



Rug

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**Crochet**  
**#7277**

**Finished Size:** 36" (91.5 cm) diameter

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## SHOPPING LIST

### Yarn (Fine Weight)

[5.3 ounces, 590 yards

(150 grams, 540 meters) per skein]:

- 12 skeins

### Additional Supplies

- 18" x 28" (45.5 cm x 71 cm) nonslip rug underlay - 4
- Yarn needle
- Clover pom-pom makers - 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" (85 mm), 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" (65 mm), and 1<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" (45 mm) or see Pom-Pom in General Instructions
- Scissors

## INSTRUCTIONS

A rug underlay with a large mesh was used for the base of our model (*Photo A*).

### Photo A



Cut the rug underlay into four 18" (45.5 cm) pie-shape wedges. Thread the yarn needle with a double strand of yarn and sew the wedges together to form a 36" (91.5 cm) circle.

Make various sizes of pom-poms to cover rug base and arrange as desired. **Note:** The yarn used is a long-stripe variegated yarn which results in many different colors of pom-poms and pom-poms that change colors midway. If the inside and the outer ends of a skein are used together to wind a pom-pom, a two-color effect can be achieved.

To attach a pom-pom, thread a yarn needle with one yarn end used to form the pom-pom. Sew the pom-pom around the mesh of the rug base, inserting needle through the center of the pom-pom several times, ending on the front side of the rug. Repeat with the remaining yarn end, ending with the yarn ends close to each other. Tie the yarn ends in a knot and then trim the ends to blend with the pom-pom.

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS POM-POM

Cut a piece of cardboard 3" (7.5 cm) wide and as long as you want the diameter of your finished pom-pom to be.

Wind the yarn around the cardboard until it is approximately 1/2" (12 mm) thick in the middle (*Fig. 1a*).

Carefully slip the yarn off the cardboard and firmly tie an 18" (45.5 cm) length of yarn around the middle (*Fig. 1b*). Leave yarn ends long enough to attach the pom-pom. Cut the loops on both ends and trim the pom-pom into a smooth ball (*Fig. 1c*).

Fig. 1a

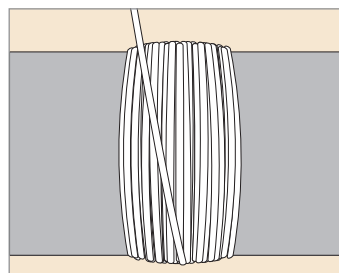


Fig. 1b

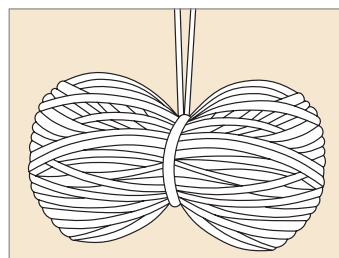
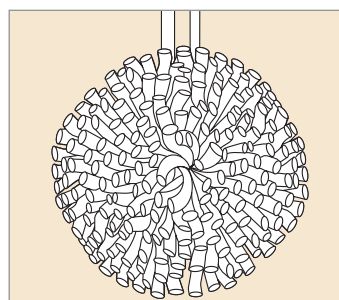


Fig. 1c



## YARN INFORMATION

Lion Brand® Mandala

#213 Wizard

