

63 Easy-To-Crochet Pattern Stitches Combine To Make An Heirloom Afghan



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INTRODUCTION

Congratulations on your purchase of a leaflet that will bring you years of enjoyment. Not only will you be able to make the beautiful Sampler Afghan shown on the front cover, but you will have 63 basic pattern stitches that can be used in other projects. Whether you are looking for a new idea for a baby afghan or are ready to design your own garments, the information given in this leaflet will be a source of inspiration. If you are just beginning to crochet, you will find the instructions clear and easy-to-follow with many references to the Basic Stitch Guide on pages 2-4 to help you even more. For those of you who have been crocheting for quite some time, you may use the Basic Stitch Guide to become reacquainted with the stitches. Whether a beginner or an experienced crocheter, you will be pleasantly surprised by how much you have learned about crochet - and you will have an heirloom afghan to show for your efforts! Please read through the General Instructions section before beginning. This information is provided to help guarantee your success and satisfaction. Once you have familiarized yourself with the basics and you are armed with your yarn and materials, it's time to find your favorite, comfortable chair. Now, the best part - sit back and enjoy the wide variety of pattern stitches.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

ABBREVIATIONS

BPdc	Back Post double crochet
ch(s)	chain(s)
dc	double crochet(s)
FPdc	Front Post double crochet
FPhdc	Front Post half double crochet
hdc	half double crochet(s)
mm	millimeters
Rnd(s)	Round(s)
sc	single crochet(s)
sp(s)	space(s)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tr	treble crochet(s)
YO	yarn over

- ★ — work instructions following ★ as many more times as indicated in addition to the first time.
- () or [] — work enclosed instructions as many times as specified by the number immediately following or work all enclosed instructions in the stitch or space indicated or contains explanatory remarks.

GAUGE

Correct gauge is essential for proper size of Afghan. Each afghan square is designed to measure 7" before the edging is added. Hook size given in instructions is merely a guide and should not be used without first making a sample square, following the instructions for #1 Single Crochet (page 6), using the yarn and hook specified. Measure the square carefully. If your square measures less than 7", try again with a larger size hook. If it measures more than 7", try again with a smaller size hook. Keep trying until you find the size hook that will give you a 7" square. DO NOT HESITATE TO CHANGE HOOK SIZE TO OBTAIN CORRECT GAUGE. The finished square may now be used as the first square of your afghan.

BLOCKING

Due to the variety of pattern stitches used, some of the squares may benefit from being blocked to the proper size. Place each square on a clean terry towel over a flat surface and shape (each square should measure 8" after edging is added); pin in place using rust-proof pins where needed. Steam lightly and allow to dry completely.

MULTIPLES

The multiple plus the number of chains needed for the beginning chain are given with most pattern stitches and prove invaluable when using the patterns for projects other than the Sampler Afghan.

An example is #7 Alternate Puff Stitch on page 6, which is a multiple of 4 + 2 chs. The beginning chain would require 10, 14, 18, 22, etc. chains, or any number divisible by 4 plus an additional 2 chains.

Using this information, combined with the gauge for your project, you may now make a beginning chain to your exact specifications.

For example, if you are making a garment with a finished measurement of 36" (18" for the front and back) and your gauge is 5 stitches to the inch in the hook and yarn you will be using, you would multiply 18 x 5 for a total of 90 stitches. Remember that your beginning chain must be divisible by the multiple for your pattern stitch.

In this case, the Alternate Puff Stitch would work out evenly, because 88 is divisible by four and by adding 2 chains to equal 90, you would have a multiple of 4 + 2 chains.

Do not hesitate to add or subtract a few chains in order for your beginning chain to correspond with the multiple for your chosen pattern stitch.

MARKERS

In working the edging for the afghan squares, it is necessary to work with "right side facing". When instructed to place a marker to indicate the right side, loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch on the side facing before the work is turned.

YARN

The afghan shown can be made with any worsted weight yarn, as long as the correct gauge can be obtained. Since yardage per skein varies in different brands, you may wish to purchase more than the specified amount to ensure having sufficient yarn of the same dye lot to complete your afghan. Remember, in order for your afghan to be the correct size, it is not the type of yarn that matters, but the GAUGE that is important.

FINISHING

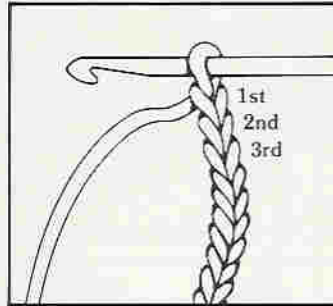
As in all projects, good finishing techniques make a big difference in the quality of the piece. Make a habit of taking care of loose ends as you work. To keep loose ends from showing, always weave them back through several stitches or work over them. When ends are secure, clip them off close to work.

BASIC STITCH GUIDE

CHAIN

When beginning a first row of crochet in a chain, always skip the first chain from the hook, and work into the second chain from hook (for single crochet) or third chain from hook (for half double crochet), etc (**Fig. 1**).

Fig. 1



WORKING INTO THE CHAIN

Method 1: Insert hook into back ridge of each chain (**Fig. 2a**).

Method 2: Insert hook under top two strands of each chain (**Fig. 2b**).

Fig. 2a

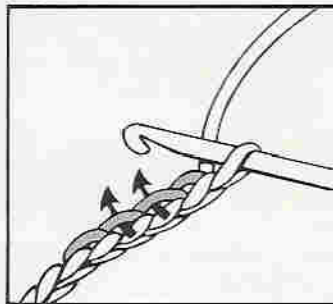
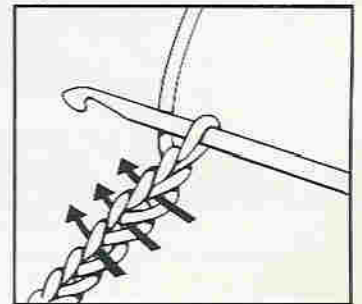


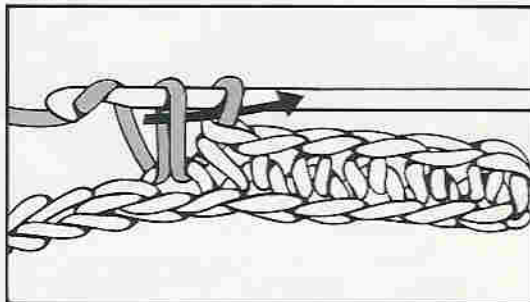
Fig. 2b



SINGLE CROCHET

Insert hook in st and pull up a loop, YO and draw through both loops on hook (**Fig. 3**) (single crochet made, abbreviated sc).

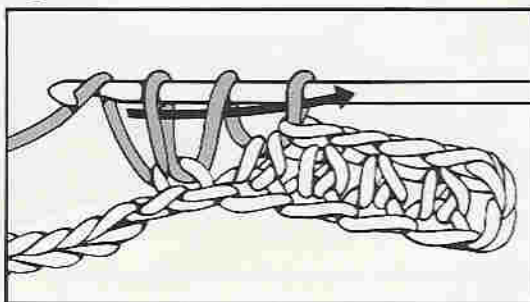
Fig. 3



HALF DOUBLE CROCHET

YO, insert hook in st and pull up a loop, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook (**Fig. 4**) (half double crochet made, abbreviated hdc).

Fig. 4



DOUBLE CROCHET

YO, insert hook in st and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook (**Fig. 5a**), YO and draw through remaining 2 loops on hook (**Fig. 5b**) (double crochet made, abbreviated dc).

Fig. 5a

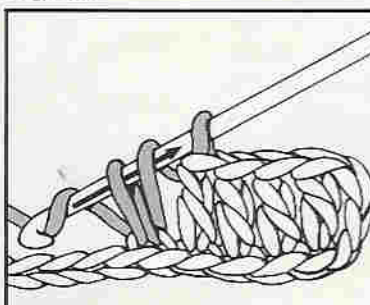
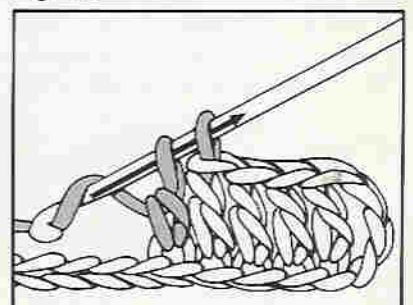


Fig. 5b



TREBLE CROCHET

YO twice, insert hook in st and pull up a loop,
YO and draw through 2 loops on hook (**Fig. 6a**),
YO and draw through next 2 loops on hook (**Fig. 6b**),
YO and draw through remaining 2 loops on hook
(**Fig. 6c**) (treble crochet made, abbreviated tr).

Fig. 6a

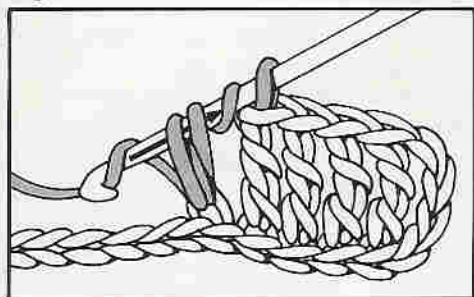


Fig. 6b

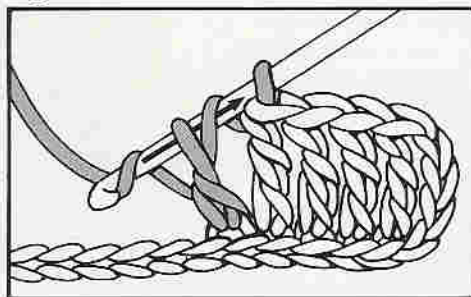
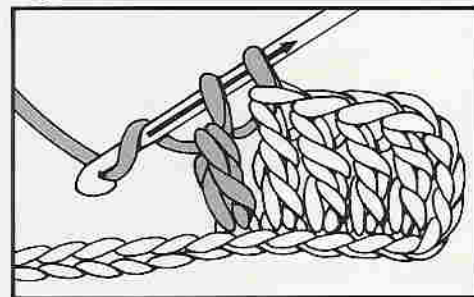


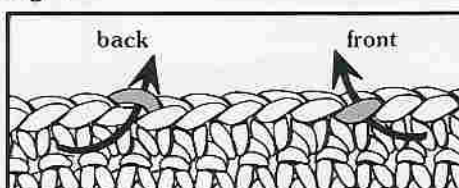
Fig. 6c



FRONT OR BACK LOOP ONLY

Work only in loop indicated by arrow (**Fig. 7**).

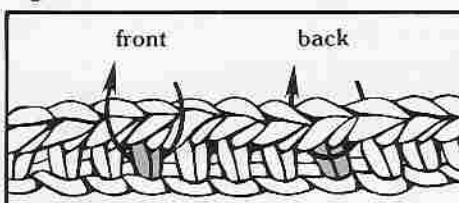
Fig. 7



POST STITCH

Work around post of stitch indicated in row or rows below, inserting hook in direction of arrow (**Fig. 8**).

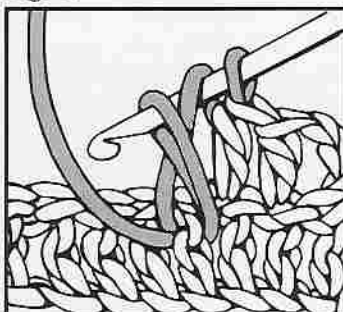
Fig. 8



FRONT POST DOUBLE CROCHET

YO, insert hook from **front** to **back** around post of next st, YO and pull up a loop even with last st worked (**Fig. 9**) and complete as a dc (**Front Post double crochet made, abbreviated FPdc**).

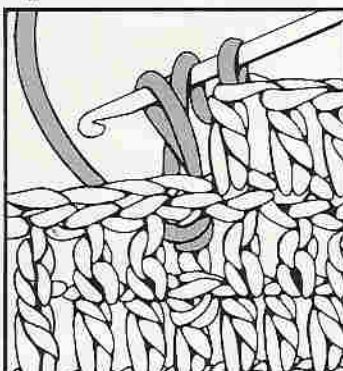
Fig. 9



BACK POST DOUBLE CROCHET

YO, insert hook from **back** to **front** around post of next st, YO and pull up a loop even with last st worked (**Fig. 10**) and complete as a dc (**Back Post double crochet made, abbreviated BPdc**).

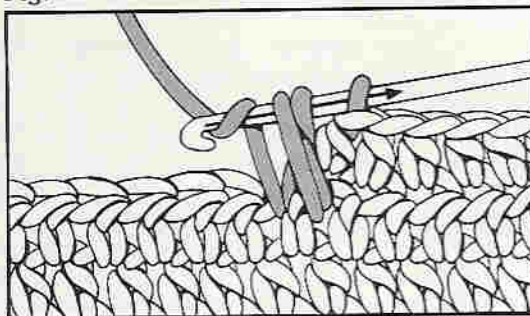
Fig. 10



FRONT POST HALF DOUBLE CROCHET

YO, insert hook from **front** to **back** around post of next st, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook (**Fig. 11**) (Front Post hdc made, abbreviated FPhdc).

