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A Note From the Editor

DIY projects, HGTV, Pinterest boards ... Crafting the perfect home is a favorite pastime for many of us. Not only do we spend time on home improvements, but we also love decorating, making our homes warm and welcoming—a place where family and friends love to gather. Our homes become our personal refuge, a haven from the daily stress of work and busyness. They offer us a place to refuel, to spend time with the people we love, and to pursue hobbies that enrich our lives.

For this issue, we explored current trends and chose four of the most popular decorating styles to inspire a collection of crochet projects that you will not only love making, but also will enjoy using in your own home.

No matter whether your decorating style is beach cottage, vintage, modern farmhouse, boho or something in between, you'll find lots of projects to crochet for your home in this issue! We've put together a wonderful collection of throws, pillows, baskets, rugs and on-trend accessories for every room in your home.

So, grab your crochet hook, gather your supplies and head off to your comfy chair for some quality crochet time!

Jackie Daugherty



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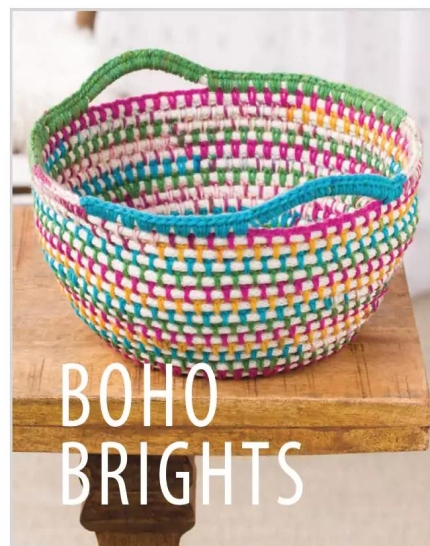
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BOHO BRIGHTS

FARMHOUSE PLAID THROW

DESIGN BY JACKIE SMITH

One fantastic decor piece can change the look of your room! This easy-to-make plaid throw starts with a mesh of worsted-weight yarn crocheted from corner to corner. Then you simply weave yarn through to create this stunning plaid throw.

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

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

47 inches square excluding fringe

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Anti-Pilling Everyday Worsted Solids medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/180 yds/100g per skein):
 - 4 skeins each: #100-73 charcoal, #100-02 cream and #100-52 chinchilla
- Size K/10½/6.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle with large eye

GAUGE

4 ch sps = 2 inches; 4 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

The throw is first worked in a diamond-shaped piece using a horizontal mesh pattern, then strands of yarn are vertically woven through the mesh to create the plaid design with fringe.

Color change is made by pulling new color through last 2 loops of final double crochet, before starting chain-4 or chain-3. Fasten off previous color.

1 color sequence = 2 rows cream, 4 rows charcoal, 2 rows cream and 4 rows chinchilla.

After 10 color sequences, end with 2 rows cream.

THROW

PART 1

Row 1: With cream, ch 6, dc in 6th ch from hook (*first ch made*), ch 1, dc in same st, ch 4, turn. (2 ch sps)

Row 2: Dc in same st, ch 1, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 1, sk 1 ch, dc in next ch, ch 1, dc in same ch, **change** (see *Pattern Notes*) to charcoal, ch 4, turn. Fasten off cream. (4 ch sps)

Row 3: Dc in same st, *ch 1, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, rep from * across, ch 1, dc in 3rd ch of ch-4, ch 1, dc in same st, ch 4, turn. (6 ch sps)

Rows 4–60: Continue with **color sequence** (see *Pattern Notes*), [rep row 3] 57 times. (*each row inc by 2 ch sps*)

Row 61: With cream, rep row 3, except ch 3 before turning. (122 ch sps)

Row 62: Sk 1, dc in next dc, *ch 1, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, rep from * across, do not ch 1, dc in 3rd ch of ch-4, change to charcoal, ch 3, turn. Fasten off cream. (122 ch sps)

Row 63: Sk dc and ch-1 sp, dc in next dc, *ch 1, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, rep from * across until 2 ch sps rem, do not ch 1, dc in last dc, ch 3, turn. (120 ch sps)

Rows 64–120: Continue with color sequence, [rep row 63] 57 times. (*each row dec by 2 ch sps*)

Row 121: With cream, rep row 63. (4 ch sps)

Row 122: Sk dc and ch-1 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc, fasten off. (2 ch sps)

Secure and weave in all loose ends.

PART 2

Lay piece flat with row 1 on the bottom in diamond shape, no RS or WS.

Starting on left corner with rows 61 and 62, cut 4 strands of cream to cover the length of the rows with an extra 8 inches on top and bottom for fringe.

With tapestry needle, vertically weave all 4 strands over and under each horizontal row.

Using the same color sequence as Part 1, rep each vertical row, alternating the weave while moving across to the right corner. (122 vertical rows)

To secure the fringe at the end of each row, wrap the 4 strands around and through the end row sp 1 time. Combine fringe from 2 vertical rows and loosely knot 8 strands tog.

Each color sequence will have 1 cream, 2 charcoal and 2 chinchilla knotted tassels. Trim ends evenly. **C!**



FOUR SQUARE PILLOW

DESIGN BY DEBRA ARCH

Pairs of two different squares sewn together create this unique accent pillow. Simply change the color palette to suit your decor.

1 2 3 4 5 6 **INTERMEDIATE**

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

16 inches square

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Anti-Pilling Everyday Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/180 yds/100g per ball):
3 balls #100-02 cream
1 ball each #100-52 chinchilla and #100-73 charcoal
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 16-inch square pillow form
- Safety pins: 8
- Blocking supplies (optional)

GAUGE

9 sc = 2 inches; 8 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Do not turn at end of rows or rounds unless otherwise stated.

When changing color, drop yarn not in use to front of work and carry across until next needed.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Single crochet join (sc join): Place slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

Puff stitch (puff st): With chinchilla and working in back lp, yo, insert hook in

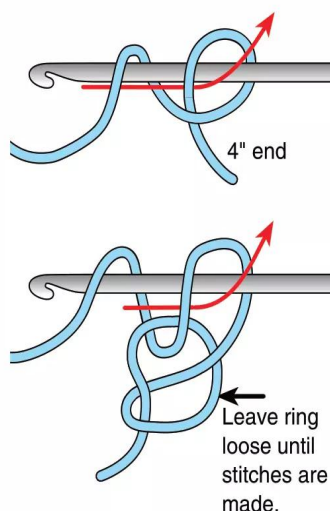
indicated st, yo, pull up lp to same height as previous sts made, [yo, insert hook in same st, yo, pull up lp to same height as previous sts made] twice, drop chinchilla to front of work, with cream, yo, pull through all 7 lps on hook.

PILLOW

STRIPED SQUARE

Make 2.

Rnd 1 (WS): With cream, make a **slip ring** (see illustration), ch 2 (does not count as a st), 12 hdc in ring, **join** (see Pattern Notes) to first hdc, turn. (12 hdc)



Slip Ring

Rnd 2 (RS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next st, (sc, hdc, sc) in next st, [sc in each of next 2 sts, (sc, hdc, sc) in next st] around, join to first sc, **do not turn** (see Pattern Notes). (20 sts)

Rnd 3 (RS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, [sc in each st around to next hdc, (sc, hdc, sc) in

next hdc] 4 times, sc in each rem st, join to first sc, **turn**. (28 sts)

Rnd 4 (WS): Rep rnd 3. Fasten off cream. (36 sts)

Rnd 5 (RS): With RS facing and working in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*), **sc join** (see *Special Stitches*) charcoal to any hdc, (hdc, sc) in same st, [sc in each st around to next hdc, (sc, hdc, sc) in next hdc] around, sc in each rem st, join to first st, turn. (44 sts)

Rnd 6 (WS): Rep rnd 3. Fasten off charcoal. (52 sts)

Rnd 7 (RS): With cream, rep rnd 5, **do not turn**. (60 sts)

Rnd 8 (RS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, (sc, hdc, sc) in next hdc, [sc in each st around to next hdc, (sc, hdc, sc) in next hdc] 3 times, sc in each rem st, join to first st, **turn**. (68 sts)

Rnd 9 (WS): Rep rnd 3. Fasten off cream. (76 sts)

Rnd 10 (RS): With chinchilla, rep rnd 5. Fasten off chinchilla. (84 sts)

Rnd 11 (WS): With WS facing and charcoal and working in both lps, rep rnd 5. (92 sts)

Rnd 12 (RS): With chinchilla, rep rnd 5. Fasten off chinchilla. (100 sts)

Rnd 13 (WS): With cream, rep rnd 11. (108 sts)

Rnds 14 (RS) & 15 (WS): Rep rnd 3. At end of rnd 15, fasten off cream. (124 sts)

Rnd 16 (RS): With charcoal, rep rnd 5. (132 sts)

Rnd 17 (WS): Rep rnd 3. Fasten off charcoal. (140 sts)

Rnds 18 & 19 (RS): Rep rnds 7 and 8. (156 sts)

Rnds 20 (WS) & 21 (RS): Rep rnd 3. At end of rnd 21, fasten off. (172 sts)



PUFF SQUARE

Make 2.

Row 1 (RS): With cream, ch 44, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (43 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes*) to chinchilla, **puff st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, change color to cream, [sc in each of next 3 sts, change color to chinchilla, puff st in next st, change color to cream] across, sc in last st, turn. Fasten off chinchilla. (11 puff sts, 32 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. (43 sc)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sts, [change color to chinchilla, puff st in next st, change color to cream, sc in next 3 sts] across. Fasten off chinchilla. (10 puff sts, 33 sc)

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

Rows 6–41: [Rep rows 2–5] 9 times.

Rows 42 & 43: Rep rows 2 and 3.

Edging rnd: *Working in ends of rows, work 42 sc evenly sp across side edge to corner, hdc in same place as last sc made, place safety pin in hdc just made** (*corner made*), ch 1, working in opposite side of foundation ch, sc in first ch and in each of next 20 chs, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 chs, sc in each ch across to next corner, hdc in same ch as last sc made, place safety pin in hdc just made (*corner made*), rep from * to ** once, sc in first st of row 43 and in each st across, working sc dec in 2 sts in center of row, hdc in same st as last sc made (*corner made*), place safety pin in hdc just made, join to first sc. Fasten off. (168 sc, 4 hdc)

ASSEMBLY

1. Optional: Block all Squares to 11 inches square and allow to dry.

Note: For very uniform slip sts, be sure lp on hook slides slightly up the shaft of hook as each st is made. This will “size” each lp and make them perfectly consistent.

2. With WS of 1 Puff Square and 1 Striped Square held tog, Puff Square facing, and working through both layers, join cream in any marked corner hdc, [sl st in each of next 42 sts across to next marked corner, sl st in marked corner] twice, fasten off. (86 sl sts)

3. Fold Squares with WS tog, matching seams to form a large triangle with 1 long, unsewn edge.

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TEXTURED POUF

DESIGN BY KATHLEEN BERLEW

Add a functional accent to your home. Crocheted in super chunky-weight yarn, post stitches worked in the round give this pouf its dramatic texture.



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

14 inches high; 20 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Bernat Softee Chunky super bulky (super chunky) acrylic yarn (3½ oz/ 108 yds/100g per skein):
9 skeins #39011 soft taupe
- Size L/11/8mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Polyester fiberfill
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

17 fpdc = 8 inches; 6 fpdc rnds = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Pouf is worked in joined rounds from the top down.

Chain-1 at beginning of round does not count as single crochet.

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

Join single crochet rounds with slip stitch in first single crochet of round unless otherwise stated.

Join double crochet and post stitch rounds with slip stitch in 2nd chain of beginning chain-2 unless otherwise stated.

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Begin stuffing pouf with fiberfill after round 42, adding more fiberfill as necessary through the final round.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Single crochet beginning increase (sc beg inc): 2 sc in same st as join.

Beginning sc (beg sc): Sc in same st as join.

Front post double crochet decrease (fpdc dec): On rnd 31: [Yo, insert hook from right to left around post of next dc of previous rnd, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice, yo, draw through all lps on hook. On rnds 32–42: Yo, insert hook from right to left around post of next fpdc of previous rnd, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 2 lps on

hook, yo, insert hook from right to left around both posts of next fpdc dec st of previous rnd, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, yo, draw through all lps on hook.

POUF

Rnd 1: Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*). (6 sc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1 (see *Pattern Notes*), **sc beg inc** (see *Special Stitches*), 2 sc in each st around, join. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next st, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] around, join. (18 sc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next 2 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts] around, join. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next 3 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts] around, join. (30 sc)

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next 4 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts] around, join. (36 sc)

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next 5 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 5 sts] around, join. (42 sc)

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next 6 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts] around, join. (48 sc)

Rnd 9: Ch 1, sc beg inc, sc in next 7 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 7 sts] around, join. (54 sc)

Rnd 10: Ch 2 (counts as first dc), dc in same st as join, dc in next 8 sts, [2 dc in next st, dc in next 8 sts] around, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*). (60 dc)

Rnd 11: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), **fpdc** (see *Stitch Guide*) around next 8 dc, 2 fpdc around next dc, [fpdc around next 9 dc, 2 fpdc around next dc] around, join. (66 fpdc)

Rnd 12: Ch 2, fpdc around next 9 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 10 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (72 fpdc)

Rnd 13: Ch 2, fpdc around next 10 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 11 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (78 fpdc)

Rnd 14: Ch 2, fpdc around next 11 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 12 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (84 fpdc)

Rnd 15: Ch 2, fpdc around next 12 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 13 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (90 fpdc)

Rnd 16: Ch 2, fpdc around next 13 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 14 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (96 fpdc)

Rnd 17: Ch 2, fpdc around next 14 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 15 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (102 fpdc)

Rnd 18: Ch 2, fpdc around next 15 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 16 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (108 fpdc)

Rnd 19: Ch 2, fpdc around next 16 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 17 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (114 fpdc)

Rnd 20: Ch 2, fpdc around next 17 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 18 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (120 fpdc)

Rnd 21: Ch 2, fpdc around next 18 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 19 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (126 fpdc)

Rnd 22: Ch 2, fpdc around next 19 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc, [fpdc around next 20 fpdc, 2 fpdc around next fpdc] around, join. (132 fpdc)

Rnds 23–30: Ch 2, fpdc around each st around, join.

Rnd 31: Ch 2, fpdc around next 19 sts, **fpdc dec** (see *Special Stitches*), [fpdc around next 20 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (126 fpdc)

Rnd 32: Ch 2, fpdc around next 18 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 19 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (120 fpdc)

Rnd 33: Ch 2, fpdc around next 17 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 18 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (114 fpdc)

Rnd 34: Ch 2, fpdc around next 16 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 17 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (108 fpdc)

Rnd 35: Ch 2, fpdc around next 15 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 16 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (102 fpdc)

Rnd 36: Ch 2, fpdc around next 14 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 15 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (96 fpdc)

Rnd 37: Ch 2, fpdc around next 13 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 14 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (90 fpdc)

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TOUCH OF TEXTURE PILLOW

DESIGN BY LESHIA TWEDDLE

This pillow is all about texture! Bands of bobbles and loops, finished off with a row of fringe, come together to create this fun-to-stitch project.



FINISHED MEASUREMENT

14 inches square, before inserting pillow form

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Cobblestone medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/219 yds/100g per skein): 1 skein #254-604 licorice 
- Lion Brand Basic Stitch Premium medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/219 yds/100g per skein) 2 skeins #98 cream 1 skein #153 black
- Lion Brand Off the Hook super bulky (super chunky) polyester yarn (3½ oz/56 yds/100g per skein): 1 skein #098 beach sand 
- Sizes G/6/4mm and H/8/5mm crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge
- Stitch marker
- 16-inch square pillow insert
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

Size H hook and Cobblestone yarn:

13 sc = 4 inches; 15 sc rows = 4 inches

Size H hook and Basic Stitch Premium

yarn: 15 sc = 4 inches; 16 sc rows = 4 inches

Size G hook and Basic Stitch Premium

yarn: [2 sc, 1 dtr] 5 times = 4 inches; 8 sc rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Do not join or turn rnds unless otherwise stated. Mark first stitch of round.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

When changing colors, first lay the piece flat and smooth with front side facing, then find the stitch at the top right-hand corner. This is the point where you want to add the new color and it might not line up with the end of the previous row. Change colors with single crochet join. It is important to do this on rounds 26 and 40 so that the loops and clusters line up correctly on the front side of the pillow.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Single crochet join (sc join): Place slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

Loop single crochet (lp sc): This is a basic sc st worked around the base of the lps that are part of the Off the Hook yarn. Yarn remains attached when not in use.

(RS) (lp sc): Hold Off the Hook yarn on the front side of your work. With the working yarn, insert hook in the base of the first lp of the Off the Hook yarn and in next indicated st of your work. Yo with the working yarn and pull it through, yo again and pull through both lps on hook.

(WS) (lp sc): Hold Off the Hook yarn on the back side of your work (*which is the front side of the pillow*). With the working yarn, insert hook in next indicated st of your work and then insert hook in the base of the first lp of the Off the Hook yarn. Yo with the working yarn and pull it through, yarn over again and pull through both lps on hook.

Double crochet cluster (cl): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook, [yo, insert hook in same st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook] 2 times, yo, pull through all 4 lps on hook, ch 1.

PILLOW

Rnd 1: With size H hook and licorice, ch 46, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, working on opposite side of ch, sc back across each ch, **do not join, mark first st of rnd** (*see Pattern Notes*), move marker up with completed rnds. (90 sc)

Rnd 2: Sc in each st around. (90 sc)

Rnds 3–15: Rep rnd 2. At end of last rnd, sl st to beg st and fasten off.

Rnd 16: Sc join (*see Pattern Notes and Special Stitches*) cream, sc in each of next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st, [sc in each of next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st, **join** (*see Pattern Notes*) in **front lp** (*see Stitch Guide*) of beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnd 17: [Ch 3, sk next st, sl st in front lp of next st] around, ending with ch 3, sl st in same st as beg ch-3. (51 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 18: Ch 1, working in **back lp** (*see Stitch Guide*) of rnd 16, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 19–22: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

Rnd 23: Sc join black, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 24 & 25: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

Rnd 26: Sc join cream, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnd 27 (RS): Ch 1, sc in each of next 4 sts, **lp sc** (*see Special Stitches*) in next st, [sc in each of next 2 sts, lp sc in next st] 14 times, sc in each of next 55 sts, join in beg sc, turn. (15 lp sc)

Rnd 28 (WS): Ch 1, sc in each of next 55 sts, **lp sc** (*see Special Stitches*), in next st, [sc in each of next 2 sts, lp sc in next st] 14 times, sc in each of next 4 sts, join in beg sc, turn. (15 lp sc)

Rnds 29–32: [Rep rnds 27 and 28 alternately] 2 times, cut Off the Hook yarn.

Rnd 33 (RS): Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (102 sc)

Rnd 34: Sc join black, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 35 & 36: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

Rnd 37: Sc join cream, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 38 & 39: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

Rnd 40: Sc join licorice, sc in each of next 4 sts, **cl** (*see Special Stitches*) in next st, [sc in each of next 3 sts, cl in next st] 10 times, sc in each of next 56 sts, join in beg sc, fasten off. (11 cl)

Rnd 41: Sc join cream in last st of previous row, sc in each of next 4 sts, [sc in ch-1 sp of cl, sc in each of next 3 sts] 10 times, sc in ch-1 sp of last cl, sc in each of next 56 sts, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 42 & 43: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

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COTTON BLOOM TABLE RUNNER

DESIGN BY KRISTEN STOLTZFUS CLAY

This macramé-look runner is worked in two pieces from the ends to the center and then joined. The chain-stitch loops at the tapered ends create a place to add fringe.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

8¾ inches wide x 36 inches long, plus fringe

MATERIALS

- Berroco Pima 100 medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (3½ oz/219 yds/100g per hank):
2 hanks #8406 stone crop
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

17 sts and 9 rows of dc = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTE

Chain-2 at beginning of row does not count as first stitch.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning double crochet (beg dc): Ch 3, insert hook in 2nd ch from hook, draw up lp, insert hook in 3rd ch from hook, draw up lp and complete dc.

Foundation double crochet (fdc): Yo, insert hook in base of last dc, draw up lp, ch 1 to create base, complete dc.

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

V-stitch (V-st): (Dc, ch 1, dc) in specified st or sp.

TABLE RUNNER

FIRST PANEL

Row 1: Ch 2 (see Pattern Note) work **beg dc** (see Special Stitches), dc in each of next 2 chs; turn. (3 dc)

Row 2: Ch 2, work beg dc, dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 3 dc, work 3 **fdc** (see Special Stitches), turn. (9 dc)

Row 3: Ch 2, work beg dc, dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 2 dc, sk next 2 dc, **lg V-st** (see Special Stitches) in next dc, sk next 2 dc, dc in each of next 2 dc, work 3 fdc; turn. (10 dc, 1 lg V-st)

Row 4: Ch 2, work beg dc, dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 2 dc, sk next dc, **V-st** (see Special Stitches) in next dc, ch 3, sc in lg V-st, ch 3, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, sk next dc, dc in each of next 2 dc, work 3 fdc; turn. (10 dc, 2 V-sts, 2 ch sps)

Row 5: Ch 2, work beg dc, dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 2 dc, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, ch 3, sc in next V-st, (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) twice, ch 3, sc in next V-st, ch 3, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, sk next dc, dc in each of next 2 dc, work 3 fdc; turn. (10 dc, 4 ch-3 sps)

Row 6: Ch 2, work beg dc, dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 2 dc, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, ch 3, sc in next V-st, (sk next ch sp, work lg V-st in next sc) 4 times, sc in next V-st, ch 3, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, sk next dc, dc in each of next 2 dc, work 3 fdc; turn. (10 dc, 4 lg V-sts, 2 V-sts)

Row 7: Ch 2, work beg dc, dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 2 dc, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, ch 3, sc in V-st, (ch 3, sc in next ch sp) 6 times, ch 3, sc in V-st, ch 3, sk next dc, V-st in next dc, sk next dc, dc in each of next 2 dc, work 3 fdc; turn. (10 dc, 2 V-sts, 9 ch-3 sps)

Row 8: (Ch 2, dc) in first dc, dc in each of next 4 dc, V-st in V-st, [ch 5, sk next ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp] 4 times, ch 5, V-st in V-st, dc in each of next 5 dc; turn. (2 V-sts, 4 sc, 5 ch-5 sps, 10 dc)

Row 9: (Ch 2, dc) in first dc, dc in each of next 4 dc, V-st in V-st, ch 3, sc in next ch-5 sp, [ch 3, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-5 sp] 3 times, ch 3, sc in last ch-5 sp, ch 3, V-st in V-st, dc in each of next 5 dc; turn.

