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Hooray! It's finally summer and time for some fun in the sun. Going to the beach is always a favorite vacation activity, whether it's close to home or in faraway destinations.

With that in mind, we've got some great projects in our A Day at the Beach section that include a chic swimsuit cover-up, fancied-up flip-flops, a colorful beach towel and tote, and a sassy sun visor—all perfectly practical projects for a beach getaway (and pretty, as well!)

Crocheters often find their stitching time is more limited during the summer, with the kids out of school, and all the warm-weather activities, family gatherings and traveling. To help out with this dilemma, we've selected a number of fun, easy projects in our Need for Speed section that can be made in just a few hours—perfect for busy crocheters! A pretty lace scarf, convenient accessory pouches in a variety of sizes, a handy car-care set (guys will love this!), a chic bangle bracelet and an eye-catching pendant necklace all make great last-minute gifts.

Whatever your plans are for the summer, and no matter how busy your days may be, take some time to include crochet. It's one of the best forms of rest and relaxation there is!

Happy crocheting!

Carol Alexander



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Fiesta Table Mat

Design by Diane Lavos

1 2 3 4 5 6 CHALLENGING

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

12½ inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- DMC Pearl Cotton size 5 crochet cotton (27 yds per skein):
 - 3 skeins #208 purple
 - 1 skein each #554 lavender, #971 orange, #907 green, #313 dark blue and #727 yellow
- Size 1/2.25mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Sewing needle
- Stitch markers
- Drafting compass (optional)
- Fabric-marking pen
- Pressing cloth
- 8-inch-square paper or cardboard
- ½ yd purple cotton or polyester fabric

GAUGE

Small circle, 14 dc = 7/8 inch in diameter; 10 tr = 1¼ inches; 3 sc and 1 tr rnds = ¾ inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

It is important to keep crocheted edge flat; add decreases or increases if work begins to ruffle or cup.

Chain-4 at beginning of round counts as first treble crochet unless otherwise stated.

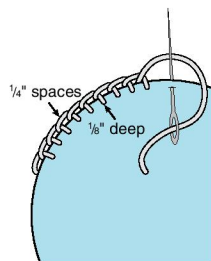
SPECIAL STITCH

Blanket stitch: Thread needle with 2–3-foot length of green, anchor crochet cotton inside doubled fabric. Bring up needle in seam between layers. *Working left to right, insert needle down through both layers of fabric ¼ inch to right of where needle came up and ⅛ inch deep (from outside to inside circle). After pulling crochet cotton part way through, bring needle up under length of crochet cotton coming from point of attachment (see illustration). This will catch the crochet cotton and create an L-shaped embroidery stitch. Pull



Brilliant colors and intriguing shapes give this festive, fabric-centered mat standout appeal.

gently until stitch is snug, rep from * around circle. Fasten off.



Blanket Stitch

MAT

FABRIC CENTER

Cut paper or cardboard circle $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter for template. (If using a drafting compass, radius of circle is $3\frac{3}{8}$ inches.)

This template is the size of the cloth circle that will be stitched and crocheted around. Double over your fabric, with right sides facing each other. Lay template on fabric and mark edges lightly. Add $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch seam allowance around circle and cut circles from fabric on outer line. By hand or machine, sew fabric circles tog, following inner marking on fabric circle, leaving about 1 inch unsewn. Notch edges of seam allowance every inch so that when circles are turned right side out piece will rem flat. Turn inside out, so seam allowance is on inside. Use crochet hook to push out edge from inside to get close to stitching line. Folding raw edges of opening inward, sew seam closed.

Work **blanket stitch** (see *Special Stitch*) around outer edge of Fabric Center.

CROCHET EDGING

Rnd 1: With RS facing, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) green in any blanket st, ch 1, working 2 or 3 sc in each blanket st, work 154 sc sts around, join in first sc, **do not fasten off**.

Rnd 2: Place a st marker every 22 sts around circle (7 markers),

*[sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc] rep from * to st marker, do not work that st, ch 8, sk next 6 sts including marked st, sc in next sc, continue to rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (7 ch-8 sps)

Rnd 3: [Join green 2 sc before ch-8 lp, sc in same sc, sc in next sc, work 15 dc over ch-8 lp, sc in each of next 2 sc. Fasten off] 7 times. (7 dc arches)

Rnd 4: Join lavender in last sc before arch, ch 1, [sc dec (see *Stitch Guide*) over sc and first dc of arch, sc in each of next 13 dc of arch, sc dec in next dc and next sc, sc in each sc across to last sc before next arch] around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join yellow anywhere in valley (sp between arches), **ch 4** (see *Pattern Notes*), tr in each st around, working [tr in next st, 2 tr in next st] 3 times over center top of each arch, join in beg ch-4. Fasten off.

TRIADS

Rnd 6: With orange, make 7 triads each of 3 circles. For each circle, leaving 2-inch length at beg, ch 4, 13 dc in first ch of ch-4 (3 sk chs counts as first dc), join in 4th ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off. (14 dc)

Pull rem beg length to tighten center hole, secure. With a length of orange sew first circle to another. Sew 3rd circle evenly between other 2 circles (see *Diagram A on page 8*). Sew triads to center of each valley.

Rnd 7: Join yellow 2 sts to right of orange triad's point of attachment to yellow tr, sc in next tr, sc around triad, sc inc over top as needed to **keep piece flat** (see *Pattern Notes*), work 1 sc in next yellow tr. Fasten off. Rep rnd 7 over each triad.

Rnd 8: Join lavender in 4th sc on right-side edge of any triad, sc in same st, *continue with sc in each st around triad, inc as

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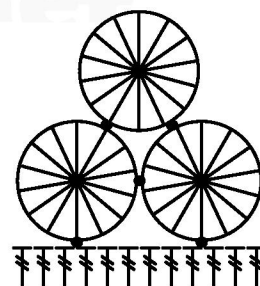


needed over top of point to keep piece flat, continue to sc through 4th sc from left side edge of attachment to match opposite side, sk first yellow tr to left of point of attachment, (see *Diagram B for dec sts*) **dec over next 2 tr as follows: [yo twice, draw up lp from next st, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice (3 lps on hook) [yo, draw through 2 lps] twice, rep from ** once (2 tr-dec made), dc in next tr, hdc in next tr, place st marker in 7th st to right of point of attachment of next triad, continue sc until you come to st marker, hdc in marked st, dc in next st, tr-dec over next 2 sts, tr-dec over next 2 sts, sk last st, sc in 4th sc on right side of triad, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

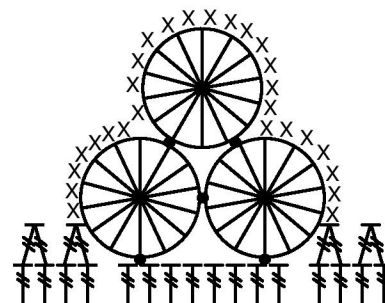
Rnd 9: Join purple at top of triad, sc in each of next 7 sts, *hdc in each of next 2 sts, dc in each of next 2 sts, tr in rem sts through tr-dec on right side of next triad, dc in each of next 2 sc, hdc in each of next 2 sc, sc over top and down 7 sts on left side, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 10: Join dark blue in any st of triad, ch 1, work sc sts over top of each triad and hdc in each rem st between triads, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 11: Working with a slightly tighter tension for a good finished edge, join purple in center of point over any triad, *work 6 sc coming down from top of triad, 2 hdc and 2 dc on side, tr over low places until start of next triad, reverse the order of sts, work 2 dc, 2 hdc on side, sc to top of triad, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. Steam-block using pressing cloth. Use stiffener and fabric protector if desired. **CW**



Fiesta Table Mat
Diagram A



Fiesta Table Mat
Diagram B

STITCH KEY	
	Triads
	Single crochet (sc)
	Treble (tr)
	Treble decreases (tr dec)



Meet the Winner

Diana Larsen

A white cotton "bedspread thread" dress, crocheted by me in 1978 and still in my closet, reminds me how quickly I fell in love with this craft. It was my second or third crochet project, after my first beginner's vest. I had tried knitting, but found that all the garments I liked in the booming proliferation of needlework magazines were crocheted. If it was loopy, curvy or lacelike, I liked it.

After seeing a pamphlet titled "A Designer's Way With Crochet," I began using shapes and forms to make up my own designs. I explored every size hook and thickness of yarn/thread/jute/string, and read *Fiber Arts* magazine. From 1975 to 1985 I sold my crocheted accessories and mandala window hangings through Boulder (Colo.) Arts and Crafts Cooperative—fun but not so profitable for me.

Later, in Massachusetts, I worked as a writer-editor and time for handcrafting was tight. My dreams had to wait in the idea stage. A year ago I took a new look at a wildly colored doily, made of circles and openwork, that I had crocheted years before. It was my prototype for the Fiesta Table Mat.

By refining the design and materials of that early Fiesta project, I made strides toward crochet as an art form that I can teach others. Since joining the Crochet Guild of America and being inspired by published designers, I'm ready to see where my cool and urgent love of design will take me.

Chain-Link Headband

Design by Jennifer Cirka

1 2 3 4 5 6 BEGINNER

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit size small; changes for medium and large are in [].

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Circumference: 18 inches (*small*) [20 inches (*medium*), 22 inches (*large*)]

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand LB Collection Cotton Bamboo light (light worsted) weight cotton/ rayon from bamboo yarn (31½ oz/ 245 yds/ 100g ball) 1 skein #098 magnolia
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

1 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTE

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

HEADBAND

Row 1: Ch 64 [70, 76], sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 10 [13, 16] chs, [ch 5, sk each of next 5 chs, hdc in next ch] twice, [ch 5, sk each of next 5 chs, dc in next ch] twice, [ch 5, sk each of next 5 chs, hdc in next ch] twice, ch 5, sk each of next 5 chs, sc in each of next 11 [14, 17] chs, turn. (22 [28, 34] sc, 4 hdc, 2 dc, 7 ch-5 sps)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each of next 11 [14, 17] sc, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of next ch-5 sp, ch 5, hdc in 3rd

ch of next ch-5 sp, [ch 5, dc in 3rd ch of next ch-5 sp] 3 times, [ch 5, hdc in 3rd ch of next ch-5 sp] twice, ch 2, sc in next 11 [14, 17] sc, turn. (22 [28, 34] sc, 4 hdc, 3 dc, 6 ch-5 sps, 2 ch-2 sps)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of next 11 [14, 17] sc, [ch 5, hdc in 3rd ch of ch-5 sp] twice, [ch 5, dc in 3rd ch of ch-5 sp] twice, [ch 5,

hdc in 3rd ch of ch-5 sp] twice, ch 5, sc in each of next 11 [14, 17] sc, leaving 8-inch length, fasten off. (22 [28, 34] sc, 4 hdc, 2 dc, 7 ch-5 sps)

FINISHING

With rem length, sew ends tog overlapping sc sts as needed for perfect fit. **CW**



This cute, easy-to-make headband is a great summer accessory for the beach or anywhere.

Reflections Doily

Design by Agnes Russell

1 2 3 4 5 6 **CONFIDENT
BEGINNER**

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

18½ inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic size 10 crochet cotton (solids: 350 yds; shaded colors: 300 yds per ball):
1 ball each #638 Monet and #661 frosty green
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

Rnds 1–4 = 2¾ inches in diameter;
5 V-st rnds = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-6 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet and chain-3 unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-2 at beginning of round counts as first half double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning V-stitch (beg V-st):

Sl st in ch-3 sp, **ch 6** (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in same ch-3 sp.

V-stitch (V-st): (Dc, ch 3, dc) in indicated st or sp.

DOILY

CENTER

Rnd 1: With monet, ch 6, join (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), 23 dc in ring, join in beg ch-3. (24 dc)

Rnd 2: Beg V-st (see *Special Stitches*) in same dc as joining, sk next dc, [**V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next dc, sk next dc] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (12 V-sts)

Rnd 3: Sl st in ch-3 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch-3 sp, ch 5, [sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 5] around, join in beg sc. (12 ch-5 sps, 12 sc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, (sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) in each ch-5 sp around, join in beg sc. (12 scallops)

Rnd 5: Sl st to 2nd dc of next 3-dc group, ch 1, sc in same dc, ch 7, [sc in 2nd dc of next scallop, ch 7] around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (12 ch-7 sps)

Rnd 6: Join frosty green in any ch-7 sp, ch 1, (sc, 7 dc, sc) in each ch-7 sp around, join in beg sc. (12 scallops)

Rnd 7: Sl st in each of next 2 dc, beg V-st in same dc as last sl st made, [sk next dc, V-st in next dc] twice, sk next 4 sts, *[V-st in next dc, sk next dc] 3 times, sk next 2 sc and next dc, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (36 V-sts)

Rnd 8: Sl st in ch-3 sp, beg V-st in same ch sp, V-st in each rem ch-3 sp around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6.

Rnd 9: Rep rnd 8.

Rnd 10: Rep rnd 3. Fasten off. (36 ch-5 sps, 36 sc)

Rnd 11: Join monet in any ch-5 sp, ch 1, (sc, 5 dc, sc) in each ch-5 sp around, join in beg sc. (36 scallops)

Rnd 12: Sl st to 2nd dc of next scallop, beg V-st in same dc, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, sk next 4 sts, [V-st in next dc, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, sk next 4 sts] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (72 V-sts)

Rnds 13–15: Rep rnd 8.

Rnd 16: Sl st in ch-3 sp, beg V-st in same ch-3 sp, ch 1, [V-st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (72 V-sts, 72 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 17: Rep rnd 16.

Rnd 18: Rep rnd 3. Fasten off.

Rnd 19: Join frosty green in any ch-5 sp, ch 1, (sc, 5 dc, sc) in each ch-5 sp around, join in beg sc. (72 scallops)

Rnd 20: Sl st to 3rd dc of scallop, beg V-st in same dc, ch 2, V-st in 3rd dc of next scallop, ch 2] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (72 V-sts, 72 ch-2 sps)

Rnds 21–24: Sl st in ch-3 sp, beg V-st in same ch-3 sp, ch 3, [V-st in



A mix of pretty watercolors offset with soft green creates a soothing palette in this lovely lace doily.



next ch-3 sp, ch 3] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (72 V-sts, 72 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 25: Sl st in ch-3 sp, beg V-st in same ch-3 sp, ch 4, [V-st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (72 V-sts, 72 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 26: Rep rnd 25. Fasten off.

Rnd 27: Join monet in any ch-3

sp, (ch 3, dc, ch 5, 2 dc) in same ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-4 sp, [(2 dc, ch 5, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-4 sp] around, join in beg ch-3. (72 ch-5 sps)

Rnd 28: Sl st to next ch-5 sp, **ch 2** (see Pattern Notes), hdc in same ch-5 sp, (ch 3, 2 hdc) 3 times in same ch-5 sp, sc in next sc, [(2 hdc, ch 3) 3 times in

next ch-5 sp, 2 hdc in same ch-5 sp, sc in next sc] around, join in beg ch-2. (576 hdc)

Rnd 29: Sl st to first ch-3 sp, beg in same sp, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in first ch-3 sp, (2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in 2nd (center) ch-3 sp, (sc, ch 3, sc) in 3rd ch-3 sp] of each group of ch-3 sps around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. **CW**

Gift-Card Envelope

Design by Susan Jeffers

1 2 3 4 5 6 CONFIDENT BEGINNER

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

3 x 4¼ inches

MATERIALS

- Omega Metallic Crochet fine (sport) weight thread (.88 oz/ 346 yds/35g per ball): 1 ball #6 pale gold
- Size D/3/3.25mm crochet hook
- Yarn needle
- Sewing needle
- Matching sewing thread
- 15mm gold decorative shank button
- 11mm white flat button
- Straight pins
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

[Shell, sc] 2 times = 1½ inches;
9 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Shell: 5 dc in indicated st.