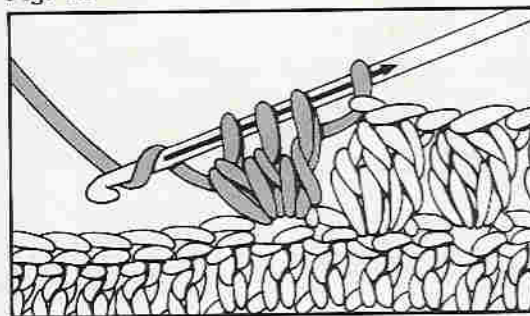
Fig. 11



CLUSTER

(YO, insert hook in st or sp and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook (**Fig. 12**) (Cluster made).

Fig. 12

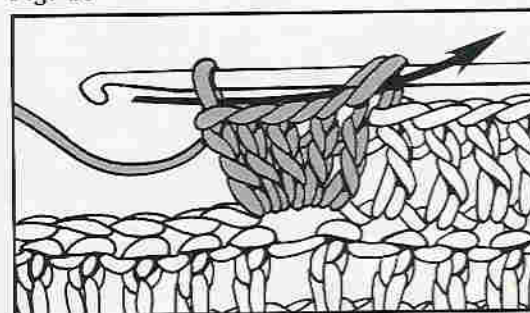


POPCORN

Work 5 dc or hdc in st or sp, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first st of group, hook dropped loop and draw through (**Fig. 13**), ch 1 to close (Popcorn made).

Push Popcorn to right side of work when necessary.

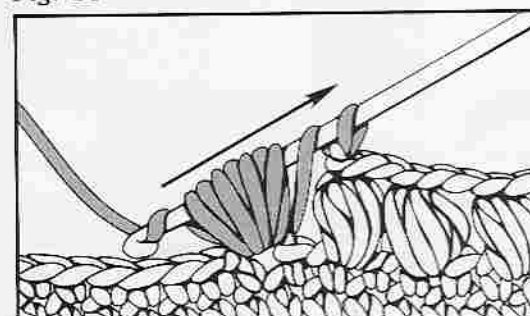
Fig. 13



PUFF STITCH

(YO, insert hook in st or sp, YO and pull up a loop even with hook) 4 times, YO and draw through all 9 loops on hook (**Fig. 14**), ch 1 to close (Puff St made).

Fig. 14



SAMPLER AFGHAN

Finished Size: approximately 59" x 75"

MATERIALS

Worsted Weight Yarn, approximately:

Ecu - 33 ounces, (940 grams, 2,265 yards)

Rose - 19 ounces, (540 grams, 1,305 yards)

Green - 22 ounces, (620 grams, 1,510 yards)

Crochet hook, size H (5.00 mm) or size needed for gauge
Yarn needle

GAUGE: In single crochet, 25 sts = 7"

Make 63 Squares following instructions on pages 6-26.

Note: As you complete each Square, label it with its corresponding number for ease in placement at assembly.

FINISHING

EDGING

Rnd 1: With right side facing, ch 1, work 3 sc in same corner, ★ work 25 sc evenly spaced across to next corner, work 3 sc in corner; repeat from ★ 2 times more, work 25 sc evenly spaced across; join with slip st to first sc: 112 sc.

Rose and Green Squares ONLY:

Finish off.

Rnd 2: With right side facing, join Ecu with slip st in center sc of any corner 3-sc group, ch 1, 3 sc in same st, ★ sc in next 27 sc, 3 sc in next sc; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in each sc across; join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 120 sc.

Ecu Squares ONLY:

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st, 3 sc in next sc, ★ sc in next 27 sc, 3 sc in next sc; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in each sc across; join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 120 sc.

ASSEMBLY CHART

Key

 Rose *Powder*

 Ecu *Dark*

 Green *Medium*

26	46	34	62	13	29	52
7	61	39	2	42	58	23
9	51	18	5	32	57	3
8	24	59	53	47	28	17
41	22	11	15	63	50	31
55	1	48	21	27	38	4
44	25	60	6	37	20	45
10	56	19	35	14	43	12
49	33	16	40	54	36	30

ASSEMBLY

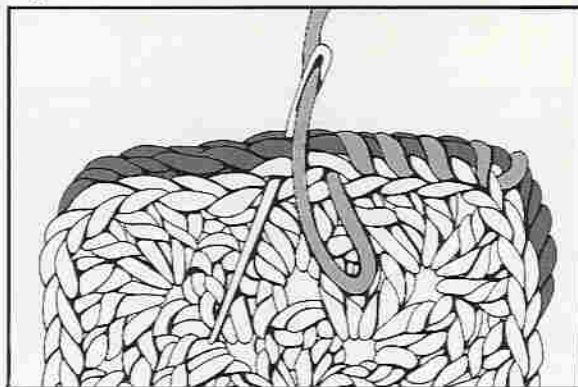
Afghan is assembled by joining 9 completed Squares into 7 vertical Strips and then by joining Strips.

Lay out Squares referring to the Assembly Chart or in desired order.

Join Squares as follows:

With **wrong** sides together, using Ecu and working in Back Loops Only of both Squares, whipstitch Squares together (Fig. 15).

Fig. 15



BORDER

Rnd 1: With right side facing, join Ecu with slip st in any corner, ch 1, 3 sc in same st, ★ sc in next 29 sc, (sc between Squares, sc in next 29 sc) across to next corner, 3 sc in corner; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in next 29 sc, (sc between Squares, sc in next 29 sc) across; join with slip st to first sc: 968 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 7, dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in same st as joining, skip next 3 sc, ★ dc in next sc, ch 4, dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in same sc, skip next 3 sc; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-7, finish off.

Weave in all yarn ends.

1. SINGLE CROCHET

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each sc across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

2. HALF DOUBLE CROCHET

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Hdc in third ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 hdc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc and in each hdc across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

3. DOUBLE CROCHET

With Ecu ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; dc in next dc and in each dc across: 25 dc.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

4. TREBLE CROCHET

With Ecu ch 28 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Tr in fifth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as first tr), turn; tr in next tr and in each tr across: 25 tr.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

5. FRONT AND BACK LOOP HDC

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Ecu ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Hdc in third ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 hdc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 2, turn; hdc in Back Loop Only (Fig. 7, page 3) of first hdc, ★ hdc in Front Loop Only (Fig. 7, page 3) of next hdc; hdc in Back Loop Only of next hdc; repeat from ★ across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

6. TRINITY STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook, insert hook in same ch and pull up a loop, (insert hook in next ch and pull up a loop) twice, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook, ★ ch 1, insert hook in same ch and pull up a loop, (insert hook in next ch and pull up a loop) twice, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook; repeat from ★ across, sc in same ch as last st: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc, insert hook in same st and pull up a loop, (insert hook in next st and pull up a loop) twice, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook, ★ ch 1, insert hook in same st and pull up a loop, (insert hook in next st and pull up a loop) twice, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook; repeat from ★ across, sc in same sc as last st: 25 sts.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

7. ALTERNATE PUFF STITCH

(Multiple of 4 + 2 chs)

With Rose ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 4 sc, ★ [(YO and pull up a loop) 3 times in next sc, YO and draw through all 7 loops on hook (Puff St made)], sc in next 3 sc; repeat from ★ across to last sc, sc in last sc: 5 Puff Sts.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 2 sc, work Puff St in next sc, ★ sc in next 3 sc, work Puff St in next sc; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sc, sc in last 2 sc: 6 Puff Sts.

Row 5: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across.

Repeat Rows 2-5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

8. CHEVRON RELIEF STITCH

(Multiple of 7 + 4 chs)

With Green ch 25 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 2, turn; hdc in first sc and in each sc across: 24 hdc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 3 and all WRONG side rows: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across: 24 sc.

Row 4: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 2 sc, ★ [work FPdc (*Fig. 9, page 3*) around the post of st below next sc] twice, skip 2 sc behind FPdc (**now and throughout**), hdc in next 5 sc; repeat from ★ across to last sc, hdc in last sc.

Row 6: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 3 sc, ★ (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice, hdc in next 5 sc; repeat from ★ across.

Row 8: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 4 sc, (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice, ★ hdc in next 5 sc, (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice; repeat from ★ across to last 4 sc, hdc in last 4 sc.

Row 10: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 5 sc, (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice, ★ hdc in next 5 sc, (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice; repeat from ★ across to last 3 sc, hdc in last 3 sc.

Row 12: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 6 sc, (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice, ★ hdc in next 5 sc, (work FPdc around the post of st below next sc) twice; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sc, hdc in last 2 sc.

Row 14: Repeat Row 10.

Row 16: Repeat Row 8.

Row 18: Repeat Row 6.

Row 20: Repeat Row 4.

Row 22: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first sc and in each sc across; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

10. OFFSET CLUSTER

(Multiple of 6 + 3 chs)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

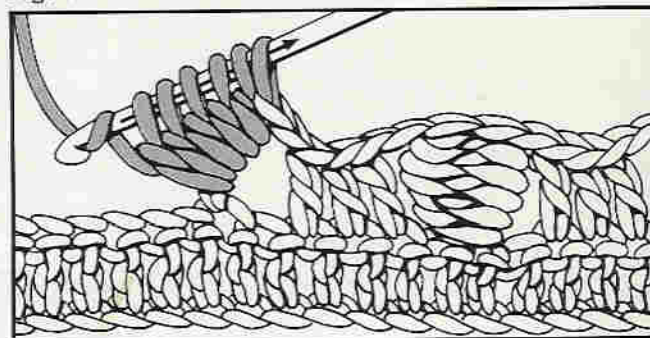
Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc, work Offset Cluster as follows: (YO, insert hook around post of last dc worked, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 5 times, YO and draw through all 6 loops on hook (*Fig. 16*) (Offset Cluster made), ★ ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next 3 dc, ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc, work Offset Cluster; repeat from ★ across to last 3 sts, ch 1, skip next dc, dc in last dc, dc in top of beginning ch: 4 Offset Clusters.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next dc, dc in first ch-1 sp, dc in top of Offset Cluster, dc in next ch-1 sp, ★ dc in next 3 dc, dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of Offset Cluster, dc in next ch-1 sp; repeat from ★ across to last 2 dc, dc in last 2 dc: 25 dc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

Fig. 16



9. ARCH STITCH

(Multiple of 5 + 3 chs)

With Ecru ch 28 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook, ch 2, skip next 2 chs, ★ dc in next 3 chs, ch 2, skip next 2 chs; repeat from ★ across to last 2 chs, dc in last 2 chs: 5 ch-2 sps.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, 5 dc in first ch-2 sp, ★ skip next dc, sc in next dc, 5 dc in next ch-2 sp; repeat from ★ across, sc in top of beginning ch.

Row 3: Ch 4, turn; skip first dc, dc in next 3 dc, ★ ch 2, skip next 3 sts, dc in next 3 dc; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sts, ch 1, dc in last sc.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn; 2 dc in same st, skip next dc, sc in next dc, ★ 5 dc in next ch-2 sp, skip next dc, sc in next dc; repeat from ★ across, 3 dc in third ch of beginning ch-4.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; dc in next dc, ch 2, skip next 3 sts, ★ dc in next 3 dc, ch 2, skip next 3 sts; repeat from ★ across to last dc, dc in last dc, dc in top of beginning ch.

Repeat Rows 2-5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

11. HORIZONTAL RELIEF STITCH

With Green ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; work FPdc (*Fig. 9, page 3*) around the post of each st across: 25 sts.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; work BPdc (*Fig. 10, page 3*) around the post of each st across.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

12. OPEN RIDGE STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Rose ch 25 loosely.

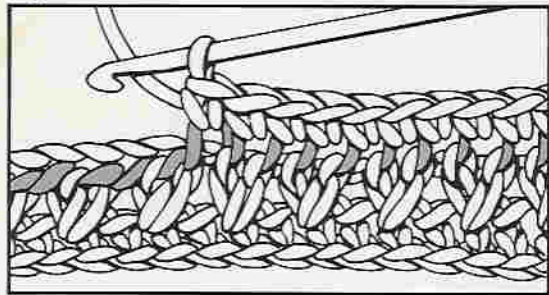
Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 2, turn; hdc in first sc, ★ skip next sc, hdc in next sc, hdc in skipped sc; repeat from ★ across to last sc, hdc in last sc: 24 hdc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in horizontal strand (**Fig. 17**) of each hdc across: 24 sc.