Rows 10–39: [Rep rows 8 and 9 alternately] 15 times, rep row 8. Fasten off.

2ND PANEL

Rows 1–38: Rep rows 1–38 of First Panel.

Row 39: Holding First Panel next to this row, (ch 2, dc) in first dc, sl st in first dc of First Panel, dc in each of next 4 sts, (dc, ch 1, sl st in V-st of First Panel, ch 1, dc) in V-st, ch 3, sc in next ch-5 sp, [ch 3, in next ch-5 sp work (sc, ch 1, sl st in ch-3 sp of First Panel, ch 1, sc)] 3 times, ch 3, sc in last ch-5 sp, ch 3, (dc, sl st in V-st of First Panel, ch 1, dc) in V-st, dc in each of next 5 dc, sl st in last dc of First Panel. Fasten off.

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GROWING ROWS THROW

DESIGN BY RENA V. STEVENS

No color changes here! Crocheted in self-stripping yarn, the colors in each of the panels is offset to create a pleasing color-block pattern.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

48 inches wide x 59 inches long,
excluding fringe

MATERIALS

- Caron Cakes medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool yarn (7 oz/383 yds/200g per ball):
5 balls #4017 buttercream
- Caron Simply Soft medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/315 yds/170g per ball):
1 ball #9783 taupe
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

Panel = 8 inches wide, unjoined

PATTERN NOTES

Throw is made of 6 Panels crocheted together.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Chain-5 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet and chain-2 unless otherwise stated.

When instructed to work in V-stitch, work in chain-1 space of V-stitch. Remaining double crochet stitches of same V-stitch are not worked.

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

When instructed to work in shell, work in center double crochet of indicated shell. Remaining double crochet stitches of same shell are not worked.

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

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

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

Shell: Work indicated number of dc in indicated st.

Picot shell: ([Dc, ch 3, sl st in 3rd ch from hook] 4 times, dc) in indicated st.

Slip stitch join (sl st join): Insert hook in indicated st, place slip knot on hook, pull lp through to RS.

THROW

PANEL

Make 6.

Note: When starting a new Panel, plan the beg shade so color blocks are arranged pleasingly across all Panels. The color blocks in each Caron Cakes ball are approximately the same size and in the same order, although each ball may start at a different point of the color sequence.

Ch 37.

Row 1 (WS): V-st (see Special Stitches) in 9th ch from hook (beg 8 chs count as 3 sk chs, first dc and ch-2), [ch 2, sk next 3 chs, dc in next ch, ch 2, sk next 3 chs, V-st in next ch] 3 times, ch 2, sk next 3 chs, dc in last ch, turn. (4 V-sts, 5 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Row 2 (RS): Ch 5 (see Pattern Notes), *sk next ch-2 sp, **3-dc shell** (see Special Stitches) in next V-st (see Pattern Notes), ch 2,

sk next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**, ch 2; rep from * across, ending last rep at ** and working last dc in 6th ch of beg ch-8, turn. Mark row 2 as RS. (4 shells, 5 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Row 3: Ch 4 (see Pattern Notes), *sk next ch-2 sp, 5-dc shell in next shell (see Pattern Notes), ch 1**, sk next ch-2 sp, dc in next dc**, ch 1; rep from * across, ending last rep at ** and working last dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-5, turn. (4 shells, 5 dc, 8 ch-1 sps)

Row 4: Ch 3 (see Pattern Notes), [sk next ch-1 sp, 7-dc shell in next shell, sk next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc] 4 times (1 Growing Row motif completed), working last dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-4, turn. (4 shells, 5 dc)

Row 5: Ch 6 (see Pattern Notes), [dc in next shell, ch 2, V-st in next dc, ch 2] 3 times, dc in next shell, ch 3, dc in top of beg ch-3, turn. (3 V-sts, 6 dc, 6 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-3 sps)

Row 6: Ch 6, [sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 2, sk next ch sp, 3-dc shell in next V-st, ch 2] 3 times, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 3, sk last ch-3 sp, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, turn. (3 shells, 6 dc, 6 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-3 sps)

Row 7: Ch 6, [sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 1, sk next ch sp, 5-dc shell in next shell, ch 1] 3 times, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 3, sk last ch-3 sp, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, turn. (3 shells, 6 dc, 6 ch-1 sps, 2 ch-3 sps)

Row 8: Ch 6, [sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, sk next ch sp, 7-dc shell in next shell] 3 times, sk next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 3, sk last ch-3 sp, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6 (next Growing Row motif completed), turn. (3 shells, 6 dc, 2 ch-3 sps)

Row 9: Ch 5, sk first ch sp, [V-st in next dc, ch 2, dc in next shell, ch 2] 3 times, V-st in next dc, ch 2, sk last ch-3 sp, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, turn. (4 V-sts, 5 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

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MOSAIC KITCHEN TOWEL

DESIGN BY KATARINA

This pretty and practical kitchen towel features a design at each end worked in mosaic crochet. Using just one color per row makes this design fun and easy to work.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

13 inches wide x 25 inches long, excluding fringe

MATERIALS

- Scheepjes Cotton 8 super fine (fingering) weight cotton yarn (1.76 oz/186 yds/50g per skein):
1 skein #659 light brown
2 skeins #501 natural
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

18 sc = 4 inches; 24 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

The first 1/3 of the towel and the last 1/3 of the towel are worked using the mosaic crochet technique.

The mosaic crochet technique is easier than it might look. You just have to know how to single crochet, chain stitches and double crochet.



The double crochet stitch worked in mosaic crochet is called mosaic double crochet.

This technique gives you the opportunity to crochet 2 color patterns without changing yarn in 1 row. You can simply connect rows by skipping a stitch and “filling” the skipped chain with a double crochet 2 rows or rounds later with the alternate color yarn.

Before starting this technique, you have to learn first how to read a mosaic crochet chart.

The pattern is crocheted from bottom to top and from right to left.

Every chart row represents 2 crochet rows in the same color.

Usually the mosaic is worked with 2 different colors.

Each square represents 1 stitch. If a natural stitch appears in a light brown row or vice versa, you chain 2 and skip the stitch. Later you will “fill” the skipped space with a double crochet.

The wrong side rows are always: 1 sc in every st and 2 chains over every chain-2.

Color changes are done in last stitch of the row with two loops on hook.

The strands of yarn are carried along the side of the work.

Chain-1 at beginning of row does not count as a stitch unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Mosaic double crochet (mdc):

Working in front of ch-2 sps, dc in sk st 2 rows below.

TOWEL

With light brown, ch 57.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1 (see *Pattern Notes*), sk first ch, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (56 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, **changing color** (see *Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes*) to natural in last sc, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, *[ch 2, sk next st] 3 times, ch 2, sk next st**, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in last st, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each sc and ch 2 over each ch-2 sp, changing to light brown in last sc, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *[mdc (see *Special Stitch*) in next sk st on 2nd row below, ch 2, sk next st] 3 times, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below**, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in last st, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each st and ch 2 over each ch-2 sp, changing to natural in last sc, turn.



Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *[ch 2, sk next st, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below] 3 times, ch 2, sk next st**, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in last st, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in each st and ch 2 over each ch-2 sp, changing to light brown in last sc, turn.

Rows 9–12: Rep rows 5–8.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *[mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, sc in next st] 3 times, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below**, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in last st, turn.

Row 14: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to natural in last st, turn.

Row 15: Ch 1, sc in first sc, ch 2, sk next st, *sc in each of next 5 sts**, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st] 3 times, ch 2, sk next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, ch 2, sk next st, sc in last st, turn.

Row 16: Ch 1, sc in each sc and ch 2 over each ch-2 sp, changing to light brown in last sc, turn.

Row 17: Ch 1, sc in first sc, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, *sc in each of next 5 sts**, [mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, ch 2, sk next st] 3 times, mdc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, sc in last st, turn.

Row 18: Ch 1, sc in each st and ch 2 over each ch-2 sp across, changing to natural in last sc, turn.

Row 19: Ch 1, sc in first sc, ch 2, sk next sc, *sc in each of next 5 sts**, [ch 2, sk next st, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below] 3 times,

ch 2, sk next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, ch 2, sk next st, sc in last st, turn.

Row 20: Ch 1, sc in each st and ch 2 over each ch-2 sp, changing to light brown in last sc, turn.

Rows 21–24: Rep rows 17–20.

Row 25: Ch 1, sc in first sc, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, *sc in each of next 5 sts**, [mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, sc in next st] 3 times, mdc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, mdc in next sk st on 2nd row below, sc in last st, turn.

Row 26: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to natural in last sc, turn.

Rows 27–38: Rep rows 2–14.

Row 39: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 40–129: Rep row 39, changing to light brown in last sc of last row.

Rows 130–168: Rep rows 1–38. At end of last row, do not fasten off.

EDGING

Ch 1, 3 sc in first sc, sc in each st across to last sc, 3 sc in last sc, working across next side, *sc in each of next 3 sts, sk next st, rep from * across to next corner, working across next side, 3 sc in first st, sc in each st across to last st, 3 sc in last st, working across next side, **sc in each of next 3 sts, sk next st, rep from ** across to next corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

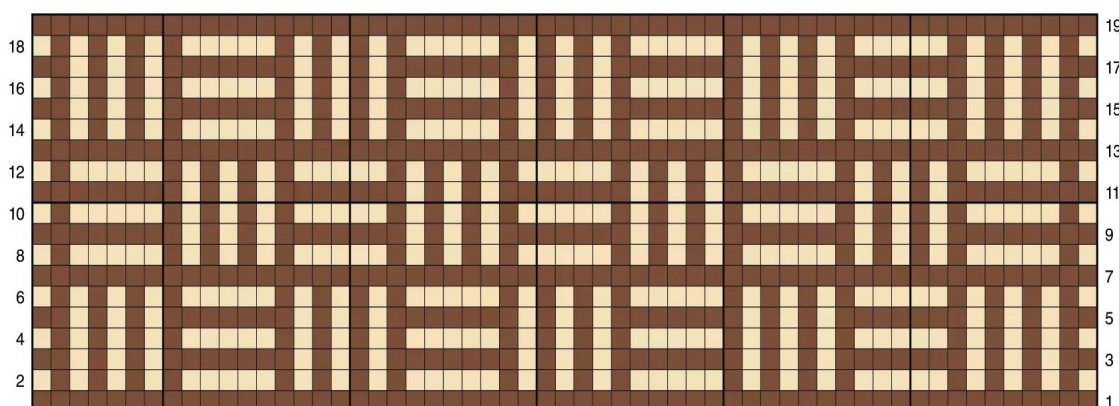
FRINGE

For each knot of fringe, cut 3 strands of light brown 12 inches long. Fold strands in half and use crochet hook to pull fold through the first st on 1 short end. Pull ends through lp and tighten knot.

Place knots in every other stitch across end. Rep on other short end. Trim fringe at desired length.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends. Block to measurements. **C!**



Mosaic Kitchen Towel
Chart

TEXTURED STRIPES TABLE RUNNER

DESIGN BY KATHLEEN BERLEW

Cross-double crochet stitches create a pattern of peaks and valleys across this airy table runner. A neutral palette elevates the simple design and gives it a sophisticated quality.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

20 inches wide x 44 inches long

MATERIALS

- Patons Hempster light (DK) weight hemp/cotton yarn (3½ oz/190 yds/100g per skein):
2 skeins each #11013 white sand, #11014 ecru, #11020 pewter
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

14 dc = 4 inches; 7 rows = 4 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

Cross-double crochet (cross-dc): (Sk next st, dc in next st, dc in sk st) across.

TABLE RUNNER

Row 1 (RS): With pewter, ch 153, dc in 4th ch from hook (*beg chs count as first dc*), ch 1, sk next ch, [dc in next ch, ch 1, sk next ch] across to last 2 chs, dc in each of last 2 chs, turn. (77 dc, 74 ch-1 sps)

Row 2: Ch 3 (*see Pattern Notes*), dc in each dc and each ch-1 sp across, **change color** (*see Stitch Guide*) to white sand at end of row, turn. (151 dc)

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in next st, **cross-dc** (*see Spe-*

cial Stitch) across to last 3 sts, dc in each of last 3 sts, turn. (73 cross-dc, 5 dc)

Rows 4–6: Rep row 3. After last rep, change color to ecru, turn.

Rows 7–10: Rep row 3. After last rep, change color to pewter.

Row 11: Ch 3, dc in each st across, turn.

Row 12: Ch 3, dc in next st, ch 1, sk next st, [dc in next st, ch 1, sk next st] across to last 2 sts, dc in each of last 2 sts, turn.

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CADENCE COASTERS

DESIGN BY DENIMADE

Coordinated farmhouse colors are mixed to make a set of sophisticated coasters crocheted in the round.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

5 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight mercerized cotton yarn (3½ oz/ 218 yds/100g per skein):
1 skein each #861 sand, #807 khaki and #887 charcoal
- Size 7/4.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

Rnds 1 and 2 = 2½ inches in diameter

Gauge is not critical for this project.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

When making a chain 1 at the beginning of a double crochet round, pull the chain up slightly to reach the height of a double crochet.

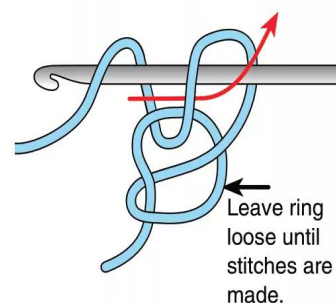
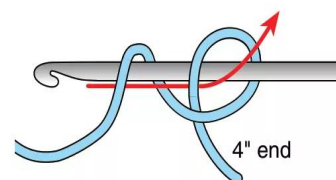
Mark the first stitch in each round; move marker up with each round.

Each fringe group can have 3 strands of yarn instead of 2 for a fuller look. In this case, cut 30 strands to begin and hold 3 strands together.

COASTER

Make 1 in each color.

Rnd 1: Form a **slip ring** (see illustration) or ch 4 and **join** (see Pattern Notes) to first ch to form a ring, **ch 1** (see Pattern Notes), [1 dc, ch 1] 10 times into ring, pull tail of slip ring tight to close, join to first dc. (10 dc, 10 ch-1 sps)



Slip Ring

Rnd 2: Sl st into first ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 dc into same ch-1 sp, ch 2, sk next dc, *2 dc into next ch-1 sp, ch 2, sk next dc; rep from * to end, join to first dc. (20 dc, 10 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 3: Sl st in next dc, (sl st, ch 1, 2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) into first ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk next 2 dc, *(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) into next ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk 2 dc; rep from * to end of rnd, join to first dc. (40 dc, 20 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 4: Sl st in next dc, (sl st, ch 1, 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) into first ch-1 sp, sc into next ch-1 sp (directly above 2 dc 2 rnds below), *(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) into next ch-1 sp, sc into next ch-1 sp; rep from * to end, join to first dc. (40 dc, 10 sc, 10 ch-2 sps)

Fasten off.

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MANDALA RUG

DESIGN BY PRISCILLA HEWITT
FOR ANNIE'S SIGNATURE DESIGNS



Texture and color are the hallmarks of this mandala rug worked in the round. A wide variety of stitches and interesting techniques are used to crochet this rug in bulky weight tubular cotton yarn.

1 2 3 4 5 6 MODERATELY CHALLENGING

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

37 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Bernat Maker Home Dec bulky (chunky) weight cotton/nylon yarn (8¾ oz/317 yds/250g per ball):
2 balls each #11008 clay (A), #11009 cream (B) and #11019 Pebble Beach variegated (C)
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

Rnds 1–5 = 6 inches in diameter

Take time to check gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

Chain-1 at beginning of round does not count as a stitch.

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

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

Chain-5 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet and chain-2 unless otherwise stated.

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

Back post single crochet, chain-2 at beginning of round counts as first back post double crochet.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning cluster (beg cl): Ch 2, [yo, insert hook in next st or sp, yo and draw up a lp, yo and draw through 2 lps] twice, yo and draw through all 3 lps on hook.

Cluster (cl): [Yo, insert hook in next st or sp, yo and draw up a lp, yo and draw through 2 lps] 3 times, yo and draw through all 4 lps on hook.

Beginning popcorn (beg pc): Ch 3, 3 dc as indicated in instructions, remove lp from hook, insert hook in top of ch-3, pick up dropped lp and draw through st, ch 1 tightly to secure.

Popcorn (pc): 4 dc as indicated in instructions, remove lp from hook, insert hook in top of first dc, pick up dropped lp and draw through st, ch 1 tightly to secure.

RUG

With A, ch 6, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), 15 dc in ring, join in first ch. (16 dc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 2: With RS facing, join C in **front lp** (see *StitchGuide.com*) of any dc, **ch 4** (see *Pattern Notes*), tr in front lp of each dc around, join in top of beg ch-4. (16 tr)

Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With RS facing and slip knot of B on hook, insert hook in top of any tr and in unworked lp at base on back of same tr, complete a sc, ch 2, [insert hook in top of next tr and in unworked lp at base on back of same tr, complete a sc, ch 2] 15 times, join in first sc. (16 sc, 16 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 4: Sl st in next ch-2 sp, **beg cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in same sp, ch 3, (**cl**—see *Special Stitches*, ch 3) in each sp around, join in top of beg cl. (16 cls, 16 ch-3 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 5: With RS facing, join A in top of any cl, ch 3, 3 dc in next ch-3 sp, [dc in next cl, 3 dc in next ch-3 sp] 15 times, join in top of beg ch-3. (64 dc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 6: With RS facing, join C with a **bpsc** (see *StitchGuide.com*) around post of any dc, **ch 2** (see *Pattern Notes*), **bpdc** (see *StitchGuide.com*) around post of each rem dc around, join in top of first bpdc. (64 bpdc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 7: With RS facing, join B with a bpsc around post of any dc, ch 2, bpdc around post of each rem bpdc around, join in top of first bpdc. (64 bpdc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 8: With RS facing, join A with a bpsc around post of any dc, bpsc around post of next dc, [ch 2, bpsc around post of each of next 2 dc] 32 times, join with a hdc in first bpsc to form last ch-2 sp. (64 bpsc, 32 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 9: Ch 1 (see *Pattern Notes*), sc in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, cl in side of last sc, [sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 3, cl in side of last sc] 31 times, join in first sc. (32 cls, 32 sc, 32 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 10: Sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, (sc, ch 2) in each ch-3 sp around, join in first sc. (32 sc, 32 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 11: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, [sc in next sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp] 31 times, join in first sc. (96 sc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 12: Rep rnd 2. (96 tr)

Rnd 13: With RS facing and slip knot of B on hook, insert hook in top of any tr and in unworked lp at base on back of same tr, complete as sc, ch 1, [insert hook in top of next tr and in unworked lp at base on back of same tr, complete as sc, ch 1] 95 times, join in first sc. (96 sc, 96 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 14: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch-1 sp, ch 5, sk next (sc, ch 1, sc), *sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 5, sk next (sc, ch 1, sc), rep from * 46 times, join in first sc. (48 sc, 48 ch-5 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 15: With RS facing and working behind rnd 14, join A in any sk ch-1 sp in rnd 13, ch 3,

2 dc in same ch-1 sp, 3 dc in each sk ch-1 sp in rnd 13, join in top of beg ch-3. (144 dc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 16: With RS facing and slip knot of B on hook, insert hook in any ch-5 sp in rnd 14 and in center dc of 3-dc group in rnd 15 directly behind ch-5 sp and complete as sl st, **ch 5** (see *Pattern Notes*), [yo, insert hook under next ch-5 sp on rnd 14 and into center dc of next 3-dc group in rnd 15 and complete a dc, ch 2] 47 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5. (48 dc, 48 ch-2 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 17: With RS facing and working behind rnd 16, join A through 2 vertical bars at base on back of any dc in rnd 16, ch 1, hdc through same 2 vertical bars, dc in each of next 2 dc in rnd 15, [hdc through 2 vertical bars at base on back of next dc in rnd 16, dc in each of next 2 dc in rnd 15] 47 times, join in first hdc. (48 hdc, 96 dc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 18: With RS facing and slip knot of B on hook, insert hook in any dc in rnd 16 and in hdc directly behind in rnd 17 and complete a sc, insert hook under next ch-2 sp on rnd 16 and in next dc on rnd 17 and complete as sc, insert hook under same ch-2 sp in rnd 16 and in next dc in rnd 17 and complete a sc, [insert hook in next dc in rnd 16 and in hdc directly behind on rnd 17 and complete a sc, insert hook under next ch-2 sp in rnd 16 and in next dc on rnd 17 and complete a sc, insert hook under same ch-2 sp on rnd 16 and in next dc in rnd 17 and complete as sc] 47 times, join in first sc. (144 sc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 19: With RS facing, join C in first sc of rnd 18, ch 2, **beg pc** (see *Special Stitches*) in same st, ch 3, sk next 2 sc, [**pc** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, ch 3, sk next 2 sc] 47 times, join in first pc. (48 pc, 48 ch-3 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 20: With RS facing, join A with a sc in any pc, 3 dc in next ch-3 sp, [sc in next pc, 3 dc in next ch-3 sp] 47 times, join in first sc. (48 sc, 144 dc)

Rnd 21: Ch 1 loosely, **fpdc** (see *StitchGuide.com*) around post of first sc, ch 1, sk next dc, sc in next dc, ch 1, sk next dc, [fpdc around post of next sc, ch 1, sk next dc, sc in next dc,

ch 1, sk next dc] 47 times, join in first fpdc. (48 fpdc, 48 sc, 96 ch-1 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 22: With RS facing, join C with a sc in any fpdc, sc in next ch-1 sp, sc and ch-1 sp, *sc in next fpdc, ch-1 sp, sc and ch-1 sp, rep from * around, join with a sl st in first sc. (192 sc)

Rnd 23: Ch 1 loosely, bpdsc around post of each sc around, join in first bpdsc. (192 bpdsc)

Rnd 24: Ch 1, bpssc around post of each bpdsc around, join first bpssc. (192 bpssc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 25: With RS facing, join B with a sc in any sc, ch 1, sk next sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc] 95 times, join in first sc. (96 sc, 96 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 26: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, beg cl in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, cl in each ch-1 sp around, join in first cl. (96 cls, 96 ch-1 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 27: With RS facing, join A in any cl, ch 3, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next cl, dc in next ch-1 sp, [dc in next cl, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next cl, dc in next ch-1 sp] 47 times, join in top of beg ch-3. (240 dc)

Fasten off.