ENVELOPE

Row 1 (RS): Ch 37, 2 dc in 4th

ch from hook (*sk 3 chs count as first dc*), sk each of next 2 chs, sc in next ch, [sk each of next 2 chs, **shell** (*see Special Stitch*) in next ch, sk each of next 2 chs, sc in next ch] 5 times, turn. (*5 shells, 1 half shell, 6 sc*)

Row 2: Ch 3 (*see Pattern Notes*), 2 dc in same st as beg ch-3, [sk next 2 dc of shell, sc in next dc, sk next 2 dc, shell in next sc] 5 times, sk next 2 dc, sc in next ch, turn. (*5 shells, 1 half shell, 6 sc*)

Rows 3–32: Rep row 2. At the end of row 32, do not fasten off.

JOINING

Piece will measure 4 inches wide x 6½ inches long.

When you give a gift card in this gorgeous little golden pouch, it's like giving a gift within a gift!



Fold up rows 1–10 (2 inches) and pin in place. Working in ends of rows, ch 1, sc evenly down side edge of rows 32–20, now working through both thicknesses, sc evenly sp to bottom edge. Fasten off.

Join (see *Pattern Notes*) in side edge of row 10 on opposite edge of Envelope, ch 1, working through both thicknesses, sc evenly sp up edge, then sc evenly sp across rows 20–32. Fasten off. Remove pins.

BUTTON LOOP

Place st marker in center st of row 32, join metallic thread in st before marker, ch 7, sl st in st after marker, turn, sl st in each ch and in same st as joining. Fasten off.



With length of sewing thread, sew gold decorative button to row 3 center front and **at the same time** the white button on

the inside directly behind the gold button for stability.

Pass button lp over gold button to close. **cw**

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Patchwork Elephant

Design by Sheila Leslie

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

11 inches tall

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein*):
 - ¾ oz each #672 spring green, #334 bright yellow and #722 pretty 'n pink
 - ½ oz #886 blue, #321 gold, #318 cherry red, #E13 turqua, #668 honeydew and #254 pumpkin
 - 1 yd #312 black
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Fiberfill
- Stitch marker



*Available at Annie'sCatalog.com

GAUGE

4 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Do not join rounds unless otherwise stated. Use stitch marker to mark rounds.

ELEPHANT

HEAD

Rnd 1: Starting at top of Head with spring green, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **place st marker** (see *Pattern Notes*).

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (18 sc)



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Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc] around. (30 sc)

Rnd 6: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 7: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (36 sc)

Rnd 8: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (42 sc)

Rnds 9–17: Rep rnd 6.

Rnd 18: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] around. (36 sc)

Rnd 19: [Sc in each of next 4 sc,

sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (30 sc)

Stuff Head with fiberfill and continue stuffing as work progresses.

Rnd 20: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 21: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (18 sc)

Rnd 22: [Sc in each of next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around, sl st in next sc, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off. (12 sc)

BODY

Rnds 1–4: With blue, rep Head rnds 1–4. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: *[Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in each of next 6 sc, rep from * around. (30 sc)

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (36 sc)

Rnd 7: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (42 sc)

Rnd 8: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 9: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (48 sc)

Rnds 10–13: Rep rnd 8. At the end of rnd 13, sl st in next st, fasten off.

Rnd 14: Join gold with sc in same sc as sl st, sc in each sc around. (48 sc)

Rnds 15–20: Rep rnd 8. At the end of rnd 20, sl st in next st, fasten off.

Rnd 21: Join cherry red with sc in same sc as sl st, sc in each sc around. (48 sc)

Rnds 22–26: Rep rnd 8.

Rnd 27: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (40 sc)

Rnd 28: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (35 sc)

Rnd 29: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (30 sc)

Stuff Body with fiberfill and continue stuffing as work progresses.

Rnd 30: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 31: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (18 sc)

Rnd 32: [Sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (12 sc)

Rnd 33: [Sc dec in next 2 sc] around, sl st in next sc, fasten off. (6 sc)

With rem length, sew Head to rnds 7–15 of Body.

TRUNK

Rnd 1: Starting at tip of Trunk with bright yellow, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 4 & 5: Rep rnd 3.

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (16 sc)

Rnd 7: Rep rnd 3.

Rnds 8–10: Sl st in each of next 7 sts, hdc in each of next 9 sts.

Rnd 11: [Sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. (20 sc)

Rnd 12: Rep rnd 3.

Rnd 13: Hdc in each of next 2 sts, sl st in each of next 8 sts, hdc in each of next 10 sts. (20 sts)

Rnd 14: [Sc in each of next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 15: Rep rnd 3.

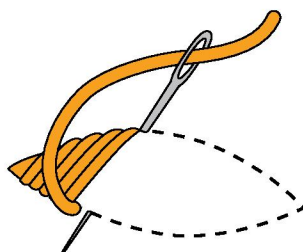
Rnd 16: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (30 sc)

Rnd 17: Rep rnd 3, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off.

Stuff Trunk with fiberfill and sew over rnds 11–19 of front of Head.

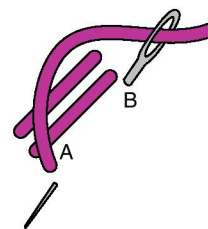
FACIAL FEATURES

Thread black yarn on yarn needle, embroider **satin stitch** (see illustration) eyes just above Trunk with 1¼ inches between eyes.



Satin Stitch

With black, embroider smiling mouth with **straight stitches** (see illustration) on underside of Trunk.



Straight Stitch

EAR

Make 2.

Row 1: Leaving a 12-inch length of pretty 'n pink at beg, ch 15, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (14 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across, working 2 sc in last sc, turn. (16 sc)

Row 3: Rep row 2. (18 sc)

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

Row 5: Rep row 2. (20 sc)

Rows 6–8: Rep row 4.

Rows 9–12: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to last 2 sc, sc dec in last 2 sc, turn. (12 sc)

Row 13: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 8 sc, sc dec in last 2 sc. Fasten off. (10 sc)

Sew row 1 of each Ear to rnds 7–11 at each side of Head.

FRONT LEG

Make 2.

Rnd 1: Starting at bottom of Leg, with turqua, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (18 sc)

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnds 5–9: Sc in each sc around. At the end of rnd 9, sl st in next st, fasten off.

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Gulf Coast Shrug

Design by Karen McKenna

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit 32–34-inch bust (*small*); changes for 36–38-inch bust (*medium*), 40–42-inch bust (*large*) and 44–46-inch bust (*X-large*) are in [].

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

Bust: 34 inches (*small*) [38 inches (*medium*), 42½ inches (*large*), 47 inches (*X-large*)]

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Rekorak Norville Serenity Garden fine (sport) weight merino yarn (31% acryl, 185 yds/65g per ball):
3 [4, 5, 5] balls #0008 sea
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- 7/8-inch button

GAUGE

18 sts = 4 inches; 8 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Chain-2 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet and chain-1 unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Fan stitch (fan st): (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in indicated st or ch sp.

SHRUG

BODY

Row 1: Beg at bottom edge of Body, ch 154 [174, 194, 214], **fan st** (see *Special Stitch*) in 6th ch from hook (5 sk chs count as first dc, ch 1, sk 2 chs), [sk each of next 4 chs, fan st in next ch] across to last 3 chs, sk each of next 2 chs, dc in last ch, turn. (30 [34, 38, 42] fan sts)

Row 2: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), fan st in each ch-1 sp across, dc in top of end dc, turn.

Rows 3–12: Rep row 2. At the end of last rep, **do not fasten off**. (30 [34, 38, 42] fan sts, 152 [172, 192, 212] sts)

LEFT FRONT

Row 13: Ch 2, work 7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch-1 sp, leaving rem sts unworked, turn. (7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts, 40 [45, 50, 55] sts)

Row 14: Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts, dc in top of end dc, turn.

Row 15: Ch 2, work 7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 16: Rep row 14.

Row 17: Rep row 15.

Row 18: Rep row 14.

Sizes Medium, Large & X-Large Only

Row 19: Rep row 15.

Sizes Large & X-Large Only

Row 20: Rep row 14.

Row 21: Rep row 15.

Size X-Large Only

Row 22: Rep row 14.

Size Small Left Front

Row 19: Sl st in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 20: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 21: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 22: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, dc in last dc, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 23: Sl st in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 24: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 25: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Row 26: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, dc in last dc, turn. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Row 27: Sl st in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 4 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (4 fan sts, 28 sts)

Row 28: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 4 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (4 fan sts, 28 sts)

Row 29: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 4 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (4 fan sts, 25 sts)

This chic, simple shrug features a lacy fan stitch, one-piece construction and a single-button closure.





Row 30: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 4 fan sts across, dc in last dc, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (4 fan sts, 25 sts)

Size Medium Left Front

Row 20: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 21: Rep row 20.

Row 22: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, sk 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (7 fan sts, 40 sts)

Row 23: Ch 2, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 24: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 25: Rep row 24.

Row 26: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, sk 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 27: Ch 2, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 28: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 29: Rep row 28.

Row 30: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, sk 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Row 31: Ch 2, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Size Large Left Front

Row 22: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 48 sts)

Row 23: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 24: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 25: Rep row 24.

Row 26: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, sk 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (7 fan sts, 40 sts)

Row 27: Ch 2, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 28: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 29: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 30: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, sk 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 31: Ch 2, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 32: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 33: Rep row 32, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

X-Large Left Front

Row 23: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 9 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (9 fan sts, 53 sts)

Row 24: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 9 fan sts across, sk

2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (9 fan sts, 50 sts)

Row 25: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 48 sts)

Row 26: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 48 sts)

Row 27: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 45 sts)

Row 28: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts, dc in top of last dc, turn. (8 fan sts, 45 sts)

Row 29: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 30: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 31: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 40 sts)

Row 32: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts, dc in top of last dc, turn. (7 fan sts, 40 sts)

Row 33: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 34: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

BACK

Row 13: Join (see Pattern Notes) in same ch-1 sp as last dc of row 13 of Left Front was worked, ch 2, work 14 [16, 18, 20] fan sts across, dc in next ch-1 sp, turn.

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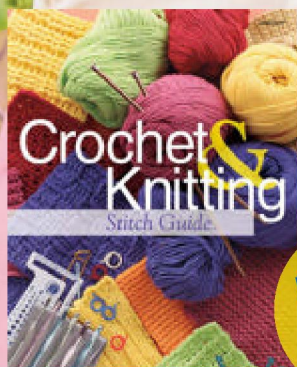
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Flip-Flop Doormat

Design by Debra Arch

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

25 x 17½ inches

MATERIALS

- Lily Sugar'n Cream medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (2½ oz/120 yds/70g per ball):
 - 4 balls #82 jute
 - 2 balls each #73 sunshine, #85 red, #1315 robin's egg, #1628 hot orange, #1712 hot green, #1740 hot pink and #1713 hot blue
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Large-eye tapestry needle
- Water-soluble marking pen
- Hand steamer for blocking



GAUGE

3 hdc = 1 inch; 2 hdc rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Use 2 strands throughout unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-2 at beginning of row counts as first half double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of row counts as first treble crochet unless otherwise stated.

DOOR MAT

FLIP-FLOPS

Row 1 (RS): With 2 strands (see *Pattern Notes*) red, ch 32,

sc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in next ch, dc in each of next 10 chs, hdc in each of next 2 chs, sc in each of next 7 chs, hdc in next ch, dc in each of next 5 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in each of next 2 chs, sl st in last ch. Fasten off, do not turn. (30 sts)

Row 2: Join (see *Pattern Notes*) hot pink in first sc of previous row, **ch 2** (see *Pattern Notes*), hdc in same sp as beg ch-2, hdc in each st across to last st, 2 hdc in last st. Fasten off. (32 hdc)

Row 3: Join red in beg ch-2 of previous row, rep row 2. (34 hdc)

Row 4: Join hot pink in beg ch-2 of previous row, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in each st across. Fasten off. (34 dc)

Row 5: Join red in beg ch-3 of previous row, ch 2, sk next dc (*dec made*), **hdc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sts, hdc in each st across. Fasten off. (32 hdc)

Row 6: Join hot pink in beg ch-2 of previous row, ch 2, hdc dec in next 2 sts, hdc in each st across to last 2 sts, hdc dec in last 2 sts. Fasten off. (31 sts)

Row 7: Join red in beg ch-2, ch 1, sc in same sp, hdc in next st, dc in each of next 10 sts, hdc in each of next 2 sts, sc in each of next 7 sts, hdc in next st, dc in each of next 5 sts, hdc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, sl st in last st. Fasten off. (31 sts)

Row 8: Sk first sc and next hdc of previous row, join hot green in **back lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of next hdc, working in back lp for this row, ch 1, sc in same sp, sc in each of next 10 sts, hdc in each of next 2 sts, dc in each of next 7 sts, hdc in next st, sc in each of next 7 sts, 2 sc in last sl st. Fasten off. (30 sts)

Row 9: Join sunshine in first sc of previous row, rep row 2. (32 hdc)

Row 10: Rep row 3 with hot green. (34 sts)

Row 11: Rep row 4 with sunshine. (31 sts)

Row 12: Rep row 5 with hot green. (32 sts)

Row 13: Rep row 6 with sunshine. (31 sts)

Row 14: Rep row 7 with hot green. (31 sts)

Rows 15–21: Rep rows 8–14 substituting hot orange for hot green and hot pink for sunshine. (30 sts)

Rows 22–28: Rep rows 8–14 substituting hot blue for hot green and robin's egg for sunshine. (30 sts)

Rows 29–35: Rep rows 8–14 substituting red for hot green and hot pink for sunshine. (30 sts)

FLIP-FLOP TOP EDGE

Row 1 (RS): Join 2 strands red in opposite side of foundation ch of first st of row 1 (*first stripe*) of first Flip-Flop, working across top of Flip-Flop, [sl st in end of first row, sc in end of row 2 (*2nd stripe*), 2 sc in end of row 3 (*3rd stripe*), 4 sc in end of row 4 (*4th stripe*), 2 sc in end row 5 (*5th stripe*), sc in end of row 6 (*6th stripe*), insert hook in unworked hdc of row 7 (*7th stripe*) and draw up a lp of hot green (*first stripe color of next Flip-Flop*) and pull through lp on hook to create a sl st. Fasten off red.]

Rep between [] to work sts in ends of next 7 stripe rows of next Flip-Flop with hot green, change color to hot orange (*next Flip-Flops first row color*) in same manner in unworked hdc of row 7 (*7th stripe of Flip-Flop*), continue in same manner to

This whimsical mat is a sure way to remind folks to kick off their sandy flip-flops when coming in from the beach!



change colors and st rem Flip-Flop Top Edges, working last sl st into first sc of row 35. Fasten off. (60 sts)

FLIP-FLOP HEEL EDGE

Row 1: With RS facing, join 2 strands red with sl st to end of row 35 at bottom edge of last Flip-Flop, rep stitching and changing colors in same manner

as Flip-Flop Top Edge working only 3 sc in ends of all 4th stripes of Flip-Flops, working last sl st of last Flip-Flop into end of row 1. (55 sts)

MAT LEFT-HAND BORDER

Row 1: With RS facing, join 2 strands jute to first sc of row 35, ch 2, hdc in same sp, sc in each of next 10 sts, hdc in each of

next 2 sts, dc in each of next 8 sts, hdc in next st, sc in each of next 6 sts, hdc in each of next 2 sts, turn. (31 sts)

Row 2: Ch 2, hdc in each of next 5 sts, dc in each of next 23 sts, hdc in each of rem 2 sts, turn.