Fig. 17



Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

13. BUSHY STITCH

(Multiple of 3 + 1 ch)

With Rose ch 25 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): (Dc, ch 2, sc) in fourth ch from hook, ★ skip next 2 chs, (2 dc, ch 2, sc) in next ch; repeat from ★ across.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, sc) in first ch-2 sp and in each ch-2 sp across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

14. SEED STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Ecu ch 30 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook, ★ ch 1, skip next ch, sc in next ch; repeat from ★ across: 29 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc and in first ch-1 sp, (ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp) across to last sc, sc in last sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc, ch 1, (sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) across to last 2 sc, sc in last sc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

15. AFGHAN SQUARE

With Rose ch 8, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Work beginning Cluster as follows: ch 3, (YO, insert hook in ring and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook (**beginning Cluster made**), ch 5, work Cluster in ring as follows: (YO, insert hook in ring and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook (**Fig. 12, page 4**) (**Cluster made**), ch 2, ★ work (Cluster, ch 5, Cluster) in ring, ch 2; repeat from ★ 2 times **more**; join with slip st to top of beginning Cluster: 8 Clusters.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last rnd as **right side**.

Rnd 2: Slip st in first ch-5 sp, work (beginning Cluster, ch 3, Cluster) in same sp, ch 2, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, ★ work (Cluster, ch 3, Cluster) in next ch-5 sp, ch 2, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to top of beginning Cluster.

Rnd 3: Slip st in first ch-3 sp, work (beginning Cluster, ch 3, Cluster) in same sp, ch 2, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, ★ work (Cluster, ch 3, Cluster) in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to top of beginning Cluster.

Rnds 4 and 5: Slip st in first ch-3 sp, work (beginning Cluster, ch 3, Cluster) in same sp, ch 2, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in each dc across to next ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, ★ work (Cluster, ch 3, Cluster) in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, work 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, dc in each dc across to next ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to top of beginning Cluster; do **not** finish off: 60 dc. Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

16. GRANNY SQUARE

With Rose ch 4, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3 (**counts as first dc, now and throughout**), 2 dc in ring, ch 2, (3 dc in ring, ch 2) 3 times; join with slip st to first dc: 12 dc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last rnd as **right side**.

Rnd 2: Slip st in next 2 dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, ★ (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp (**Shell made**), ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc: 4 Shells.

Rnd 3: Slip st in next 2 dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, ★ work Shell in next Shell (ch-2 sp), ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnds 4-6: Slip st in next 2 dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) across to next Shell, ★ work Shell in next Shell, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) across to next Shell; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc; at end of last rnd, do **not** finish off: 72 dc.

Slip st in next 2 dc and in next ch-2 sp; work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

17. CLUSTER SQUARE

With Green ch 12, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), 3 dc in ring, work Cluster in ring as follows: (YO, insert hook in ring and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 6 times (7 loops on hook), YO and draw through 6 loops on hook, YO and draw through both loops (Cluster made), ★ 4 dc in ring, work Cluster; repeat from ★ 2 times more; join with slip st to first dc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last rnd as right side.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next Cluster, ch 1, ★ 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next Cluster, ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc: 28 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, (work Cluster in next dc, dc in next dc) twice, 2 dc in next dc, ch 2, ★ 2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc, (work Cluster in next dc, dc in next dc) twice, 2 dc in next dc, ch 2; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next 2 dc, (dc in next Cluster, dc in next dc) twice, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 2, ★ 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 2 dc, (dc in next Cluster, dc in next dc) twice, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 2; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc: 44 dc.

Rnd 5: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next 2 dc, (work Cluster in next dc, dc in next dc) 3 times, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3, ★ 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 2 dc, (work Cluster in next dc, dc in next dc) 3 times, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st, ★ sc in each dc and in each Cluster across to next ch-3 sp, 5 sc in next ch-3 sp; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc: 72 sc.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in first 15 sc, 3 sc in next sc, ★ sc in next 17 sc, 3 sc in next sc; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in last 2 sc; join with slip st to first sc: 80 sc.

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Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc in same st, (2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc) 5 times, 3 sc in next sc, ★ sc in next sc, (2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc) 6 times, 3 sc in next sc; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in last sc; join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 112 sc.

Work Rnd 2 of Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

18. WOVEN RELIEF STITCH

(Multiple of 6 + 3 chs)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; work FPdc (Fig. 9, page 3) around the post of first 6 sts, ★ work BPdc (Fig. 10, page 3) around the post of next st, work FPdc around the post of next 5 sts; repeat from ★ across to last st, work FPdc around the post of last st: 25 sts.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; work BPdc around the post of first 3 sts, work FPdc around the post of next st, ★ work BPdc around the post of next 5 sts, work FPdc around the post of next st; repeat from ★ across to last 3 sts, work BPdc around the post of last 3 sts.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

19. CIRCLE IN A SQUARE

With Green ch 5, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), 15 dc in ring; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 16 dc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last rnd as right side.

Rnd 2: Ch 4, ★ dc in next dc, ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-4.

Rnd 3: Slip st in first ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, ch 1, hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, ★ (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp (Shell made), ch 1, hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 4: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, ch 2, (hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2) 4 times, ★ work Shell in next Shell (ch-2 sp), ch 2, (hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2) 4 times; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 5: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, (2 dc in next ch-2 sp) 5 times, ★ work Shell in next Shell, (2 dc in next ch-2 sp) 5 times; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc: 56 dc.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in next dc, (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in first ch-2 sp, ★ dc in each dc across to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp; repeat from ★ 2 times more, dc in each dc across; join with slip st to first dc: 72 dc.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 3 dc, 5 sc in next ch-3 sp, ★ sc in each dc across to next ch-3 sp, 5 sc in next ch-3 sp; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in each dc across; join with slip st to first sc: 92 sc.

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in same st, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, 3 sc in next sc, ★ (sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc) 3 times, sc in next 4 sc, 3 sc in next sc; repeat from ★ 2 times more, (sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc) twice, sc in last 4 sc; join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 112 sc.

Work Rnd 2 of Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

20. PLAIN SQUARE

With Ecu ch 4, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 1, 11 sc in ring; join with slip st to first ch: 12 sts.

Note #1: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last rnd as right side.

Note #2: Work in Back Loops Only throughout (Fig. 7, page 3).

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 3 sc in next sc, (sc in next 2 sc, 3 sc in next sc) 3 times; join with slip st to first ch: 20 sts.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in first 2 sc, 3 sc in next corner sc (center sc of 3-sc group), (sc in next 4 sc, 3 sc in corner sc) 3 times, sc in last sc; join with slip st to first ch: 28 sts.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, (sc in each sc across to next corner sc, 3 sc in corner sc) 4 times, sc in each sc across; join with slip st to first ch.

Repeat Rnd 4 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

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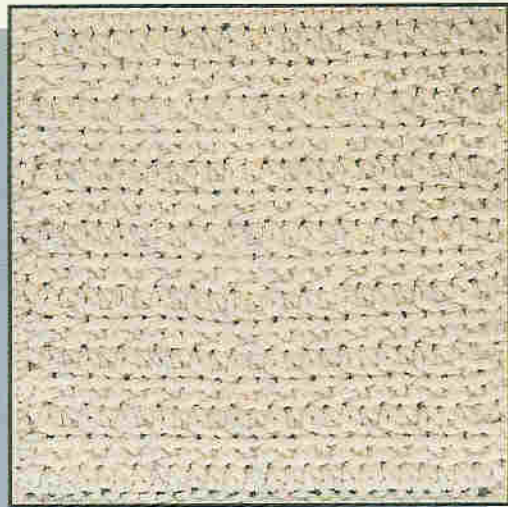
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Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in next 14 sc, 3 sc in corner sc, (sc in next 27 sc, 3 sc in corner sc) 3 times, sc in last 13 sc; join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 120 sc.

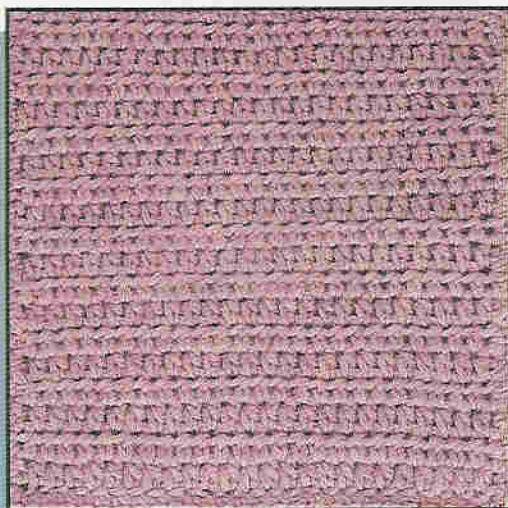
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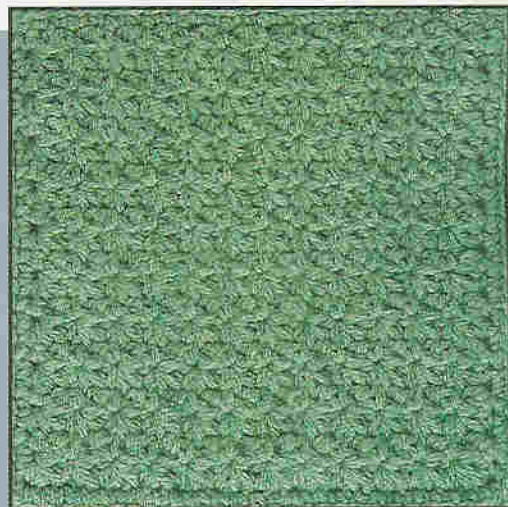
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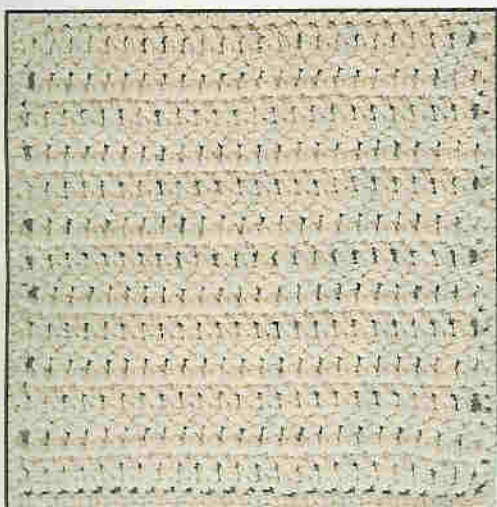
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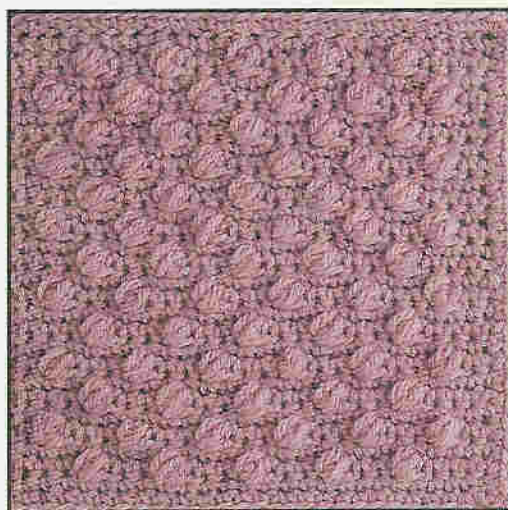
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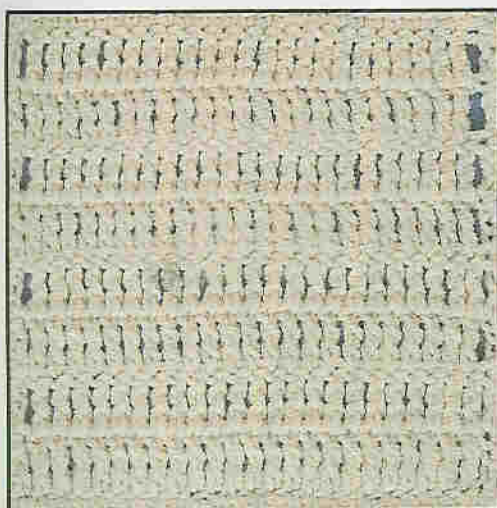
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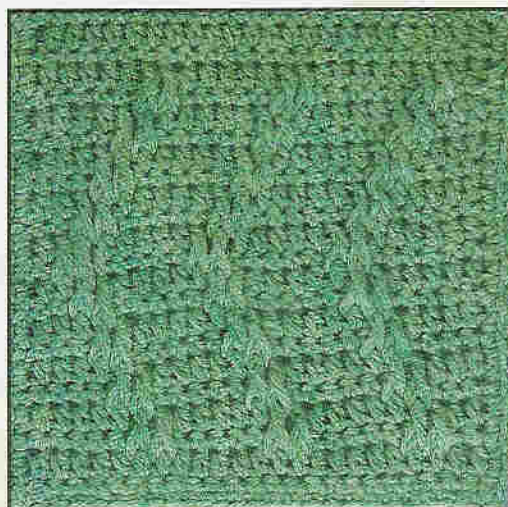
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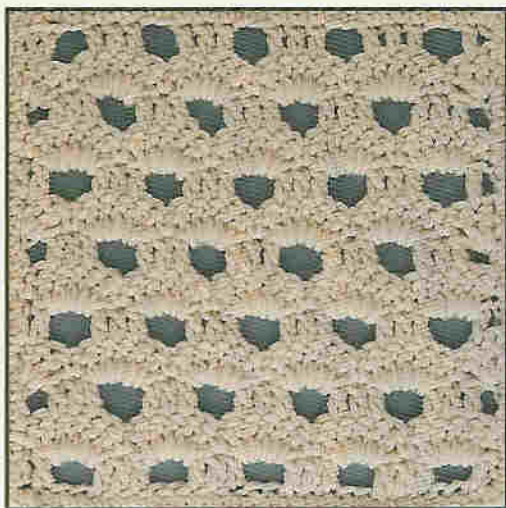