Rnds 28 & 29: Rep rnds 6 and 7. (240 bpdsc at end of last rnd)

Rnd 30: With RS facing, join A with a bpssc around post of any bpdsc, bpssc around post of each of next 2 bpdsc, [ch 2, bpssc around post of each of next 3 bpdsc] 79 times, join with a hdc in first bpssc to form last ch-2 sp. (240 bpssc, 80 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 31: Ch 1, sc in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, cl in side of last sc, [sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 3, cl in side of last sc] 79 times, join in first cls. (80 cls, 80 sc, 80 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 32: Sl st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch-3 sp, ch 2, (sc, ch 2) in each ch-3 sp around, join in first sc. (80 sc, 80 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 33: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, [sc in next sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp] 79 times, join in first sc. (240 sc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 34: Rep rnd 2. (240 tr)

Rnd 35: With RS facing and slip knot of B on hook, insert hook in any tr and in unworked lp at base on back of same tr and complete as sc,

[insert hook in top of next tr and in unworked lp at base on back of same tr and complete as sc] 2 times, *[ch 1, insert hook in top of next tr and in unworked lp at base on the back of same tr and complete as sc] 3 times, rep from * 78 times, join with a sc in first sc to form last ch-1 sp. (240 sc, 80 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 36: Ch 1, sc in first ch-1 sp, ch 5, sk next 3 sc, (sc, ch 5) in each ch-1 sp around, join in first sc. (80 sc, 80 ch-5 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 37: With RS facing and working behind rnd 36, join A in next sc in rnd 35, ch 3, dc in each of next 2 sc, ch 1, [dc in each of next 3 sc on rnd 35, ch 1] 79 times, join in top of beg ch-3. (240 dc, 80 ch-1 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 38: With RS facing and B on hook, insert hook under any ch-5 sp in rnd 36 and in center dc of 3-dc group in rnd 37 directly behind ch-5 lp and complete a sl st, **ch 6** (see *Pattern Notes*), [yo, insert hook under next ch-5 sp in rnd 36 and into center dc of next 3-dc group in rnd 37 and complete as dc, ch 3] 79 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (80 dc, 80 ch-3 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 39: With RS facing and working behind rnd 38, join A through 2 vertical bars at base on back of any dc on rnd 38, ch 1, hdc through same 2 vertical bars, dc in next dc, ch-1 sp and dc in rnd 37, [hdc through 2 vertical bars at base on back of next dc in rnd 38, dc in each of next 3 dc in rnd 37] 79 times, join in first hdc. (80 hdc, 240 dc)

Fasten off.

Rnd 40: With RS facing and slip knot of B on hook, insert hook in any dc in rnd 38 and in hdc directly behind in rnd 39 and complete as sc, insert hook under next ch-3 sp in rnd 38 and in next dc on rnd 39 and complete as sc, [insert hook under same ch-3 sp on rnd 38 and into next dc on rnd 39 and complete as sc] 2 times, *insert hook into next dc on rnd 38 and into hdc directly behind on rnd 39 and complete as sc, insert hook under next ch-3 sp on rnd 38 and into next dc on rnd 39 and complete as sc, [insert hook under same ch-3 sp on rnd 38 and into next dc on rnd 39 and complete as sc] 2 times, rep from * 78 times, join with a sl st in the first sc. (320 sc)

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SWEET GRANNY BLANKET

DESIGN BY TONI LIPSEY

The granny square gets a makeover! Updated with new vintage-vibe colors and splashes of cream, this blanket can be customized from baby to bed-sized throw just by making more squares.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

42 inches wide x 47 inches long after block, including border

MATERIALS

- Premier Basix medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/359 yds/200g per skein):
 - 4 skeins #32 cream (MC)
 - 1 skein each #29 aqua (CA), #30 turquoise (CB), #09 fuchsia (CC), #12 red (CD) and #05 lemon (CE)
- Size 1/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

1 Square = 5½ inches from corner to corner across center

PATTERN NOTES

Assembly Diagram indicates the yarn color used for the first 2 rounds of the square. For example, the bottom left square begins with 2 rounds of CC and ends with 1 round of MC. Plain squares and triangles are worked entirely with MC.

As you complete the join-as-you-go method, the “working square” is the square you are completing and the “joining square” is the completed square you are connecting the working square to.

This project results in a lot of ends. Weave ends in as work progresses.



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

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

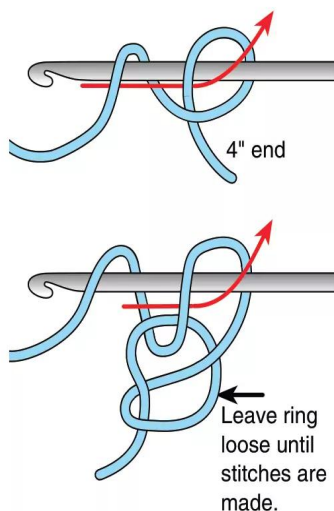
SPECIAL STITCH

Picot: Ch 3, sl st in first ch.

BLANKET

FIRST SQUARE

Rnd 1: With CC, make a **slip ring** (see illustration), **ch 3** (see Pattern Notes), 2 dc in ring, ch 2, [3 dc ring, ch 2] 3 times, **join** (see Pattern Notes) in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, close slip ring. (12 dc, 4 ch-2 sps)

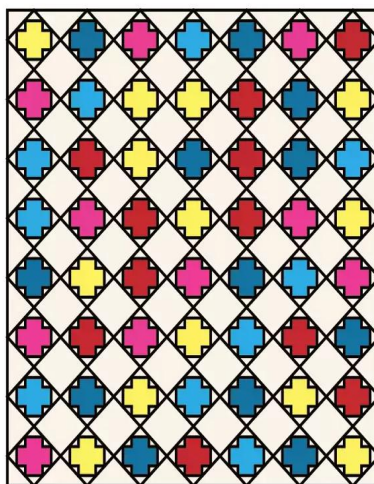


Slip Ring

Rnd 2: Sl st to next ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, [ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off. (24 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 4 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 3: Join MC in any ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, [ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 3 times, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off. (36 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 8 ch-1 sps)

Rep instructions for rem squares, using colors for centers as shown in the Assembly Diagram or using MC for plain squares or triangles. Join squares following joining instructions.



Sweet Granny Blanket
Assembly Diagram 42" x 47"

COLOR KEY

■	Aqua
■	Turquoise
■	Fuchsia
■	Red
■	Lemon

JOINING 2 CORNERS

Rnds 1 & 2: Rep rnds 1 and 2 of First Square with accent color or MC as instructed in chart. Cut accent color if needed.

Note: If changing from an accent color, join MC in any ch-2 sp. If continuing with MC, sl st to next ch-2 sp.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, sl st in ch-2 sp of joining square, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-2 sp of joining square, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp of working square, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp of working square, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

JOINING 3 CORNERS

Rnds 1 & 2: Rep rnds 1 and 2 of First Square with accent color or fasten off accent color if needed.

Note: If changing from an accent color, join MC in any ch-2 sp. If continuing with MC, sl st to next ch-2 sp.

Rnd 3: (Ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in next ch-2 sp, sl st in ch-2 sp of joining square, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square] 2 times, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-2 sp of joining square, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp of working square, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Side Triangle

Row 1: With MC, make a slip ring, ch 4, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ring, ch 1, dc in ring, close slip ring, turn. (8 dc, 1 ch-2 sp, 2 ch-1 sps)

Row 2: Ch 4, 3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in sp formed by beg ch-4, ch 1, dc in 3rd ch of same beg ch-4, turn. (14 dc, 1 ch-2 sp, 4 ch-1 sps)

Row 3: Ch 3, sl st in ch-2 of joining square, 3 dc in ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-2 sp of joining square, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in next ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in beg ch-4 sp, sl st in ch-2 sp of joining square, dc in 3rd ch of same beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Corner Triangle

Row 1: With MC, make a slip ring, ch 4, 3 dc in ring, ch 1, dc in ring, close ring, turn. (5 dc, 2 ch-1 sps)

Row 2: Ch 4, 3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in sp formed by beg ch-4, ch 1, dc in 3rd ch of same beg ch-4, turn. (8 dc, 3 ch-1 sps)

Row 3: Ch 3, sl st in ch-2 sp of joining square, 3 dc in ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in ch-1 sp of working square, sl st in ch-1 sp of joining square, 3 dc in beg ch-4 sp of working square, sl st in ch-2 sp of joining square, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Border

Rnd 1: With RS facing, join MC in slip ring of Corner Triangle joined to First Square, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, *ch 1, evenly

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HAPPY DAYS PICNIC BLANKET

DESIGN BY SUSIE ALLEN

Alternating short sections of filet and solid stitching create a timeless gingham fabric effect.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

52 inches wide x 60 inches long

MATERIALS

- Berroco Weekend medium (worsted)  weight acrylic/cotton yarn (3½ oz/205 yds/100g per hank):
11 hanks #5961 garnet
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

[Ch 1, dc] 4 times + 7 dc = 4 inches; 8 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

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

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

BLANKET

Ch 195.

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 4th ch from hook (*beg sk chs count as first dc*), dc in next 7 chs, [ch 1, sk next ch, dc in next ch] 4 times, *dc in next 8 chs, [ch 1, sk next ch, dc in next ch] 4 times; rep from * across to end, turn. (145 dc, 48 ch-1 sps)

Row 2: Ch 4 (*see Pattern Notes*), [dc in next dc, ch 1] 3 times, dc in next 8 dc, *[dc in next dc, ch 1] 4 times, dc in next 8 dc; rep from * across, working last dc in top of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3 (*see Pattern Notes*), *dc in next 8 dc, [ch 1, dc in next dc] 4 times; rep from * across, working last dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-4, turn.

Row 4: Rep row 2.

Row 5: Ch 4, dc in next dc, [ch 1, sk next dc, dc in next dc] 3 times, dc in next 8 dc, *[ch 1, sk next dc, dc in next dc] 4 times, dc in next 8 dc; rep from * across, working last dc in top of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 6: Rep row 3.

Rows 7 & 8: Rep rows 2 and 3.

Row 9: Ch 3, *[dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc] 4 times, [ch 1, sk next dc, dc in next dc]

4 times; rep from * across, working last dc in top of beg ch-3, turn.

Rows 10 & 11: Rep rows 2 and 3.

Row 12: Rep row 2.

Rows 13–108: [Rep rows 5–12 consecutively] 12 times. At end of last row, fasten off.

Block Blanket to 50 inches wide x 58 inches long.

BORDER

Rnd 1: With RS of long edge facing and working in ends of rows, **join** (*see Pattern Notes*) in first row, **ch 2** (*see Pattern Notes*), hdc in same row, *work 2 hdc in each row across, rotate blanket, work 3 hdc in corner, work hdc in each st across to next corner**, work 3 hdc in corner; rep from * once, ending at **, join in top of beg ch-2, do not turn. (826 hdc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, work 3 hdc in center hdc of previous corner, [work 1 hdc in each hdc across to center hdc of corner, work 3 hdc in corner] 3 times, work 1 hdc in each hdc to beg of rnd, join in top of beg ch-2, do not turn. (834 hdc)

Rnd 3: Ch 2, hdc in next hdc, work 3 hdc in center hdc of previous corner, [work 1 hdc in each hdc around to next corner, 3 hdc in center hdc] 3 times, work 1 hdc in each hdc to beg of rnd, join in top of beg ch-2. Fasten off. (842 hdc) 

SUNNY GARDEN THROW

DESIGN BY LAURA GEBHARDT

Ruffled flower motifs surround a pretty textured center panel creating a fanciful take on an old-fashioned trellised garden.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

52 inches wide x 63 inches long

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/ 364 yds/198g per skein):
7 skeins #320 cornmeal
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- 24 stitch markers
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

7 V-sts = 5 inches; 15 rows = 8 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Center Panel should measure approximately 40 x 48 inches before adding Flower Motifs.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

V-stitch (V-st): 2 dc in indicated st.

Shell: 5 dc in indicated st.

Picot: Ch 3, sl st in top of dc.

Picot shell: (3 dc, picot in top of last dc, 2 dc) in indicated st.

THROW

CENTER PANEL

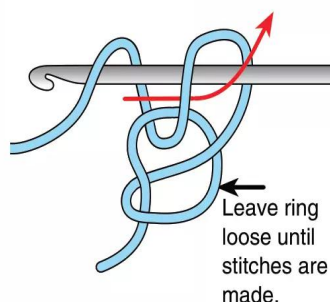
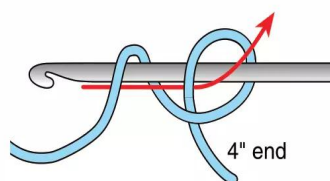
Row 1: Ch 112, **V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first dc), [sk next ch, V-st in next ch] across until 2 chs rem, sk next ch, dc in last ch, turn. (54 V-sts, 2 dc)

Rows 2–90: **Ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), V-st in sp between 2-dc group of each V-st across, dc in top of last dc, turn. At the end of row 90, fasten off. (54 V-sts, 2 dc)

FLOWER

First Motif

Rnd 1: Form a **slip ring** (see illustration), ch 3, 11 dc in ring, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in **front lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of beg ch-3. (12 dc)



Slip Ring

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same lp, ch 3, [sc in front lp of next st, ch 3] around, join in first sc. (12 ch-3 lps)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, working in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*) of rnd 1, 2 dc in each st around, join in front lp of first dc. (24 dc)

Rnd 4: Rep rnd 2. (24 ch-3 lps)

Rnd 5: Ch 1, working in back lps of rnd 3, [2 dc in next st, dc in next st] around, join in front lp of first dc. (36 dc)

Rnd 6: Rep rnd 2. (36 ch-3 lps)

Rnd 7: Ch 1, working in back lps of rnd 5, sc in next st, [ch 5, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st] 11 times, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last ch-5 lp.

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in same lp, [ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp] 11 times, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last ch-5 lp.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, sc in same lp, *[ch 6, sc in next ch-5 lp] twice, ch 9, sc in next ch-5 lp, rep from * around, join in first sc. Fasten off.

2nd Motif

Rnds 1–8: Rep rnds 1–8 of First Motif.

Rnd 9 (joining): Ch 1, sc in same lp, [ch 6, sc in next ch-5 lp] twice, ch 4, sl st in ch-9 lp of previous Motif, ch 4, sc in next ch-5 lp of 2nd Motif, [ch 3, sl st in next ch-6 lp of First Motif, ch 3, sc in next ch-5 lp of 2nd Motif] twice, ch 4, sl st in next ch-9 lp of First Motif, ch 4, sc in next ch-5 lp of 2nd Motif, *[ch 6, sc in next ch-5 lp] twice, ch 9, sc in next ch-5 lp, rep from * around, join in first sc. Fasten off.

Make a strip of 7 Motifs. Join a 2nd strip of 6 Motifs at right angles to First Motif. Join a 3rd strip of 6 Motifs at right angles to Motif

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RUBY'S CAFÉ

DESIGN BY AGNES RUSSELL

Punch up your decor and add some **wow** factor to your vintage dining room or breakfast nook! The completed project is stiffened over a balloon before the ready-made light fixture is added.



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

10½ inches long x 18 inches in circumference at top of first pineapple bases x 33 inches in circumference at lower edge

MATERIALS

- Omega Hilaza Size 3 cotton (656 yds per ball):
1 ball #535 cherry
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Aleene's Fabric Stiffener & Draping Liquid
- 12-inch balloon
- 1¼-inch x 5¼-inch cardboard
- Cellophane tape
- Plastic wrap
- 15-foot white single socket pendant light
- 40W light bulb
- Spring clothespin
- Small stiff brush

GAUGE

9 dc = 1 inch; 3 shell rows = 1 inch

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.

When instructed to work in any shell or V-stitch, work in the chain-3 space of the shell or V-stitch.

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

To avoid overheating, use 40W light bulb or smaller.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning V-stitch (beg V-st): Sl st in indicated st, (**ch 6**—see *Pattern Notes*, dc) in same st.

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

Beginning shell (beg shell): Sl st in indicated st, (**ch 3**—see *Pattern Notes*, dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in same st.

Shell: (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in indicated st.

Beginning double shell (beg dbl shell): Sl st in indicated st, ch 3, (dc, [ch 3, 2 dc] twice) in same st.

Double shell (dbl shell): (2 dc, [ch 3, 2 dc] twice) in indicated st.

SHADE

Rnd 1 (RS): Beg at top of Shade, leaving a 5-inch length, ch 46, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, using care not to twist, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc. (45 sc)

Rnds 2–6: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, join in beg sc.

Rnd 7: Beg V-st (see *Special Stitches*) in joining st, *sk next 2 sts, **V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, rep from * around, sk last 2 sts, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. (15 V-sts)

Rnd 8: Beg shell (see *Special Stitches*) in beg **V-st**, **shell** (see *Special Stitches and Pattern Notes*) in each V-st around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 shells)

Rnds 9 & 10: Beg shell in beg shell, (ch 1, shell) in each shell around, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 11: Beg shell in beg shell, (ch 2, shell) in each shell around, ch 2, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 12: Beg shell in beg shell, (ch 3, shell) in each shell around, ch 3, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 shells, 15 ch-3 sps between shells)

Rnd 13: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, dc in next ch-3 sp between shells, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 shells, 15 dc)

Rnd 14: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 1, V-st in next dc, ch 1**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 shells, 15 V-sts)

Rnd 15: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, V-st in next V-st, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 16: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, 8 dc in next V-st (*pineapple base*), ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 *pineapple bases*, 15 shells)

Rnd 17: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, dc in sp between first and 2nd dc of next 8-dc group, [ch 1, dc in sp between next 2 dc of same group] 6 times (7 dc across *pineapple*), ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 *pineapples*, 15 shells)

Rnd 18: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 5 ch-1 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (5 ch-3 sps across *pineapples*)

Rnd 19: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 4 ch-1 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (4 ch-3 sps across *pineapples*)

Rnd 20: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 3 ch-1 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (3 ch-3 sps across *pineapples*)

Rnd 21: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 2 ch-1 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (2 ch-3 sps across *pineapples*)

Rnd 22: Beg dbl shell (see *Special Stitches*) in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2**, **dbl shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (15 double shells, 1 ch-3 sp at top of each *pineapple*)

Rnd 23: Beg shell in first ch-3 sp of beg dbl shell, *ch 3, shell in next ch-3 sp of same dbl shell, ch 1, dc in ch-3 sp at top of *pineapple*, ch 1**, shell in first ch-3 sp of next dbl shell, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells)

Rnd 24: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, shell in next shell, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 30 ch-3 sps, 15 ch-2 sps)

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FLOWERS IN A ROW

DESIGN BY JOYCE GEISLER



Add a bright spot of color to your kitchen with this vintage towel edging. Just repeat the simple motif as many times as needed to cover the width of a purchased towel.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

13 Motifs measure 17½ inches joined together

MATERIALS

- Omega Crochet Cotton size 10 (173 yds per ball):
1 ball each #110 white, #105 lime, #118 light mango and #116 red
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Sewing needle
- Matching sewing threads
- 17¾ x 18¼-inch tea towels: 3



GAUGE

Flower Motif: 1¾ inches point to point

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Make 13 Flower Motifs with same color needed to work across the short end of a tea towel. Motifs are all joined as you go. For a larger or smaller piece, add or delete Motifs as needed.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-5 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet and chain 2 unless otherwise stated.

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

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning shell (beg shell): (Ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in indicated sp.

Shell: (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in indicated sp.

MOTIF

FIRST FLOWER MOTIF

Rnd 1 (RS): With red (lime or light mango), ch 6, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, **ch 5** (see *Pattern Notes*), [dc in ring, ch 2] 11 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5. (12 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 2: Join white in any ch-2 sp, **beg shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in same ch-2 sp, sc in next ch-2 sp, [**shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next ch-2 sp] 5 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off. (6 shells)

2ND-13TH FLOWER MOTIFS

Rnd 1: Rep rnd 1 of First Flower Motif.

Rnd 2: Join white in any ch-2 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp, sl st in ch-2 sp of shell of previous Flower Motif, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp on working Flower Motif, sc in next ch-2 sp, [3 dc in next ch-2 sp, sl st in next ch-2 sp of shell of previous Flower Motif, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp] on working Flower Motif, sc in next sp, [shell in next ch-2 sp, sc in next ch-2 sp] 4 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off. (6 shells)

Block Flower Motifs to measurements. With sewing needle and thread, sew Flower Motif strip points of the Motifs to short end of the towel. **CI**





WOVEN-LOOK HOT PAD

DESIGN BY MARGRET WILLSON

Worked diagonally, this reversible hot pad is both practical and striking. The woven look is created by working double crochet stitches into skipped stitches two rows below.