Rows 3–5: Ch 2, hdc in each st across, turn. At the end of row 5, fasten off.

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Foxy Sun Visor

Design by Dorothy Warrell

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED SIZE

One size fits most adults

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Easichon size 3 crochet cotton (150 yds per ball):
2 balls #775 warm rose
- Size R/3/3.25mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Sewing needle
- White sewing thread
- 1-inch-wide elastic: 23 inches
- 1 gallon round plastic jug
- Tape
- Baper
- Craft scissors

GAUGE

7 sc = 1½ inches; 4 sc rnds = ¾ inch

PATTERN NOTE

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

SUN VISOR

VISOR SECTION

Make 2.

Row 1: Starting at outer edge of Visor, ch 85, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (84 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, [sc in each of next 5 sc, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] 12 times, turn. (72 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to last 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, turn. (70 sc)

Rows 4 & 5: Rep row 3. (66 sc)

Row 6: Ch 1 [sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 11 times, turn. (55 sc)

Rows 7–11: Rep row 3. (45 sc)

Row 12: Ch 1, [sc in each of

next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 9 times, turn. (36 sc)

Row 13: Ch 1, [sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times, turn. (30 sc)

Row 14: Rep row 3. (28 sc)

Row 15: Sl st in each of next 4 sc, sc in each of next 20 sc, leaving rem 4 sc unworked, fasten off first Visor Section. (20 sc)

At the end of 2nd Visor Section, do not fasten off.

Joining

Row 16: With WS of Visor Sections tog and working through

both thicknesses, sc in each of next 20 sc. Fasten off.

Place Visor on paper and trace outline, cut out, tape firmly on plastic jug and cut out Visor pattern.

Insert plastic piece between layers of crocheted Visor Sections.

BAND

Rnd 17: Working through both thicknesses, join with sc in opposite side of foundation ch of row 1, ch 1, sc in each of next 84 sc, working in ends of row on

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When a hat feels like too much in the summer sun, this cool visor is a great choice to shield your face from the hot rays.

Flowered-Up Flip-Flops

Design by Linda Dean

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Approximately 2½ inches wide x 4¼ inches long

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic size 10 crochet cotton (400 yds per ball):
1 ball #1 white
- Size D/3/3.25mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 8mm flat round glass cat's-eye beads: 20
- Flip-flops



GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

To adjust the length of Strip to fit smaller or larger flip-flop, subtract or add 4 stitches.

To work in beads, insert hook into indicated stitches, slip bead down thread and complete stitch.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: (Dc, ch 1] 6 times and dc in indicated st.

V-stitch (V-st): (Dc, ch 1, dc) in indicated st.

Picot: Ch 3, sl st in first ch of ch-3.

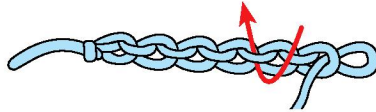
FLOWER STRIPS

Make 4.

FIRST SIDE EDGING

Row 1: Ch 27, working in back

bar of ch (see illustration), dc in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first dc), dc in each rem ch across, turn. (25 dc)



Back Bar of Chain

Row 2: Ch 3 (see Pattern Notes), dc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Rep row 2.

Note: Rep row 2 if needed until Strip will wrap around strap of flip-flop; this fit should be snug.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, [sk next 3 sts, **shell** (see Special Stitches) in next st] 5 times, sk next 3 sts, sc in last st, turn. (5 shells, 2 sc)

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Make a foot fashion statement at the beach by dressing up plain flip-flops with these beaded flower ruffles.

Summer Stripes Beach Towel

Design by Kathleen Stuart

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

30 x 65 inches

MATERIALS

- Lily Sugar'n Cream medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (2½ oz/120 yds/70g per ball; 14 oz/206 yds/400g per cone):
2 balls each #42 tea rose, #1215 robin's egg, #10 yellow and #1742 hot blue
2 cones #2005 soft ecru
- Size 1/16-5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

11 rows = 4 inches; pattern st 4 sets
2 dc with ch 2 between = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of row counts as first half double crochet and chain-2 unless otherwise stated.

At each color change, leave 4-inch length to weave in later, cut yarn. **Do not fasten off** soft ecru, simply carry it along the side of Towel.

COLOR SEQUENCE

2 rows each tea rose, soft ecru, robin's egg, soft ecru, yellow, soft ecru, hot blue, soft ecru.

TOWEL

Row 1: With soft ecru, ch 110 (*multiple of 4 sts + 2*), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (109 sc)

Row 2: Ch 4 (see *Pattern Notes*), sk first 4 sc, 2 dc in next

sc, [ch 2, sk each of next 3 sc, 2 dc in next sc] across, ending with ch 2, sk each of next 3 sc, hdc in last sc, turn. (26 groups 2-dc, 27 ch-2 sps, 2 hdc)

Row 3: Ch 2, [working over ch-2 sp, work 2 dc 1 row below in 2nd sc of sk sc sts, ch 2, sk each of next 2 dc] across, ending with 2 dc 1 row below in 2nd sc of sk sc, hdc in 2nd ch of ch-4, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes*) to tea rose (*this starts color sequence*), turn. (27 groups 2-dc, 26 ch-2 sps, 2 hdc)

Row 4: Ch 4, [sk each of next 2 dc, working over ch-2 sp, work 2 dc between the 2-dc 1 row below, ch 2] across, ending with hdc in top of ch-2, turn.

Row 5: Ch 2, [working over ch-2 sp, 2 dc between the 2-dc 1 row below, ch 2, sk each of next 2 dc] across, ending with 2 dc over ch-2 sp between the 2 dc 1 row below, hdc in 2nd ch of ch-4, turn. Following color sequence, change color.

Rows 6–209: [Rep rows 4 and 5 alternately] 102 times, maintaining color sequence.

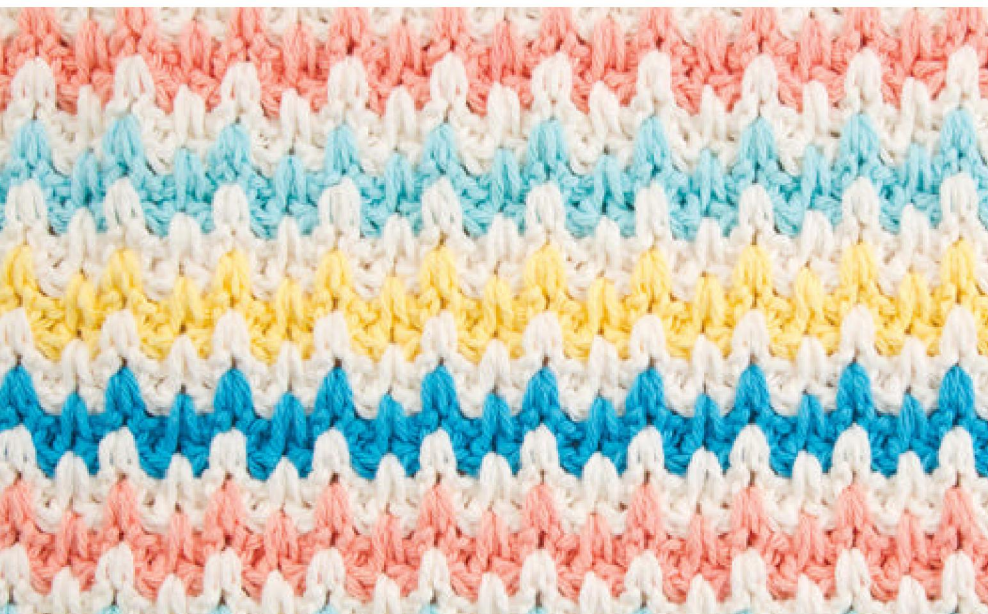
Row 210: Rep row 4.

Row 211: Ch 2, [working over ch-2 sp, work 2 dc between the 2 dc 1 row below, sc in each of next 2 dc] across, ending with sc in 2nd ch of turning ch, do not turn, **do not fasten off**.

Weave in ends of each row.

BORDER

Rnd 1: Ch 1, working around outer edge, sc in end of each row down side edge, sc in each ch on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in end of each row up opposite edge, sc in each st across row 211, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc. Fasten off. **CW**



Double crochets worked in an overlay pattern in soft cotton yarn make this beach towel plush yet lightweight.



Tropical Breeze Cover-Up

Design by Patsy Harbor

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit 32–34-inch bust (*small*); changes for 36–38-inch bust (*medium*), 40–42-inch bust (*large*), 44–46-inch bust (*X-large*), 48–50-inch bust (*2X-large*) and 52–54-inch bust (*3X-large*) are in [].

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 38 inches (*small*) [42 inches (*medium*), 46 inches (*large*), 50 inches (*X-large*), 54 inches (*2X-large*) and 58 inches (*3X-large*)]

MATERIALS

- Tahki Yarns Cotton Classic light (dk) weight cotton yarn (1¾ oz/108 yds/50g per hank):
13 [13, 14, 15, 17, 18] hank(s)
#3814 light teal
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 6mm round glass beads: 72 [80, 88, 96, 96, 112]
- 4mm glass beads: 36 [40, 44, 48, 48, 56]
- Long needle to string beads
- Sewing thread to match yarn color
- Stitch markers



GAUGE

19 sc = 4 inches; 11 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Cover-Up is crocheted vertically; after seaming shoulders and side seams, Hem is crocheted in rounds.

Use stitch marker to mark rows and move stitch marker as indicated in rows.

Beads are added after Hem is completed.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet and chain-1 unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Foundation single crochet (foundation sc):

Ch 2, insert hook in 2nd ch from hook, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 1 lp on hook (*base ch completed*), yo, draw through 2 lps on hook (*sc completed*).

Next foundation sc: *Insert hook in base ch just completed, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 1 lp on hook (*base ch completed*), yo, draw through 2 lps on hook (*sc completed*), rep from * until desired number of sts have been completed.

Beginning double crochet (beg dc):

Ch 3, insert hook in 2nd ch from hook, draw up a lp, insert hook in first st, draw up a lp (*3 lps on hook*), [yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice.

Decorative seaming: Hold work with WS tog, *insert hook in **back lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of piece in front and in front lp of piece in back, yo, draw lp through sts and lp on hook, rep from * in each st across. Fasten off.

COVER-UP

FRONT/BACK

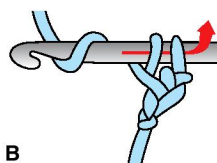
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First Sleeve

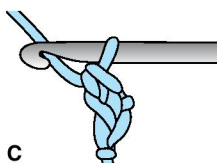
Row 1 (WS): Foundation sc (see *Special Stitches*), **next**



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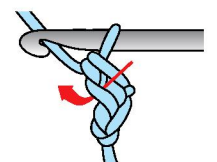


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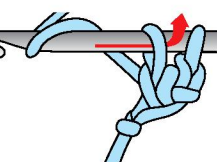


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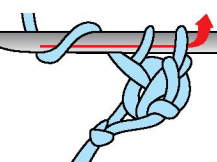
First Foundation Single Crochet



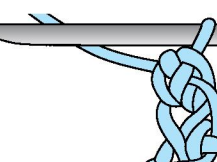
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C



D

Next Foundation Single Crochet

foundation sc (see *Special Stitches*) 34 [36, 38, 40, 44, 46] sts, turn. (35 [37, 39, 41, 45, 47] sc)

Row 2: Beg dc (see *Special Stitches*), [ch 1, sk next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

You can wear this stylish swimsuit cover straight from the beach to the bistro by adding capris or a skirt.

Sized
to
3X

Row 3: Rep row 2.

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

Rows 5–19 [5–19, 5–19, 5–19, 5–22, 5–22]: [Rep rows 2–4 consecutively] 5 [5, 5, 5, 6, 6] times, at the end of last rep, do not turn, place st marker in last st made, work foundation sc, work next foundation sc 77 [77, 73, 73, 73, 73] times, turn. (113 [115, 113, 115, 119, 121] sts)

Body

Row 1 (RS): Beg dc, [ch 1, sk next st, dc in next st] across moving st marker to current row, turn.

Row 2: Rep row 1.

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

Row 4: Beg dc, [ch 1, sk next st, dc in next st] across to st marker, ch 1, [sk next st, dc in each of next 3 sts, tr in sk st in back of 3 dc just completed] across to last st, dc in last st, turn.

Row 5: Beg dc, ch 1, sk next st, [dc in each of next 3 sts, tr in sk st in front of 3 dc just completed] across to st marker, dc in next st, [ch 1, sk next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 7–54 [7–54, 7–60, 7–66, 7–72, 7–78]: [Rep rows 1–6 consecutively] 7 [8, 9, 10, 11, 12] times.

Rows 55–57 [55–57, 61–63, 67–69, 73–75, 79–81]: Rep rows 1–3. At the end of last rep, **do not fasten off.**

2nd Sleeve

Note: The last sc row of Body is the first row of 2nd Sleeve.

Row 2: Beg dc, [ch 1, sk next

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Sea & Sand Necklace

Design by Andee Graves

1 2 3 4 5 6 CONFIDENT BEGINNER

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

1 inch wide at deepest point x
18 inches long

MATERIALS

- Patons Silk Bamboo light (light worsted) weight viscose from bamboo/silk yarn (2½ oz/102 yds/65g per ball):
1 ball #85008 ivory
- Size 7/4.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Tapestry needle
- 6/0 Czech glass E beads: 71 aqua blue color mix
- ½-inch matching shank button



GAUGE

5 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Bead single crochet (bead sc):

Insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up lp, slide bead close to hook, yo, draw through both lps on hook.

Bead chain stitch (bead ch):

Slide bead close to hook, yo, draw through lp on hook. Bead will be seated on back bar of ch.

NECKLACE

Row 1 (RS): Thread 48 beads on yarn, leaving a 5-inch length

at beg, ch 92, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 14 chs, [bead sc (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch, sc in each of next 3 chs] 15 times, bead sc in next ch, sc in each of next 15 chs, turn. (16 bead sc, 75 sc)

Row 2: Sl st in each of next 2 sts, [ch 1, bead ch (see *Special Stitches*), ch 1, sk each of next 3 sts, sl st in next st] 4 times, ch 2, bead ch, ch 2, sk each of next 3 sts, sl st in next st, [ch 2, {bead ch, ch 1} twice, ch 2, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st] twice, [{ch 1, bead ch} 5 times, ch 1, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st] twice, [ch 2, {bead ch, ch 1} twice, ch 2, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st] twice, ch 2, bead ch, ch 2, sk each of next 3 sts, sl st in next st, [ch 1, bead ch, ch 1, sk each of next 3 sts, sl st in next st] 4 times, sl st in each of next 2 sts, ch 6, sl st in bottom of row 1. Fasten off.

Row 3: Thread 23 beads on yarn, working in top of row 1 sts, with WS facing and working behind lps of row 2, join (see *Pattern Notes*) yarn in 26th st from end, ch 2, [bead ch, ch 1] twice, bead ch, ch 2, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st, ch 3, [bead ch, ch 1] twice, bead ch, ch 3, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st, [ch 1, bead ch] 3 times, ch 12, slide 5 beads close to hook, yo, draw through lp on hook, [ch 1, bead ch] 3 times, ch 1, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st, ch 3, [bead ch, ch 1] twice, bead ch, ch 3, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st, ch 2, [bead ch, ch 1] twice, bead ch, ch 2, sk each of next 7 sts, sl st in next st. Fasten off.