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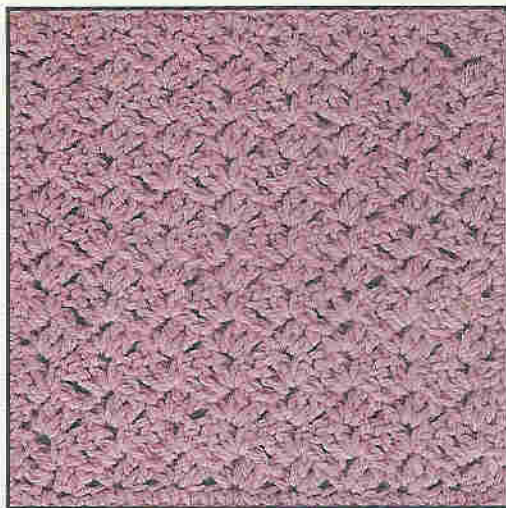


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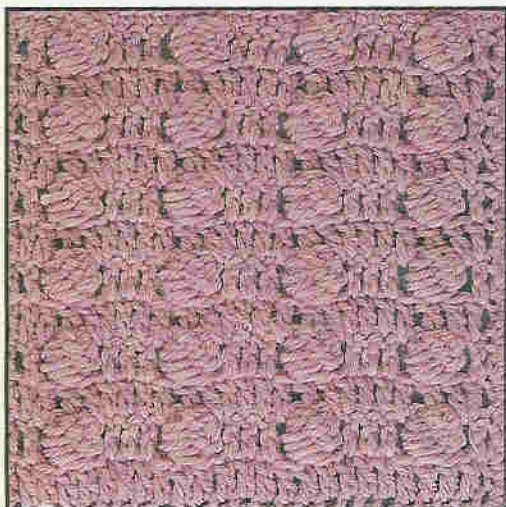




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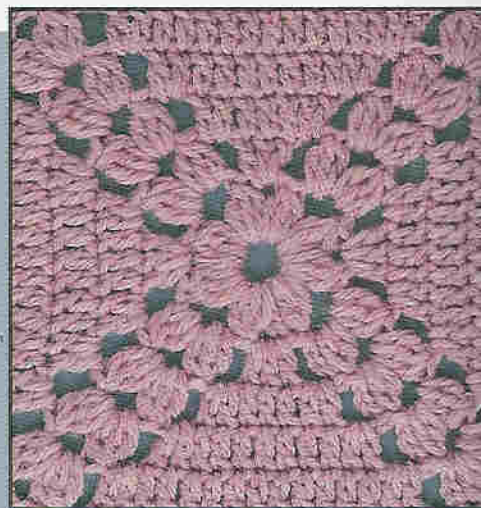
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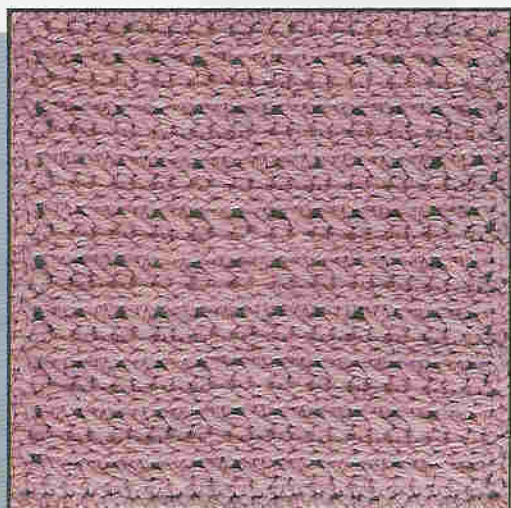
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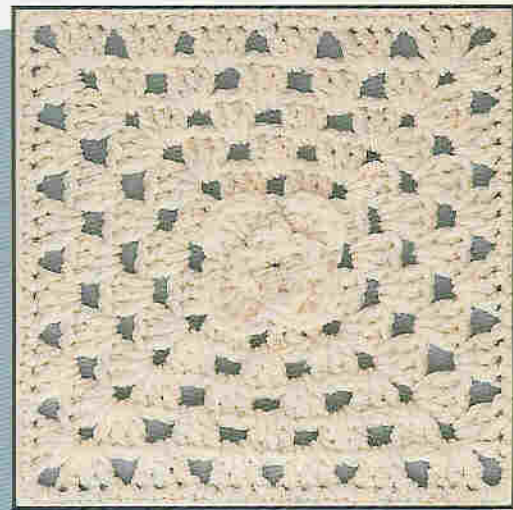


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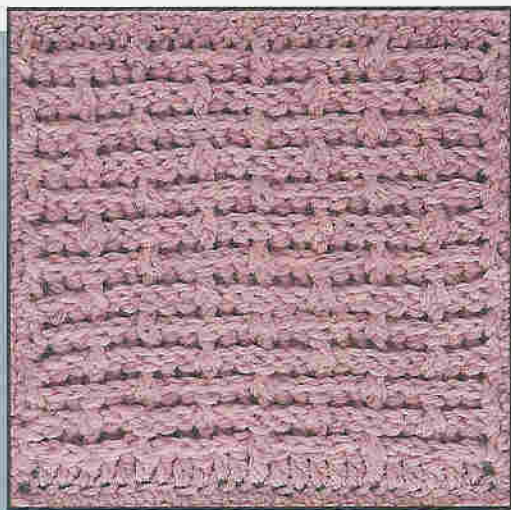
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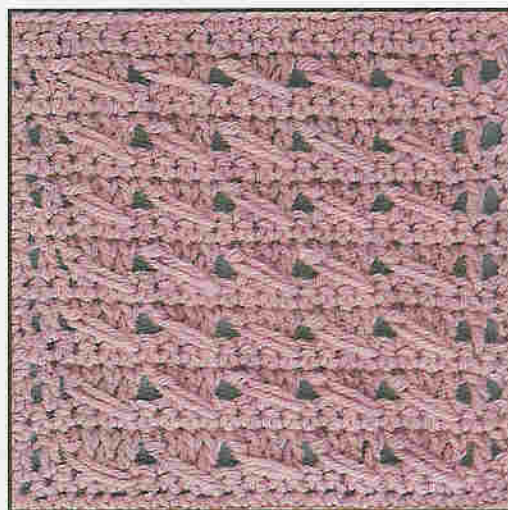
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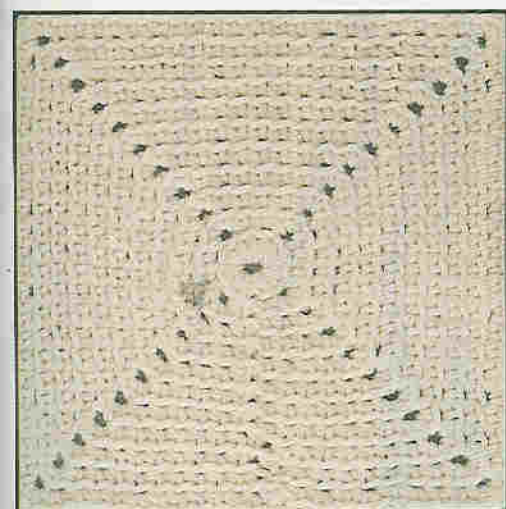
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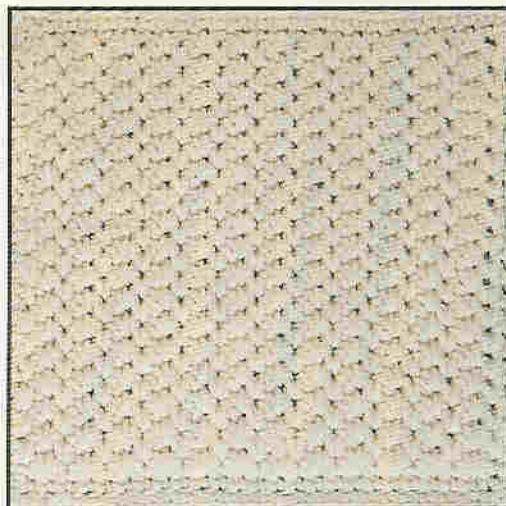


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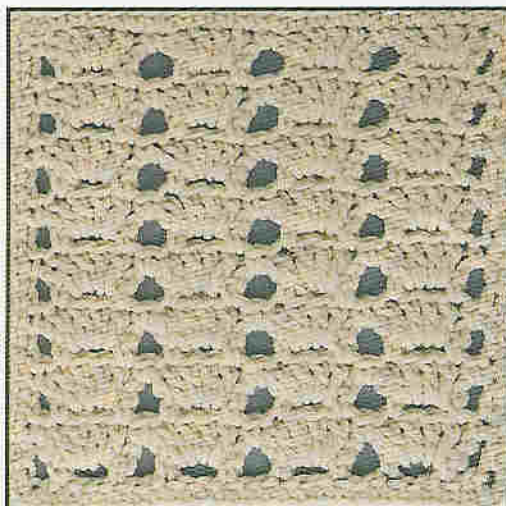
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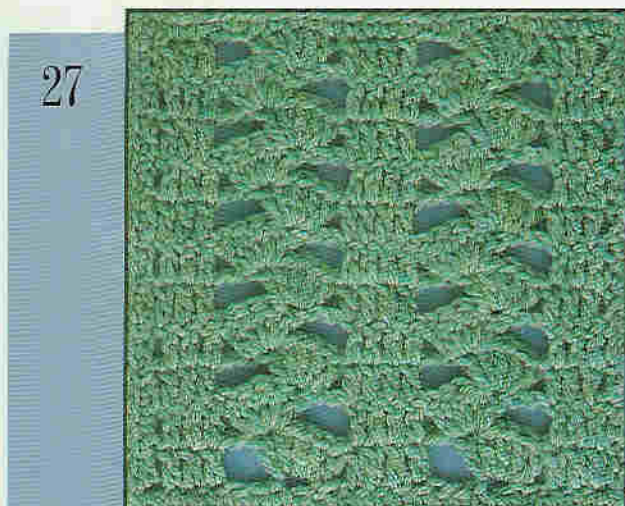
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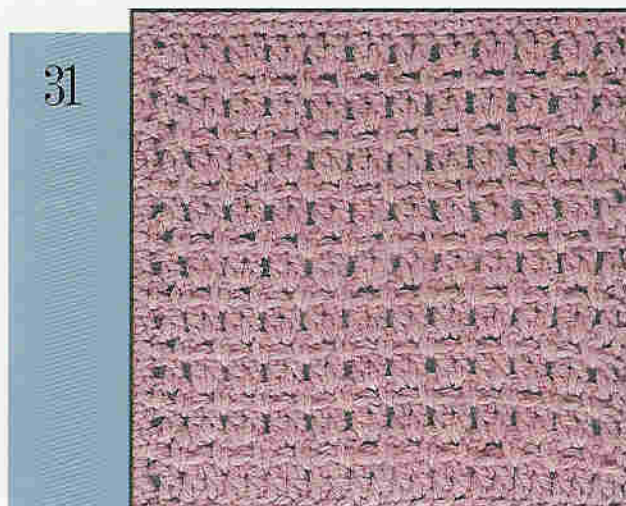
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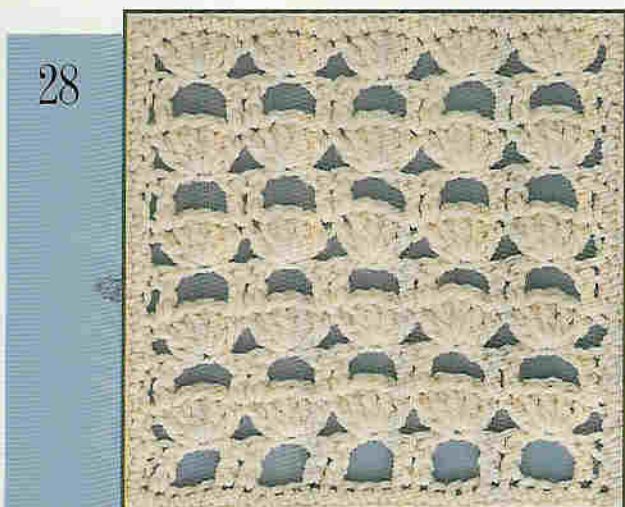
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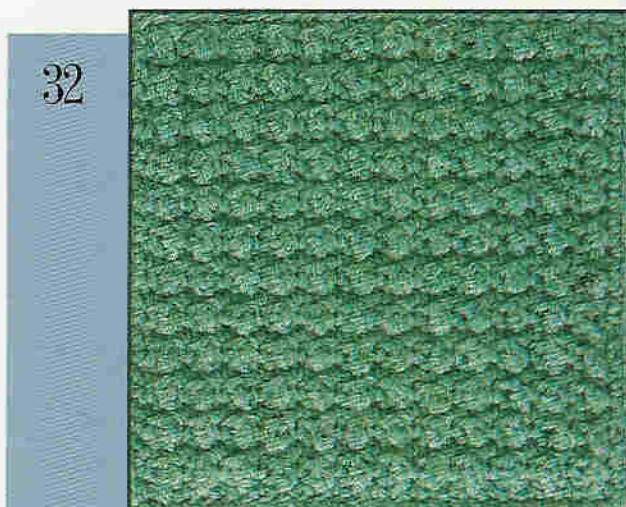
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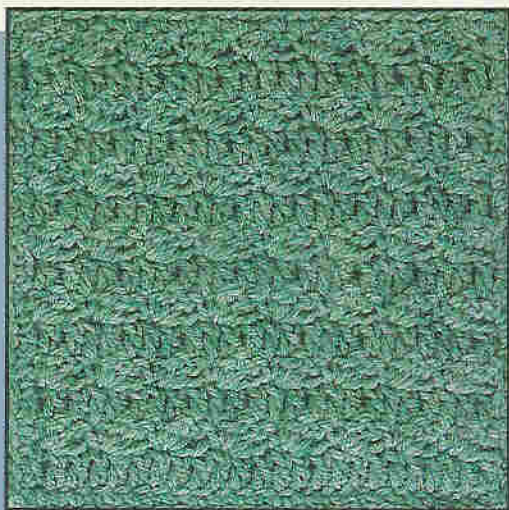


