## LION BRAND® MANDALA BABY WHITBY BABY AFGHAN

## EASY

## SIZES

About $36 \times 36$ in. $(91.5 \times 91.5 \mathrm{~cm})$

## MATERIALS

- LION BRAND® MANDALA BABY (Art. \#526)
\#207 Honey Dukes 2 balls
- LION BRAND® crochet hook size H-8 (5 mm)
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle


## GAUGE

$17 \mathrm{dc}+81 / 2$ rnds $=$ about $4 \mathrm{in} .(10 \mathrm{~cm})$.
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

## NOTE

Afghan is worked in one piece in joined and turned rnds. Turn at the beginning of every rnd.

## AFGHAN

Ch 6; join with sl st in first ch to make a ring.
Rnd 1: Ch 3 (counts as 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 12 dc and $4 \mathrm{ch}-2 \mathrm{sps}$.
Rnd 2: Turn, sl st in first ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same ch-2 sp, *dc in each dc to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc ) in ch-2 sp (corner made); rep from * 2 more times, dc in each dc to first ch-2 sp, 2 dc in first ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3 (first corner completed) - 28 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps (7 dc along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).
Rnds 3-26: Rep Rnd 2 twenty-four more times - 412 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 103 dc along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps) in Rnd 26.
Rnd 27: Turn, sl st in first ch-2 sp, ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), *dc in next dc, (ch 1, sk next dc, dc in next dc) to next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, (dc, ch 2, dc) in corner ch-2 sp, ch 1; rep from * 2 more times, dc in next dc, (ch 1, sk next dc, dc in next dc) to first ch-2 sp, ch 1, dc in first ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-4 - $216 \mathrm{dc}, 212 \mathrm{ch}-1 \mathrm{sps}$, and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 54 dc and $53 \mathrm{ch}-1 \mathrm{sps}$ along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).
Rnds 28-30: Turn, sl st in first ch-2 sp, ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), *dc in next dc, (ch 1, sk next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc) to next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, (dc, ch 2, dc) in corner ch-2 sp, ch 1; rep from * 2 more times, dc in next dc, (ch 1, sk next ch-1 sp , dc in next dc) to first ch-2 sp, ch 1, dc in first ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in 3 rd ch of beg ch-4 - $240 \mathrm{dc}, 236 \mathrm{ch}-1 \mathrm{sps}$, and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 60 dc and 59 ch- 1 sps along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps) in Rnd 30.

Rnd 31: Turn, sl st in first ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same ch-2 sp, *dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to next corner ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch $2,2 \mathrm{dc}$ ) in corner ch-2 sp; rep from * 2 more times, dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to first ch-2 sp, 2 dc in first ch-2 sp, ch 2; join with sl st in top of beg ch-3-492 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 123 dc along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).
Rnd 32: Rep Rnd $2-508 \mathrm{dc}$ and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 127 dc along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).
Rnds 33-37: Rep Rnds 27-31 - 588 dc and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 147 dc along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps) in Rnd 37.
Rnd 38: Rep Rnd $27-304 \mathrm{dc}, 300 \mathrm{ch}-1$ sps, and 4 corner ch-2 sps ( 76 dc and $75 \mathrm{ch}-1 \mathrm{sps}$ along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps).
Rnd 39: Turn, (sl st, ch 1, sl st) in first ch-2 sp, *(ch 1, sk next dc, sl st in next ch1 sp ) to 1 dc before next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk next dc, (sl st, ch 1 , sl st) in corner ch-2 sp; rep from * 2 more times, (ch 1, sk next dc, sl st in next ch-1 sp) to 1 dc before first ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk next dc; join with sl st in first sl st.

Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

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beg = begin(ning)(s)
ch = chain
ch-sp(s) = chain space(s) previously made
dc = double crochet
rep = repeat
rnd(s) = round(s)
sk = skip
sl st = slip stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)
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