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# CROCHET BANDANA

Skill Level: EASY



### **SUPPLIES & TOOLS:**

- LION BRAND® + RIT COTTON YARN DYE KIT (Art. #107)
- LION BRAND® stitch markers
- LION BRAND® large-eyed blunt needle
- Crochet hook size G-6 (4 mm)

### **SIZING:**

**Finished Length** About 10 in. (25.5 cm), measured from lower point to top edge **Finished Width** About 13 in. (33 cm), not including ties

### **GAUGE:**

13 hdc = about 4 in. (10 cm); 9 rows = about 4 3/4 in. (12 cm).
BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

### **ABBREVIATIONS:**

ch = chain
hdc = half double crochet
sc = single crochet
sl st = slip stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)

### **CROCHET BANDANA**

### **NOTES:**

- 1. Follow the kit instructions to dye your yarn!
- 2. Bandana is worked back and forth in rows of half double crochet (hdc).
- 3. Work begins at center of longest edge. Increases are worked to shape the Bandana
- 4. Ties are worked directly onto the Bandana.

### **BANDANA**

Ch 3.

**Row 1:** Work 5 hdc in 3rd ch from hook (2 skipped ch do not count as a st).

**Row 2:** Ch 2 (does not count as a st), turn, 2 hdc in first st, hdc in next st, 3 hdc in next st, place a marker in center hdc of 3-hdc group just made, hdc in next st, 2 hdc in last st - you will have 9 hdc in this row.

**Row 3:** Ch 2 (does not count as a st), turn, 2 hdc in first st, hdc in next 3 sts, 3 hdc in next st, place a marker in center hdc of 3-hdc group just made (for center), hdc in next 3 sts, 2 hdc in last st - 13 hdc.

**Rows 4-19:** Ch 2 (does not count as a st), turn, 2 hdc in first st, hdc in each st to marked center st, 3 hdc in center st, move marker to center hdc of 3-hdc group just made, hdc in each st to last st, 2 hdc in last st - 77 hdc in Row 19.

Fasten off.

### **Ties**

Join yarn with sl st in one top corner of Bandana, ch 60.

**Row 1:** Turn, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across (for first tie), work sc evenly spaced across top edge of Bandana; ch 60, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch (for second tie), sl st into top corner of Bandana. Fasten off.

#### **FINISHING**

Weave in ends.