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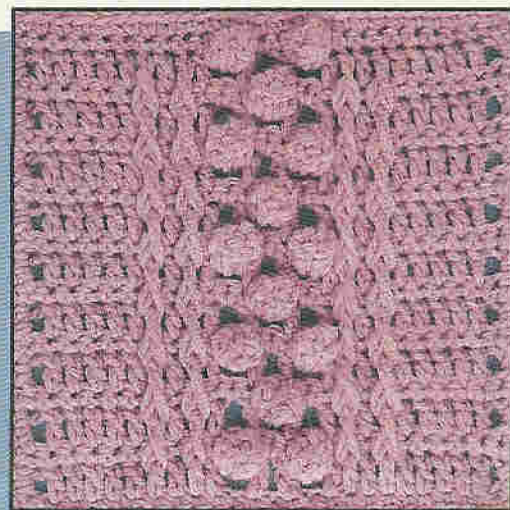


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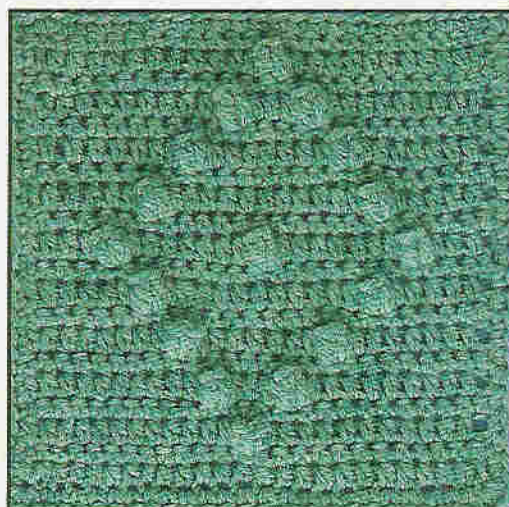
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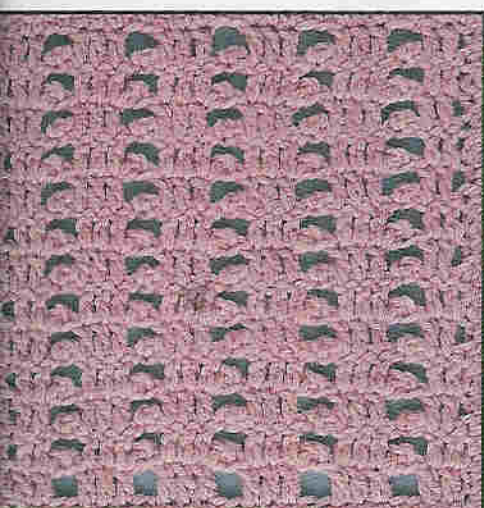
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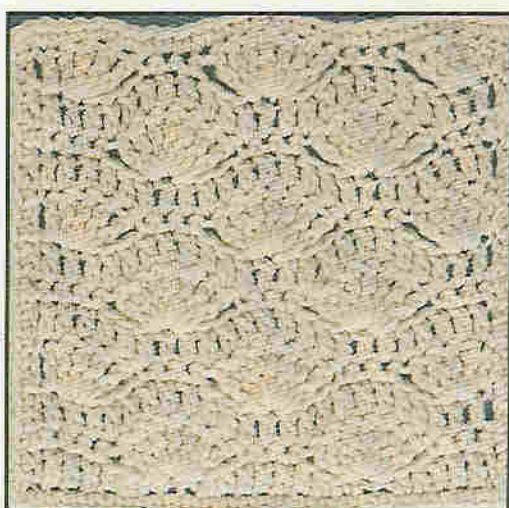
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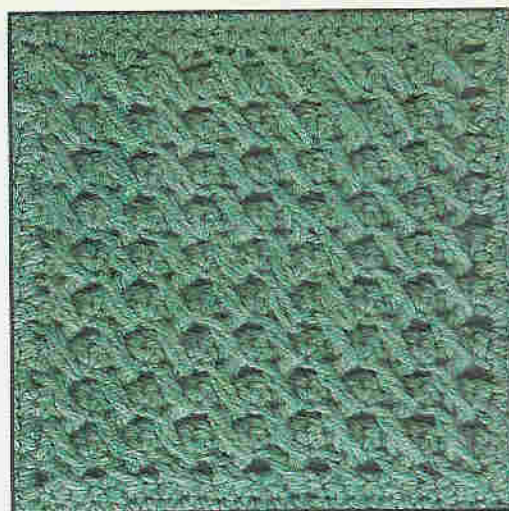


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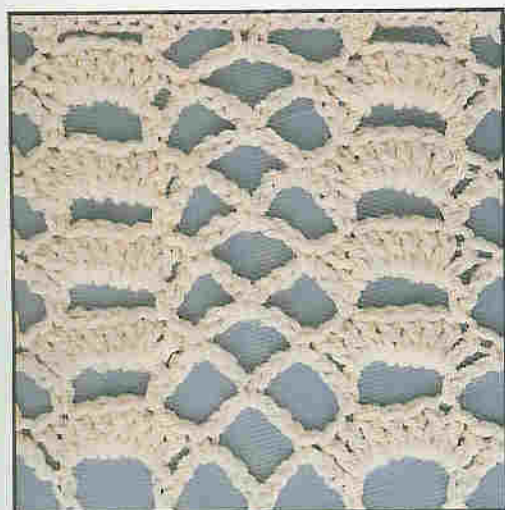




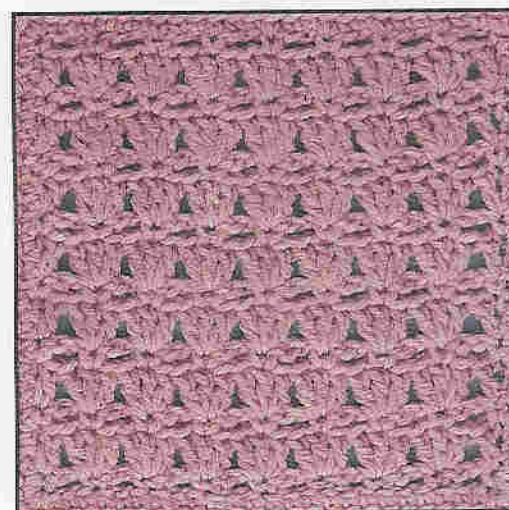
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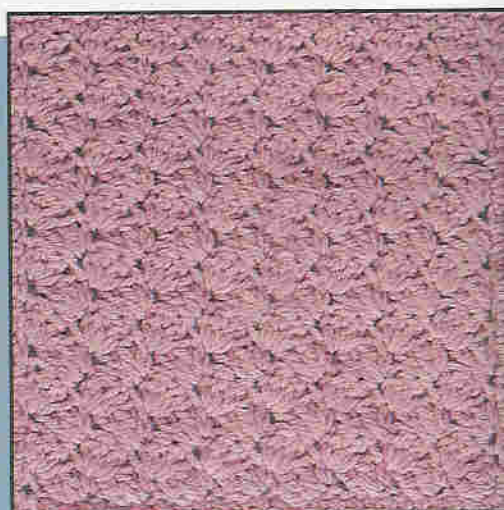


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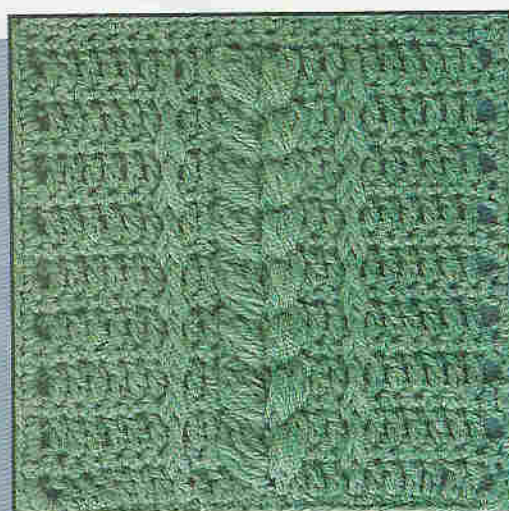
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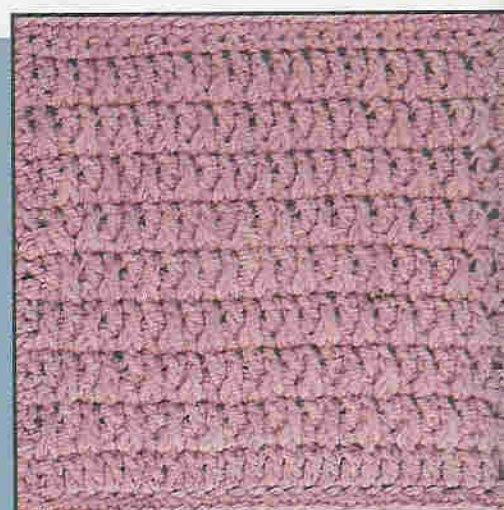
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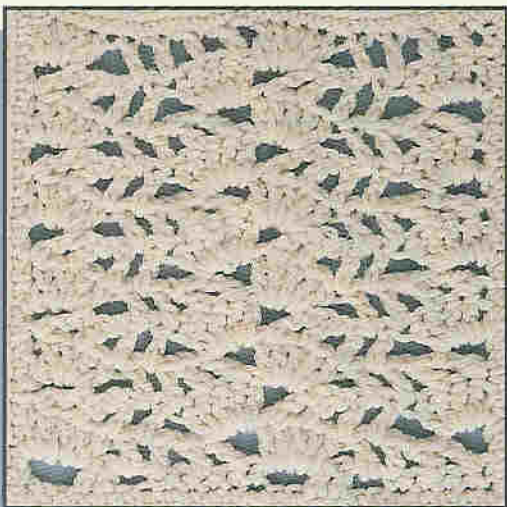
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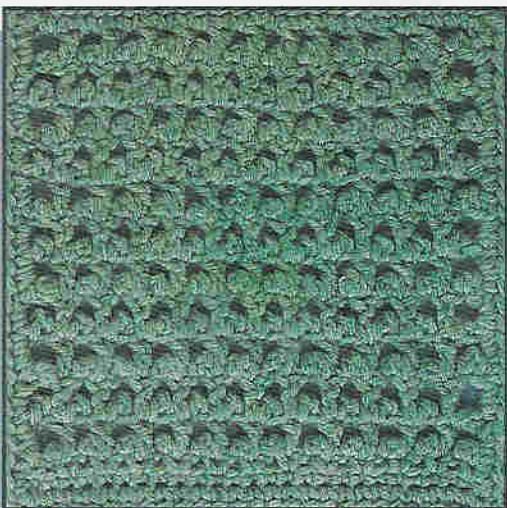
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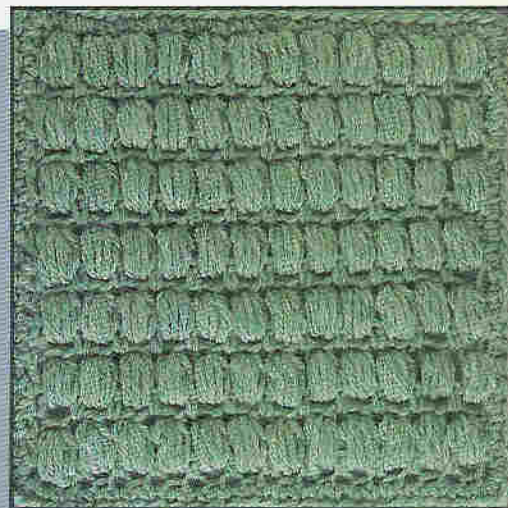
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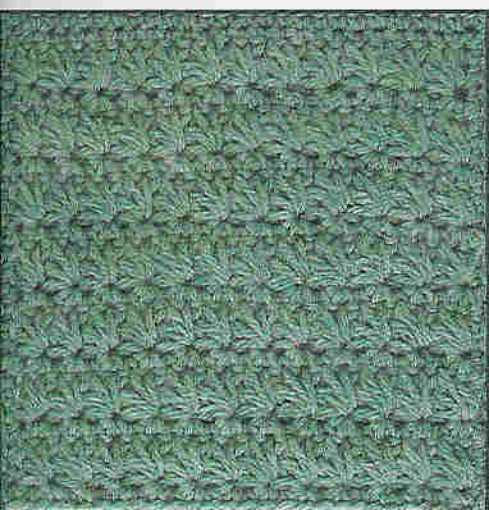
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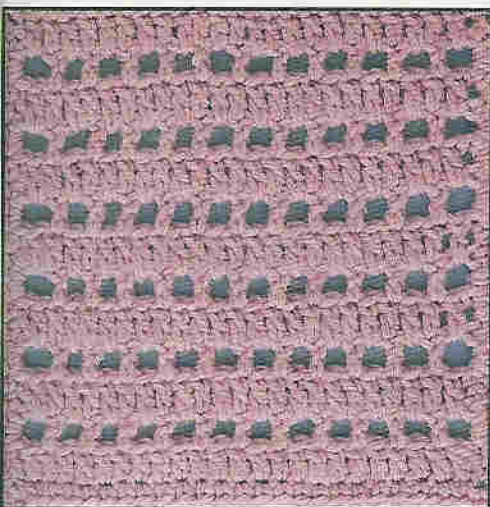