FINISHING

With rem beg length, sew button to end of row 1. **cw**



*Silky sand-color yarn
accented with ocean
blue beads creates
an elegant necklace
that's perfect for a
tropical vacation.*



Car Care Set

Designs by Karen McKenna

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Mitt: 6½ inches wide x 10 inches long, plus 2½-inch cuff

Polishing Cloth: 10 inches square

MATERIALS

- 1 lb/500g of Car Wash medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (2½ oz/120 yds/20g per ball): 4 balls #01116 blue jeans
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

3 sc = 2 inches; 8 sc rows = 2 inches
[cl, 2 hdc] twice = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-2 at beginning of round counts as first half double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Cluster (cl): [Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp] 4 times, yo, draw through all 9 lps on hook.

MITT

CUFF

Row 1: Ch 11, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (10 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, working in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*), sc in each st across, turn. (10 sc)

Rows 3–31: Rep row 2.

Row 32: Holding row 31 to

opposite side of foundation ch and working through both thicknesses, sl st in each st across, **do not fasten off**.

BODY

Rnd 1: Working in ends of Cuff rows, ch 1, sc in each of next 32 rows, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc. (32 sc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, join in first sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each of next 15 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 15 sc, join in beg sc. (34 sc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc

in each of next 16 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 16 sc, join in beg sc. (36 sc)

Rnd 5: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), hdc in next st, **cl** (see *Special Stitch*) in next st, [hdc in each of next 2 sts, cl in next st] 11 times, join in beg ch-2. (12 cls, 24 hdc)

Rnd 6: Ch 2, cl in next st, [hdc in each of next 2 sts, cl in next st] 11 times, hdc in last st, join in beg ch-2. (12 cls, 24 hdc)

Rnds 7–24: [Rep rnds 5 and 6 alternately] 9 times. At the end of rnd 24, leaving 24-inch length, fasten off.

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1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Makeup Pouch: 4½ x 6 inches

Eyeglasses Pouch: 3¼ x 6 inches

Coin Pouch: 3¾ x 3¼ inches

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic size 10 crochet cotton (350 yds per ball):
1 ball each #450 aqua, #775 coral and #424 peach
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

Size 7 steel hook: 9 dc = 1 inch;
2 dc rnds = ½ inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Long double crochet (ldc):

Yo, insert hook in indicated st, [yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice.

MAKEUP POUCH

Rnd 1 (RS): With size 7 hook and aqua, ch 45, 4 dc in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first dc), dc in each of next 40 chs, 5 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in each of next 40 chs, **join** (see Pattern Notes) in first ch. (90 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (see Pattern Notes), dc in next dc, ch 1, sk next dc, [dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 1, sk next dc] around, ending with dc in next 2 dc, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off. (72 dc, 18 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 3: Join coral with sc in beg ch-3 of previous rnd, sc in next dc, working over ch-1 sp, **ldc** (see Special Stitch) in sk st 2 rnds

below, [sc in each of next 4 dc, working over ch-1 sp directly below, ldc in sk st 2 rnds below] around, ending with sc in each of next 2 dc, join in beg sc. (72 sc, 18 ldc)

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in next sc, ch 1, sk next ldc, [dc in each of next 4 sc, ch 1, sk next ldc] around, ending with dc in each of last 2 sc, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join peach with sc in beg ch-3 of previous rnd, sc in next dc, working over ch-1



Whip up these handy little bags for holding eyeglasses, makeup or coins as single gifts or as a nice set.



sp, ldc in ldc directly below, [sc in each of next 4 dc, working over ch-1 sp, ldc in ldc directly below] around, ending with sc in each of next 2 dc, join in beg sc. (72 sc, 18 ldc)

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in next sc, ch 1, sk next ldc, [dc in each of next 4 sc, ch 1, sk next ldc] around, ending with dc in each of last 2 sc, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 7: Join coral with sc in beg ch-3 of previous rnd, sc in next dc, working over ch-1 sp, ldc in ldc directly below, [sc in each of next 4 dc, working over ch-1 sp, ldc in ldc directly below] around, ending with sc in each of next 2 dc, join in beg sc. (72 sc, 18 ldc)

Rnd 8: Ch 3, dc in next sc, ch 1, sk next ldc, [dc in each of next 4 sc, ch 1, sk next ldc] around, ending with dc in each of last 2 sc, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 9: Join aqua with sc in beg ch-3 of previous rnd, sc in next dc, working over ch-1 sp, ldc in ldc directly below, [sc in each of next 4 dc, working over ch-1 sp, ldc in ldc directly below] around, ending with sc in each of next 2 dc, join in beg sc. (72 sc, 18 ldc)

Rnd 10: Ch 3, dc in next sc, ch 1, sk next ldc, [dc in each of next 4 sc, ch 1, sk next ldc] around, ending with dc in each of last 2 sc, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnds 11–42: [Rep rnds 3–10 consecutively] 4 times. At the end of rnd 42, **do not fasten off**.

Rnd 43: Ch 1, **reverse sc** (see *Stitch Guide*), in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

TIE

Row 1: With 1 strand each aqua, coral and peach held tog and size E hook, leaving a 1-inch length at beg, ch 110, leaving 1-inch length, fasten off. Knot rem lengths at each end.

Starting at center front, weave Tie through ch-1 sps of rnd 42, tie ends in a bow at center front.

Block lightly.

EYEGLASSES POUCH

Rnd 1 (RS): With size 7 hook and aqua, ch 30, 4 dc in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first dc), dc in each of next 25 chs, 5 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in each of next 25 chs, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch. (60 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in next dc, ch 1, sk next dc, [dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 1, sk next dc] around, ending with dc in next 2 dc, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off. (48 dc, 12 ch-1 sps)



Rnd 3: Join coral with sc in beg ch-3 of previous rnd, sc in next dc, working over ch-1 sp, **ldc** (see *Special Stitch*) in sk st 2 rnds below, [sc in each of next 4 dc, working over ch-1 sp directly below, ldc in sk st 2 rnds below] around, ending with sc in each of next 2 dc, join in beg sc. (48 sc, 12 ldc)

Rnds 4–43: Rep rnds 4–43.

TIE

Row 1: With 1 strand each aqua, coral and peach held tog and size E hook, leaving a 1-inch length at beg, ch 80, leaving 1-inch length, fasten off. Knot rem lengths at each end.

Starting at center front, weave Tie through ch-1 sps of rnd 42, tie ends in a bow at center front.

Block lightly.



COIN PURSE

Rnds 1–18: Rep rnds 1–18 of Eyeglasses Pouch.

Rnd 19: Ch 1, reverse sc, in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

TIE

Row 1: With 1 strand each aqua, coral and peach held tog and size E hook, leaving a 1-inch length at beg, ch 80, leaving 1-inch length, fasten off. Knot rem lengths at each end.

Starting at center front, weave Tie through ch-1 sps of rnd 42, tie ends in a bow at center front.

Block lightly. **CW**

Sea Glass Necklace

Design by Kristen Stoltzfus

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chain: 33 inches long

Pendant: 2½ inches long
(diamond shape)

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic size 10 crochet cotton (350 yds per ball):
1 ball #856 peacock
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook; or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Beading needle
- Needle threader
- 28 small blue-green chip stone beads
- Medium toggle clasp
- ¾-inch jump ring
- 7/8-inch decorative button
- Needle-nose pliers
- Binning board
- Straight pins



GAUGE

Pendant = 1½ inches square

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Bead chain (bead ch): Slide bead up next to hook, ch 1 over bead.

Half double crochet popcorn (hdc pc): 4 hdc in indicated st, draw up a lp, remove hook, insert hook in first hdc of 4-hdc group, pick up dropped lp and tightly draw through st on hook.

Bead triple treble crochet (bead trtr):

Yo hook 4 times, insert hook in ch-6 ring of rnd 1, yo, draw up lp, [yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] 4 times, slide bead close to hook, yo, draw through rem 2 lps on hook.

NECKLACE

CHAIN

Getting started: Using beading needle, thread all beads on crochet cotton.

Leaving a 2-inch length at beg, ch 1 tightly, draw up lp, remove hook, insert needle threader through half of toggle clasp, thread lp through needle threader, draw back through so that lp is on 1 side of clasp and knot remainder on the other side, with hook, pick up dropped lp and draw lp tightly, ch 1 to secure clasp.

Row 1: Ch 7, [bead ch (see *Special Stitches*), ch 7] 24 times (4 beads rem on crochet cotton), draw up last ch and with needle threader, draw lp through other half of toggle clasp, ch 1, fasten off and weave in ends.

PENDANT

Rnd 1: Leaving 10-inch length at beg, ch 6, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 8 sc in ring, join in first sc. (8 sc)

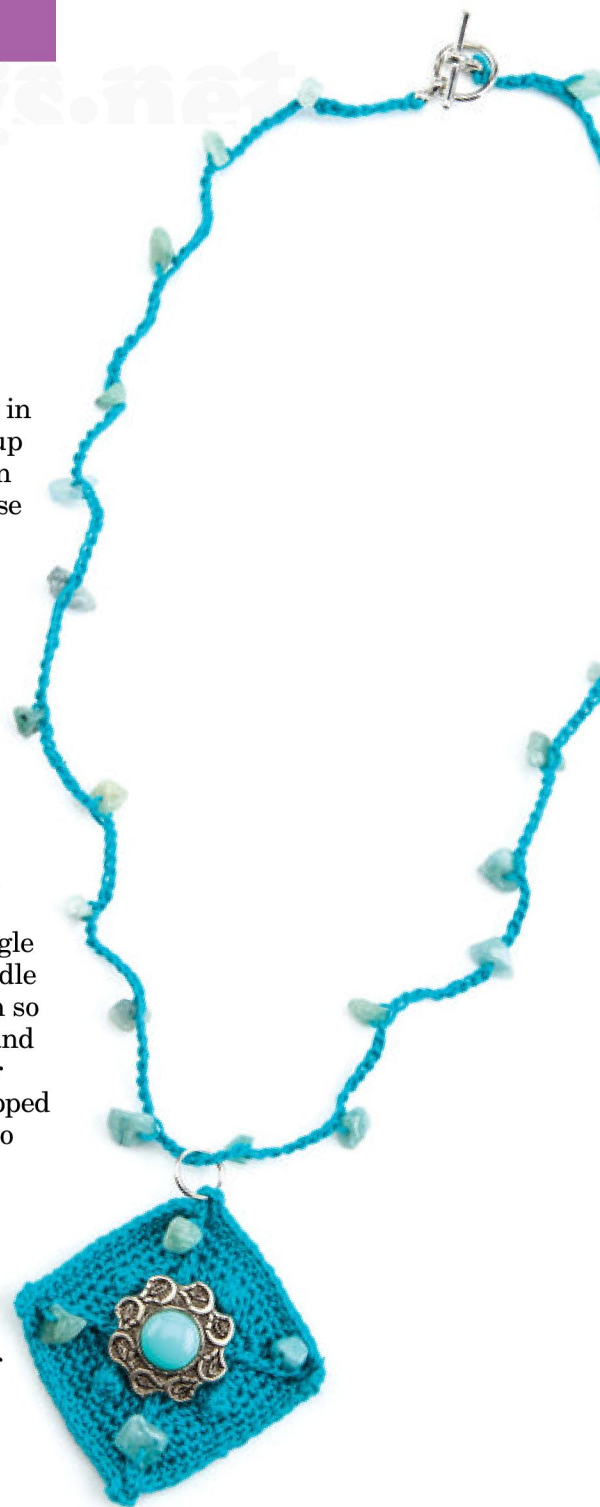
Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 3 sc in next sc, [sc in next sc, 3 sc in next sc] around, join in first sc. (16 sc)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc

in next sc, 3 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 3 sc, 3 sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in next sc, join in first sc. (24 sc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, 3 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 5 sc, 3 sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in next sc, join in first sc. (32 sc)

Rnd 5: Ch 2 (does not count as



first hdc), **hdc pc** (see *Special Stitches*) in same st, *hdc in each of next 3 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts**, hdc pc in next st, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in first sc. (36 sc, 4 pc)

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 4 sts, 3 sc in next st, [sc in each of next 9 sts, 3 sc in next st] around, ending with sc in next 4 sts, join. (48 sc)

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 5 sts, 3 sc in next st, [sc in each of next 11 sts, 3 sc in next st] around, ending with sc in each of next 5 sts, join. (56 sc)

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in each of next 6 sts, (sc, **bead trtr**—see *Special Stitches*, sc) in next st, [sc in next 13 sts, (sc, bead trtr, sc) in next st] around, ending with sc in each of next 6 sts, join. (60 sc, 4 trtr)

Rnd 9: [Sl st in each st to corner bead trtr, (sc, ch 2, sc) in trtr] around, ending with sl st in rem sts, join in first sl st. Fasten off.

Thread rem beg length on needle and sew button in center of Pendant. With needle-nose pliers, open jump ring and insert through any corner ch-2 sp and over center of Necklace Chain, close jump ring with needle-nose pliers.

Mist Pendant with water and pin to pinning board; let dry. 

Triple trebles and mini popcorns add delightful texture to a plain pendant. Beads and a pretty button add an artistic finished look.



Moonlight Bay Bangle

Design by Kristen Stolzhus

1 2 3 4 5 6 CONFIDENT BEGINNER

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

2 3/4 inches in diameter, excluding beads

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Bamboo Crochet size 10 viscose from bamboo thread (300 yds per ball): 1 ball #810 still pool
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Beading needle
- 3mm round white pearl beads: 39
- 2 3/4-inch-diameter thin bangle bracelet



GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.



Here's a fun way to repurpose narrow bangle bracelets. This is an ideal project for learning bead crochet!

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Bead chain (bead ch): Slide next bead against hook, work ch st over bead.

BRACELET

BEADS

With beading needle, thread 39 pearl beads on thread

and push along thread until working bead ch.

BANGLE

Rnd 1: Join (see Pattern Notes) thread on bracelet, work with slightly loose tension enough to allow working in sc sts on rnd 2 with ease, ch 1, work 117 sc over bracelet, join in beg sc. (117 sc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, ch 1, bead ch, ch 1, sk next 2 sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, bead ch, ch 1, sk next 2 sc] around, join in first sc. Fasten off. (39 bead chs) **CW**



Fan Scarf

Design by Katherine Eng

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

5 x 51 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Soft Yarn medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (5 oz/141g per ball):
4 oz #4600 white
2-color version: 2 oz each #1688 wine and #883E really red
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge



GAUGE

Rows 1–5 = 3 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Scarf is crocheted from center outward on both sides to establish length. To make 2-color Scarf, work with different color from center outward on each side of center.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in indicated st or sp.

Beginning shell (beg shell): (Ch 3—see Pattern Notes, dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in indicated st or sp.

SCARF

FIRST HALF

Row 1 (WS): Ch 18, working

This quick and easy lace scarf is a perfect year-round accessory, depending on the weight of yarn used.



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Does anyone have a pattern to crochet Smurf twins? I had it in the 1980s, but have misplaced it. They were 10 or 12 inches tall with yellow hair and big white hats. I will pay for expenses. Thank you so much.

Cecilia Page, 1805 Summit Ave., Croydon, PA 19021

The shawl ministry that our church is doing is moving along really well and is such a blessing. Any scrap yarn would be a big help. I am also hoping to meet some crochet and plastic canvas pen pals. I am always looking for new patterns and new crafts to learn. I hope to hear from people who love to write.

Barbara Shelton, 473 Pepper Road, Reidsville, NC 27320

I thank everyone that sent yarn to allow me to finish my shawl. I hope someday I'll be able to help another person who loves to crochet, in the same way your readers helped me. Thank you again.

Janie Aguilar, 506 Center St., Richmond, TX 77469

Does anyone have a pattern for crochet Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls? I would so very much appreciate it. I have

several grandchildren and great-grandchildren to make these for.