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

9½ inches square

MATERIALS

- Lily Sugar n' Cream medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (2½ oz/120 yds/71g per skein):
1 ball each #1 white and #95 red
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

7 sts = 2 inches; 6 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Hot Pad is crocheted diagonally from corner to opposite corner and may not be perfectly square until after blocking.

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

To change colors, work last stitch of row to last yarn over; with new color yarn over.

Do not fasten off unused color; carry loosely up edge of work.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

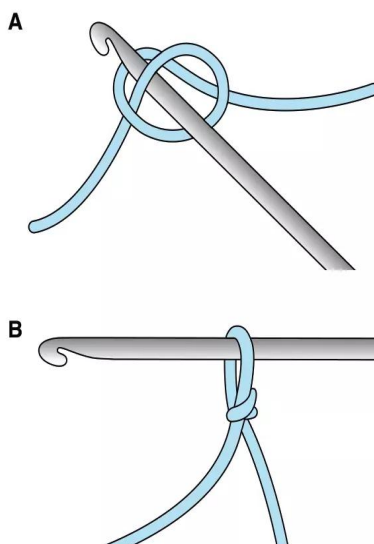
SPECIAL STITCHES

Front long double crochet (fldc):

Working in front of ch-1 sp, dc in next sk sc 2 rows below.

Back long double crochet (bldc): Working behind ch-1 sp, dc in next sk sc 2 rows below.**Single crochet join (sc join):** Place **slip knot** (see illustration) on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook.

HOT PAD

Row 1 (WS): With white, ch 4, 4 dc in 4th ch from hook, **change color** (see Pattern Notes) to red, turn. (5 dc)**Row 2 (RS):** With red, ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in each of next 3 dc, 2 sc in last st, turn. (7 sc)

Slip Knot

Row 3: Ch 3 (see Pattern Notes), dc in first sc, [ch 1, sk next st, dc in next sc] across ending with 2 dc in last st, change color to white, turn. (6 dc, 3 ch-1 sps)**Row 4:** With white, ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in next dc, *fldc (see Special Stitches), sc in next dc**, bldc (see Special Stitches), sc in next dc, rep from * across ending last rep at **, 2 sc in last st, turn. (8 sc, 3 long dc)**Row 5:** Ch 3, dc in first sc, *ch 1, sk next st, dc in next sc, rep from * across ending with 2 dc in last sc, change color to red, turn. (8 dc, 5 ch-1 sps)**Row 6:** With red, ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in next st, *fldc, sc in next dc**, bldc, sc in next dc, rep from * across ending last rep at **, 2 sc in last st, turn. (10 sc, 5 long dc)**Row 7:** Rep row 3. (10 dc, 7 ch-1 sps)**Row 8:** Rep row 4. (12 sc, 7 long dc)**Row 9:** Rep row 5. (12 dc, 9 ch-1 sps)**Row 10:** Rep row 6. (14 sc, 9 long dc)**Row 11:** Rep row 3. (14 dc, 11 ch-1 sps)**Row 12:** Rep row 4. (16 sc, 11 long dc)**Row 13:** Rep row 5. (16 dc, 13 ch-1 sps)**Row 14:** Rep row 6. (18 sc, 13 long dc)**Row 15:** Rep row 3. (18 dc, 15 ch-1 sps)**Row 16:** Rep row 4. (20 sc, 15 long dc)**Row 17:** Rep row 5. (20 dc, 17 ch-1 sps)**Row 18:** With red, ch 1, sk first st, sc in next dc, *fldc, sc in next dc**, bldc, sc in next dc,

rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sk last st, turn. (18 sc, 17 long dc)

Row 19: Ch 3, sk long dc, dc in next sc, *ch 1, sk next long dc, dc in next sc, rep from * across to last 2 sts, sk next long dc, dc in last st, change color to white, turn. (18 dc, 15 ch-1 sps)**Row 20:** With white, ch 1, sk first st, sc in next dc, *fldc, sc in next dc**, bldc, sc in next dc, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sk last st, turn. (16 sc, 15 long dc)**Row 21:** Ch 3, sk long dc, dc in next sc, *ch 1, sk next long dc, dc in next sc, rep from * across to last 2 sts, sk next long dc, dc in last sc, change color to red, turn. (16 dc, 13 ch-1 sps)**Row 22:** Rep row 18. (14 sc, 13 long dc)**Row 23:** Rep row 19. (14 dc, 11 ch-1 sps)**Row 24:** Rep row 20. (12 sc, 11 long dc)**Row 25:** Rep row 21. (12 dc, 9 ch-1 sps)**Row 26:** Rep row 18. (10 sc, 9 long dc)**Row 27:** Rep row 19. (10 dc, 7 ch-1 sps)**Row 28:** Rep row 20. (8 sc, 7 long dc)**Row 29:** Rep row 21. (8 dc, 5 ch-1 sps)**Row 30:** Rep row 18. (6 sc, 5 long dc)**Row 31:** Rep row 19. (6 dc, 3 ch-1 sps)**Row 32:** Rep row 20. (4 sc, 3 long dc)**Row 33:** Ch 3, sk next st, keeping last lp of each st on hook, dc in each of next 3 sts, sk next st, dc in last st, yo and draw through all 5 lps on hook. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Dampen and block to 9 inches square.

BORDER

Rnd 1: With RS facing, **sc join** (see Special Stitches) red in base of row 1, 2 sc in same corner, *work 2 sc in end of each dc row and 1 sc in each sc row, work a total of 26 sc across to next corner**, 3 sc in corner, rep from * around ending last rep at **, **join** (see Pattern Notes) in beg sc.**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, *reverse sc (see Stitch Guide) in next sc, ch 1, rep from * around, join in beg reverse sc. Fasten off. **C**

RETRO POT HOLDER SET

DESIGNS BY JENNIFER OLIVAREZ

This fun and practical set of pot holders will add just the right touch of vintage whimsy to your kitchen!

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Polka-Dot Pot Holder: 7 inches square

Bobble Wheel Pot Holder: 7½ inches in diameter

Retro Medley Pot Holder: 6½ inches square

MATERIALS

- Knit Picks Dishie medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (3½ oz/190 yds/100g per ball):
1 ball each #25409 swan, #25786 fiesta red, #27041 mint and #25788 Kenai
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

8 dc = 2 inches; 4 dc rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Change color at the end of rows. Carry yarn up neatly where necessary.

Chain-5 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet and chain-2 unless otherwise stated.

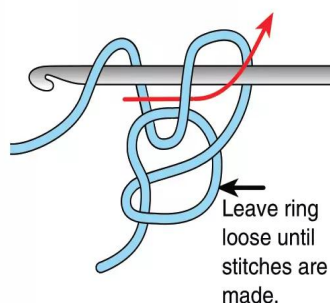
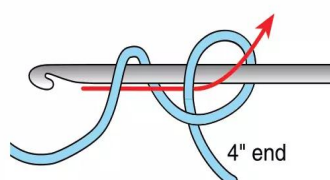
Weave in ends and block each piece to size before assembly.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Cluster join (cl join): Place slip knot on hook, (yo and insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) 4 times, yo, draw through all 5 lps on hook, ch 1.

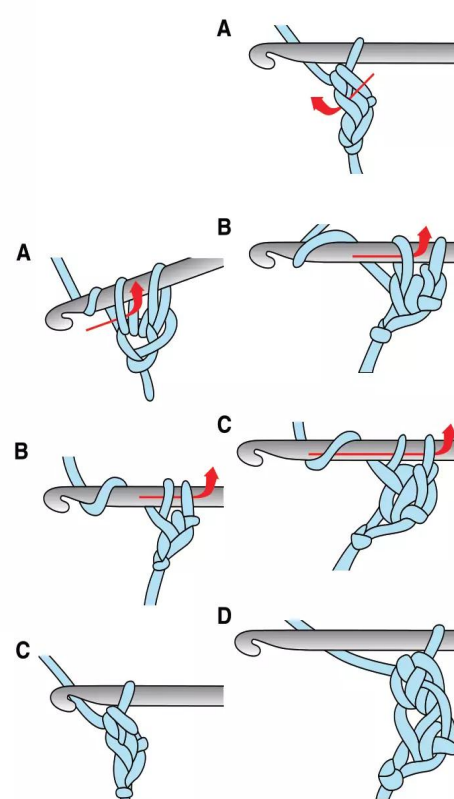
Cluster (cl): (Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) 4 times, yo, draw through all 5 lps on hook, ch 1.

Slip ring: Leaving 4-inch end (see illustration), lap thread over 4-inch end forming lp, insert hook through lp from front to back, yo, pull through lp to form ring, yo, pull through lp on hook.



Slip Ring

First foundation single crochet (first foundation sc): Ch 2, insert hook into 2nd ch from hook, yo, pull up a lp, yo, pull



First Foundation
Single Crochet

Next Foundation
Single Crochet

through 1 lp on hook (see illustration A—ch-1 completed), yo, pull through both lps on hook (see illustrations B and C—sc completed).

Next foundation single crochet (next foundation sc): [Insert hook in last ch-1 made (see illustration A), yo, pull up a lp, yo, pull through 1 lp on hook (see illustration B—ch-1 completed), yo, pull through both lps on hook (see illustrations C and D—sc completed)] as indicated in instructions.



POLKA-DOT POT HOLDER

FRONT

Row 1 (RS): With swan, ch 26, sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across, turn. (25 sc)

Rows 2–4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of last row, do not turn and do not fasten off. Remove lp from hook and set aside.

Row 5 (WS): Sk 6 sc, **cl join** (see *Special Stitches*) red in next sc, [ch 6, sk 5 sc, **cl** (see *Special Stitches*)] twice, leaving rem sts unworked, fasten off. (3 cls, 2 ch-6 sps)

Note: On next row and row 11, when crocheting around cls, work in front of each ch-6 sp of previous row.

Row 6 (RS): Replace swan lp on hook, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), [dc in next 5 sc of row 4, sc in cl] 3 times, dc in next 6 sc, turn. (22 dc, 3 sc)

Rows 7–9: Rep rows 2–4.

Row 10 (WS): Sk 3 sc, cl join red in next sc, [ch 6, sk 5 sc, cl] 3 times, leaving rem sts unworked. Fasten off. (4 cls, 3 ch-6 sps)

Row 11 (RS): Replace swan lp on hook, ch 3, dc in next 2 sc, sc in cl, [dc in next 5 sc, sc in cl] 3 times, dc in next 3 sc, turn. (21 dc, 4 sc)

Rows 12–19: Rep rows 2–9, **changing color** (see *Pattern Notes and Stitch Guide*) to mint in last st of last row, turn.

Rows 20–25: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. Do not fasten off.

Border

Rnd 1: Ch 1, (sc, ch 1, sc) in first sc, sc across to last sc, (sc, ch 1, sc) in last sc, *sc along side edge, evenly placing 23 sc**, (sc, ch 1, sc) in unworked lp of first ch of foundation ch, sc across to last ch, (sc, ch 1, sc) in last ch, rep from * to ** once, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc. Fasten off. (100 sc)

BACK

Row 1: With Kenai, ch 27, dc in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as dc) and each ch across, turn. (25 dc)

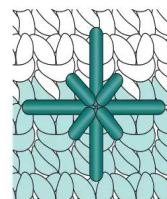
Rows 2–12: Ch 3, dc in each dc across, turn. At end of last row, fasten off.

Border

Rep rnd 1 of Front Border.

FINISHING

With Kenai, on Front, embroider 4 stars (see *Star Diagram*) between rows 18 and 23.



Retro Pot Holder Set
Star Diagram

ASSEMBLY

Rnd 1: With WS tog and working through both thicknesses, join Kenai in the 13th sc from corner ch sp along top edge (*middle sc of edge*), ch 1, [sc in each st to next corner ch sp, (sc, ch 1, sc) in ch sp] 4 times, sc in each rem st, join in first sc, turn.

Hanger: Ch 10, sl st in last sc to make ring, turn, ch 1, 16 sc in ring just made, sl st in ring. Fasten off.

BOBBLE WHEEL POT HOLDER

Note: This pot holder is worked in the round.

FRONT

Rnd 1: With swan, form a **slip ring** (see *Special Stitches*), **ch 5** (see *Pattern Notes*), [dc in ring, ch 2] 7 times, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in 3rd ch of beg ch-5, close slip ring. (8 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), 2 dc in first st, [ch 2, 3 dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, join in top of beg ch. (24 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 3: Ch 3 and dc in first st, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, [ch 2, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, **changing color** (see *Pattern Notes and Stitch Guide*) to mint, join in top of beg ch. (40 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 4: Ch 5, sk 1 dc, **cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in next dc, ch 2, sk 1 dc, dc in next dc, [ch 2, dc in next dc, ch 2, sk 1 dc, cl in next dc, ch 2, sk 1 dc, dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, **changing color** to swan, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5. (8 cls, 16 dc, 24 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 5: Ch 3 and dc in first st, 2 dc in ch-2 sp, dc in cl, 2 dc in ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next dc, [ch 2, 2 dc in next dc, 2 dc in ch-2 sp, dc in cl, 2 dc in

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LITTLE BITS MUG RUGS

DESIGN BY
KENNETH CORMIER



Use up your scraps of worsted-weight cotton yarn and give a friend a set of these colorful coasters along with a vintage mug filled with their favorite tea or coffee.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

5 inches wide x 4½ inches long,
excluding Fringe

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (2½ oz/120 yds/71g per ball):
1 ball each white, red, green,
dark blue and bright yellow



- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.

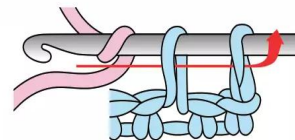
PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.
Join with slip stitch as indicated unless
otherwise stated.

MUG RUG

Make 1 each green, red, dark blue and
bright yellow.

Row 1 (RS): With MC, ch 17, (sc, 2 dc) in 2nd
ch from hook, *sk next 2 chs, (sc, 2 dc) in next
ch, rep from * to last 3 chs, sk next 2 chs, sc
in last ch, **change color** (see illustration) to
white, turn. (6 sc, 10 dc)



Single Crochet Color Change

Row 2: Ch 1, (sc, 2 dc) in each sc across to last
sc, sc in last sc, change color to MC, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, (sc, 2 dc) in each sc across to last
sc, sc in last sc, change color to white, turn.

Rows 4–11: [Rep rows 2 and 3 alternately]
4 times. Do not change color or turn at end
of row 11.

Edging

Rnd 1: Ch 1, working in ends of rows down
first side, work 13 sc evenly sp across, work-
ing in opposite side of foundation ch, 3 sc in
first ch, sc in each ch to last ch, 3 sc in last ch,
working in ends of rows up 2nd side, work 13
sc evenly sp across to last row, 3 sc in first st,
sc in each st across to last st, 3 sc in last st,
join (see Pattern Notes) in beg sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Fringe

For each Mug Rug, cut 16 4-inch lengths each
MC and white.

Fold 1 strand in half to form a lp. Insert hook
from RS through center st of any 3-sc group.
Place fold on hook and draw fold through,
forming a lp. Thread ends of strands through
lp and pull to tighten. Alternating colors
and working across short edge, rep to attach
Fringe in each st, ending in first st of next 3-sc
group. With RS of opposite edge facing, rep
to attach Fringe across other short edge. Trim
ends evenly. **C!**

SOUP BOWL COZY

DESIGN BY PAMELA BARTON

Crochet up a bunch of these clever bowl cozies and keep them by the microwave to prevent burning your fingers when heating up leftovers.



1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

7½ inches wide x 5 inches long;
17–18½ inches in circumference

MATERIALS

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight cotton yarn (3½ oz/218 yds/100g per skein):
1 skein each #823 garnet, #832 turquoise, #834 gold and #801 white
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

3 dc, ch 2 = 2 inches; 2 rows = 1 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.

BOWL COZY

Make 1 each garnet, turquoise & gold.

Rnd 1: Ch 5, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), 9 dc in ring, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (10 dc)

Rnd 2: Sl st in sp between dc sts, ch 3, dc in same sp as beg ch-3, [2 dc in sp between dc sts] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (20 dc)

Rnd 3: Rep rnd 2. (40 dc)

Rnd 4: Sl st in next dc, sl st in next sp between dc sts, ch 3, dc in same sp, [sk next 2 dc, 2 dc in next sp between dc sts] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (40 dc)

Rnd 5: Sl st in next dc, sl st in next sp

between dc sts, ch 3, dc in same sp, ch 1, [sk next 2 dc, 2 dc in next sp between dc sts, ch 1] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (40 dc, 20 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 6: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, ch 3, dc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (40 dc, 20 ch-1 sps)

Rnds 7–10: Rep rnd 6. At the end of rnd 10, fasten off.

EDGING

Rnd 11: Join white in any ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 sc in same ch-1 sp as beg ch-1, ch 1, [2 sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] around, join in beg sc. (40 sc, 20 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 12: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 sc in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, [2 sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] around, join in beg sc.

Rnd 13: Rep rnd 12. Fasten off. **CI**



BEACH COTTAGE DUO

DESIGNS BY LEE SARTORI FOR ANNIE'S SIGNATURE DESIGNS

A coordinating basket and a rug worked in colors reminiscent of sea glass and shells make the perfect pair for a beach cottage-inspired living room. Easy to fashion in chunky yarn, rounds of half double crochet stitches are used for the rug and single crochet is used for the basket.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Rug: 36 inches x 40 inches

Basket: 10 inches tall x 10 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Bernat Maker Home Dec bulky (chunky) weight cotton/nylon yarn (8¾ oz/317 yds/250g per ball):
 - Rug:** 2 balls each #11008 clay, #11009 cream and #11006 steel blue
 - Basket:** 4 balls #11008 clay
- Size 1/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers: 4



GAUGE

Rug: 12 hdc in 3rd bar of st for 12 rnds = 4 inches

Basket: 9 sts = 4 inches; 10 rnds = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Do not join rounds unless otherwise indicated. Place stitch marker; move marker as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Beginning with round 2 of rug, work in horizontal bar in the back of each half double crochet around throughout rug unless otherwise indicated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Extended split stitch (Ext split st): Insert hook between posts of indicated st, yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 1 lp on hook, yo, draw through rem 2 lps on hook.

Return: Ch 1, [yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] across until 1 lp rem on hook.

Tunisian Knit Stitch (TKS): Insert hook front to back through fabric and below chs formed by previous return row to right of front vertical thread but to left of corresponding back thread (*between vertical posts*), yo, draw lp through and retain on hook.

RUG

Rnd 1 (RS): With clay, ch 13, hdc in 3rd ch from hook, hdc in each of next 9 chs, 3 hdc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, hdc in each of next 10 chs, 3 hdc in last ch, **do not join, place marker** (see *Pattern Notes*). (26 hdc)

Rnd 2: Working in the **horizontal bar in back of hdc** (see *illustration and Pattern Notes*), [hdc in next 10 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in next st, 3 hdc in next st] twice. (34 hdc)



Half Double Crochet Back Bar
(illustration shows side facing stitcher)

Rnd 3: Hdc in each of next 11 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 12 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in last st. (42 hdc)

Rnd 4: Hdc in each of next 12 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 5 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 14 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 5 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 2 sts. (50 hdc)

Rnd 5: Hdc in each of next 13 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 7 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 16 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 7 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts. (58 hdc)

Rnd 6: Hdc in each of next 14 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 9 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 18 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 9 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 4 sts. (66 hdc)

Rnd 7: Hdc in each of next 15 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 11 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 20 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 11 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 5 sts. (74 hdc)

Rnd 8: Hdc in each of next 16 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 13 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 22 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 13 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 6 sts. (82 hdc)

Rnd 9: Hdc in each of next 17 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 15 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 24 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 15 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 7 sts. (90 hdc)

Rnd 10: Hdc in each of next 18 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 17 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 26 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 17 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 8 sts. (98 hdc)

Rnd 11: Hdc in each of next 19 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 19 sts, 3 hdc in



next st, hdc in each of next 28 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 19 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 9 sts. (106 hdc)

Rnd 12: Hdc in each of next 20 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 21 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 30 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 21 sts, 3 hdc in next st, sl st in next 2 sts, leaving rem 8 sts unworked, fasten off. (106 sts, 8 sts unworked)

Rnd 13: Join (see Pattern Notes) cream in center hdc in corner before long edge of rug, ch 1, 3 hdc in same st as joining, place marker in 2nd hdc to mark center corner, hdc in each of next 32 sts, 3 hdc in next st, place marker in 2nd st to mark center corner, hdc in each of next 23 sts, 3 hdc in next st, place marker in 2nd st to mark center corner, hdc in each of next 32 sts, 3 hdc in next st, place marker in 2nd st to mark center corner, hdc in each of next 23 sts, join in beg hdc. (122 hdc)

Rnd 14: Sl st to first marker, ch 1, [3 hdc in marked st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker] around, join in beg hdc. (130 hdc)

Rnds 15–17: Rep rnd 14. At the end of rnd 17, fasten off. (154 hdc)

Rnd 18: Join steel blue in center corner hdc, 3 hdc in same st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker, [3 hdc in marked st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker] around, join in beg hdc. (162 hdc)

Rnds 19–22: Rep rnd 14. At the end of rnd 22, fasten off. (194 hdc)

Rnd 23: Join clay in center corner hdc, 3 hdc in same st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker, [3 hdc in marked st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker] around, join in beg hdc. (202 hdc)

Rnds 24–27: Rep rnd 14. At the end of rnd 27, fasten off. (234 hdc)

Rnd 28: Join cream in center corner hdc, 3 hdc in same st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker, [3 hdc in marked st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker] around, join in beg hdc. (242 hdc)

Rnds 29–32: Rep rnd 14. At the end of rnd 32, fasten off. (274 hdc)

Rnd 33: Join clay in center corner hdc, 3 hdc in same st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker, [3 hdc in marked st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker] around, join in beg hdc. (282 hdc)

Rnds 34–37: Rep rnd 14. At the end of rnd 37, fasten off. (314 hdc)

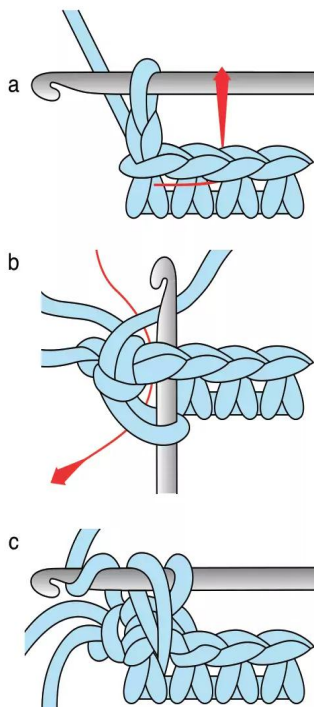
Rnd 38: Rep rnd 28. (322 hdc)

Rnds 39–42: Rep rnd 14. At the end of rnd 42, fasten off. (354 hdc)

Rnd 43: Join steel blue in center corner hdc, 3 hdc in same st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker, [3 hdc in marked st, place marker in center corner st just completed, hdc in each st to next marker] around, join in beg hdc. (362 hdc)

Rnds 44–48: Rep rnd 14. (402 hdc)

Rnd 49: Ch 1, **reverse sc** (see illustration) in each hdc around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. Block lightly.