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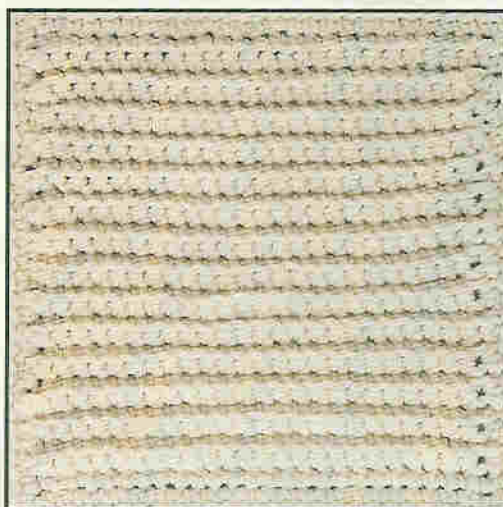


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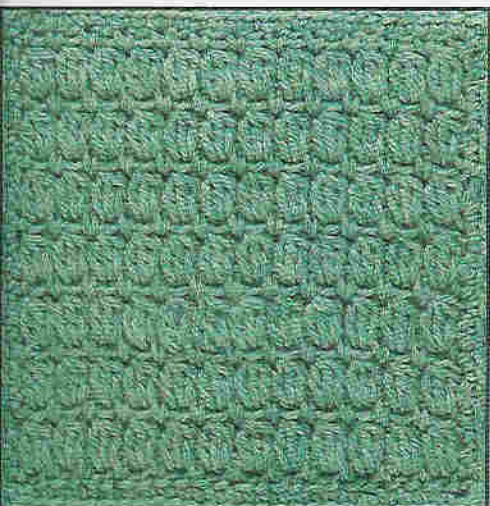




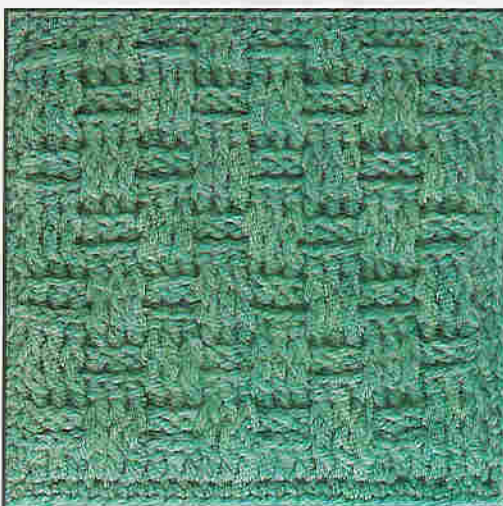
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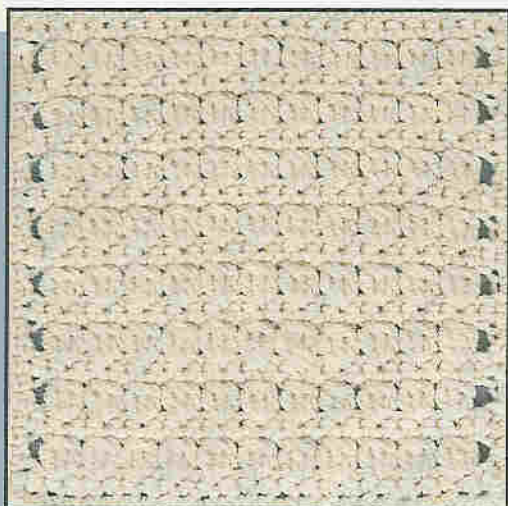


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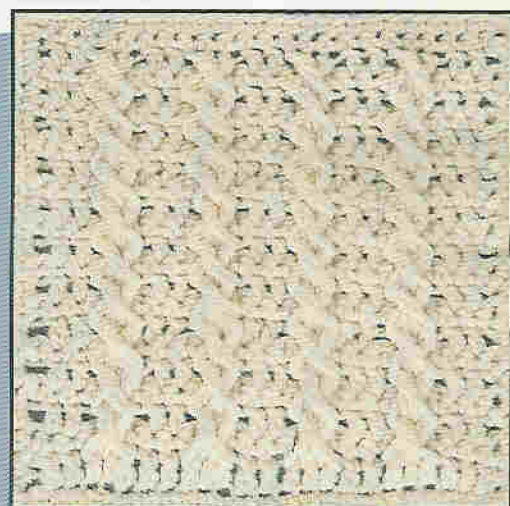


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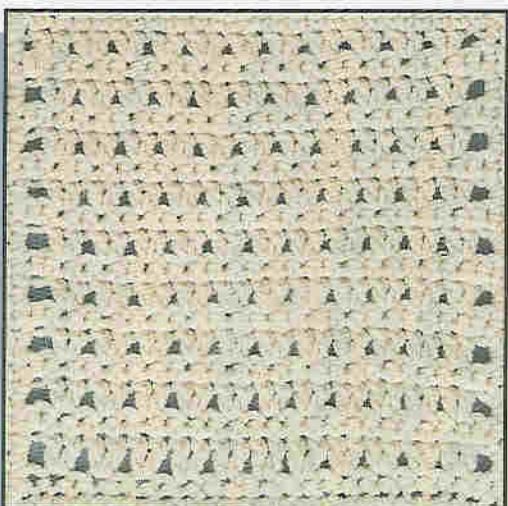
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21. FLOWER SQUARE

With Ecu ch 4, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): (Slip st in ring, 3 dc in ring) 4 times; join with slip st to first slip st.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last rnd as right side.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, skip first dc, slip st from the back around the post of next dc, ch 3, ★ skip next 2 dc, slip st from the back around the post of next dc, ch 3; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first slip st: 4 ch-3 sps.

Rnd 3: (Slip st, 5 dc, slip st) in each ch-3 sp around; join with slip st to first slip st: 4 Petals.

Rnd 4: (Ch 5, slip st from the back between next 2 petals) 3 times, ch 5; join with slip st to first ch-5 sp: 4 ch-5 sps.

Rnd 5: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, ★ (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-5 sp (Shell made), ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc: 4 Shells.

Rnd 6: Slip st in next 2 dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, ★ work Shell in next Shell (ch-2 sp), ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnds 7-9: Slip st in next 2 dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) across to next Shell, ★ work Shell in next Shell, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) across to next Shell; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first dc.

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Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc in same st and in next 2 dc, 5 sc in first ch-2 sp, ★ sc in each dc and in each ch-1 sp across to next Shell, 5 sc in next Shell; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in each dc and in each ch-1 sp across; join with slip st to first sc: 112 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 5 sc, 3 sc in next sc, ★ sc in next 27 sc, 3 sc in next sc; repeat from ★ 2 times more, sc in each sc across; join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 120 sc.

22. CROSS STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Ecu ch 25 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; ★ skip next st, dc in next st, working around dc just made, dc in skipped st (Figs. 18a & b); repeat from ★ across to last st, dc in last st: 24 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

Fig. 18a

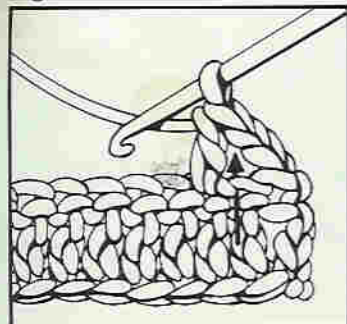
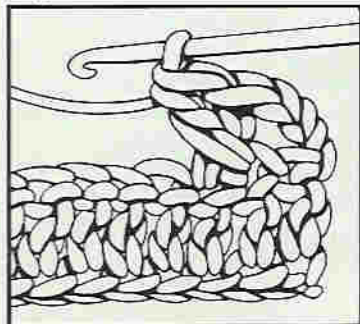


Fig. 18b



23. SLANT STITCH

(Multiple of 4 + 1 ch)

With Rose ch 25 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; dc in next sc, ★ [skip next sc, dc in next 3 sc, YO, insert hook in skipped sc and pull up a loop even with hook (Fig. 19), (YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice (Slant St made)]; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sc, dc in last 2 sc: 5 Slant Sts.

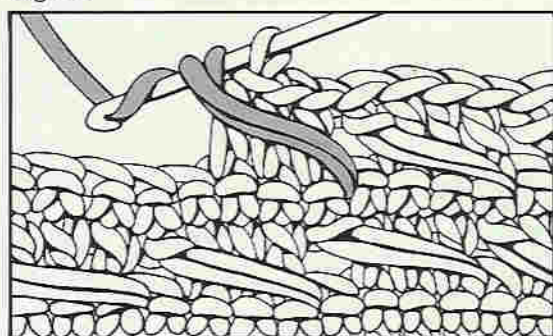
Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across: 24 sc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

Fig. 19



24. CLIMBING SHELLS

(Multiple of 10 + 7 chs)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in next 3 chs, ★ skip next 2 chs, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch (Shell made), skip next 2 chs, dc in next 5 chs; repeat from ★ across: 2 Shells.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; dc in next 4 dc, work Shell in next ch-2 sp, skip next 2 dc, dc in next 5 dc, work Shell in next ch-2 sp, skip next 2 dc, dc in next 4 dc, dc in top of beginning ch.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

25. ALIGNED SHELLS

(Multiple of 6 + 3 chs)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): 5 Dc in sixth ch from hook, skip next 2 chs, dc in next ch, ★ skip next 2 chs, 5 dc in next ch, skip next 2 chs, dc in next ch; repeat from ★ across.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn; skip first 3 dc, 5 dc in next dc, skip next 2 dc, ★ dc in next dc, skip next 2 dc, 5 dc in next dc, skip next 2 dc; repeat from ★ across, dc in top of beginning ch: 25 dc.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

26. SIMPLE SHELL STITCH

(Multiple of 4 + 1 ch)

With Green ch 29 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): 4 Dc in sixth ch from hook, ★ skip next 3 chs, 4 dc in next ch; repeat from ★ across to last 3 chs, dc in last ch: 26 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across, sc in top of beginning ch: 26 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; 2 dc in first sc, ★ skip next 3 sc, 4 dc in next sc; repeat from ★ across to last 5 sc, 4 dc in last sc: 27 dc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across, sc in top of beginning ch: 27 sc.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; skip next 2 sc, 4 dc in next sc, ★ skip next 3 sc, 4 dc in next sc; repeat from ★ across to last 3 sc, dc in last sc: 26 dc.