Tonya Goodemote, 503 State Route 414, Beaver Dams, NY 14812

Does anyone have a copy of the denim afghan that they would share with me? From reading the magazine I believe it was featured in the April 2009 edition. I didn't start receiving the magazine until 2010 and I love it. Thank you!

Linda Eisenbarth, 8860 66th Ave. N.W., Walker, MN 56484-2216

I am looking for these patterns: Emily Christmas Caroler #395, Queen of Gold #264, Queen of Pearls #245, Queen of Jewels #246, Victoria #408, Samantha #221, Miss Lily #347, Elizabeth #243, Maranda #251, Rachel #220, Bewitching #229, Christening Gown #269 and Colonial period doll outfits. These are patterns for 14½-inch or 15-inch dolls. Thanks for any help.

Glenda Singleton, 8104 Carpenter Road, Millry, AL 36558

I have been crocheting for 68 years and am planning on making one more Sunbonnet Sue quilt and Granny Square.

Does anyone remember these patterns or know where to locate them? I believe it was an intermediate skill level. I am willing to pay for it or share. Thank you in advance.

Geri Mullins, 8443 W. Montecito Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85037

I am looking for a dress pattern that is crocheted on a towel with 4-ply yarn. I enjoy your magazine and can't wait until the new issue comes. If anyone has new items for craft sales, I would be interested. Maybe I have some patterns you could use! Thank you.

Pat Shedal, 12030 Cherney Road, Mishicot, WI 54228

I need a skein of Phentex Chunky, yarn color #40 porcelain. I have started a project and have run out of the yarn. The yarn comes in a 3-oz skein. I will be happy to pay for postage. Thank you.

Dencie Cunningham, P.O. Box 83, Canaan, VT 059903

I have been a subscriber since 1978 and loved the Toni Alderman designs in the late 1980s. There were a series of The First Ladies Dolls published during this time. I hope your readers can help me find patterns for: Hillary Clinton, Barbara Bush, Laura Bush and Michelle Obama's dresses. I will gladly pay for them. Any information will be appreciated.

Patricia King, 3375 Erdley Church Road, Middleburg, PA 17842

I am looking for leftover balls of homespun yarn. Any color and any amount to make Joseph's Coat of Many Colors prayer shawls would be great. Thank you so much.

Linda Ferrari, 9 Carriage Lane, East Granby, CT 06026

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BACK TALK!

Raves from our readers and online followers.

Letters From Our Readers

Thanks Barbara!

I saw the letter from Barbara in the December 2013 issue with the afghan she crocheted for her granddaughter (Waves of Color Afghan, June 2013 issue). It inspired me to send you this version, with colors picked by my daughter and myself. Thank you for the inspiration! She loves it!

—Terry Harris



A Visit From The Tooth Fairy!

Here is my version of your Goony Bird Tooth Fairy Pillow from the October 2013 issue, made with yarn I had on hand. Thank you for a great crochet magazine.

—Cindy Davis,
Las Vegas



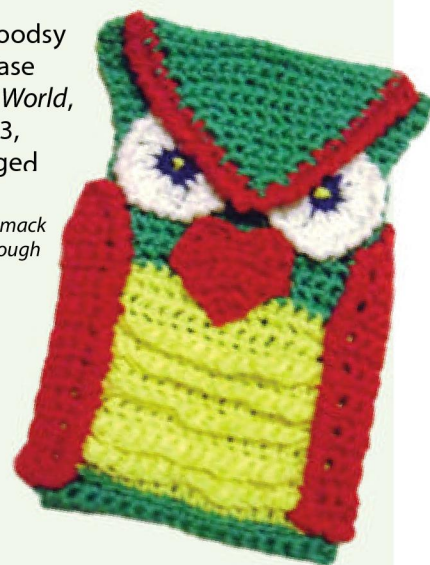
From Our Facebook Fans

I'm so excited, *Crochet World*—you read my thoughts and heard my wishes for a pattern for a FOX! (Woodland Fox, February 2013 issue) Thank you. I can hardly wait to make one or two.

—Brenda James

Here is my Woodsy Owl Phone Case from *Crochet World*, February 2013, which I changed a little bit.

—Barb Caramack
Turnbough



Thank you, *Crochet World* magazine, for all the inspiration!

—Marinela Miculescu

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PRODUCT REVIEW



Lemonade Stand Throw

Design by Shannon Mullett-Bowlsby for Shibaguyz Designz

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

40 x 50 inches

MATERIALS

- SMC Catania fine (sport) weight cotton yarn (1¾ oz/137 yds/50g per ball):
10 balls #88188 mimosa
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

Rnds 1–5 of Motif = 5 x 5 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

New Motif is joined to previous Motifs as work progresses.

Refer to Assembly Diagram for placement of Motifs. Working Motif is joined to the adjacent Motif(s) when working round 5. Hold the Motifs with right sides facing and matching stitches.

Single crochet, chain-2 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated. Use this stitch whenever the first stitch of round is a double crochet.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Follow Assembly Diagram for Motif placement.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Adjustable ring: Wrap yarn in ring around index finger, ending yarn tail behind working yarn. Remove from finger and grip the ring and tail firmly between middle finger and thumb. Insert hook through center of ring,

with working yarn, yo, draw up lp, work sts of first rnd in ring. After the first rnd of sts has been completed, pull gently, but firmly, on yarn tail to close ring.

Puff stitch (puff st): [Yo, insert hook in indicated st or sp, yo, draw up a lp] 4 times in same st or sp (9 lps on hook), yo, draw through all lps on hook, ch 1 to lock.

Duplicate stitch (duplicate st): Work last st of rnd, leaving 6-inch length, cut yarn. Draw last lp of st still on hook all the way through until tail passes through st, sk next st. With yarn needle, run end of tail under both lps of next st, pull yarn through. Insert needle back through where tail originally came from (*last st made*) and behind work, snug yarn to cover sk st with duplicate st just made. Weave in rem length.

Set up corner: [Puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] twice, ch 10, sl st in top of puff st just made, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st.

Regular corner: [Puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 3 times, puff st in top of next puff st] 4 times.

First joining corner: [Puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 2 times, ch 5, insert hook in corresponding ch lp, ch 1 around lp, ch 5, sl st in top of puff st just made, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st.

Joining double crochet (joining dc): Insert hook in

corresponding dc of adjacent Motif, yo, insert hook in st to be worked, yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 2 lps, yo, draw through all lps on hook.

Next joining corner: [Puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] twice, ch 5, insert hook in corresponding ch lp, ch 1 in ch-1 of first join, ch 5, sl st in top of puff st just made, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st.

MOTIF

Base Motif

Rnd 1: Make an **adjustable ring** (see *Special Stitches*), **sc**, **ch 2** (see *Pattern Notes*), ch 1, (dc, ch 1) 7 times in adjustable ring, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first dc. (8 dc, 8 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, (**puff st**—see *Special Stitches*, ch 1, puff st) in next ch-1 sp] 4 times, join. (8 dc, 8 puff sts)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, [dc in next st, dc in sp between st just worked and next dc, dc in next st, puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, puff st in top of next puff st] 4 times, join in first dc. (12 dc, 12 puff sts)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, *dc in next st, 2 dc in next st, dc in next st, puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, [cl in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] twice, puff st in top of next puff st, rep from * 3 more times, join in first dc. (16 dc, 16 puff sts)

Rnd 5: Ch 1, *dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in sp between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, [puff st in top of next puff st, ch 1, puff st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 3 times, puff st in top of next puff st, rep from * 3 more times, join with **duplicate st** (see *Special Stitches*). Fasten off.



***The round, lemony yellow motifs
in this pretty throw bring to mind
a refreshing summer treat!***

THROW

FIRST MOTIF

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in sp between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work **set up corner** (see *Special Stitches*), [dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in sp between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work **regular corner** (see *Special Stitches*)] 3 times, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIF 2

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work set up corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of

next 2 sts, work **first joining corner** (see *Special Stitches*), work **joining dc** (see *Special Stitches*) in each of next 5 sts, work regular corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIFS 3–7

Rnds 1–5: Rep Motif 2.

MOTIF 8

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work first joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, [work regular corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts] twice, work regular corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIF 9

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work set up corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work **next joining corner** (see *Special Stitches*), work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work regular corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIF 10

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work set up corner, dc in



each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, [work next joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts] twice, work first joining corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIFS 11–15

Rnds 1–5: Rep Motif 10.

MOTIF 16

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, [dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner] twice, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work next joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work next joining corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIF 17

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, [dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner] twice, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work next joining corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work set up corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIFS 18–23

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work set up corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work first joining corner, [work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work next joining corner] twice, work next joining corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIF 24

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work first joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work next joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work regular corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIFS 25–72

[Rep Motifs 9–24 consecutively] 3 times.

MOTIF 73

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, [dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner] twice, dc in each of next 2 sts,

dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work next joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts, work regular corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIF 74

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Base Motif.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, work regular corner, dc in each of next 2 sts, dc between last st worked and next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, [work next joining corner, work joining dc in each of next 5 sts] twice, work regular corner, join with duplicate st. Fasten off.

MOTIFS 75–79

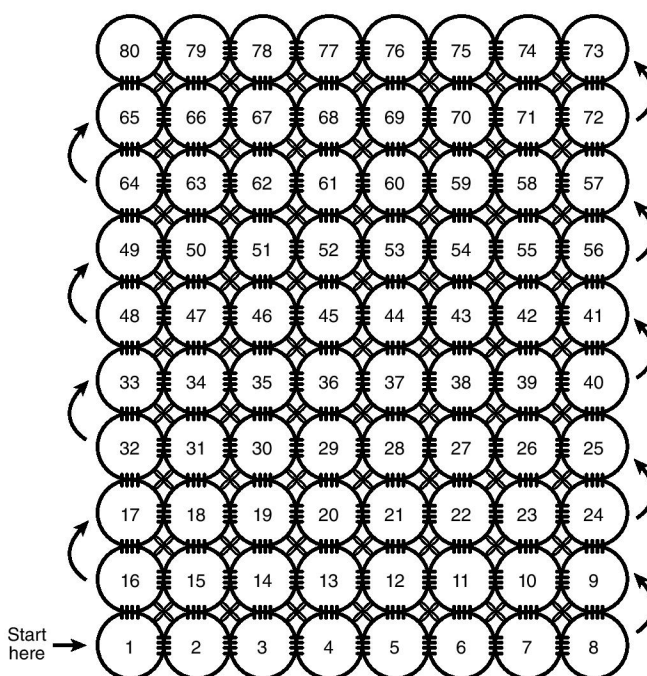
Rep Motif 74.

MOTIF 80

Rep Motif 73.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends. **CW**



Lemonade Stand Throw
Assembly Diagram

Into the Jungle, Part 2

Designs by Cindy Cseh

1 2 3 4 5 6 **CONFIDENT
BEGINNER**

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Elephant: 9-inch Body, 14 inches long

Lion: 8-inch Body, 13 inches long

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein*):
1 oz each #111 gray heather and #321 gold
3 oz #365 coffee
1 oz #311 light gray
4 yds #312 black
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker
- Fiberfill



*Available at AnniesCatalog.com

GAUGE

3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rnds = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Do not join rounds unless otherwise indicated.

Use stitch marker to mark rounds, moving marker as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

ELEPHANT

BODY RING

Rnd 1: With gray heather, ch 42, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, sc in each ch around. (42 sc)

Rnd 2: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (48 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (54 sc)

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (60 sc)

Rnd 5: [Sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (66 sc)

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (72 sc)

Rnd 7: [Sc in each of next 11 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (78 sc)

Rnds 8: [Sc in each of next 12 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (84 sc)

Rnds 9–11: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 12: [Sc in each of next

12 sc, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] 6 times. (78 sc)

Rnd 13: [Sc in each of next 11 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (72 sc)

Rnd 14: [Sc in each of next 10 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (66 sc)

Rnd 15: [Sc in each of next 9 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (60 sc)

Rnd 16: [Sc in each of next 8 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (54 sc)

Rnd 17: [Sc in each of next 7 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (48 sc)

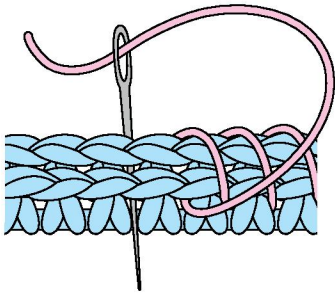
Rnd 18: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times,

Meet the next two adorable animals in our darling jungle-tree set—the elephant and lion!



leaving 18-inch length of yarn, fasten off. (42 sc)

Matching sts of rnd 18 to opposite side of foundation ch, **whipstitch** (see illustration) tog, stuffing firmly with fiberfill as work progresses.



Whipstitch Edges

HEAD

Rnd 1: With gray heather, ch 3, join in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around, **place marker** (see Pattern Notes). (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: Rep rnd 2. (24 sc)

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (30 sc)

Rnd 5: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (36 sc)

Rnds 6–11: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 12: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (30 sc)

Rnd 13: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off. (24 sc)

Stuff Head with fiberfill and sew to Body.

LEG

Make 4.

Rnd 1: With light gray, ch 3, join in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around, place marker. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: Rep rnd 2. Fasten off. (24 sc)

Rnd 4: Working in **back lp** (see

Stitch Guide), join gray heather, sc in each st around.

Rnds 5–9: Sc in each sc around. At the end of rnd 9, leaving length of yarn, fasten off.

Stuff Legs with fiberfill and sew to Body as indicated in Assembly Diagram.

TRUNK

Rnd 1: With gray heather, ch 3, join in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 3 times. (9 sc)

Rnd 3: Working in back lp of sts, sc in each st around.

Rnd 4: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 5: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 6: Sc in each sc around, inc 3 sc evenly sp around. (12 sc)

Rnd 7: Rep rnd 4.

Rnds 8–11: Rep rnd 6. At the end of rnd 11, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off. (24 sc)

Stuff Trunk and sew to front of Head.



EARS

Inner Ear

Make 2.

Row 1: With light gray, ch 2, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, turn. (2 sc)

Rows 2–5: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each rem sc across, turn. (6 sc)

Rows 6–12: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, turn. (4 sc)

Row 14: Ch 1, [sc dec in next 2 sc] twice. Fasten off. (2 sc)

Ear Back

Make 2.

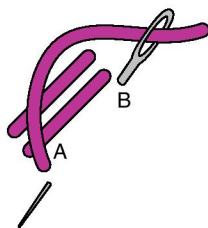
Rows 1–13: With gray heather, rep rows 1–14 of Inner Ear. (4 sc)

Row 14: Rep row 14 of Inner Ear, **do not fasten off**. (2 sc)

Rnd 15: Now working in rnds, holding WS of Inner Ear and Ear Back tog and working through both thicknesses with Inner Ear facing, ch 1, sc around outer edge of Ear, join in beg sc, leaving 6-inch length, fasten off. With Inner Ear facing front of Head, sew Ears to each side of Head.

EYES

Thread tapestry needle with black and embroider Eyes just above Trunk, working 5–6 vertical **straight stitches** (see illustration) for each Eye.

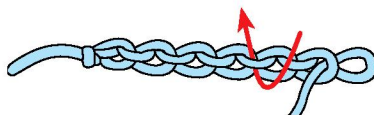


Straight Stitch

TAIL

With gray heather, leaving 4-inch length at beg, ch 9,

working in **back bar of ch** (see illustration), sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each rem ch across, leaving 4-inch length, fasten off. With rem length, attach Tail to Body as indicated in Assembly Diagram.