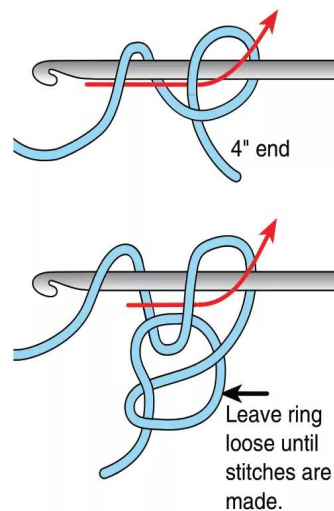


Reverse Single Crochet

BASKET BASE

Make 2.

Rnd 1: Working with 2 strands of clay held tog, form a **slip ring** (see illustration), ch 1, 6 sc in ring, **do not join**, place marker (see Pattern Notes). (6 sc)



Slip Ring

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

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

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

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

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

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

Rnd 8: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 6 sc] around. (48 sc)

Rnd 9: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 7 sc] around. (54 sc)

Rnd 10: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 8 sc] around. (60 sc)

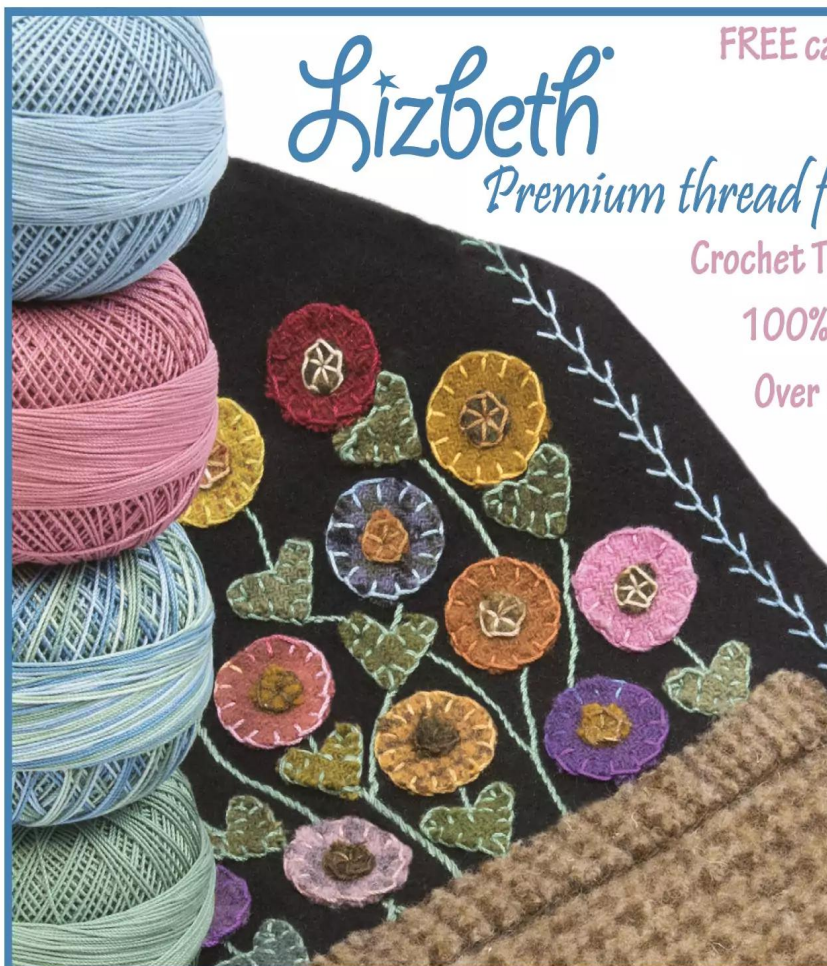
Rnd 11: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 9 sc] around. (66 sc)

Rnd 12: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 10 sc] around. (72 sc)

At the end of rnd 12, fasten off first base. Do not fasten off 2nd base.

Rnd 13: With WS of each base facing and working through both thicknesses and

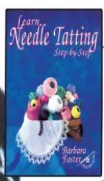
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SEASIDE RUNNER

DESIGN BY MELISSA HASSLER

Add a touch of the sea to your tablescape with this simple mesh crocheted by alternating treble stitches. The contrasting blue edging and fringe complete the beachy look.

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

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

10 inches wide x 70 inches long

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Yarns Coboo light (DK) weight cotton/rayon yarn (3½ oz/ 232 yds/100g per skein):
 - 2 skeins #100 white
 - 1 skein #106 ice blue
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

6 tr = 2 inches; 4 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

When changing color, draw through final two loops of stitch with new color and fasten off old color.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with a slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

RUNNER

Row 1: With white, ch 63, tr in 9th ch from hook (*beg 8 sk chs count as a ch-2 sp, tr and ch-2 sp*), *ch 2, sk 2 chs, tr in next ch, rep from * across, turn. (19 ch-2 sps, 20 tr)

Row 2: Ch 5, tr in first ch-2 sp, *ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across, turn. (19 ch-2 sps, 20 tr)

Rows 3–125: Rep row 2.

Row 126: Ch 5, tr in first ch-2 sp, *ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across,

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A POCKETFUL OF NATURE

DESIGN BY JACKIE DAUGHERTY

Add a touch of nature to your home with this set of wall pockets perfect for holding potted plants or bunches of sea grass. Crochet in worsted-weight cotton and add 3 to a length of driftwood. Customize with optional tassels and beads.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Each pocket: 6 inches in diameter x 5¼ inches tall, excluding hanger and optional tassel

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Home Cotton medium (worsted) weight recycled cotton/polyester yarn (2.65 oz/131 yds/75g per ball):
2 balls #38-02 cream
- Premier Yarns Home Cotton medium (worsted) weight recycled cotton/polyester yarn (2 oz/96 yds/55g per ball):
1 ball #44-55 turquoise stripe
- Size 7/4.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Removable stitch marker
- Tapestry needle
- 16–18-inch long hanging rod, ¾ inch in diameter: 1
- 2mm leather cording or twine: 24 inches
- Electric drill with ⅝-inch drill bit (optional)
- Large decorative bead: 1 (optional)

GAUGE

8 hdc = 2 inches; 10 rnds = 3 inches

Gauge is not critical for this project.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Marking first stitch of each round, work in continuous rounds, moving marker up as needed.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

POCKET

Make 3 in cream and 1 in turquoise stripe.

Rnd 1: Form a **slip ring** (see illustration on page 87), 8 hdc in ring, **place marker and do not join** (see Pattern Notes), pull tail tight to close ring. (8 hdc)

Rnd 2: [2 hdc in next st] 8 times. (16 hdc)

Rnd 3: [2 hdc in next st, hdc in next st] 8 times. (24 hdc)

Rnd 4: [2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 2 sts] 8 times. (32 hdc)

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SOMERSAULT THROW

DESIGN BY
KATHLEEN BERLEW



Crocheted in a soothing blue tone reminiscent of the sea, four triangular C-2-C wedges are joined to create this unusual throw. The tassels add a fun touch!

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

48 inches square

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Soft medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (5 oz/256 yds/141g per ball):
8 balls #9520 seafoam
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

5 blocks = 6 inches; 5 rows = 6 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Throw is made in 4 triangular corner-to-corner panels, then joined along the straight edges to create a square.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

THROW

PANEL

Make 4.

Row 1 (WS): Ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first ch sp) and in each of next 2 chs, turn. (1 block made)

Row 2: Ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook and in each of next 2 chs, (sl st, ch 3, 3 dc) in ch sp of block, turn. (2 blocks made)

Row 3: Ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook and in each of next 2 chs, (sl st, ch 3, 3 dc) in ch sp of each block across, turn. (3 blocks made)

Rows 4–40: Rep row 3. Do not turn at end of last row. (40 blocks made)

Border row (RS): Ch 1, rotate work, *2 sc in side of first dc, sk next ch sp, sc in each of next 3 dc, [2 sc in side of next dc, sk next ch sp, sc in each of next 3 dc] across to corner*, ch 2, rotate work, rep from * to * across side, fasten off. (200 sc, 1 ch-2 sp)

ASSEMBLY & FINISHING

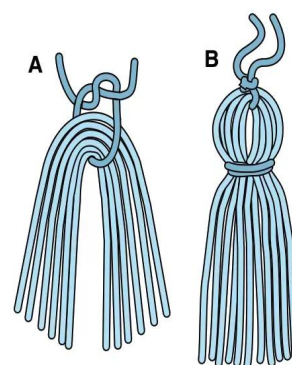
Arrange Panels with WS facing and matching sc edges to form a square. Thread tapestry needle with length of yarn and sew edges tog along 4 straight edges.

Tassel

Make 4.

Cut 42 16-inch strands of yarn. Holding 40 strands tog, tie another strand around center of bundle. Fold strands in half at center tie. Wrap rem strand of yarn around several times 1½ inches below the fold. Tie securely and, with tapestry needle, pull ends of tie to center of Tassel. Trim bottom of Tassel evenly.

Use center tie to attach 1 tassel to each corner of Throw. **C!**



Tassel

SEASIDE AFGHAN

DESIGN BY MARGRET WILLSON FOR ANNIE'S SIGNATURE DESIGNS

This afghan was patterned after soothing ripples of water receding across the sand. The center pattern alternates single and double crochet rows creating a textured seashell design.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

48 inches wide x 61 inches long

MATERIALS

- Plymouth Yarn Encore Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool yarn (3½ oz/200 yds/100g per ball):
 - 11 balls #1202 sand
 - 6 balls #1317 vacation blues
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Locking stitch markers: 8



GAUGE

Center section: 15 sts = 4 inches; 12 rows = 4 inches

Border: 15 sts = 4 inches; 22 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: 7 tr in indicated st.

Single crochet join (sc join): Place slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

Double crochet in next skipped stitch (dc in next sk st): Working in front of ch-2 sp, dc in next sk st 3 rows below.

AFGHAN

CENTER SECTION

Row 1 (RS): With sand, ch 92, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (91 sc)

Row 2: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), sk first st, dc in each st across, turn. (91 dc)

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

Row 4: Ch 2, sk first sc, dc in each of next 2 dc, [ch 1, sk next sc, dc in each of next 11 sc] 7 times, ch 1, sk next sc, dc in each of last 3 sc, turn. (83 dc, 8 ch-1 sps)

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first dc, [sk next 2 dc, shell (see *Special Stitches*) in next sk sc 2 rows below, sk next 2 dc*, sc in each of next 7 sts] 8 times, ending last rep at *, sc in top of beg ch-2, turn. (8 shells, 51 sc)

Row 6: Ch 2, [working in front of shell, dc in each of next 2 sk dc 2 rows below, dc in next ch-1 sp 2 rows below, dc in each of next 2 dc 2 rows below, sk all 7 tr of shell*, dc in each of next 7 sc] across, ending last rep at *, dc in last sc, turn. (91 dc)

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 dc, *sk first 2 tr of next shell 2 rows below, [sc in back lp (see *Stitch Guide*) of next tr of shell and, at the same time, in dc behind tr] 3 times, sk last 2 tr of shell**, sc in each of next 9 dc, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in each of last 2 sts, turn. (91 sc)

Row 8: Ch 2, sk first sc, dc in each of next 8 sc, [ch 1, sk next sc, dc in each of next 11 sc] 6 times, ch 1, sk next sc, dc in each of next 9 sc, turn. (84 dc, 7 ch-1 sps)

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each of first 7 dc, [sk next 2 dc, shell in next sk sc 2 rows below, sk next 2

dc, sc in each of next 7 dc] 7 times, turn. (7 shells, 56 sc)

Row 10: Ch 2, sk first sc, dc in each of next 6 sc, [working in front of shell, dc in each of next 2 sk dc 2 rows below, dc in next ch-1 sp 2 rows below, dc in each of next 2 dc 2 rows below, sk all 7 tr of shell, dc in each of next 7 sc] across, turn. (91 dc)

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in each of first 8 dc, *sk first 2 tr of next shell 2 rows below, [sc in back lp of next tr of shell and, at the same time, in dc behind tr] 3 times, sk next 2 tr of shell**, sc in each of next 9 dc, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in each of last 8 dc, turn. (91 sc)

Rows 12–119: [Rep rows 4–11] 13 times, then rep rows 4–7.

Rows 120 & 121: Rep rows 2 and 3.

BORDER

Rnd 1 (RS): With RS facing, **sc join** (see *Special Stitches*) sand in end of row at lower right corner of piece, 2 sc in same row; working in ends of rows across long edge, *[sc in each of next 2 rows, 2 sc in next row, sc in each of next 3 rows] 19 times, sc in each of next 2 rows, 2 sc in next row, sc in each of next 2 rows, 3 sc in last row; working across short edge, sk first st, sc in each st across to last st, sk last st*; working in ends of rows of next long edge, 3 sc in end of first row, rep between *, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc, turn. (139 sc across each long side, 89 sc across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 2 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, *sc in each st to next 3-sc corner, 3 sc in center st of next 3-sc corner, rep from * around, join



in beg sc. Fasten off. (141 sc across each long side, 91 sc across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 3 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in center sc of 3-sc corner at lower right corner, 2 sc in same st, *sc in each st to next corner**, 3 sc in center sc of next 3-sc corner, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc, turn. (143 sc across each long side, 93 sc across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 4 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, *sc in each st to next corner, 3 sc in center sc of next

3-sc corner, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (145 sc across each long side, 95 sc across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 5 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in center st of 3-sc corner at lower right corner, 2 sc in same st, *[ch 2, sk next sc, sc in each of next 5 sts, ch 2, sk next sc, sc in each of next 3 sts] 14 times, ch 2, sk next sc, 3 sc in next st (center sc of 3-sc corner), [ch 2, sk next sc, sc in each of next 5 sts, ch 2, sk next sc, sc in each of next 3 sts] 9 times, ch 2, sk next sc,

sc in each of next 5 sc, ch 2, sk next sc**, 3 sc in next st (center sc of 3-sc corner), rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc, turn. (117 sc and 30 ch-2 sps across each long side, 77 sc and 20 ch-2 sps across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 6 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, $\diamond^*$ ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 5 sts, ch 2, sk next sp**, sc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * around to next 3-sc corner, ending last rep at **, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st (center sc of 3-sc corner) $\diamond\diamond$, sc in next st, rep from $\diamond$

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WHATEVER FLOATS YOUR BOAT PILLOW

DESIGN BY ANGELA ADER

Add a fun touch to your beach cottage with this easy-to-make tapestry crochet pillow.

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

18 inches square

MATERIALS

- Plymouth Yarn Cleo light (DK) weight mercerized pima cotton yarn (1¾ oz/125 yds/50g per hank):
7 hanks #0155 turquoise
1 hank #0160 mosaic blue
- Size F/5/3.75mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 18-inch square pillow form



GAUGE

10 sc = 2 inches; 12 rows = 2 inches

Take time to check gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Front is worked from the chart and written instructions in 2 contrasting colors with intarsia crochet technique. Odd-numbered rows are right side rows read from right to left and even-numbered rows are wrong side rows read from left to right. Each box on the chart represents 1 single crochet.

To work intarsia crochet technique, drop unused color on wrong side and pick back up when needed. Do not carry the unused strand along with you or it will affect your



gauge. When rejoining, allow a bit of slack to discourage puckering.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Keep track of your row count in a notebook or phone app. The rows can be tricky to go back and count!

Join with slip stitch unless otherwise indicated.

PILLOW

FRONT

Row 1 (RS): With turquoise, ch 91, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. (90 sc)

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

Rows 3–108: Referring to the **chart for color changes** (see *Pattern Notes*), sc in each sc across, changing color as indicated, turn.

Fasten off mosaic blue at the end of row 92.

Fasten off turquoise at the end of row 108.

BACK

Row 1 (RS): With turquoise, ch 91, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. (90 sc)

Rows 2–108: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. Fasten off.

ASSEMBLY

Hold front and back tog, with RS facing out.

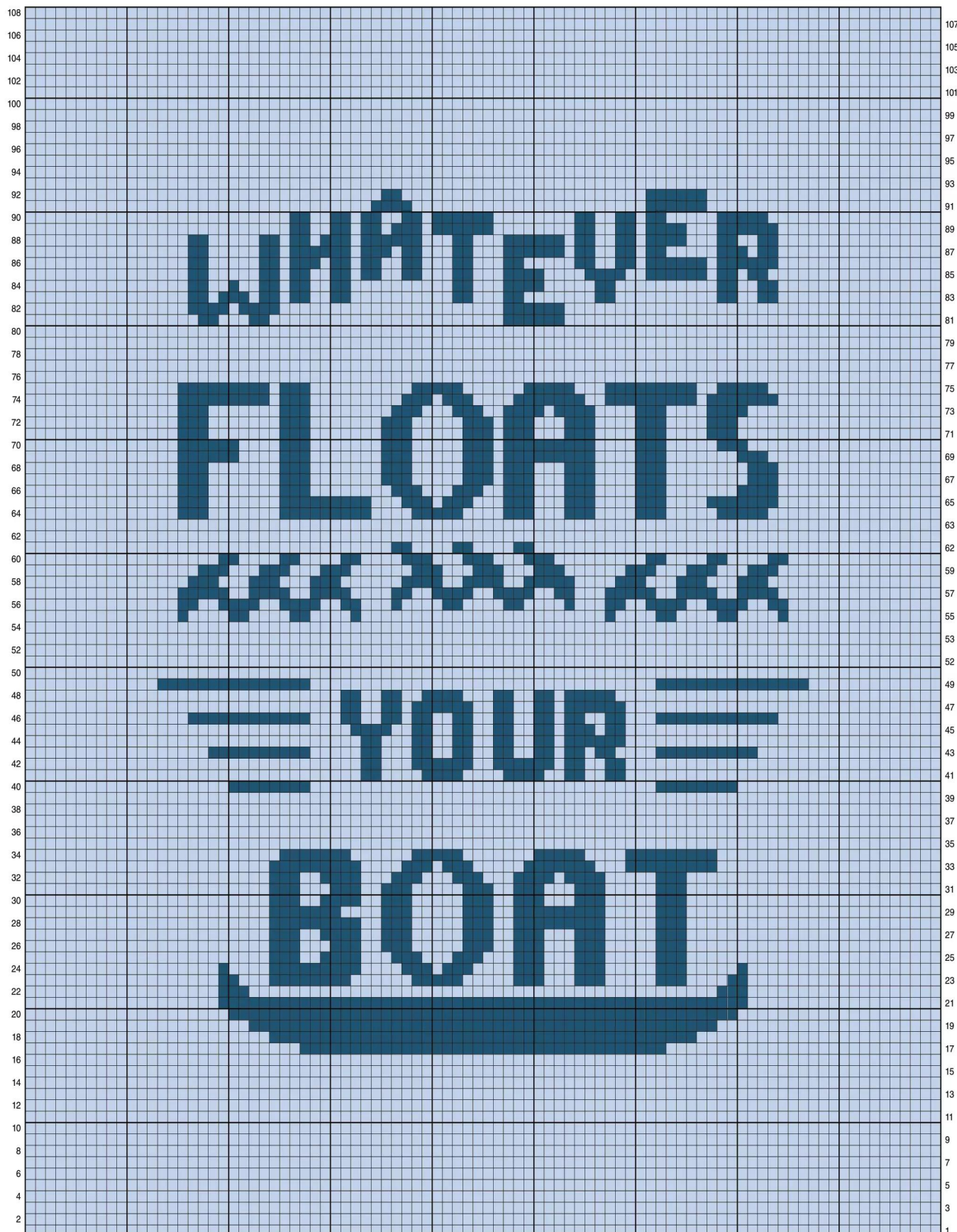
Join (see *Pattern Notes*) turquoise in any corner, ch 1, working through both pieces at the

same time and starting in same corner as join, [sc evenly along side to next corner, 3 sc in corner, rotate to work along next side]

3 times, insert pillow form, sc evenly along last side to first corner, 2 sc in first corner, join to beg sc. Fasten off. **C!**

COLOR KEY

■ Turquoise
■ Mosaic blue



Whatever Floats Your Boat Pillow
Chart

SHORELINE LANTERNS

DESIGN BY JENNIFER E. RYAN

Crocheted with size 3 thread, Solomon's knots create a nautical, net-like structure over canning jars. Fill the jars with twinkly lights or small votives to add a festive touch to your next gathering.