Repeat Rows 2-5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

27. BLOCK AND OFFSET SHELL STITCH

(Multiple of 10 + 6 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in next 2 chs, (skip next 2 chs, 5 dc in next ch, ch 2, skip next 3 chs, dc in next 4 chs) twice.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 dc, 5 dc in next dc, ch 2, skip next 4 dc, dc in next 4 dc, 5 dc in next dc, ch 2, skip next 4 dc, dc in next 3 dc, dc in top of beginning ch.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

28. BOXED SHELL STITCH

(Multiple of 5 + 4 chs)

With Ecu ch 29 loosely.

Row 1: Dc in fourth ch from hook, ★ ch 3, skip next 3 chs, dc in next 2 chs; repeat from ★ across: 5 ch-3 sps.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; 5 dc in center ch of each ch-3 sp across, dc in top of beginning ch.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next dc, ★ ch 3, skip next 3 dc, dc in next 2 dc; repeat from ★ across: 5 ch-3 sps.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

29. ALTERNATE SPIKE SC

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Ecu ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each sc across.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc, ★ [insert hook in sc below next sc (into same st that next sc was worked) (*Fig. 20a*) and pull up a loop even with hook, YO and draw through both loops on hook (*Fig. 20b*) (Spike sc made)], sc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 25 sts.

Fig. 20a

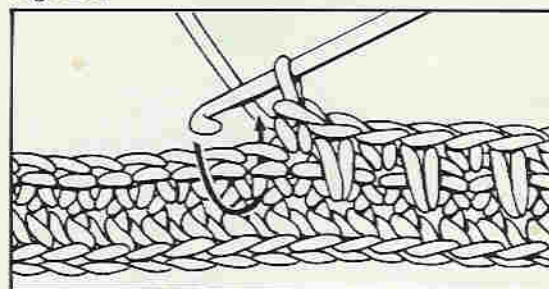
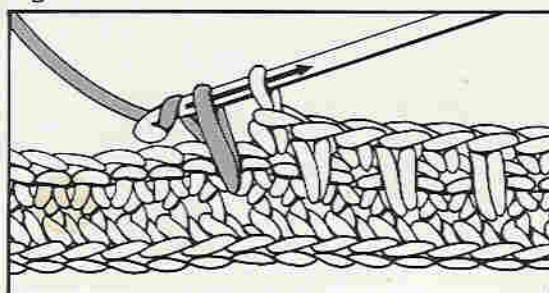


Fig. 20b



Row 4: Ch 1, turn; work Spike sc in sc below first sc, ★ sc in next sc, work Spike sc in sc below next sc; repeat from ★ across.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

30. EYELET LACE

(Multiple of 6 + 2 chs)

With Ecu ch 32 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in eighth ch from hook, ch 2, skip next 2 chs, sc in next ch, ★ ch 4, skip next 2 chs, sc in next ch, ch 2, skip next 2 chs, sc in next ch; repeat from ★ across to last 3 chs, ch 2, hdc in last ch to form last loop: 9 loops.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 1, turn; sc in first loop, ★ 4 dc in next loop, sc in next loop, repeat from ★ across.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 3: Ch 4, turn; sc in first dc, ch 2, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc, ★ ch 4, sc in next dc, ch 2, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc; repeat from ★ across to last sc, ch 2, hdc in last sc to form last loop: 9 loops.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

31. CHECK STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Rose ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, ch 2, skip next dc, sc in sp before next dc, ch 2, ★ skip next 2 dc, sc in sp before next dc, ch 2; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sts, sc in top of beginning ch: 12 ch-2 sps.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in first ch-2 sp, 2 dc in each ch-2 sp across to last ch-2 sp, dc in last ch-2 sp, dc in last sc: 24 sts. Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

32. ALIGNED COBBLE STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc, ★ tr in next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 25 sts.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across: 25 sc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

33. SILT STITCH

(Multiple of 3 chs)

With Green ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; (sc, 2 dc) in first dc, skip next 2 dc, ★ (sc, 2 dc) in next dc, skip next 2 dc; repeat from ★ across, sc in top of beginning ch: 25 sts.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next st and in each st across: 25 sts. Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

34. V STITCH

(Multiple of 3 + 1 ch)

With Ecu ch 28 loosely.

Row 1: (Dc, ch 1, dc) in fifth ch from hook (**V-St made**), ★ skip next 2 chs, work V-St in next ch; repeat from ★ across to last 2 chs, dc in last ch: 8 V-Sts.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3, turn; work V-St in each ch-1 sp across, dc in top of beginning ch.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

35. TWIN STITCH

(Multiple of 4 chs)

With Rose ch 28 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): 2 Dc in fifth ch from hook, 2 dc in next ch, ★ skip next 2 chs, 2 dc in each of next 2 chs; repeat from ★ across to last 2 chs, dc in last ch: 12 2-dc groups.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn; skip first 2 dc, 2 dc in each of next 2 dc, ★ skip next 2 dc, 2 dc in each of next 2 dc; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sts, dc in top of beginning ch.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

36. LITTLE CROWNS

(Multiple of 5 chs)

With Rose ch 30 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in next ch, ★ [ch 3, sc in third ch from hook (**Picot made**)], skip next 2 chs, dc in next 3 chs; repeat from ★ across: 5 Picots.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; dc in next 2 dc, work Picot, ★ dc in next 3 dc, work Picot; repeat from ★ across to last 3 sts, dc in next 2 dc, dc in top of beginning ch.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 6½".

Last Row: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 2 dc, ★ ch 2, dc in next 3 dc; repeat from ★ across; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

37. POPCORN BRAID

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in next 8 chs, (ch 1, skip next ch, dc in next ch) 3 times, dc in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 10 dc, work Popcorn as follows: 5 dc in next ch-1 sp, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of 5-dc group, hook dropped loop and draw through (**Fig. 13, page 4**), ch 1 to close (**Popcorn made**), sc in next dc, sc in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, work Popcorn in next ch-1 sp, sc in next 9 dc, sc in top of beginning ch.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; dc in next 5 sc, [work FPdc (**Fig. 9, page 3**) around the post of dc below next sc, skip sc behind FPdc (now and throughout), dc in next sc] twice, ch 1, skip next Popcorn, dc in next sc, ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc, ch 1, skip next Popcorn, (dc in next sc, work FPdc around the post of dc below next sc) twice, dc in last 6 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 10 sts, sc in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, work Popcorn in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, sc in next ch-1 sp and in each st across.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 5 sc, (work FPdc around the post of next FPdc, dc in next sc) twice, ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc, ch 1, skip next Popcorn, dc in next sc, ch 1, skip next sc, (dc in next sc, work FPdc around the post of next FPdc) twice, dc in last 6 sc.

Row 6: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 10 sts, work Popcorn in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, sc in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, work Popcorn in next ch-1 sp, sc in last 10 sts.

Row 7: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 5 sc, (work FPdc around the post of next FPdc, dc in next sc) twice, ch 1, skip next Popcorn, dc in next sc, ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc, ch 1, skip next Popcorn, (dc in next sc, work FPdc around the post of next FPdc) twice, dc in last 6 sc.

Repeat Rows 4-7 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

38. DIAGONAL POPCORN

(Multiple of 6 + 3 chs)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1: Hdc in third ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 hdc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 3 hdc, work Popcorn as follows: 5 hdc in next hdc, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first hdc of 5-hdc group, hook dropped loop and draw through (**Fig. 13, page 4**), ch 1 to close (**Popcorn made**), (hdc in next 5 hdc, work Popcorn in next hdc) 3 times, hdc in last 3 hdc: 4 Popcorns.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 3 and all WRONG side rows: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc and in each hdc and in each Popcorn across: 25 hdc.

Row 4: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first 5 hdc, work Popcorn in next hdc, (hdc in next 5 hdc, work Popcorn in next hdc) 3 times, hdc in last hdc: 4 Popcorns.

Row 6: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc, (work Popcorn in next hdc, hdc in next 5 hdc) 4 times.

Repeat Rows 2-7 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

39. POPCORN DIAMOND

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Hdc in third ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each hdc across, sc in turning ch: 25 sc.

Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc, now and throughout), turn; hdc in next 11 sc, work Popcorn as follows: 5 dc in next sc, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of 5-dc group, hook dropped loop and draw through (**Fig. 13, page 4**), ch 1 to close (**Popcorn made**), hdc in last 12 sc.

Row 4 and all WRONG side rows: Ch 1, turn; sc in each hdc and in each Popcorn across: 25 sc.

Row 5: Ch 2, turn; hdc in next 9 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, hdc in next 3 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, hdc in last 10 sc.

Row 7: Ch 2, turn; hdc in next 7 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, hdc in next 7 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, hdc in last 8 sc.

Row 9: Ch 2, turn; hdc in next 5 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, hdc in next 11 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, hdc in last 6 sc.

Row 11: Ch 2, turn; hdc in next 3 sc, work Popcorn in next sc, (hdc in next 7 sc, work Popcorn in next sc) twice, hdc in last 4 sc.

Row 13: Repeat Row 9.

Row 15: Repeat Row 7.

Row 17: Repeat Row 5.

Row 19: Repeat Row 3.

Row 20: Ch 1, turn; sc in each hdc and in each Popcorn across; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

40. FAN STITCH

(Multiple of 10 + 7 chs)

With Ecru ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in next 2 chs, (hdc in next 2 chs, sc in next 3 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 3 chs) twice, dc in last ch: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 4 dc, (skip next 3 sts, 7 tr in next sc, skip next 3 sts, sc in next 3 dc) twice, sc in top of beginning ch: 25 sts.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; dc in next sc and in each st across: 25 dc.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn; dc in next dc, 4 tr in next dc, skip next 3 dc, sc in next 3 dc, skip next 3 dc, 7 tr in next dc, skip next 3 dc, sc in next 3 dc, skip next 3 dc, 4 tr in next dc, dc in last 2 dc: 25 sts.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; dc in next dc and in each st across: 25 dc.

Row 6: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 4 dc, (skip next 3 dc, 7 tr in next dc, skip next 3 dc, sc in next 3 dc) twice, sc in last dc: 25 sts.

Repeat Rows 3-6 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

41. FAN AND POPCORN

(Multiple of 10 + 6 chs)

With Rose ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; dc in next sc, work Popcorn as follows: 5 dc in next sc, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of 5-dc group, hook dropped loop and draw through (**Fig. 13, page 4**), ch 1 to close (Popcorn made), (skip next 4 sc, 9 tr in next sc, skip next 4 sc, work Popcorn in next sc) twice, dc in last 2 sc: 3 Popcorns.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st and Popcorn across: 25 sc. Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing, page 5*).

42. FAN TRELLIS

(Multiple of 12 + 2 chs)

With Ecu ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook, ★ ch 6, skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch; repeat from ★ across to last 4 chs, ch 3, dc in last ch to form last loop: 6 loops.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 1, turn; sc in first loop, 8 dc in next loop, sc in next loop, ch 6, sc in next loop, 8 dc in next loop, sc in last loop: 2 8-dc groups.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc, ch 6, skip next dc, sc in next dc, ch 6, skip next 4 dc, sc in next dc, ch 6, sc in next loop, ch 6, skip next dc, sc in next dc, ch 6, skip next 4 dc, sc in next dc, ch 3, dc in last sc to form last loop: 6 loops. Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing, page 5*).

43. PUFF STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Hdc in third ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first hdc plus ch 1, now and throughout), turn; ★ skip next hdc, hdc in next hdc, ch 1; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sts, skip next hdc, hdc in top of beginning ch: 12 ch-1 sps.

Row 3: Ch 2, turn; work Puff St in first ch-1 sp as follows: (YO, insert hook in ch-1 sp and pull up a loop even with hook) 4 times, YO and draw through all 9 loops on hook (**Fig. 14, page 4**), ch 1 to close (Puff St made), ★ ch 1, work Puff St in next ch-1 sp; repeat from ★ across, hdc in last hdc: 12 Puff Sts.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn; hdc in first ch-1 sp (between Puff Sts), ch 1, ★ hdc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; repeat from ★ across, hdc in last hdc: 12 ch-1 sps.

Row 5: Ch 2, turn; hdc in each ch-1 sp and in each hdc across: 25 hdc.

Repeat Rows 2-5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing, page 5*).

44. CLUSTER BRAID

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across, sc in top of beginning ch: 24 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; dc in next 6 sc, work FPdc (**Fig. 9, page 3**) around the post of dc below next sc, skip sc behind FPdc (now and throughout), dc in next 2 sc, work Cluster as follows: (YO, insert hook around the post of fourth dc from last FPdc and pull up a loop even with hook, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook (Cluster made), (skip sc behind Cluster), dc in next 2 sc, work Cluster around the post of next dc on same row, dc in next 2 sc, work FPdc around the post of dc below next sc (**Fig. 21a**), dc in last 7 sc: 24 sts.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 6 sc, work FPdc around the post of next FPdc, dc in next 2 sc, work Cluster around the post of dc to the left of next Cluster in row below, dc in next 2 sc, work Cluster around the post of next dc on same row, dc in next 2 sc, work FPdc around the post of next FPdc (**Fig. 21b**), dc in last 7 sc: 24 sts.