Back Bar of Chain

Tail Ends

Cut 4 lengths of gray heather each 3 inches long, fold strands in half, insert hook in end of Tail, draw strands through at fold to form a lp on hook, draw cut ends through lp on hook, pull to secure. Trim ends as desired.

LION

BODY

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 36, **join** (see Pattern Notes) in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, sc in each ch around. (36 sc)

Rnd 2: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (42 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (48 sc)

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (54 sc)

Rnd 5: [Sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (60 sc)

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (66 sc)

Rnd 7: [Sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (72 sc)

Rnd 8: [Sc in each of next 11 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (78 sc)

Rnd 9: Sc in each sc around, inc 3 sc evenly sp around. (81 sc)

Rnd 10: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 11: Sc in each sc around, dec 3 sc evenly sp around. (78 sc)

Rnd 12: [Sc in each of next 11

sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (72 sc)

Rnd 13: [Sc in each of next 10 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (66 sc)

Rnd 14: [Sc in each of next 9 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (60 sc)

Rnd 15: [Sc in each of next 8 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (54 sc)

Rnd 16: [Sc in each of next 7 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (48 sc)

Rnd 17: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times. (42 sc)

Rnd 18: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times, leaving 18-inch length of yarn, fasten off. (36 sc)

Matching sts of rnd 18 to opposite side of foundation ch, **whip-stitch edges** (see illustration on page 45) tog, stuffing firmly with fiberfill as work progresses.

HEAD

Rnds 1–13: With gold, rep rnds 1–13 of Elephant Head. (24 sc)

Stuff Head with fiberfill and sew to Body.

LEGS

Make 4.

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 3, join in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around, place marker. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: Sc in each sc around, inc 3 sc evenly sp around. (15 sc)

Rnds 4–7: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 8: Sc in each sc around, dec 3 sc evenly sp around. (12 sc)

Rnd 9: Rep rnd 3, sl st in next sc, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off. (15 sc)

Stuff Legs with fiberfill and sew to Body as indicated in Assembly Diagram.

TOES

Thread tapestry needle with black, work 3 straight stitches across end of each foot.

EARS

Inner Ear

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 3, sl st in first ch, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around. Fasten off. (6 sc)

Ear Back

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 3, sl st in first ch, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around, **do not fasten off.** (6 sc)

Rnd 2: Place WS of Inner Ear and Ear Back tog and working through both thicknesses, work 2 sc in each sc around, join in first sc, leaving 6-inch length, fasten off.

Sew Ears to center top of Head 1 inch apart.

CHEEKS

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 3, join in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch around, place marker. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (18 sc)

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: Sc in each sc around. At the end of rnd 5, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Stuff Cheeks with fiberfill and sew to lower half of front of Head with Cheeks touching at center.

Cheek Spots

Thread tapestry needle with black, work 4–5 short straight stitches sporadically on each Cheek.



EYES

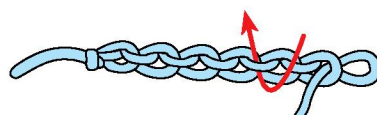
Thread tapestry needle with black and embroider Eyes with $\frac{3}{4}$ inch between just above Cheeks working 5–6 vertical straight stitches for each Eye.

NOSE

Thread tapestry needle with black and embroider Nose center front between Cheeks with straight stitches.

TAIL

With gold, leaving 4-inch length at beg, ch 12, working in **back bar of ch** (see illustration), sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each st across, leaving 4-inch length, fasten off. With rem and ending lengths, attach Tail to Body as indicated in Assembly Diagram.



Back Bar of Chain

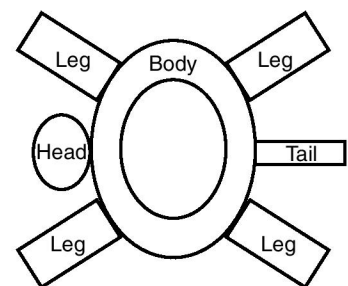
Tail Ends

Cut 4 strands of coffee each 4 inches long. Fold strands in

half, insert hook in tip of Tail, draw strands through at fold to form lp on hook, draw cut ends through lp on hook. Pull ends to secure.

MANE

Cut several strands of coffee each 4 inches long, [holding 3 strands tog, fold in half, insert hook in st, draw strands through at fold to form a lp on hook, draw cut ends through lp on hook, pull ends to secure] rep, adding strands around entire Head in front of Ears and again around Head behind Ears to desired thickness. **cw**



Into the Jungle
Assembly Diagram

Butterfly Days Baby Set

Designs by Andee Graves for Red Heart

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Sweater: Instructions given fit size 0–3 months; changes for 3–6 months, 6–12 months and size 2 are in [].

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 16 inches (0–3 months) [17 inches (3–6 months), 18 inches (6–12 months) and 21 inches (size 2)]

Blanket: 30 x 40 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Baby Sheen fine (baby) weight acrylic yarn (multi: 3 oz/307 yds/ 85g; solid: 3½ oz/307 yds/ 100g per skein):
 - Blanket:** 2 skeins #830 baby multi
 - 1½ oz #0001 white
 - Sweater:** 1 [1, 1, 1, 2] skein(s) #930 baby multi
 - 1½ oz #0001 white
- Sizes H/8/5mm and J/10/6mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers
- 18mm lavender blanket button: 4 [4, 5, 5]

GAUGE

Size H hook: 15 sts = 4 inches; 15 rows = 4 inches

Size J hook: 3 sts = 1 inch; 3 rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Back of Sweater is crocheted from shoulders down to underarms, then Fronts are crocheted from shoulders down to under-

arms, and then the Body is crocheted from underarms, working Fronts and Back at the same time.

BLANKET

Foundation row: Starting at center of Blanket with baby multi and size H hook, ch 41, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (40 sc)

Rnd 1: Now working in rnds, ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across to end, ch 1, turn 90 degrees, (sc, dc) in end of foundation row, ch 1, turn 90 degrees, working in opposite side of foundation ch, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across to end, ch 1, turn 90 degrees, (sc, dc) in end of foundation row, ch 1, turn 90 degrees, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc, turn. (84 sts, 4 ch-1 sps)

Note: Place st marker in each of the 4 ch-1 sps of rnd 1 of corners and move as rnds progress. If desired, place another st marker to mark beg of rnd.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, *(sc, ch 1, dc) in marked ch-1 sp, [sc in next dc, dc in next sc] across to next marked ch-1 sp, rep from * around, join, turn. (92 sts, 4 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, *[sc in each dc, dc in each sc] across to next marked ch-1 sp, (dc, ch 1, sc) in marked ch-1 sp, rep from * around, join. (100 sts, 4 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, *[sc in each dc, dc in each sc] across to next marked ch-1 sp, (sc, ch 1, dc) in ch-1 sp, rep from * around, join. (108 sts, 4 ch-1 sps)



Rnds 5–54: [Rep rnds 3 and 4 alternately] 25 times.

Rnd 55: Rep rnd 3. Fasten off. (516 sts, 4 ch-1 sps)

BORDER

Rnd 56: With size H hook, join white in any dc along side edge, rep rnd 3.

Rnd 57: Rep rnd 4. Fasten off.

SWEATER

BACK

Row 1: Beg at top shoulders with size J hook and baby multi, ch 27 [29, 29, 37] sc in 2nd ch from hook, [dc in next ch, sc in next ch] 12 [13, 13, 17] times, dc in last ch, turn. (26 [28, 28, 36] sts)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Rows 3–5 [3–6, 3–7, 3–8]: Rep row 2.

Row 6 [7, 8, 9]: Ch 1, sc in first st, *dc in next st, sc in next st*, rep from * to * 3 times, (dc, sc, dc) in next st, sc in next st, rep from * to * 2 [3, 3, 7] times, (dc, sc, dc) in next st, sc in next st, rep from * to * 4 times, dc in next st, turn. (30 [32, 32, 40] sts)

Row 7 [8, 9, 10]: Rep row 2.

Row 8 [9, 10, 11]: Ch 1, sc in first st, (dc, sc, dc) in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] rep across until last 2 sts, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, dc in next st, turn. (34 [36, 36, 44] sts)

Rows 9 & 10 [10 & 11, 11 & 12, 12 & 13]: Rep row 2. At the end of last rep, fasten off.

FRONTS

Note: For sizes 0–3 months and 6–12 months work *Right Front* first. For sizes 3–6 months and size 2, work *Left Front* first. The inc point (3 sts in 1 st) are at neckline edge.

Right Front

Row 1: With RS of Back row 1 facing and working in opposite side of foundation ch, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) baby multi in first st of row, ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] 4 times, turn. (10 sts)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Row 3: Rep row 2.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, (dc, sc, dc) in next st (*place st marker in center sc of 3-st group*), [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn. (12 sts)

Note: Move st marker to center st of 3-st group as work progresses.

Row 5: Rep row 2.

SIZE 0–3 MONTHS ONLY

Rows 6–9: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] rep across until 3 sts rem, dc in next st, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, dc in last st. Fasten off.

SIZE 3–6 MONTHS ONLY

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] rep across until marked st, (sc, dc, sc) in marked st, (*place marker in dc at center of 3-st group*), [dc in next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Rows 7–10: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in

The easy sweater in this set is worked in a simple top-down, seamless construction and uses a larger-size hook to create a light, airy feel.





until marked st, (dc, sc, dc) in marked st, (*place marker in sc at center of 3-st group*), [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Rows 7–10: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] rep across to last 3 sts, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, sc in next st, dc in next st. Fasten off.

SIZE 6–12 MONTHS ONLY

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] rep across until marked st, (dc, sc, dc) in marked st, (*place marker in dc at center of 3-st group*), [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 5. Move st marker.

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Rows 9–11: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] across, **do not fasten off**.

SIZE 2 ONLY

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] across until marked st, (dc, sc, dc) in marked st (*place marker in sc at center of 3-st group*), [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 5, move st marker.

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Row 9: Rep row 2.

Row 10: Rep row 6.

Rows 11 & 12: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] rep across to last 3 sts, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, sc in next st, dc in next st. Fasten off.

next st, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] across, ending with dc in last st, **do not fasten off**.

SIZE 6–12 MONTHS ONLY

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across until marked st, (sc, dc, sc) in marked st, (*place marker in dc at center of 3-st group*), [dc in next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 5. Move st marker.

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Rows 9–11: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] across until 3 sts rem, dc in next st, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, dc in last st. Fasten off.

SIZE 2 ONLY

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across until marked st, (sc, dc, sc) in marked st, (*place marker in dc at center of 3-st group*), [dc in next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 5, move st marker.

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Row 9: Rep row 2.

Row 10: Rep row 6.

Rows 11 & 12: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, (sc, dc, sc) in next st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] across, ending with dc in last st, **do not fasten off**.

Left Front

Row 1: With RS of Back row 1 facing and working in opposite side of foundation ch, **join** (*see Pattern Notes*) baby multi in 10th st from end of row, ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] 4 times, turn. (10 sts)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

Row 3: Rep row 2.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] rep across to last 2 sts, (sc, dc, sc) in next st (*place st marker in center sc of 3-st group*), dc in last st, turn. (12 sts)

Row 5: Rep row 2. Move st marker.

SIZE 0–3 MONTHS ONLY

Rows 6–9: Rep row 2. Remove st marker.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st (sc, dc, sc) in next st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] rep across, ending with dc in last st, **do not fasten off**.

SIZE 3–6 MONTHS ONLY

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dc in next st, sc in next st] rep across

BODY

Row 11 [12, 13, 14]: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] rep across Front, Back and 2nd Front, turn.

Rows 12–20 [13–23, 14–26, 15–29]: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] across, turn. At the end of last rep, fasten off.

SLEEVES

Rnd 1: With RS facing and size J hook, join baby multi in side of row at bottom of armhole opening, ch 1, sc in same st, dc in next st, [sc in next st, dc in next st] until 18, [20, 22, 24] sts are completed evenly sp around armhole opening, join in beg sc, turn. (20 [22, 24, 26] sts)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, dc in next sc, [sc in next dc, dc in next sc] around, join in beg sc, turn.

Rnds 3–17 [3–19, 3–22, 3–25]:

Rep rnd 2. At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Cuff

Rnd 1 (RS): Join white in last rnd of Sleeve, ch 1, sc in first dc, dc in next sc, [sc in next dc, dc in next sc] around, join in beg sc, turn.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, dc in next sc, [sc in next dc, dc in next sc] around, join in first sc. Fasten off.

BOTTOM EDGING

Row 1 (RS): Join white in bottom edge of Body, ch 1, sc in first dc, dc in next sc, [sc in next dc, dc in next sc] across bottom edge, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, dc in next sc, [sc in next dc, dc in next sc] across, turn.

FRONT EDGINGS

Row 1 (WS): Ch 1, working up Front button edge, [sc in next st, dc in next st] up Front edge, around neckline and down Front to bottom edge, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in next st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in each of next 4 sts] 3 [3, 4, 4] times, ch 1, sk next st, sc in each rem st up front, around neckline and down opposite Front, turn.

Place a st marker in 18th [18th, 20th, 20th] st from bottom edge on both edges of each Front.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, dc in next st, *[sc in next st, dc in next st] rep on Front to st marker, 2 sts in marked st, sc in next st, 2 sts in next st, rep from * once, [sc in next st, dc in next st] to bottom edge of Front. Fasten off. **CW**

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Framed Peony Afghan

Design by Linda Dean

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

48 x 60 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein): 5 skeins #505 Aruba 583
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

Motif = 6 inches square

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Motifs are joined 8 wide x 10 long.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Adjustable ring: Wrap yarn around index finger to form a ring, making sure that the tail falls behind working yarn. Holding ring and tail, insert hook through center of ring, yo with working yarn and draw up a lp. Work sts of first rnd in the ring. After the first rnd of sts is worked, pull on beg tail to close ring.

AFGHAN

FIRST MOTIF

Rnd 1: Form **adjustable ring** (see *Special Stitch*), ch 2, tr in

ring, (hdc, tr) 7 times in ring, sl st to top of beg ch-2, tighten ring. (16 sts)

Rnd 2: [Ch 7, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sts] 7 times, ch 7, sc dec over next st and base of beg ch. (8 ch-7 lps)

Rnd 3: Sl st in each of next 3 chs of ch-7 lp, ch 4, tr in ch-7 lp behind working st, ch 7, *tr in next unworked ch-7 lp, tr in ch-7 lp behind working st, ch 2, tr in next unworked ch-7 lp, tr in ch-7 lp behind working st, ch 7*, rep from * to * 2 more times, tr in next ch-7 lp (*lp with first tr worked in rnd*), tr in ch lp behind working st, ch 2, sl st to top of beg ch 4, make sure ch is behind first tr. (4 ch-7 lps, 4 ch-2 lps)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in next tr, *(3 sc, ch 3, 3 sc) in ch-7 sp, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp**, sc in each of next 2 sts, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) beg sc. (48 sc)

Rnd 5: Sl st in next st, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in st behind working st, sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk st, *sk next st, dc in ch-3 sp, dc in sk st, ch 3, dc in next st, dc in ch-3 sp, [sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk st] 5 times, rep from * around, sl st in beg ch-3 make sure ch is behind first dc. Fasten off.

MOTIFS 2-80

Rnds 1-4: Rep rnds 1-4 of First Motif.

Rnd 5: Work the same as First Motif, except when joining to adjacent Motif, remove hook from working lp after work-

ing dc in sk st, insert hook in completed Motif, between set of cross-dc sts, insert in dropped lp and draw through adjacent Motif, completing the sts on the working row. At corners, ch 1, remove hook from working lp, insert in ch-3 corner of adjacent Motif, pick up dropped lp and draw through corner, ch 2 and continue joining process.

