-2 sp, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp (corner made), (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, 3 dc again in first ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 24 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps (Two 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).

Fasten off.

Rnd 3: From RS, join 3rd yarn color with a sl st in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same corner ch-2 sp, 3 dc in next sp between 3-dc groups, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner ch-2 sp, 3 dc in next sp between 3-dc groups; rep from * 2 more times, 3 dc again in first corner ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 36 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps (Three 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).

Fasten off.

Rnd 4: From RS, join 4th yarn color with a sl st in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same corner ch-2 sp, 3 dc in each sp between 3-dc groups to next corner ch-2 sp, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner ch-2 sp, 3 dc in each sp between 3-dc groups to next corner ch-2 sp; rep from * 2 more times, 3 dc again in first corner ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 – 48 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps (Four 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).

Fasten off.

Rnd 5: With A, rep Rnd 4 – 60 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps (Five 3-dc groups along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail for sewing.

FINISHING

Lay Squares out into 9 rows of 12 Squares each.

Sew Squares together.

The easiest way to sew the Squares together is to sew 9 strips of 12 Squares each, then sew the strips together.

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Border

From RS, join A with a sl st on outside edge of Afghan. Work sc evenly spaced around outside edge, working 3 sc in each corner; join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

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

sl st = slip stitch

sp(s) = space(s)

st(s) = stitch(es)

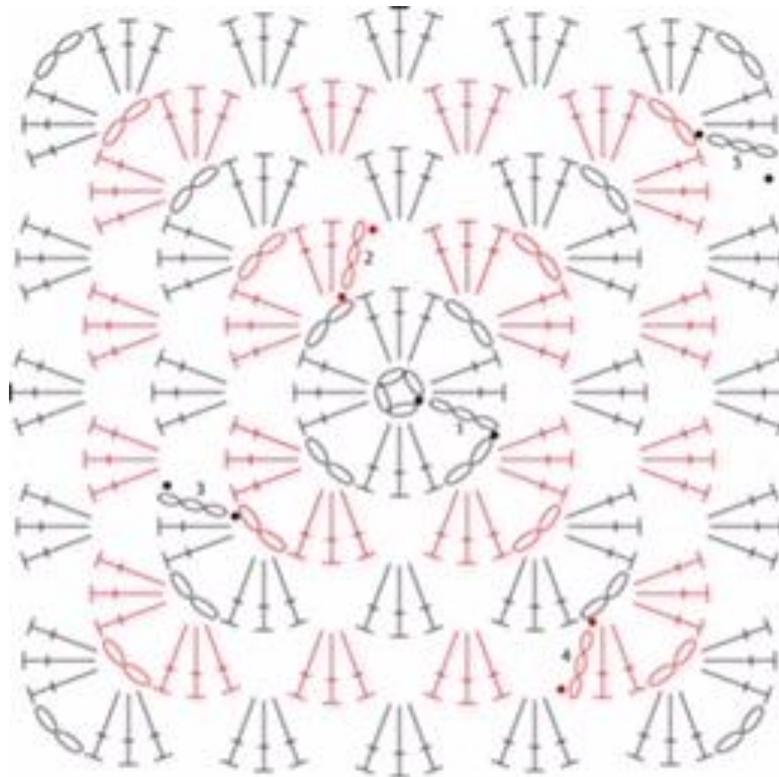
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