Repeat Rows 4 and 5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing, page 5*).

Fig. 21a

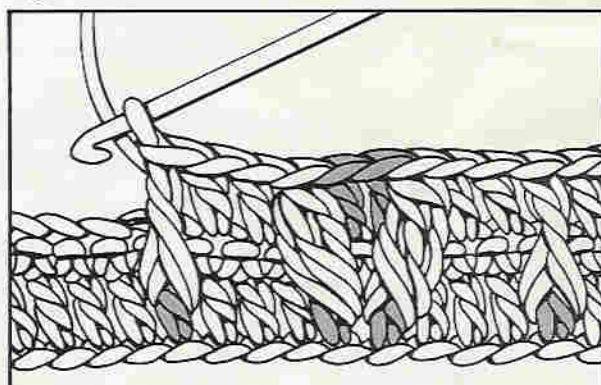
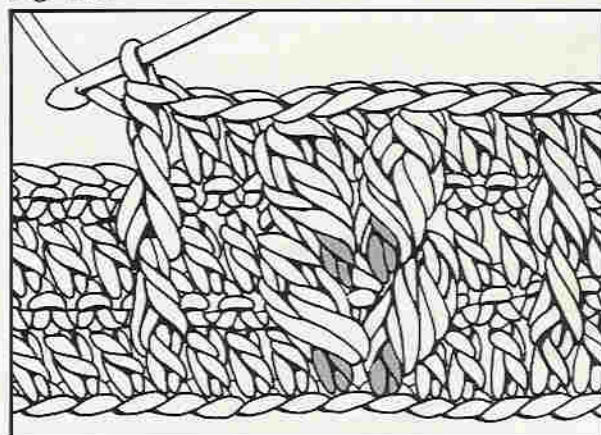


Fig. 21b



45. CROSSED RIPPLE STITCH

(Multiple of 3 chs)

With Green ch 27 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 26 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; ★ [skip next 2 sc, dc in next sc, ch 1, working around dc just made, dc in first skipped sc (Cross St made)]; repeat from ★ across to last sc; dc in last sc: 8 Cross Sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

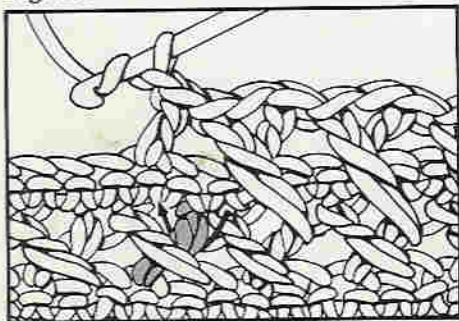
Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc and in each ch-1 sp across: 26 sc.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn; ★ skip next 2 sc, dc in next sc, ch 1, work FPdc (Fig. 9, page 3) around the post of first dc of Cross St 2 rows below (Fig. 22); repeat from ★ across to last sc, dc in last sc.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

Fig. 22



46. PALM LEAVES

(Multiple of 3 + 2 chs)

With Rose ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook, ★ ch 2, skip next 2 chs, sc in next ch; repeat from ★ across: 8 ch-2 sps.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; dc in same st, 3 dc in next sc and in each sc across to last sc, 2 dc in last sc: 25 dc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, ★ ch 2, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc; repeat from ★ across: 8 ch-2 sps.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

47. RIPPLE STITCH

(Multiple of 3 + 2 chs)

With Rose ch 26 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): (Sc, 2 dc) in second ch from hook, ★ skip next 2 chs, (sc, 2 dc) in next ch; repeat from ★ across to last 3 chs, sc in last ch: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; (sc, 2 dc) in first sc and in each sc across to last sc, sc in last sc.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

48. RAISED RIPPLE STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across: 25 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), turn; ★ work FPdc (Fig. 9, page 3) around the post of dc below next sc, skip sc behind FPdc, dc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 25 sts.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; ★ dc in next sc, work FPdc around the post of dc below next sc, skip sc behind FPdc; repeat from ★ across to last 2 sc, dc in last 2 sc.

Repeat Rows 2-5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

49. LACY WAVE STITCH

(Multiple of 11 + 5 chs)

With Ecru ch 27 loosely.

Row 1: Dc in eighth ch from hook and in next ch, ch 2, skip next 2 chs, sc in next 5 chs, ch 2, skip next 2 chs, dc in next 2 chs, ch 2, skip next 2 chs, sc in last 5 chs.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 5, turn; dc in same st, (ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc) twice, ch 1, dc in next ch-2 sp, 5 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, dc in next sc, (ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc) twice, ch 1, dc in next ch-2 sp, 5 dc in last sp.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 5, turn; dc in same st, (ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc) twice, ch 1, dc in next ch-1 sp, skip next 2 ch-1 sps, 5 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, dc in next dc, (ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc) twice, ch 1, dc in next ch-1 sp, skip next 2 ch-1 sps, 5 dc in last sp.

Repeat Row 3 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

50. PICOT STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 1, turn; sc in first sc, ★ [ch 3, slip st in third ch from hook (Picot made)], skip next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 12 Picots.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 6, turn; slip st in third ch from hook (counts as first dc plus Picot), dc in next sc, ★ work Picot, dc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 12 Picots.

Row 4: Ch 6, turn; slip st in third ch from hook, dc in next dc, ★ work Picot, dc in next dc; repeat from ★ across.

Repeat Row 4 until piece measures approximately 6½".

Last Row: Ch 4, turn; dc in next dc, ★ ch 1, dc in next dc; repeat from ★ across: do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

51. STAR STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3, turn; work beginning Star as follows: insert hook in second ch from hook and pull up a loop, insert hook in next ch and pull up a loop, insert hook in first sc and pull up a loop, (insert hook in next sc and pull up a loop) twice, YO and draw through all 6 loops on hook (**Fig. 23a**), ch 1 to close Star and form eyelet (**beginning Star made**), ★ ch 1, work Star as follows: insert hook in eyelet of last Star and pull up a loop, insert hook through last 2 loops on left side of last Star and pull up a loop, insert hook in same sc as last st of last Star and pull up a loop, (insert hook in next sc and pull up a loop) twice, YO and draw through all 6 loops on hook (**Fig. 23b**), ch 1 to close Star and form eyelet (**Star made**); repeat from ★ across: 12 Stars.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; 2 sc in eyelet of first Star, sc in next st, ★ sc in next eyelet, sc in next st; repeat from ★ across: 25 sc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

Fig. 23a

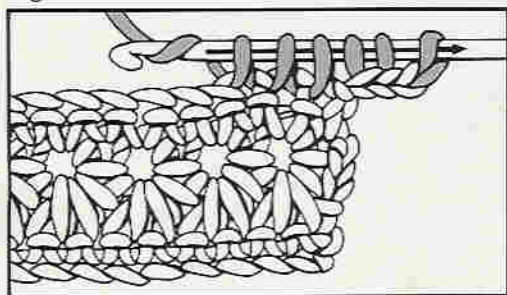
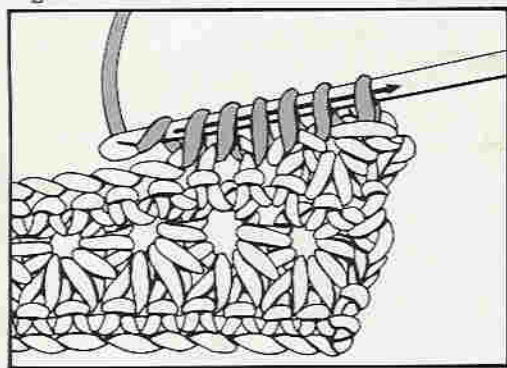


Fig. 23b



52. UP AND DOWN STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Green ch 23 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook, dc in next ch, ★ sc in next ch, dc in next ch; repeat from ★ across: 22 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, dc in next sc, ★ sc in next dc, dc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 22 sts.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

53. CROSSED PUFF STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Green ch 25 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 24 sc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

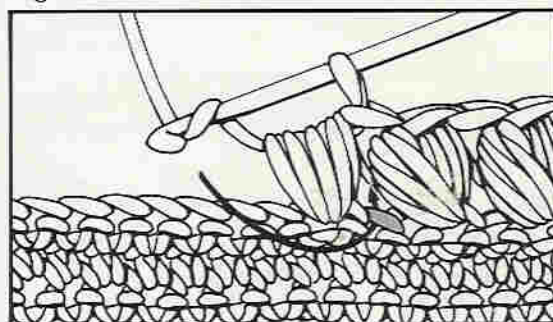
Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; ★ skip next sc, work Puff St in next sc as follows: (YO, insert hook in sc and pull up a loop even with hook) 4 times, YO and draw through all 9 loops on hook (**Puff St made**), working around Puff St just made, work Puff St in skipped sc (**Fig. 24**) (**Crossed Puff St made**); repeat from ★ across to last sc, dc in last sc: 11 Crossed Puff Sts.

Rows 3-5: Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across.

Repeat Rows 2-5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

Fig. 24



54. ALIGNED PUFF STITCH

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook, ★ ch 1, skip next ch, sc in next ch; repeat from ★ across: 25 sts.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 2, turn; work Puff St in next ch-1 sp as follows: (YO, insert hook in ch-1 sp and pull up a loop even with hook) 4 times, YO and draw through all 9 loops on hook (**Fig. 14, page 4**), ch 1 to close (**Puff St made**).

★ ch 1, work Puff St in next ch-1 sp; repeat from ★ across, hdc in last sc: 12 Puff Sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as right side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first hdc, ch 1, ★ sc in next ch-1 sp (between Puff Sts), ch 1; repeat from ★ across, sc in top of beginning ch: 25 sts.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do not finish off.

Work Edging (see *Finishing*, page 5).

55. PARALLEL POST STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Ecu ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Hdc in third ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 hdc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc and in each hdc across.

Row 3: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc, ★ work FPhdc (**Fig. 11, page 4**) around the post of hdc below next hdc, skip hdc behind FPhdc, hdc in next hdc; repeat from ★ across: 25 sts.

Row 4: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc and in each st across: 25 hdc.

Row 5: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc, ★ work FPhdc around the post of next FPhdc, skip hdc behind FPhdc, hdc in next hdc; repeat from ★ across.

Repeat Rows 4 and 5 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

56. SNAPDRAGON STITCH

(Multiple of 8 + 5 chs)

With Ecu ch 29 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fifth ch from hook, ★ skip next 3 chs, 5 dc in next ch, skip next 3 chs, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch (**V-St made**); repeat from ★ across.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, skip next 3 dc, work V-St in next dc, ★ 5 dc in next ch-1 sp, skip next 3 dc, work V-St in next dc; repeat from ★ across, 3 dc in last sp.

Row 3: Ch 4 (counts as first dc plus ch 1), turn; dc in same st, ★ 5 dc in next ch-1 sp, skip next 3 dc, work V-St in next dc; repeat from ★ across.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

57. ALTERNATE MESH STITCH

(Multiple of 2 + 1 ch)

With Rose ch 27 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as first dc plus ch 1), turn; skip next dc, ★ dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc; repeat from ★ across, dc in top of beginning ch: 12 ch-1 sps.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in each ch-1 sp and in each dc across: 25 dc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

58. SOFT CLUSTERS

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Green ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook, ★ ch 1, skip next ch, sc in next ch; repeat from ★ across: 25 sts.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3, turn; work Cluster in next ch-1 sp as follows: (YO, insert hook in ch-1 sp and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook (**Fig. 12, page 4**) (**Cluster made**), ★ ch 1, work Cluster in next ch-1 sp; repeat from ★ across, dc in last sc: 12 Clusters.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, ch 1, ★ sc in next ch-1 sp (between Clusters), ch 1; repeat from ★ across, sc in top of beginning ch.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

59. CLUSTERS

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Ecu ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 4 (counts as first dc plus ch 1), turn; skip next sc, ★ work Cluster in next sc as follows: (YO, insert hook in sc and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook (**Fig. 12, page 4**) (**Cluster made**), ch 1, skip next sc; repeat from ★ across to last sc, dc in last sc: 11 Clusters.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, sc in each ch-1 sp and in each Cluster across to last dc, sc in last dc: 25 sc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

60. DOUBLES

(Multiple of 2 chs)

With Ecu ch 26 loosely.

Row 1: Sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across: 25 sc.

Row 2 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn; skip next sc, ★ 2 dc in next sc, skip next sc; repeat from ★ across to last sc, dc in last sc: 24 dc.

Note: Loop a short piece of yarn around any stitch to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; 2 sc in first dc, sc in each dc across: 25 sc.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern until piece measures approximately 7"; do **not** finish off.

Work Edging (*see Finishing, page 5*).