Note: When working in corner with 3 completed Motifs, insert hook into both ch-3 corners adjacent to Motif and complete process.

EDGING

Rnd 1: Join to any ch-3 corner of Afghan, ch 3, dc in st behind working st, ch 3, dc in next st, dc in ch-3 sp, *[sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk st] rep until next joined corner of Motif, dc in corner ch, dc in sk st, dc in next corner ch, dc in previous corner ch, dc in next st, dc in nearest corner ch *, rep from * to * across until reaching corner of Afghan, ch 3 in corner and rep process around join in beg ch, make sure ch is behind first dc.

Rnds 2 & 3: Ch 3, dc in st behind working st, *[sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk st] across to corner ch-3, dc in ch sp, dc in sk st, ch 3, dc in next st, dc in corner ch-3 sp, rep from * around, join in beg ch and make sure ch is behind first dc. At the end of rnd 3, fasten off.

Block as needed. **CW**



Lace motifs with peonylike centers and cross-stitch borders are joined as you go to create an enjoyable no-sew afghan.



Patchwork Elephant

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Rnd 10: Join pumpkin with sc in sl st, sc in each sc around.

Rnds 11–17: Sc in each sc around. At the end of rnd 17, sl st in next st, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off.

BACK LEG

Make 2.

Rnds 1–9: With bright yellow, rep Front Leg rnds 1–9. (24 sc)

Rnds 10–17: With honeydew, rep Front Legs, rnds 10–17.

Stuff Front and Back Legs, and sew to Body.

TAIL

Rnd 1: With turqua, ch 13, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each rem ch across. Fasten off.

Cut 6 strands turqua each 6 inches long. [Holding 3 strands tog, fold in half, insert hook in end of Tail, draw strands through at fold to form a lp on hook, draw cut ends through lp on hook, pull tight to secure] rep with rem 3 lengths in same st. Trim ends to 2 inches long. Sew other end of Tail to back Body. **CW**



Tropical Breeze Cover-Up

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st, dc in next st] across to st marker, turn. (35 [37, 39, 41, 45, 47] sts)

Row 3: Beg dc, [ch 1, sk next st, dc in next st] across, turn.

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

Rows 5–19 [5–19, 5–19, 5–19, 5–22, 5–22]: [Rep rows 2–4 of First Sleeve] 5 [5, 5, 5, 6, 6] times. At the end of last rep, **do not fasten off.**



Neckline Trim

Row 1: Ch 1, sc evenly sp in ends of rows across top edge. Fasten off.

For Neckline opening measure center 9 [9½, 9½, 10, 10, 10] inches at center and place st marker at each edge.

ASSEMBLY

Work **decorative seaming** (see *Special Stitches*) to join shoulder seams, leaving neckline opening between st markers.

Working around neckline opening, sl st in back lp of each st around. Fasten off.

For underarm edging with RS facing, join with sc to underarm, sc evenly sp in end of rows. Fasten off. Rep edging on rem 3 underarm sections.

For side and underarm seams, with RS facing and beg at bottom edge, working in decorative seaming, join Front and Back tog up side seams and out to end of Sleeves, do not fasten off. Working around Sleeves, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

HEM

Row 1: With RS facing, join with sc at side seam, sc evenly sp in ends of rows 180 [200, 220, 240, 240, 280] around bottom edge, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) to first sc.



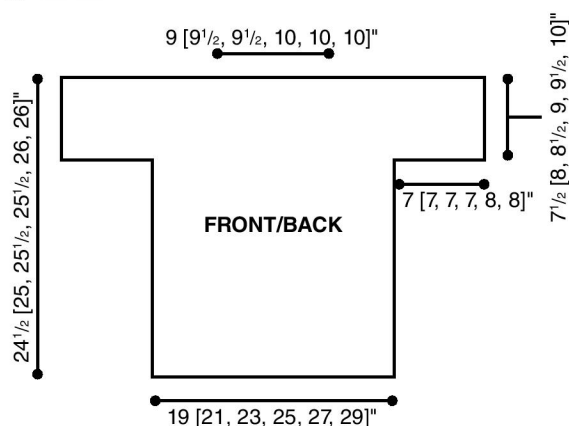
Row 2: Ch 4 (see *Pattern Notes*), sk next 2 sts, [dc, ch 1, sk next st] around, join to 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sk next 3 sts, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next st, sk next 3 sts, [sc in each of next 3 sts, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next st, sk next 3 sts] around to last 2 sts, sc in last 2 sts, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

BEADING

Arrange beads in groups of 4 large 6mm beads and 2 small 4mm beads. Thread needle with

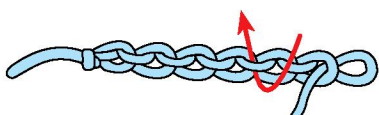
a double strand of sewing thread, thread 1 small bead, 4 large beads, 1 small bead onto thread, place needle around small bead nearest needle, then through rem 5 beads, cut threads, leaving tails of 4 inches, tie threads to ch-2 sp of each cl on Hem. Tie 4 overhand knots, and then snip threads close to knot or weave into Hem sts. **cw**



Fan Scarf

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in **back bar of ch** (see *illustration*), (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first dc), ch 5, sk next 6 chs, (dc, ch 3, dc) in next ch, ch 5, sk next 6 chs, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in last ch, turn.



Back Bar of Chain

Row 2 (RS): Ch 1, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in ch-2 sp of shell, **beg shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in same ch-2 sp, ch 3, 7 dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, shell in next ch-2 sp of shell, turn. (2 shells, 7 dc)

Row 3: Ch 1, join in ch-2 sp of shell, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, ch 2, dc in first dc of 7-dc group, [ch 1, dc in next dc] 6 times, ch 2, shell in ch-2 sp of next shell, turn. (2 shells, 7 dc, 6 ch-1 sps)

Row 4: Ch 1, join in ch-2 sp, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, dc in first dc of 7-dc group, [dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc] 6 times, shell in next ch-2 sp of shell, turn. (2 shells, 13 dc)

Row 5: Ch 1, join in ch-2 sp of shell, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, ch 5, sk next 6 dc of fan, (dc, ch 3, dc) in 7th dc, ch 5, sk next 6 dc of fan, shell in ch-2 sp of shell, turn.

Rows 6–37: [Rep rows 2–5 consecutively] 8 times.

Rows 38–40: [Rep rows 2–4 consecutively] once.

Row 41 (WS): Ch 1, join in ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch-2 sp of shell, ch 3, sk 2 dc of shell, sc in first dc of fan, [ch 2, sk next dc, sc in next dc] twice, ch 2, sk next dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next dc, [ch 2, sk next dc, sc in next dc] 3 times, ch 3, sk next 2 dc, sc in ch-2 sp of shell, turn.

Row 42 (RS): Ch 1, sc in ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-2 sp] 3 times, (sc, ch 4, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 3] 3 times, sc in next ch-3 sp. Fasten off.



2ND HALF

Row 1: With WS facing, draw up a lp in first ch, beg shell in same ch, ch 5, sk next 6 chs, (dc, ch 3, dc) in next ch, ch 5, sk next 6 chs, shell in last ch, turn.

Rows 2–42: Rep rows 2–42 of First Half.

With WS facing, lightly block. **cw**

Gulf Coast Shrug

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Row 14: Ch 2, work 14 [16, 18, 20] fan sts across, dc in last dc of row, turn.

Rows 15–30 [15–31, 15–33, 15–34]: Rep row 14. At the end of last rep, fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT

Row 13: Join in same ch-1 sp as last dc of row 13 of Back was worked, working across rem sts, ch 3, 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, work 7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, turn.

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Row 14: Ch 2, work 7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 15: Ch 3, 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, work 7 [8, 9, 10] fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, turn.

Row 16: Rep row 14.

Row 17: Rep row 15.

Row 18: Rep row 14.

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Row 19: Rep row 15.

Sizes Large & X-Large Only

Row 20: Rep row 14.

Row 21: Rep row 15.

Size X-Large Only

Row 22: Rep row 14.

Size Small Right Front

Row 19: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 20: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 21: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 22: Ch 2, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 23: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 24: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 25: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Row 26: Ch 2, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Row 27: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1

sp, work 4 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (4 fan sts, 28 sts)

Row 28: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 4 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (4 fan sts, 28 sts)

Row 29: Sl st in each of first 3 dc, ch 2, work 4 fan sts across, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (4 fan sts, 25 sts)

Row 30: Ch 2, work 4 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (4 fan sts, 25 sts)

Size Medium Right Front

Row 20: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 21: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 22: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 2, work 7 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 40 sts)

Row 23: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, turn.

Row 24: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 25: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 26: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 2, work 6 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 27: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, turn.

Row 28: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 29: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 30: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 2, work 5 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Row 31: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (5 fan sts, 30 sts)

Size Large Right Front

Row 22: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 48 sts)

Row 23: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, sk 2 dc, dc in top of last dc, turn. (8 fan sts, 45 sts)

Row 24: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 25: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 26: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 2, work 7 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 40 sts)

Row 27: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, turn.

Row 28: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 29: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 30: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 2, work 6 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 35 sts)

Row 31: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, dc in top of last dc, turn.

Row 32: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Row 33: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 5 fan sts across, (2 dc,

ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (5 fan sts, 33 sts)

Size X-Large Right Front

Row 23: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 9 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (9 fan sts, 53 sts)

Row 24: Sl st in first 3 dc, ch 2, work 9 fan sts, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (9 fan sts, 50 sts)

Row 25: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 48 sts)

Row 26: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

Row 27: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, turn. (8 fan sts, 45 sts)

Row 28: Ch 2, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (8 fan sts, 45 sts)

Row 29: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 7 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (7 fan sts, 43 sts)

Row 30: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 8 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn.

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Row 33: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, turn. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

Row 34: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, work 6 fan sts across, (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in last ch-1 sp, leaving 18-inch length, fasten off. (6 fan sts, 38 sts)

With rem lengths of Fronts, matching sts,

sew Left and Right Fronts to Back.

SLEEVES

Row 1: Ch 74 [79, 89, 94], fan st in 6th ch from hook, [sk next 4 chs, fan st in next ch] across to last 3 chs, sk next 2 chs, dc in last ch, turn. (14 [15, 17, 18] fan sts)

Row 2: Ch 3, 2 dc in same st as beg ch-3, fan st in each ch-1 sp across, ending with (2 dc, ch 1, dc) in top of last dc, turn.

Row 3: Ch 2, fan st in first ch-1 sp, fan st in each of next 14 [15, 17, 18] ch-1 sps across, fan st in last ch-1 sp, dc in last dc, turn. (16 [17, 19, 20] fan sts)

Rows 4–6 [4–6, 4–8, 4–8]: Ch 2, fan st in each of next 16 [17, 19, 20] ch-1 sps across, dc in first dc, turn. At the end of last rep, leaving 24-inch length, fasten off.

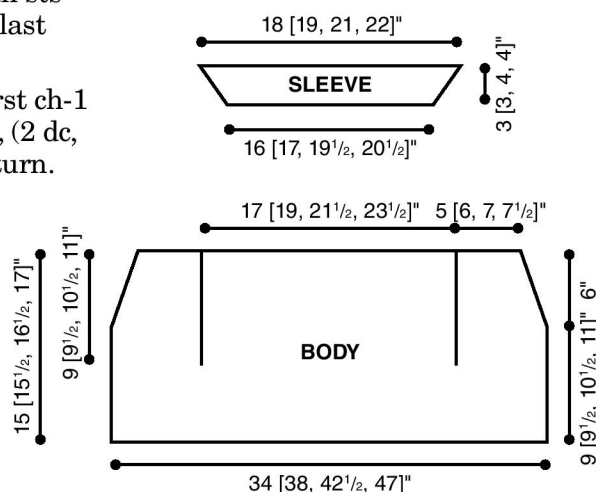
Sew last row of each Sleeve to armhole opening and sew underarm seam.

BUTTONHOLE

Row 1: Join yarn to Right Front corner edge of row 19 [20, 22, 23] at beg of V-neck, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, ch 3, sk 1 row, sc in side of ch of next row, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, work 3 sc in ch-3 sp, sc in first sc of row 1. Fasten off.

Attach button opposite Buttonhole. Lightly block Shrug. **CW**



Flip-Flop Doormat

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MAT RIGHT-HAND BORDER

Row 1: With RS facing, working along opposite side of beg ch of row 1 of Flip-Flops, join 2 strands jute in back lp of first ch, ch 2, hdc in next ch, sc in each of next 6 chs, hdc in next ch, dc in each of next 8 chs, hdc in each of next 2 chs, sc in each of next 10 chs, 2 hdc in last ch, turn. (31 sts)

Row 2: Ch 2, hdc in next st, dc in each of next 23 sts, hdc in each of next 6 sts, turn.

Rows 3–5: Ch 2, hdc in each st across, turn. Fasten off after row 5.

MAT TOP BORDER

Row 1: Join 2 strands of jute to side of last dc of row 5 of Right-Hand Border, **ch 4** (see *Pattern Notes*), 5 tr in ends of rows 5–1 of Right-Hand Border, [tr in back lp of sl st of next Flip-Flop Top Edge, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, sl st in each of next 2 sts, sc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in next st, dc in next st, tr in sl st] rep 4 times, work 6 tr across ends of rows 1–5 of Left-Hand Border, turn. (71 sts)

Rows 2–12: Ch 2, hdc in each st across, turn. At the end of row 12, fasten off.

Lightly steam-block Mat to 23 inches wide x 17 inches from Heel Edge to top of row of Top Border and let dry thoroughly, then continue, adding Outer Edge.

OUTER EDGE

Row 1: With RS facing, join 2 strands jute to side of beg ch-2 of row 1 of Right-Hand Border at bottom edge of Mat, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, work 4 sc evenly sp in ends of rows 2–4,

sc in top of beg ch-2 of row 5, ch 1 to turn corner;

A. sc in same sp as last st, sc in each of next 30 sts of row 5, work 20 sc evenly sp in ends of rows 1–12 of Top Border to right top corner, ch 1 to turn corner;

B. sc in same sp as last sc, sc in each of next 70 sts of Top Border row 12, ch 1 to turn corner;

C. sc in same sp as last sc, work 19 sc evenly sp in ends of rows 12–1 of Top Border, sc in each of next 31 sts of Left-Hand Border to corner, ch 1 to turn corner;

D. sc in same sp as last sc, work 5 sc evenly spaced in ends of rows 5–1 of Left-Hand Border, sl st in same sp as last sc. Fasten off. (185 sc)

Row 2: Join 2 strands jute to same sp as previous row, ch 1, sl st in first sc of previous row, [ch 1, sl st in next sc] rep across row 1, working ch 1, sl st in ch-1 sp at corners and ending with sl st in same sp as last sl st of previous row. (186 sl sts)

TOE STRAP & EDGING

Make 1 each using red for row 1 & hot pink for Edging rnd, sunshine for row 1 & hot green for Edging rnd, hot green for row 1 and sunshine for Edging rnd, hot blue for row 1 & robin's egg for Edging rnd, & hot pink for row 1 & hot orange for Edging rnd.

Row 1: Beg on RS with 1 strand, ch 32, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 14 chs, 3 sc in next ch, sc in each of next 14 chs, sl st in last ch. Fasten off. (33 sts)



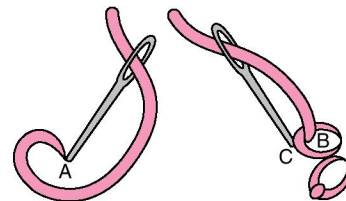
Rnd 2: Now working in rnds, join 1 strand Edging color to first sl st of previous row, working in back lps only, ch 1, sl st in same sp, sl st in each of next 16 sts, ch 1, sl st in same st, sl st in each of rem 16 sts, ch 1, working in opposite side of foundation ch, sl st in each of next 15 chs, sk next ch, sl st in each of rem 15 chains, ch 1, sl st to first sl st of rnd. Fasten off. (65 sl sts)

ASSEMBLY

Using same color as Edging rnd of Toe Strap & Edging and tapestry needle, sew top Straps RS up on each Flip-Flop as shown in photo or where desired, making 1 long st at center top of each Strap.