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Large Lantern: 7¼ inches tall

Small Lantern: 5¼ inches tall

MATERIALS

- Lizbeth size 3 crochet cotton (120 yds per ball):
1 ball each #601 snow white, #664 ocean teal med and #665 ocean teal dk
- Size C/2/2.75mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Mason jars: 1 32-oz jar and 2 16-oz jars
- Tealight or candle: 3
- Sand (optional)

GAUGE

Rnds 1–3 = 2 inches in diameter

PATTERN NOTES

To ensure best fit around jars, work Solomon's knots consistently to same size, no longer than 1 inch.

As work progresses, check fit on jar, adjusting as needed by changing to a different hook or increasing or decreasing a round.

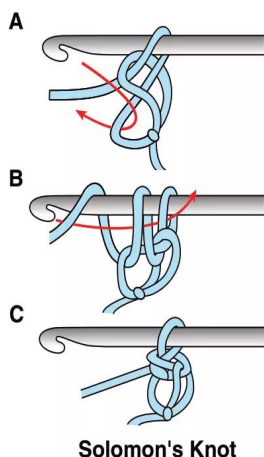
Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

SPECIAL STITCH

Solomon's knot (SK): Draw up lp on hook to 1 inch, ch 1, sc in back bar of this

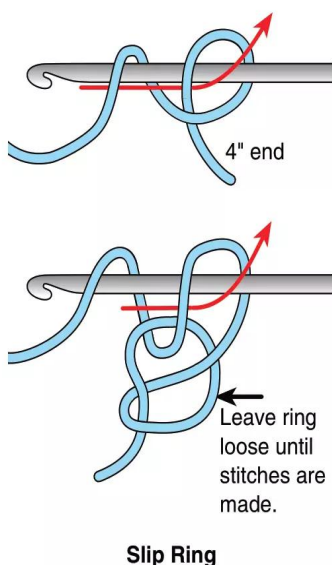


large ch, pull tightly to lock long lp in place (see illustration). Sts of next rnd are worked into sc.

LANTERNS

LARGE LANTERN (fits 32-oz jar)

Rnd 1: With ocean teal dk, work 12 dc in **slip ring** (see illustration), **join** (see Pattern Notes) in first dc. (12 dc)



Rnd 2: Ch 3 (see Pattern Notes), dc in same st, 2 dc in each st around, join in top of beg ch-3. (24 dc)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st, [2 dc in next st, dc in next st] around, join in top of beg ch-3. (36 dc)

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in same st, [2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 2 sts] around, join in top of beg ch-3. (48 dc)

Rnd 5: Ch 3, dc in same st, [2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 3 sts] around, join in top of beg ch-3. (60 dc)

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in same st, [2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 4 sts] around, join in top of beg ch-3. (72 dc)

Rnd 7: Ch 3, working in **back lps** (see Stitch Guide), dc in each st around, join in top of beg ch-3.

Rnd 8: [2 SK—see Special Stitch, sk next 5 sts, sl st in next st] around, join in base of first SK. (12 2-SK groups)

Rnd 9: SK, sl st in next sc (locking sc of first SK of previous rnd), [2 SK, sk next locking sc, sl st in next locking sc (at "top" of current 2-SK group)] around, join in base of first SK.

Rnds 10–12: Rep rnd 9.

Note: Halfway around next rnd, insert jar to check fit for length.

Rnd 13: SK, sl st in next sc (locking sc of first SK st of previous rnd), [ch 3, sk next locking sc, sl st in next locking sc] around, join in first ch. Fasten off.

SMALL LANTERN (fits 16-oz jar)

Make 1 each snow white & ocean teal med.

Rnds 1–5: Work rnds 1–5 of Large Lantern. (60 dc)

Rnds 6–9: Work rnds 7–10 of Large Lantern. (10 2-SK groups)

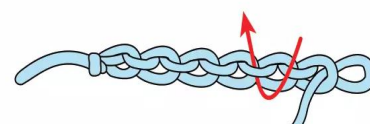
Rnd 10: Work rnd 13 of Large Lantern.

Top Band

Make 1 each snow white, ocean teal med and ocean teal dk.

Ch 47.

Row 1: Working in **back bar of ch** (see illustration), dc in 4th ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (44 dc)



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

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in next st and in each st across, turn. Fasten off for Small Lantern only.

LARGE LANTERN ONLY

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

FINISHING

Slide Top Band over top lp of each jar.

Add tea light or candle, even a little sand to finish off your lanterns! **C!**

STARFISH & SEASHELLS THROW

DESIGN BY MARGRET WILLSON

Basic stitches along with alternating rows of pearly shells and starfish give this fun-to-stitch throw its nautical look.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

48 inches wide x 60 inches long

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Basix medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/359 yds/200g per ball):
3 balls each #1115-30 turquoise and #1115-32 cream
1 ball #1115-42 nutmeg
- Size 1/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

7 sc = 2 inches; rows 1–7 = 3 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

When working cream and turquoise sections, change color in last stitch of row as indicated, carrying color not in use loosely along wrong side edge of work. Do not fasten off unless otherwise stated. Border will be worked over carried yarn.

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

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: 7 dc in indicated st.

Double loop (dbl-lp): (Sl st, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch from hook, ch 2, sl st) in indicated st.

Cluster (cl): Keeping last lp of each st on hook, work 2 dc in indicated st, yo and draw through all 3 lps on hook.

Single crochet join (sc join): Place slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

THROW

Row 1 (WS): With turquoise, ch 178, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes*) to cream, turn. (177 sc)

Row 2 (RS): Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), 3 dc in first sc, *sk next 3 sc, sc in next sc, sk next 3 sc**, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, 4 dc in last sc, turn. (21 shells, 8 dc, 22 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change to turquoise, turn. (177 sc)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 3, sk next 3 sc, dc in next sc, ch 3, sk next 3 sc, sc in next sc, rep from * across, turn. (22 dc, 23 sc, 44 ch-3 sps)

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *3 sc in next sp, sc in next dc, 3 sc in next sp, sc in next dc, rep from * across, change to cream, turn. (177 sc)

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *sk next 3 sc, shell in next sc, sk next 3 sc, sc in next sc, rep from * across, turn. (22 shells, 23 sc)

Row 7: Rep row 3. (177 sc)

Row 8: Ch 6 (see *Pattern Notes*), sk first 4 sc, *sc in next sc, ch 3, sk next 3 sc, dc in next sc**, ch 3, sk next 3 sc, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, turn. (23 dc, 22 sc, 44 ch-3 sps)

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in first dc, *3 sc in next sp, sc in next sc, 3 sc in next sp, sc in next dc, rep from * across, working last sc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, change to cream, turn. (177 sc)

Rows 10 & 11: Rep rows 2 and 3. Fasten off cream.

Row 12: Rep row 4.

Row 13: Ch 5, sc in 3rd ch from hook, ch 2, sl st in first sc (first dbl-lp made), *3 sc in next sp, sc in next dc, 3 sc in next sp, **dbl-lp** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, rep from * across, ending with dbl-lp in last st, fasten off turquoise. (23 dbl lps, 154 sc)

Row 14: With nutmeg, place slip knot on hook, insert hook from back to front through top lp of first dbl-lp, *then insert hook from front to back in bottom lp of same dbl-lp, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook**, ch 3, sk next sc, **cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, sk next 3 sc, cl in next sc, ch 3, insert hook from back to front through top lp of next dbl-lp, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, turn. (44 cls, 23 sc, 44 ch-3 sps)

Row 15: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 3, (sl st, ch 5, sl st) in sp between next 2 cls, ch 3**, sl st in next sc, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in last sc, fasten off nutmeg. (2 sc, 65 sl sts, 22 ch-5 lps, 44 ch-3 sps)

Row 16: With RS facing, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) turquoise in top lp of first dbl-lp 3 rows below, ch 3, yo, insert hook front to back in



same lp and, at the same time, in first sc of previous row (*behind top lp*), yo and pull up a lp, [yo and draw through 2 lps on hook] twice (*first cl made*), *ch 3, sk next ch-3 sp, sc in 3rd ch of next ch-5 lp, ch 3, sk next ch-3 sp, inserting hook in same manner as first cl, cl in top lp of next dbl-lp and, at the same time, in next sc of previous row (*behind top lp*), rep from * across, turn. (23 cls, 22 sc, 44 ch-3 sps)

Row 17: Ch 1, sc in first cl, *3 sc in next ch-3 sp, sc in next sc, 3 sc in next ch-3 sp, sc in next cl, rep from * across, change to cream, turn. (177 sc)

Rows 18–140: [Rep rows 2–17] 7 times, then rep rows 2–12.

Row 141: Rep row 5. Fasten off.

BORDER

Rnd 1: With RS facing, **sc join** (*see Special Stitches*) turquoise in lower right corner, 2 sc in same st (*first corner made*), [working 1 sc in end of each sc row and 2 sc in end of each dc row, sc evenly across side edge to next corner, 3 sc in corner], sc in each st across top edge, 3 sc in corner (*corner made*), rep between [],

working in opposite side of foundation ch, sc in each ch across bottom edge, join.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, *sc in each st around to center st of next corner, 3 sc in center st, rep from * around, sc in each rem st, join. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: Sc join nutmeg in center st of any corner, 2 sc in same st, *sc in each st around to center st of next corner, 3 sc in center st, rep from * around, sc in each rem st, join.

Rnd 4: Rep rnd 2. Fasten off nutmeg. **CI**

CIRCLES IN THE SAND RUG

DESIGN BY KAREN BARNES



A pair of simple round motifs are alternated to create a beachy rug perfect for any room in your home.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

48 inches in circumference

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Basix medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/359 yds/200g per ball):
4 skeins #1115-44 linen
2 skeins #1115-42 nutmeg
- Sizes I/9/5.5mm and M/13/9mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

Large Circle—I hook: 6 rounds of dc = 7 inches in diameter

Small Circle—M hook: 2 rounds of dc = 3½ inches in diameter

Take time to check gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-2 at beginning of round does not count as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet and chain 1.



SPECIAL STITCH

Puff stitch (PS): [Yo, insert hook around post of indicated st, yo and pull up a lp] 3 times. Yo and pull through all 7 loops on hook.

RUG

LARGE CIRCLE

Make 28.

Rnd 1: With size I hook and linen, ch 3, 12 dc in 3rd ch from hook (*sk chs do not count as a st*), **join** (see Pattern Notes) to beg dc. (12 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 4 (see Pattern Notes), [dc in next dc, ch 1] 11 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. (12 dc, 12 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 3: Ch 2 (see Pattern Notes), dc in first dc, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc] 11 times, 2 dc in last ch-1 sp, join to beg dc. (36 dc)

Rnd 4: Ch 2, 2 dc in first dc, dc in next 2 dc, [2 dc in next dc, dc in next 2 dc] 11 times, join to beg dc. (48 dc)

Rnd 5: Ch 4, [dc in next dc, ch 1] twice, *sk next dc, [dc in next dc, ch 1] 3 times; rep from * to last dc, sk last dc, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. (36 dc, 36 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 6: Ch 2, dc in first dc, dc in next 4 sts (*counting both dc and chs*), [2 dc in next st, dc in next 5 sts] 11 times, 2 dc in last ch-1 sp, join to beg dc. Fasten off. (84 dc)

Rnd 7: Join nutmeg to post of any dc in rnd 2, **PS** (see Special Stitch) around same post as join, ch 1, [PS around post of next dc, ch 1]

11 times, join to first PS. Fasten off. (12 PS, 12 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 8: Join nutmeg to post of any dc in rnd 5, PS around same post as join, ch 1, [PS around post of next dc, ch 1] 35 times, join to first PS. Fasten off. (36 PS, 36 ch-1 sps)

SMALL CIRCLE

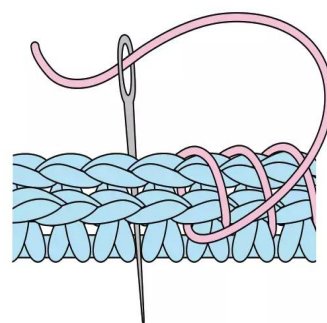
Make 36.

Rnd 1: With size M hook and 2 strands of linen held tog throughout, ch 3, 12 dc in 3rd ch from hook (*sk chs do not count as a st*), **join** (see Pattern Notes) to beg dc. (12 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2 (see Pattern Notes) 2 dc in each dc around, join. Fasten off. (24 dc)

ASSEMBLY

Refer to photograph for circle placement. Starting in the center and working rnd by rnd outward, whipstitch circles tog using 2–5 sts on outer rnds, as appropriate. **C!**



Whipstitch Edges

LAND & SEA PILLOW SET

DESIGNS BY MELISSA HASSLER

This matching set crocheted in colors of sand and sea uses cluster stitches to create a striking texture that is sure to complement your home.



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Neck Roll Pillow: 5 inches in diameter x 14 inches long

Round Pillow: 16 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Plymouth Yarn Hot Cakes medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool yarn (7 oz/404 yds/200g per cake):
3 cakes #0012 turquoise treat
- Sizes G/6/4mm and H/8/5mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Locking stitch markers
- Polyester fiberfill or pillow inserts



GAUGE

Neck Roll Pillow: 4 sc = 2 inches;
10 rnds = 2 inches

Round Pillow: 9 hdc = 2 inches;
6 rnds = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Separate the 6 colors in each cake of yarn.

Join with a slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Work first stitch(es) of each round in same stitch as joining unless otherwise stated.

Pillows are worked in the round.

Use a size H/8/5mm crochet hook for the Neck Roll Pillow.

Use a size G/6/4mm crochet hook for the Round Pillow.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

When joining a new color, fasten off old color.

Rounds with cluster stitches are worked in the opposite direction since the clusters pop out on the wrong side. The first stitch is made in the last stitch from the previous round.

Use locking stitch markers to mark the first and last stitches of every round.

COLOR SEQUENCES

A= white

B= dark blue

C= mint shade

D= aqua shade

E= light blue

F= gray

Neck Roll Pillow Body

Rnds 1–18: A

Rnds 19–21: B

Rnds 22–24: C

Rnds 25–27: D

Rnds 28–30: E

Rnds 31–33: F

Rnds 34–36: A

Rnds 37–39: B

Rnds 40–42: C

Rnds 43–45: D

Rnds 46–48: E

Rnds 49–51: F

Rnds 52–54: A

Rnds 55–57: B

Rnds 58–60: C

Rnds 61–63: D

Rnds 64–66: E

Rnds 67–69: F

Round Pillow Front Cover

Rnds 1–3: E

Rnds 4–6: F

Rnds 7–9: B

Rnds 10–12: A

Rnds 13–15: C

Rnds 16–18: F

Rnds 19–21: E

Rnds 22–24: A

Round Pillow Back Cover

Rnds 1–6: F

Rnds 7–2: E

Rnds 13–17: C

Rnds 18–21: A

SPECIAL STITCHES

Slip ring: Leaving 4-inch end, lay thread over 4-inch end forming lp, insert hook through lp

from front to back, yo, pull through lp to form ring, yo, pull through lp on hook.

Cluster (cl): [Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] 5 times, yo, draw through all 6 lps on hook.

NECK ROLL PILLOW

BODY

Rnd 1: With A, form a **slip ring** (see *Special Stitches*), ch 1, 6 sc in ring, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc. Tighten ring. **Place markers** (see *Pattern Notes*). (6 sc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, 2 sc in each rem st around, join in first sc. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in next st, *2 sc in next st, sc in next st, rep from * around, join in first sc. (18 sc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 2 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, rep from * around, join. (24 sc)

Rnd 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 3 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * around, join. (30 sc)

Rnd 6: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 4 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 4 sts, rep from * around, join. (36 sc)

Rnd 7: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 5 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * around, join. (42 sc)

Rnd 8: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 6 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 6 sts, rep from * around, join. (48 sc)

Rnd 9: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 7 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 7 sts, rep from * around, join. (54 sc)

Rnd 10: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 8 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 8 sts, rep from * around, join. (60 sc)

Rnd 11: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 9 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 9 sts, rep from * around, join. (66 sc)

Rnd 12: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 10 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 10 sts, rep from * around, join. (72 sc)

Rnd 13: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 11 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 11 sts, rep from * around, join. (78 sc)

Rnd 14: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 12 sts, *2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 12 sts, rep from * around, join. (84 sc)

Rnd 15: Ch 1, working in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*) for this rnd only, sc in each st around, join.

Rnds 16 & 17: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join.

Rnd 18: Ch 2, turn to **work in opposite direction** (see *Pattern Notes*), **cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in **first st** (see *Pattern Notes*), sc in next st, *cl in next st, sc in next st, rep from * around, **change color** (see *Pattern Notes and Color Sequence of Body*) to next color, join. (42 cls, 42 sc)

Rnd 19: Ch 1, turn to work in right direction, sc in each st around, join. (84 sc)

Rnd 20: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join.

Rnd 21: Ch 2, turn to work in opposite direction, cl in first st, sc in next st, *cl in next st, sc in next st, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (42 cls, 42 sc)

Rnds 22–69: [Rep rnds 19–21] 16 times.

Rnds 70 & 71: Rep rnds 19 and 20. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (84 sc)

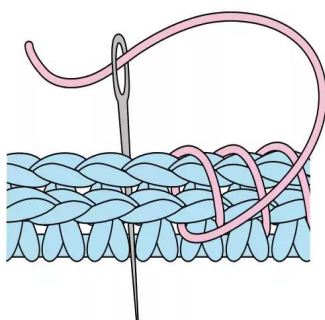
END COVER

Rnds 1–14: Rep rnds 1–14 of Body. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Assembly

Stuff Body with a pillow insert or fiberfill.

Using A, **whipstitch** (see *illustration*) End Cover to Body.



Whipstitch Edges

ROUND PILLOW

FRONT COVER

Rnd 1: With E, form a **slip ring** (see *Special Stitches*), ch 2, 10 hdc in ring, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc. Tighten ring. **Place markers** (see *Pattern Notes*). (10 hdc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, 2 hdc in each st around, join. (20 hdc)

Rnd 3: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in next st, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in next st, rep from * around, **change color** (see *Pattern Notes and Color Sequence of Front Cover and Back Covers*) to new color, join. (30 hdc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, turn to **work in opposite direction** (see *Pattern Notes*), 2 sc in **first st** (see *Pattern Notes*), **cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, sc in next st, *2 sc in next st, cl in next st, sc in next st, rep from * around, join. (10 cls, 30 sc)

Rnd 5: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 3 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * around, join. (50 hdc)

Rnd 6: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 4 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 4 sts, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (60 hdc)

Rnd 7: Ch 1, turn to work in opposite direction, 2 sc in first st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] twice, sc in next st, *2 sc in next st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] twice, sc in next st, rep from * around, join. (20 cls, 50 sc)

Rnd 8: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 6 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 6 sts, rep from * around, join. (80 hdc)

Rnd 9: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 7 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 7 sts, rep from * around, change to next color. (90 hdc)

Rnd 10: Ch 1, turn to work in opposite direction, 2 sc in first st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 4 times, *2 sc in next st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 4 times, rep from * around, join. (40 cls, 60 sc)

Rnd 11: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 9 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 9 sts, rep from * around, join. (110 hdc)

Rnd 12: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 10 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 10 sts, rep from * around, change to next color. (120 hdc)

Rnd 13: Ch 1, turn to work in opposite direction, 2 sc in first st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in next st, *2 sc in next st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in next st, rep from * around, join. (50 cls, 80 sc)

Rnd 14: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 12 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 12 sts, rep from * around, join. (140 hdc)

Rnd 15: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 13 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 13 sts, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (150 hdc)

Rnd 16: Ch 1, turn to work in opposite direction, 2 sc in first st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 7 times, *2 sc in next st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 7 times, rep from * around, join. (70 cls, 90 sc)

Rnd 17: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 15 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 15 sts, rep from * around, join. (170 hdc)

Rnd 18: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 16 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 16 sts, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (180 hdc)

Rnd 19: Ch 1, turn to work in opposite direction, 2 sc in first st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 8 times, sc in next st, *2 sc in next st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 8 times, sc in next st, rep from * around, join. (80 cls, 110 sc)

Rnd 20: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 18 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 18 sts, rep from * around, join. (200 hdc)

Rnd 21: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 19 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 19 sts, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (210 hdc)

Rnd 22: Ch 1, turn to work in opposite direction, 2 sc in first st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 10 times, *2 sc in next st, [cl in next st, sc in next st] 10 times, rep from * around, join. (100 cls, 120 sc)

Rnd 23: Ch 2, turn to work in right direction, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next

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BOHO STRIPES THROW

DESIGN BY SHARI WHITE

Need a stress-free project? This throw uses alternating rows of simple stitches crocheted in white as well as bright pops of color to create the perfect home decor accent sure to brighten any room!

1 2 3 4 5 6 EASY

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

45 inches wide x 54 inches long

MATERIALS

- Berroco Comfort medium (worsted) weight acrylic/nylon yarn (3½ oz/210 yds/100g per skein):
8 skeins #9702 pearl
1 skein each #9773 lagoon,
#9743 goldenrod, #9740 seedling,
#9779 candy pink, #9731 kidz orange,
#9734 liquorice and #9753 agean sea
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- 3-inch piece of cardboard
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

9 sts = 2½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

In striped section, change color in last half double crochet by pulling up new color and draw through all 3 loops on hook. Hold previous color to the back and half double crochet over first stitch only to lock in place. This will allow you to carry yarn up the sides to avoid weaving in several tails.

Every row will start with chain 2 and half double crochet in same stitch.

Entire throw is crocheted in half double crochet.