The word “WELCOME” is embroidered in lazy-daisy stitches with 3-inch letters centered over upper edge of Mat. Using photo as a guide and working with water-soluble marking pen, print letters centered across upper portion of Mat.

Working with 2 strands hot blue and tapestry needle, embroider over each drawn letter in **lazy-daisy stitch** (see illustration). 



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Foxy Sun Visor

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inner edge, work 18 sc evenly sp across to row 16, sc in each of next 20 sc, work 18 sc evenly sp across opposite edge of ends of rows, ch 45 (*back of headband*), sc in first sc at opposite corner of Visor, do not join.

Rnd 18: Sc in each sc across inner curve of Visor, sc in each of next 45 chs, do not join. (101 sc)



Rnd 19: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 20–31: Sc in each sc

around. At the end of rnd 31, draw up a lp, remove hook.

Fold elastic to form a circle, overlapping ends by $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, with sewing needle and white thread, sew ends tog.

With elastic encased in center, fold Band in half over elastic, pick up dropped lp.

Rnd 32: Working through both thicknesses of sc of rnd 31 and sts of rnd 18, sl st in each st around. Fasten off. **CW**

Flowered-Up Flip-Flops

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Row 5: Ch 3, **V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch-1 sp, [**picot** (see *Special Stitches*), V-st in next ch-1 sp] across, ending with dc in last sc. Fasten off.

2ND SIDE EDGING

Row 4: Sl st in opposite edge of foundation ch of row 1, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, [sk next 3 sts, shell in next st] 5 times, sk next 3 sts, sc in last st, turn. (5 shells, 2 sc)

Row 5: Rep row 5 of First Side Edging.

JOINING

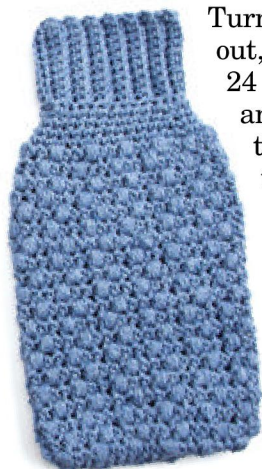
String beads onto crochet cotton (use 5 beads per Flower Strip).

Wrapping dc rows around the straps of flip-flop (rows 1–3) and working in sk dc sts from row 3 below shells and base of dc sts of row 1, sl st in first dc, dc sts of opposite rows tog, sl st until just before shells, insert hook in next sts to be slip stitched, and slide bead down crochet cotton next to Strip, complete sl st and continue until next shell, rep across Strip. Fasten off. Continue until all 4 Strips are attached to flip-flops. **CW**



Car Care Set

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Turn Mitt inside out, fold rnd 24 flat across and working through both thicknesses, insert hook, yo, draw up a lp, sl st in each st across. Fasten off. Turn RS out.

POLISHING CLOTH

Row 1: Ch 41, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (40 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, working in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*), sc in each st across, turn. (40 sc)

Rows 3–43: Rep row 2.

Row 44: Rep row 2, **do not turn**.

Rnd 45: Now working in rnds, ch 1, sc in side edge of each row, 3 sc in corner st, working across opposite side of foundation ch, sc in each ch across, 3 sc in corner st, sc in end of each row, 3 sc in

corner st, sc in both lps of each st across row 44, 2 sc in same st as beg sc, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc. Fasten off. **CW**



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1 2 3 4 5 6 CONFIDENT BEGINNER

Projects for new crocheters who are comfortable with the beginner basic stitches and are ready to combine them into short pattern sequences. Skills include simple increasing, decreasing and minimal color changes.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

Projects using basic stitches, repetitive stitch patterns, simple color changes and easy shaping and finishing. Simple in-the-round projects, such as coasters, hot mats, flowers, hats, neck warmers and cowls fall within this skill category, as well as the ability to read simple stitch charts and keys.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

Projects that incorporate a wide variety of stitch techniques beyond the basics, such as shells, fans, popcorns, clusters, post stitches, basic cables, lace, simple intarsia, shaping and finishing. The crocheter has the ability to read more advanced stitch pattern charts, such as lace and cable charts.

1 2 3 4 5 6 MODERATELY CHALLENGING

Projects that utilize a wide variety of stitches and techniques such as those noted above, as well as more detailed colorwork, shaping, construction and finishing.

1 2 3 4 5 6 CHALLENGING

Projects that require a more intuitive understanding of a pattern or chart and that also include advanced stitches and techniques, as well as more intricate methods such as intarsia, cables, lace, stranded colorwork with numerous color changes and advanced shaping and construction techniques.

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Shots of Dots Purse

A random pattern of colorful circles turns a plain black purse into a fun, eye-catching accessory.



Potluck Cozy

Taking a covered dish to a get-together will be easy in this cozy casserole carrier complete with spoon holder.

Around the Galaxy Throw

This openwork, circular design can be used as a throw or folded in half and worn as a snugly wrap.



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STITCH ABBREVIATIONS

beg	begin/begins/beginning
bpdc	back post double crochet
bpdc	back post single crochet
bpdc	back post treble crochet
CC	contrasting color
ch(s)	chain(s)
ch-	refers to chain or space previously made (i.e., ch-1 space)
ch sp(s)	chain space(s)
cl(s)	cluster(s)
cm	centimeter(s)
dc	double crochet (singular/plural)
dc dec	double crochet 2 or more stitches together, as indicated
dec	decrease/decreases/decreasing
dtr	double treble crochet
ext	extended
fpdc	front post double crochet
fpdc	front post single crochet
fpdc	front post treble crochet
g	gram(s)
hdc	half double crochet
hdc dec	half double crochet 2 or more stitches together, as indicated
inc	increase/increases/increasing
lp(s)	loop(s)
MC	main color
mm	millimeter(s)
oz	ounce(s)
pc	popcorn(s)
rem	remain/remains/remaining
rep(s)	repeat(s)
rnd(s)	round(s)
RS	right side
sc	single crochet (singular/plural)
sc dec	single crochet 2 or more stitches together, as indicated
sk	skip/skipped/skipping
sl st(s)	slip stitch(es)
sp(s)	space(s)/spaced
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together
tr	treble crochet
trtr	triple treble
WS	wrong side
yd(s)	yard(s)
yo	yarn over

YARN CONVERSION

OUNCES TO GRAMS	GRAMS TO OUNCES
1.....28.4	25.....7/8
2.....56.7	40.....1 3/4
3.....85.0	50.....1 3/4
4.....113.4	100.....3 1/2

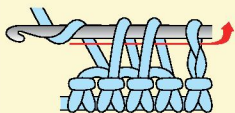
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UNITED KINGDOM

sl st (slip stitch)	=	sc (single crochet)
sc (single crochet)	=	dc (double crochet)
hdc (half double crochet)	=	htr (half treble crochet)
dc (double crochet)	=	tr (treble crochet)
tr (treble crochet)	=	dtr (double treble crochet)
dtr (double treble crochet)	=	ttr (triple treble crochet)
skip	=	miss

Single crochet

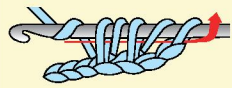
decrease (sc dec):
(Insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-sc dec

Half double crochet

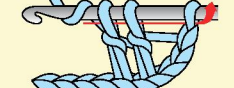
decrease (hdc dec):
(Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-hdc dec

Double crochet

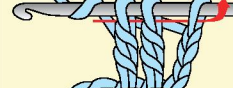
decrease (dc dec): (Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-dc dec

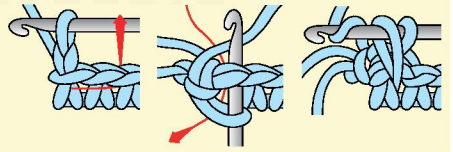
Treble crochet

decrease (tr dec): Hold- ing back last lp of each st, tr in each of the sts indicated, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

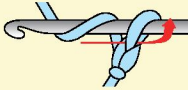


Example of 2-tr dec

Reverse single crochet (reverse sc): Ch 1, sk first st, working from left to right, insert hook in next st from front to back, draw up lp on hook, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

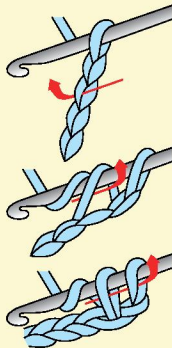


Chain (ch): Yo, pull through lp on hook.



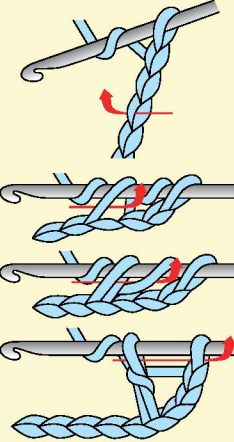
Single crochet (sc):

Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through both lps on hook.

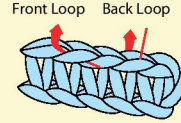


Double crochet (dc):

Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.

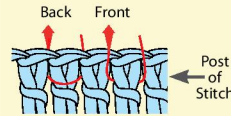


Front loop (front lp) Back loop (back lp)



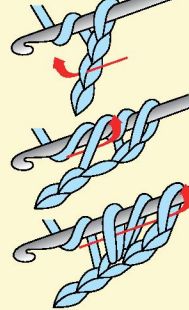
Front post stitch (fp):

Back post stitch (bp): When working post st, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row.



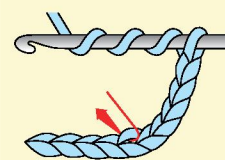
Half double crochet

(hdc): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.

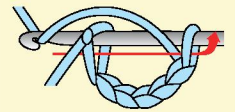


Double treble

crochet (dtr): Yo 3 times, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] 4 times.

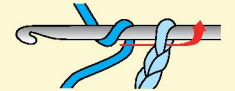


Slip stitch (sl st): Insert hook in st, pull through both lps on hook.



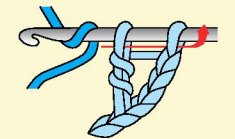
Chain color change

(ch color change)
Yo with new color, draw through last lp on hook.



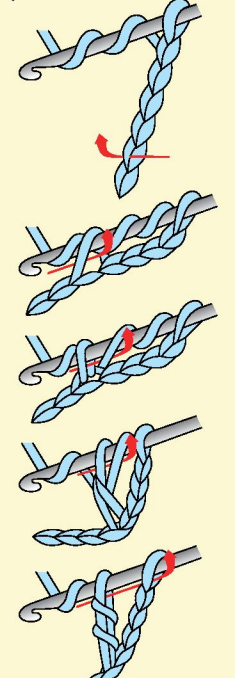
Double crochet

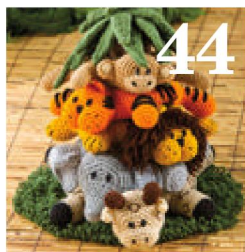
color change (dc color change)
Drop first color, yo with new color, draw through last 2 lps of st.



Treble crochet (tr):

Yo twice, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] 3 times.





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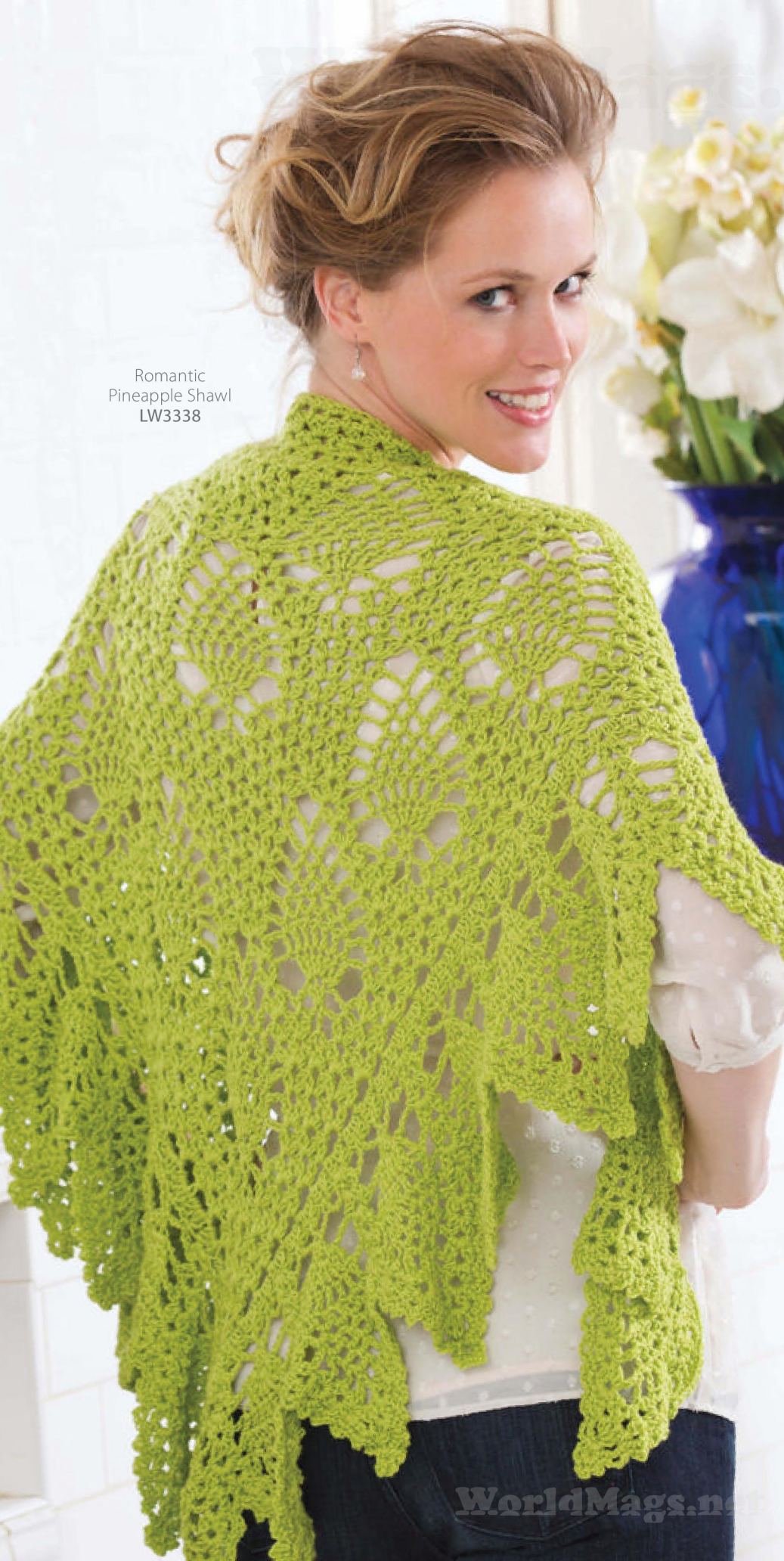
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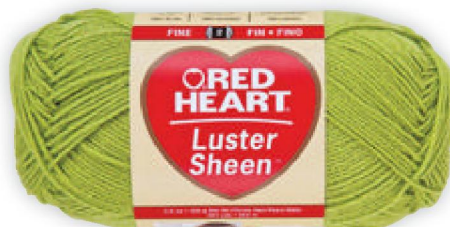
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