SPECIAL STITCHES

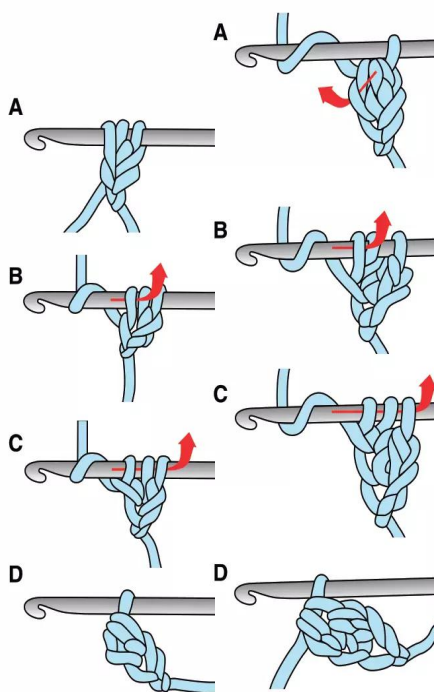
First Foundation Half Double Crochet (first fhdc): (This technique creates a

foundation chain and a row of single crochet stitches in one.)

Ch 3, insert hook in 2nd ch from hook (see illustration A), yo, pull up lp, yo, pull through 1 lp on hook (see illustration B—ch-1 completed), yo, draw through all lps on hook (see illustration C & D—hdc completed).

Next Foundation Half Double Crochet

(next fhdc): Insert hook in last ch-1 made (see illustration A), yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 1 lp on hook (see illustration B—ch-1 completed), yo, draw through all lps on hook (see illustrations C and D—hdc completed). Rep for the length of foundation.



First Foundation Half Double Crochet Stitch

Next Foundation Half Double Crochet Stitch

THROW

Row 1: With licorice, work **first fhdc** (see *Special Stitches*), work 162 **next fhdc** (see *Special Stitches*). Fasten off.

Row 2: Join agean sea with sl st in first hdc, **ch 2, hdc in same hdc** (see *Pattern Notes*), hdc in each st across. Fasten off.

FIRST SECTION

Row 3: With kidz orange, hdc in each st across.

Row 4: Ch 2, turn; hdc in first hdc and in each st across to last st. In last st, **yo and pull up pearl through all 3 lps on hook** (see *Pattern Notes*).

Rep rows 3 and 4 twice.

Rep last 2 rows with kidz orange. In last st of last row, change to pearl.

There are now 4 kidz orange stripes and 3 pearl stripes.

2ND SECTION

Row 1: Hdc in each st across.

[Rep row 1] 21 times more. In last hdc, change to new color as indicated. There are now 22 rows of pearl. This section will measure 7 inches.

3RD SECTION

Rep first section, changing to candy pink.

There are 4 candy pink stripes and 3 pearl stripes.

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BOHO STRIPES PILLOW

DESIGN BY DEBRA ARCH

Alternating bands of color and texture create a bright and bold accent for your home! Display with the Boho Stripes Throw to complete the look.



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

14 inches wide x 20 inches long

MATERIALS

- Berroco Comfort medium (worsted) weight nylon/acrylic yarn (3½ oz/ 210 yds/100g per ball):
1 ball each #9702 pearl, #9779 candy pink, #9731 kidz orange, #9743 goldenrod, #9740 seedling and #9773 lagoon
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 14 x 20-inch pillow insert
- Small amount of polyester fiberfill (optional)



GAUGE

19 sc = 4 inches; 22 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

When instructed to fasten off, leave a 6-inch tail for seaming.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Sc in next tr and unworked lp at base of same tr: Insert hook under both lps of indicated tr and, at the same time, in unworked lp at base of same tr, yo, pull up lp, yo, draw through both lps on hook to complete as sc.

Surface slip stitch (surface sl st): Insert hook in indicated sp, yo, pull lp to RS and through lp on hook.

Single crochet join (sc join): Place a slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

PILLOW

Row 1 (WS): With pearl, ch 121, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (120 sc)

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

Row 3: Ch 1, tr in back lp (see *Stitch Guide*) of first st, sc in each of next 9 sts, [tr in back

lp of next st, sc in each of next 9 sts] across, **changing color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to candy pink in last sc, turn. **Fasten off** (see *Pattern Notes*) pearl. (12 tr, 108 sc)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first 9 sts, **sc in next tr and unworked lp at base of same tr** (see *Special Stitches*), [sc in each of next 9 sts, sc in next tr and unworked lp at base of same tr] across, turn. (120 sc)

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

Rows 6–8: [Rep row 5] 3 times, changing to pearl at end of last row.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in first 5 sts, [tr in back lp of next st, sc in each of next 9 sts] 11 times, tr in back lp of next st, sc in each of last 4 sts, changing to candy pink in last sc, fasten off, turn. (12 tr, 108 sc)

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in first 4 sts, [sc in next tr and unworked lp at base of same tr, sc in each of next 9 sts] 11 times, sc in next tr and unworked lp at base of same tr, sc in each of last 5 sts, changing to pearl in last st, turn. Fasten off candy pink.

Row 11: Rep row 3, changing to kidz orange in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 12: Rep row 4.

Rows 13–18: [Rep row 5] 6 times, changing to pearl at end of last row.

Row 19: Rep row 9, changing to kidz orange in last st.

Row 20: Rep row 10.

Row 21: Rep row 3, changing to goldenrod in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 22: Rep row 4.

Rows 23–30: [Rep row 5] 8 times, changing to pearl at end of last row. Fasten off goldenrod.

Row 31: Rep row 9, changing to goldenrod in last st.

Row 32: Rep row 10.

Row 33: Rep row 3, changing to seedling in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 34: Rep row 4.

Rows 35–44: [Rep row 5] 10 times, changing to pearl at end of last row. Fasten off seedling.

Row 45: Rep row 9, changing to seedling in last st.

Row 46: Rep row 10.

Row 47: Rep row 3, changing to lagoon in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 48: Rep row 4.

Rows 49–60: [Rep row 5] 12 times, changing to pearl at end of last row. Fasten off lagoon.

Row 61: Rep row 3, changing to seedling in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 62: Rep row 4, changing to pearl in last st. Fasten off seedling.

Row 63: Rep row 9, changing to seedling in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 64: Rep row 10, **do not change** color at end of row.

Rows 65–74: [Rep row 5] 10 times, changing to pearl at end of last row.

Row 75: Rep row 3, changing to goldenrod in last st.

Row 76: Rep row 4, changing to pearl in last st. Fasten off goldenrod.

Row 77: Rep row 9, changing to goldenrod in last st.

Row 78: Rep row 10, **do not change color**.

Rows 79–86: [Rep row 5] 8 times, changing to pearl at end of last row. Fasten off goldenrod.

Row 87: Rep row 3, changing to kidz orange in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 88: Rep row 4, changing to pearl in last st. Fasten off kidz orange.

Row 89: Rep row 9, changing to kidz orange in last st.

Row 90: Rep row 10, do not change color.

Rows 91–96: [Rep row 5] 6 times, changing to pearl at end of last row. Fasten off kidz orange.

Row 97: Rep row 3, changing to candy pink in last st. Fasten off pearl.

Row 98: Rep row 4, changing to pearl in last st. Fasten off candy pink.

Row 99: Rep row 9, changing to candy pink in last st.

Row 100: Rep row 10, **do not change color**.

Rows 101–104: [Rep row 5] 4 times, changing to pearl at end of last row. Fasten off candy pink.

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MANDALA GRANNY AFGHAN

DESIGN BY MARGRET WILLSON

When Mandala meets Granny, the result is an amazing explosion of color! Motifs are made first and then joined together when crocheting the edging, resulting in one fabulous afghan.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

50 inches wide x 66 inches long

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein):
 - 2 skeins #385 royal
 - 1 skein each #321 gold, #356 amethyst, #376 burgundy, #506 pool, #726 coral, #776 dark orchid, #1101 dark jade and #3945 blue suede
- Size 1/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

Rnds 1–3 = 3¾ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

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

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Single crochet join (sc join): Place slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

Beginning 3-double crochet cluster (beg 3-dc cl): **Sc join** (see *Special Stitches*) in indicated st, ch 2, *yo, insert hook in same st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, rep from * once, yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook.

3-double crochet cluster (3-dc cl): *Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, rep from * twice in same st, yo, draw through all 4 lps on hook.

2-double crochet cluster (2-dc cl): *Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, rep from * once in same st, yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook.

Shell: Work 5 dc in indicated sp.

Large V-stitch (lg V-st): (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in indicated st.

6-single crochet decrease (6-sc dec): [Insert hook in back lp of next st, yo, draw lp through] 3 times, sk next 3 sts, [insert hook in back lp of next st, yo, draw lp through] 3 times, yo, draw through all 7 lps on hook, ch 1.

Corner: (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in indicated st or sp.

AFGHAN

BLOCK 1

Rnd 1: With dark orchid, ch 4, 11 dc in 4th ch from hook (3 sk chs count as first dc), **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in 4th ch of beg ch-4. (12 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as joining, 2 sc in each rem st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (24 sc)

Rnd 3: With coral, work **beg 3-dc cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in any sc, *ch 2, sk next sc**, **3-dc cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg 3-dc cl. Fasten off. (12 cls, 12 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 4: Sc join dark jade in any ch-2 sp, *working in front of ch-2 sp, dc in next sk sc of rnd 2, sc in same sp, ch 3, sk next cl**, sc in next sp, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (12 dc, 24 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 5: Join blue suede in any ch-3 sp, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*) 4 dc in same sp, *sk next 3 sts, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch-3 sp, rep from *, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off. (12 shells)

Rnd 6: Sc join pool in 3rd dc of any shell, (ch 3, sc) in same st, *sc in next dc, sk next dc, working in front of shells, **2-dc cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in next dc of rnd 4, sk next dc, sc in next dc**, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next dc, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (12 2-dc cls, 48 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 7: Sc join gold in first sc after any 2-dc cl, *sk next sc, (4 dc, ch 1, 4 dc) in next ch-3 sp, sk next sc, sc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2-dc cl**, sc in next sc, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (96 dc, 24 sc, 12 ch-2 sps, 12 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 8: Sc join burgundy in any ch-1 sp, (ch 1, sc) in same sp, *sc in **back lp** (see



Stitch Guide) of each of next 3 dc, sk next dc, working in front of previous rnd, **dc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next sk sc of rnd 6, next cl and following sk sc of rnd 6, sk next dc, sc in back lp of each of next 3 dc**, (sc, ch 1, sc) in next ch-1 sp, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (12 dc dec, 96 sc, 12 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 9: Sc join dark jade in any ch-1 sp, 2 sc in same sp, *sk next 4 sc, **lg V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in dc dec, sk next 4 sc**, 3 sc in next ch-1 sp, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. (12 lg V-sts, 36 sc)

Rnd 10: *(Sc, ch 5, sc) in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sts, (sc, ch 5, sc) in next ch-1 sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (120 sc, 24 ch-5 lps)

Rnd 11: Beg at any ch-5 lp, sk next 2 sc, sc join coral in next sc, *sk next 2 sc, (5 dc, ch 1, 5 dc) in next ch-5 lp, sk next 2 sc**, sc in next sc, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (240 dc, 24 sc, 24 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 12: Sc join dark orchid in any ch-1 sp, *ch 4, sk next dc, **6-sc dec** (see *Special Stitches*) over next 9 sts, ch 4, sk next dc**, sc in next ch-1 sp, rep from * around ending last

rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (24 6-sc dec, 48 ch-4 lps)

Note: Corners are numbered 1–4, beg at lower right corner and working counterclockwise.

First Corner

Row 1 (RS): Sc join blue suede in any 6-sc dec to the left of a lg V-st of rnd 9, sk next lp, **corner** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, sk next lp, sc in next dec, ch 3 (counts as first dc of next row) sk next lp, sc in next sc, turn. (6 dc, 3 sc, 1 ch-3 corner sp plus first dc of next row)

Row 2 (WS): Sk first sc and ch-3 just made, 2 dc between next sc and following dc, sk 3 dc, corner in ch-3 corner sp, sk 3 dc, 3 dc between last dc and following sc, sk sc, sk next lp, sc in next sc, ch 3, sk next lp, sc in next dec, turn. (4 3-dc groups, 3 sc, 1 ch-3 corner sp plus first dc of next row)

Row 3: Sk first sc and ch-3 just made, 2 dc between next sc and following dc, sk 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp, sk 3 dc, corner in ch-3 corner sp, sk 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp, sk 3 dc, 3 dc between last dc and following sc, sk next lp, sc in next dec, ch 3, sk next lp, sc in next sc, turn. (6 3-dc groups, 3 sc, 1 ch-3 corner sp plus first dc of next row)

Row 4: Sk first sc and ch-3 just made, 2 dc between next sc and following dc, [sk 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp] twice, sk 3 dc, corner in ch-3 corner sp, [sk 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp] twice, sk 3 dc, 3 dc between last dc and following sc, sk next lp, sc in next sc. Fasten off. (8 3-dc groups, 2 sc, 1 ch-3 corner sp)

2nd Corner

Row 1 (RS): With RS facing, sk next 3 dec, sc join burgundy in next dec, corner in next sc, sc in next dec, **ch 3** (counts as first dc of next row), sk next lp, sc in next sc, turn. (6 dc, 3 sc, 1 ch-3 corner sp plus first dc of next row)

Rows 2–4: Work as for First Corner.

3rd Corner

With gold, rep rows 1–4 of 2nd Corner.

4th Corner

With pool, rep rows 1–4 of 2nd Corner.

Block Border

Join royal in any ch-3 corner sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, *(sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp) 3 times, sk next 3 dc, 3 dc between last dc and following sc, sk next sc, [3 dc in next sp,

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BOHO DREAM CATCHER

DESIGN BY LISA M. BARNES

Rounds of textured and open lacy stitches create this stunning mandala sure to take center stage no matter where it is displayed.

1 2 3 4 5 6 **INTERMEDIATE**

FINISHED MEASUREMENT

19 inches in diameter, excluding fringe

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Yarn Mandala light (DK) weight acrylic yarn (5¼ oz/590 yds/150g per skein):
1 skein #204 chimera
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Transparent tape
- ¾-inch flat faux leather trim or ribbon: 3 yards
- 19-inch diameter metal floral hoop by Ashland, item #10527005
- Clear nylon thread or beading illusion cord, .25mm: approximately 5 feet
- Strong, sharp sewing needle
- Beads:
 - Abalone shell large teardrop: 3
 - Silver metal rondelle 8mm 379: 21
 - Sapphire round 8mm (dark blue): 5
 - Orange crackle glass round 8mm
 - Amethyst round 6mm (purple): 7
 - Silver plated rondel 5mm: 26
 - Turquoise dyed stone round 6mm: 11
 - Garnet round 6mm (red): 6
 - Clear crystal quartzite wand (about 25mm long): 4
- Clear glue
- Suede leather lace, 3mm brown: 4½ feet

GAUGE

Rnds 1–5 = 3 inches in diameter.

PATTERN NOTES

Before beginning, divide and cut: gold, grass, forest green, blue, brown, plum, raspberry, adobe and peach.

Join with slip stitch to first stitch in round as indicated unless otherwise stated.

When instructed to work in small shell, work in chain-1 space of small shell.

Dream catcher is worked in joined rounds from the center out, with right side facing. Instead of working a turning chain at the beginning of each round, work a “join” or “chainless” stitch as indicated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Chainless starting double crochet (CSDC):

Pull up lp on hook to height of dc st. Holding this lp to keep it the same size, yo with the lp (*rotate hook under lp to create yo*). Still holding the lp, insert hook into designated st, yo, and pull up lp. Finish dc st by making yo, pull lp through first lp and behind wound lp; yo and pull through last 2 lps on hook.

Single crochet join (sc join): Place slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

Double crochet join (dc join): Place slip knot on hook, yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a lp, yo and draw through 2 lps, yo and draw through both lps on hook.

Large V-stitch (lg V-st): (Dc, ch 2, dc) in indicated st or sp.

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

Puff st (ps): (Yo, insert hook in designated st or ch sp draw yarn through st and up to level of work) 3 times in same st, yo, draw yarn through 7 lps on hook.

Small shell (sm shell): (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in indicated st or sp.

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

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

DREAM CATCHER

CENTER

Rnd 1: With gold, ch 6, **join** (*see Pattern Notes*) in first ch, ch 1, 16 sc in ring, join in beg sc. (16 sc)

Rnd 2: CSDC (*see Special Stitches*), ch 1, *dc in next st, ch 1, rep from * around, join in beg dc, fasten off. (16 dc, 16 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 3: Sc join (*see Special Stitches*) grass in any dc, ch 3, *sc in next dc, ch 3, rep from * around, join in beg sc, fasten off. (16 sc, 16 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 4: Sc join forest green in any ch sp, ch 7, *sc in next ch sp, ch 7, rep from * around, join in beg sc, fasten off. (16 sc, 16 ch-7 sps)

Rnd 5: Dc join (*see Special Stitches*) blue in any ch sp, 3 dc in same ch sp, ch 1, *4 dc in next ch sp, ch 1, rep from * around, join in beg dc, fasten off. (16 4-dc groups, 16 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 6: Dc join brown in last dc of any 4-dc group, *lg V-st (*see Special Stitches*) in next ch sp, dc in next dc, ch 2, 2 dc in next ch sp, ch 2, sk next 3 dc, dc in next dc, rep from * around, omitting last dc, join in beg dc. (8 lg V-st groups, 8 double dc groups)

Rnd 7: CSDC in same dc, *shell (*see Special Stitches*) in next ch sp, sk next dc, dc in next dc, ch 1, dc in next ch sp, ch 2, dc in next ch sp, ch 1, dc in next dc, rep from * around, omitting last dc, join in beg dc, fasten off. (8 shell groups)

Rnd 8: Dc join plum in any ch-2 sp of shell, (ch 2, dc) in same ch-2 sp, *dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 2, sk next dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, sk next dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, lg V-st



in next ch-2 sp, rep from * around, omitting last lg V-st, join in beg dc. (8 lg V-st groups, 8 2-dc groups)

Rnd 9: CSDC in same st, *lg V-st in next ch sp, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, dc in next ch sp, ch 2, dc in next ch sp, ch 3, sk next 2 dc, dc in each of next 2 sts, rep from * around, omitting last dc, join in beg dc, fasten off. (8 lg V-st groups, 8 ch sps and dc groups)

Rnd 10: Sc join raspberry in any ch-2 sp of lg V-st, *ch 3, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, ch 3, sk next ch sp, (ps—see *Special Stitches*, ch 2, ps, ch 2, ps) in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, sk next dc, dc in next dc, ch 3, sc in next ch-2 sp, rep from *

around, omitting last sc, join in beg sc. (8 ps groups, 8 dc/ch sp groups)

Rnd 11: Pull up lp to height of next rnd, ps in same st, *ch 2, dc in next ch sp, ch 4, sk next ch sp, [(ps, ch 2, ps, ch 2) in next ch sp] twice, ch 2, sk next ch sp, dc in next ch sp, ch 2, ps in next sc, rep from * around, omitting last ps, join in ps, fasten off. (8 ps groups, 8 dc/ch sp groups)

Rnd 12: Dc join adobe in single ps, *2 dc in next ch sp, ch 4, dc in next ch sp, ch 3, sk next 2 ps, **sm shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch sp, ch 4, sk next 2 ps, dc in next ch sp, ch 4, 2 dc in next ch sp, dc in next ps, rep from *

around, omitting last dc, join in beg dc. (8 5-dc groups, 8 dc/ch sp groups)

Rnd 13: (CSDC, ch 3, dc) in same st, *dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, sc in next dc, ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc, **V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in **sm shell** (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, sc in next dc, ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc, **xl V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next dc, rep from * around, omitting last xl V-st, join in beg dc. (8 xl V-st groups and 8 V-st groups)

Rnd 14: Ch 1, *(sc, ch 5, sc) in ch-3 sp, ch 3, **dc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 3 sts, ch 2, dc in sc, ch 4, dc dec in next 3 sts, ch 3, sl st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, dc dec in next 3 sts, ch 4, dc in sc, ch 2, dc dec in next 3 sts, ch 3, rep from * around, join in beg sc, fasten off (completes 8 heart motifs and 8 angel motifs)

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

Block to 19 inches in diameter, pinning each single dc st between motifs.

WRAP HOOP

Tape one end of flat faux leather trim to top of hoop. Wrap trim around hoop, pulling tightly and lining up edges of trim on each wrap. When ends meet, create loop approximately 3 inches tall for hanger. Using nylon thread and sewing needle, sew end of loop to wrapped trim. Cut excess trim.

ATTACH CENTER TO HOOP

Join peach in any dc and pull up lp, *ch 12, wrap yarn around hoop from front to back, sl st to next dc, rep from * around, fasten off, weave in ends.

MAKE DANGLES

Cut nylon thread to length indicated. String through drop bead, pulling to center of thread. Tie a double knot to hold in place. Holding thread doubled, string other beads as shown or as desired. Wrap each end of thread around bottom of hoop, double knot to hold in place. Add a small drop of glue on knot to secure.

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PARROT PARODY ROPE BASKET

DESIGN BY DEBRA ARCH

Looking for that finishing touch to add to your decor?
This basket fits the bill. Stitched using a variation of single crochet
worked over cording creates a unique openweave look.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

11 inches in diameter x 5 inches high,
excluding handles

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Everyday Soft Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/180 yds/100g per skein): 1 skein #200-06 parrot
- Size F/5/3.75mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- ¼-inch-diameter smooth braid cotton sash cord: 50 feet
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

3 rnds = approximately 1 inch

Gauge is not important to this project.

PATTERN NOTES

Hold cord over tops of stitches of previous round unless otherwise stated.

Do not join rounds unless otherwise stated.

Place a stitch marker in first chain-2 at beginning of round; move up as work progresses.

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Yarn under single crochet (yarn under sc): Insert hook facing downward in indicated st, pass yarn under hook (*do not yo hook*), pull up lp, yo, pull through lps on hook to complete as a sc.

Note: Openweave look on RS of basket was created using this yarn under sc for rnds 3–24. If desired, regular sc may be substituted for all sc sts.

BASKET

Rnd 1: Ch 4, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) to form a ring, ch 1, 14 sc in ring, join to first sc. (14 sc)

Rnd 2: Inserting hook in center of ring to work over sc of last rnd, 14 sc in ring, join to first st.

Rnd 3: Place cord just above sts of last rnd, having cut end about 1½ inches to right past join of last rnd, working over cord with **yarn under sc** (see *Special Stitch*), 2 sc in same st as joining, 2 sc in each st around, **do not join** (see *Pattern Notes*). Trim end of cord even with last st of rnd, gently pull on working end of cord to hide end of cord in last st. (28 sc)

Note: Use yarn under sc for sc in following rnds.

Rnd 4: Ch 2, sk first st, sc in next st, **place marker** (see *Pattern Notes*) beg ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st] 13 times. (14 sc, 14 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 5: Ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next marked ch-2 sp, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 6 times. (21 sc, 21 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 6: Ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] twice, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] twice, rep from * 6 times. (28 sc, 28 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 7: Ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 3 times, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 3 times, rep from * 6 times. (35 sc, 35 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 8: Ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 4 times, rep from * 6 times, ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] twice. (42 sc, 42 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 9: Ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 5 times, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 5 times, rep from * 6 times. (49 sc, 49 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 10: Ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 6 times, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 6 times, rep from * 6 times. (56 sc, 56 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 11: Ch 2, sk next st, sc in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] around.

Rnd 12: Ch 2, sk next st, sc in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 12 times, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 13 times, rep from * twice, ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp. (60 sc, 60 ch-2 sps)

Rnds 13 & 14: Rep rnd 11.

Rnd 15: Ch 2, sk next st, sc in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 6 times, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 14 times, rep from * twice, ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 7 times. (64 sc, 64 ch-2 sps)

Rnds 16 & 17: Rep rnd 11.

Rnd 18: Ch 2, sk next st, sc in next marked ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 14 times, *ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in next ch-2 sp] 15 times, rep from * twice, ch 2, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp. (68 sc, 68 ch-2 sps)

Rnds 19–24: Rep rnd 11.

HANDLES

Rnd 25: 2 hdc in same ch-2 sp as last sc made, [sk next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp] 17 times, *slightly raise cord above sts of basket, work 20 hdc over cord (*handle made*), sk next 8 ch-2 sps of basket**, [sk next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp] 26 times, rep from * to ** once, [sk next st, 2 hdc in next ch-2 sp] 8 times, join to first hdc of rnd. Trim cord even with last hdc made. Fasten off, leaving a long tail.

FINISHING

With tapestry needle and tail, neatly tack end of cord between sts on inside of basket to secure. **C!**

BOHO BRIGHTS LOG CABIN THROW

DESIGN BY LEE SARTORI

This colorful but soothing throw will brighten your day while relaxing your spirit. Each square is made of five different colors of yarn crocheted in a different order, creating a unique explosion of color.

1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

38 inches x 50 inches

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Yarns Basic Stitch Anti-Pilling medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/185 yds/100g per skein):
 - 2 skeins each #105 frost (A), #405 turquoise heather (B) and #111 royal blue (C)
 - 1 skein each #195 hot pink (D), #142 prism (E), #106 baby blue (F), #157 lemonade (G), #158 mustard (H), #147 purple (I) and #101 baby pink (J)
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

1 square = 12 inches x 12 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Starting chain-3 or chain-2 counts as first stitch.

Change colors by chaining 1 with next color, then fasten off last color.

THROW

SQUARE

Make 12 in the following color combinations:

Square 1: F, I, C, B, A.

Square 2: C, H, B, F, A.

Square 3: B, A, G, D, H.

Square 4: D, A, J, B, G.

Square 5: G, E, A, B, I.

Square 6: E, B, I, H, C.

Square 7: E, B, H, A, F.

Square 8: H, B, G, F, C.

Square 9: C, E, B, A, G.

Square 10: A, I, B, F, H.

Square 11: J, H, D, I, F.

Square 12: A, B, I, E, F.

Rnd 1: With first color, ch 4, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, *ch 2, 3 dc in same st; rep from * 3 times, ch 2, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in top of beg ch-4. (12 dc, 4 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 2: Sl st to next ch-2 sp, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, *ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp; rep from * 3 times, ch 1, join in top of beg ch-3. (24 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 4 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 3: Sl st to next ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, *ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp; rep from * 3 times, ch 1, join in top of beg ch-3. (36 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 8 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 4: Sl st to next ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, *[ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] twice, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp; rep from * 3 times, ch 1, join in top of beg ch-3. (48 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 12 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 5: Sl st to next ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, *[ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 3 times, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp; rep from * 3 times, **change colors** (see *Pattern Notes*) to 2nd color, join in top of beg ch-3. Fasten off first color. (60 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 16 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 6: With 2nd color, sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1] 4 times, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, change to 3rd color, *3 dc in ch-2 sp, [3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1] 4 times, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1; changing to 4th color, rep from * with 4th color, changing to 5th color, rep from *, change to 2nd color, join in top of beg ch-3. (72 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 20 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 7: With 2nd color, sl st in next ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 5 times, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, change to 3rd color, [ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 5 times, change to 4th color, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1] 5 times; change to 5th color, rep from * with 5th color, change to 2nd color, join in top of beg ch-3. (84 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 24 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 8: With 2nd color, sl st in next ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 6 times, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, change to 3rd color, [ch 1, 3 dc in

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1 2 3 4 5 6 INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

10½ inches wide x 11 inches tall

MATERIALS

- Lily Sugar'n Cream medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (2½ oz/120 yds/71g per ball):
2 balls #00015 wine
1 ball each #01133 teal, #01699 tangerine and #01628 hot orange
- Lily Sugar'n Cream Super Size medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn (4 oz/200 yds/113g per ball):
1 ball each #18004 ecru, #18800 dazzle blue and #18010 yellow
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

13 split sc = 4 inches

7 split sc rnds = 4 inches

Take time to check gauge.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Work in continuous rounds; do not turn or join unless otherwise stated.

Mark last stitch of round and move marker up as work progresses.

Always change color in last stitch worked before the color change.

Dot in square on color chart indicates stitch is worked in back loop only, but also still as a split single crochet.

Each square on chart (showing front only) equals 1 split sc.

SPECIAL STITCHES

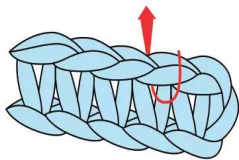
Split single crochet (split sc): Sc in center of V (see illustration) of sc. When working into the hdc of rnd 1, work sc in center of V of hdc.

Split single crochet in back loop (split sc in back lp): When working in back lp (see *Stitch Guide*), insert hook top down and then through center of V, leaving front lp (see *Stitch Guide*) unworked.

BOHO FLOWER HOT PAD

DESIGN BY J. ERIN BOLAND

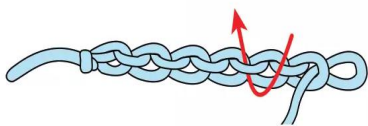
The bold flower motif on this double-thick hot pad pops with boho color! Fun to make, this design is worked in a modified single crochet tapestry stitch following a chart.



Split Single Crochet

HOT PAD

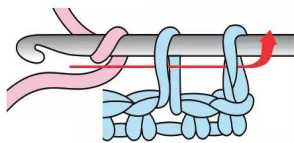
Rnd 1: With wine, ch 70, sl st in first ch being careful not to twist ch, sc in same ch as sl st, working in **back bar of ch** (see illustration), sc in each ch around to last ch, hdc in last ch, **place marker in bottom of hdc** (see Pattern Notes). (69 sc, 1 hdc)



Back Bar of Chain

Rnds 2–3: Split sc (see Special Stitches) in each st around. (70 split sc)

Rnd 4: Split sc in first 3 sc, **changing to ecru** (see Pattern Notes, see illustration) in last sc, **split sc in back lp** (see Special Stitches) of next 29 sc, changing to wine in last sc, split sc to end.



Single Crochet Color Change

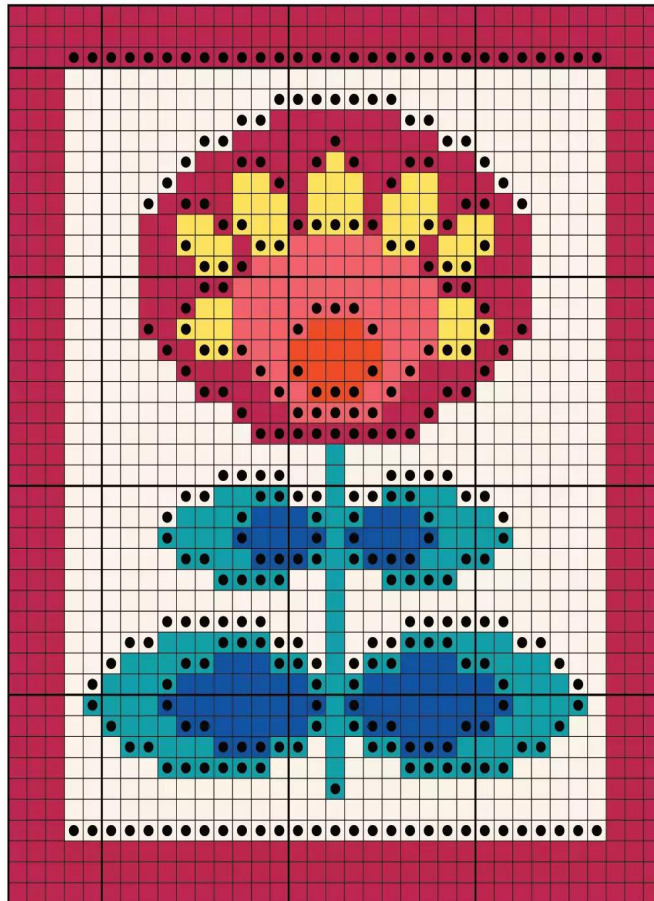
Rnds 5–43: Split sc in first 3 sc, changing to ecru in last sc, follow chart for rem color changes and when to work in back lp, split sc in next 32 sc, continuing with wine, split sc to end.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Block with image centered on front.

With wine and working in back lps, sew top and bottom edges closed. **C!**



Boho Flower Hot Pad
Chart

COLOR KEY	
■	Dazzle blue
■	Teal
■	Ecru
■	Wine
■	Hot orange
■	Tangerine
■	Yellow
	St is to be made in the back lp

GRANNY STRIPE PLACE MAT SET

DESIGNS BY MELISSA HASSLER

Take a familiar stitch and create this practical place mat set in your favorite color palette to suit any decor style!

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

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Place Mat: 17 inches x 13 inches long

Coaster: 4¾ inches wide x 3¾ inches long

MATERIALS

Vintage Vibe

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight cotton yarn (3.52 oz/218 yds/100g per skein):
1 skein each #823 garnet, #830 yellow, #831 aqua and #801 white



Beach Cottage

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight cotton yarn (3.52 oz/218 yds/100g per skein):
1 skein each #816 teal, #861 sand, #817 light teal and #863 camel

Boho Brights

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight cotton yarn (3.52 oz/218 yds/100g per skein):
1 skein each #832 turquoise, #840 green leaf, #825 Mexican rose and #801 white

Modern Farmhouse

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight cotton yarn (3.52 oz/218 yds/100g per skein):
1 skein each #803 black, #863 camel, #887 charcoal and #861 sand
- Sizes G/6/4mm and H/8/5mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

3 3-dc groups = 2 inches; 5 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

The first and last rows are not counted for the stripe sequence.

When changing color, draw through final 2 loops of stitch with new color and fasten off old color.

STRIPE SEQUENCES

Vintage Vibe Place Mat: 4 rows each garnet, yellow, aqua and white

Vintage Vibe Coaster: 2 rows each garnet, yellow, aqua and white

Beach Cottage Place Mat: 4 rows each teal, sand, light teal and camel

Beach Cottage Coaster: 2 rows each teal, sand, light teal and camel

Boho Brights Place Mat: 4 rows each turquoise, green leaf, Mexican rose and white

Boho Brights Coaster: 2 rows each turquoise, green leaf, Mexican rose and white

Modern Farmhouse Place Mat: 4 rows each black, camel, charcoal and sand

Modern Farmhouse Coaster: 2 rows each black, camel, charcoal and sand

PLACE MAT

Note: Row 1 does not count in *Stripe Sequence* (see Pattern Notes).

Row 1: Following Stripe Sequence, ch 73, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (72 sc)

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in first st, *sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in next st, rep from * across, ending with 2 dc in last st, turn. (23 3-dc groups, 3 dc)

Row 3: Ch 2, sk first 2 sts, 3 dc in first sp from previous row, *sk next 3 sts, 3 dc in next sp, rep from * across, ending with dc in beg ch-3, turn. (24 3-dc groups, 1 dc)

Row 4: Ch 2, dc in first st, *sk next 3 sts, 3 dc in next sp, rep from * across, ending with 2 dc in last st, turn. (23 3-dc groups, 3 dc)

Row 5: Rep row 3, **changing color** (see *Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes*) to next sequence color in last dc, turn. Fasten off old color.

Row 6: Rep row 4.

Rows 7 & 8: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 9: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 10: Rep row 4.

Rows 11 & 12: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 13: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 14: Rep row 4.

Rows 15 & 16: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 17: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 18: Rep row 4.

Rows 19 & 20: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 21: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 22: Rep row 4.

Rows 23 & 24: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 25: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 26: Rep row 4.

Rows 27 & 28: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 29: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 30: Rep row 4.

Rows 31 & 32: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 33: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 34: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Fasten off. (73 sc)

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FOUR SQUARE PILLOW

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4. Rep steps 2 and 3 with rem Squares.
5. Hold long edges of triangles with WS tog, matching Squares opposite each other, seams matching in center, and marked hdc at opposing outside corners. Working through both layers, join cream in any marked hdc corner, sl st in each of next 42 sts to center seam, sl st in center seam,

sl st in each of next 42 sts to next marked hdc, sl st in hdc, working along back side of Pillow, sl st in each of next 42 sts to center seam, insert pillow form, sl st in center seam, sl st in each of next 42 sts to next marked hdc, sl st in hdc. Fasten off. (172 sl sts) **C!**

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Rnd 38: Ch 2, fpdc around next 12 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 13 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (84 fpdc)

Rnd 39: Ch 2, fpdc around next 11 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 12 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (78 fpdc)

Rnd 40: Ch 2, fpdc around next 10 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 11 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (72 fpdc)

Rnd 41: Ch 2, fpdc around next 9 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 10 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (66 fpdc)

Rnd 42: Ch 2, fpdc around next 8 sts, fpdc dec, [fpdc around next 9 sts, fpdc dec] around, join. (60 fpdc)

Rnd 43: Ch 1, **beg sc** (see *Special Stitches*), sc in next 7 sts, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sts, [sc in next 8 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (54 sc)

Rnd 44: Ch 1, beg sc, sc in next 6 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next 7 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (48 sc)

Rnd 45: Ch 1, beg sc, sc in next 5 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next 6 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (42 sc)

Rnd 46: Ch 1, beg sc, sc in next 4 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next 5 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (36 sc)

Rnd 47: Ch 1, beg sc, sc in next 3 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next 4 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (30 sc)

Rnd 48: Ch 1, beg sc, sc in next 2 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next 3 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (24 sc)

Rnd 49: Ch 1, beg sc, sc in next st, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next 2 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, join. (18 sc)

Rnd 50: Ch 1, beg sc, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in next st, sc dec in next 2 sts] around, **do not join**. (12 sc)

Rnd 51: [Sc dec in next 2 sts] around. Cut yarn, thread tail onto tapestry needle and draw through rem 6 sts. Cinch opening closed.

FINISHING

Weave in rem loose ends.

Optional: To tighten seam along post stitch round joins, thread tapestry needle with yarn and weave in and out between first and last post sts of rnds. Pull yarn to close seam and weave in yarn ends. **C!**

TOUCH OF TEXTURE PILLOW

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Rnd 44: Sc join black, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 45 & 46: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

Rnd 47: With size G hook, sc join cream, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnd 48: Ch 1, sc in each of next 2 sts, [dtr in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts,] 33 times, dtr in last st, join in beg sc. (34 dtr)



Rnd 49: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnd 50: Ch 1, sc in first st, [dtr in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts,] 33 times, dtr in next st, sc in last st, join in beg sc. (34 dtr)

Rnd 51: Rep rnd 49.

Rnds 52–55: Rep rnds 48–51. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Rnd 56: With size H hook, sc join black, sc in next st and in each st around, join in beg sc. (102 sc)

Rnds 57 & 58: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. (102 sc)

PILLOW ASSEMBLY & FRINGE

Weave in ends on back side of pieces. Insert pillow form. With black yarn and tapestry needle, sew top tog.

Fringe: Cut 48 strands each 10 inches long of cream yarn. Divide strands in groups of 4 for 12 fringes. Add fringe to pillow front side in every other ch-3 lp. Trim ends as needed. **C!**

COTTON BLOOM TABLE RUNNER

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EDGING

With RS facing, join yarn with sl st in first corner to work along long side, *sc evenly across long side, (ch 4, sc in tip of next inc row on runner end) 6 times, now working around end, ch 3, sc in other tip of row 1, (ch 4, sc in tip of next inc row on runner end) 6 times; rep from * once, join with sl st in first sc and fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends. Block.

FRINGE

Cut 12 10-inch pieces of yarn for each ch-3 and ch-4 sp on each short end; holding all strands tog, fold in half, pull fold through ch sp, pull ends through fold, pull to tighten. Fringe across each short end. **C!**



GROWING ROWS THROW

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Rows 10–89: [Rep rows 2–9] 10 times, working last dc of all row 2 reps in 3rd ch of beg ch-5. (20 Growing Row motifs plus 1 row of next motif completed)

Rows 90–95: Rep rows 2–7. (21 Growing Row motifs plus 3 rows of next motif completed)

Row 96: Ch 5, sk next ch sp, [dc in next dc, sk next ch-1 sp, **picot shell** (see *Special Stitches*)

in next 5-dc shell, sk next ch-1 sp] 3 times, dc in next dc, ch 2, sk next ch-3 sp, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6. Fasten off. (3 picot shells, 6 dc)

ASSEMBLY & FINISHING

Arrange Panels in pleasing distribution of color blocks.

Joining row: With WS and top edges of 2 Panels held tog and matching rows, **sl st join** (see *Special Stitches*) taupe in top of first row, ch 1, working loosely from left to right through both thicknesses around post of dc at end of rows, **reverse sc** (see *Stitch Guide*) in first row, (ch 1, reverse sc) in each row across, sl st in base of st of last row. Leaving 8-inch tail to incorporate into fringe, fasten off.

Rep to join rem Panels.

First side edging: With RS of left-end Panel facing, leaving an 8-inch tail and working in

ends of rows, sl st join taupe in first row at bottom edge, (ch 1, reverse sc) in each row across. Fasten off.

2nd side edging: With RS of right-end Panel facing and working in ends of rows, sl st join taupe in first row at top edge, (ch 1, reverse sc) in each row across. Leaving an 8-inch tail, fasten off.

Fringe

For each Fringe, cut 10 16-inch strands of taupe. Working across bottom of Throw only and incorporating tails, place 1 Fringe in each corner, 1 in each joining row, and 1 in base of each of 3 single dc between joining rows of each Panel as follows: Fold 10-strand hank in half. Insert hook from RS in indicated place, pull folded end through, catching tails in Fringe, pull ends through fold, pull ends to tighten knot. Trim ends evenly to desired length. **C!**

TEXTURED STRIPES TABLE RUNNER

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Row 13: Rep row 2.

Rows 14–35: [Rep rows 3–13] twice in established color pattern, do not fasten off at end of row 35.

BORDER

Rnd 1: *Ch 2, rotate work, dc in same st, 2 dc in side of each row across to corner, (dc, ch 2) in corner, rotate work**, dc in same st and in

each st and sp across to corner, rep from * to **, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in top of beg ch-2.

Rnd 2: Ch 1 (counts as first sc), sc in next st and each st across to corner, (2 sc, ch 1, 2 sc) in corner, [sc in each st across to next corner, (2 sc, ch 1, 2 sc) in corner] 3 times, join with sl st in beg ch-1. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Block if desired. **C!**

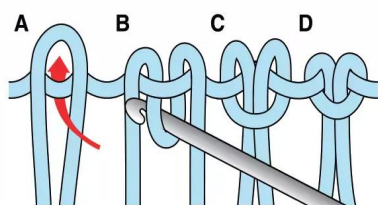
CADENCE COASTERS

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FINISHING

Fringe

Cut **20** (see *Pattern Notes*) three-inch strands of yarn. *Hold 2 strands tog and fold in half. With RS of project facing, use crochet hook to draw folded end through ch-2 sp from RS to WS (see *illustrations A and B*). Pull loose ends through folded section (see *illustration C*). Draw knot up firmly (see *illustration D*); rep from * in each ch-2 sp around.



Basic Fringe

Steam or iron each fringe to make them nice and straight before trimming ends. Do NOT iron if substituting anything other than cotton



yarn. Trim each fringe group to about 1 inch in length. If desired, comb out the tassels a bit to make them look fuller and more uniform. **C!**

MANDALA RUG

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Fasten off.

Rnd 41: With RS facing, join C in first sc of rnd 40, beg pc in same st, ch 1, sk next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc, [pc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc] 79 times, join in first pc. (80 pc, 80 sc, 160 ch-1 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 42: With RS facing, join A with a sc in any pc, 3 dc in next sc, [sc in next pc, 3 dc in next sc] 79 times, join in first sc. (80 sc, 240 dc)

Rnd 43: Ch 1 loosely, fpdc around post of first sc, ch 1, sk next dc, sc in next dc, ch 1, sk next dc, [fpdc around post of next sc, ch 1, sk next dc, sc in next dc, ch 1, sk next dc] 79 times, join in first fpdc. (80 fpdc, 80 sc, 160 ch-1 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnds 44–46: Rep rnds 22–24. (320 sts in each rnd)

Rnd 47: With RS facing, join B with a sc in any sc, ch 1, sk next sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc] 159 times, join in first sc. (160 sc, 160 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 48: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, beg cl in same ch-1 sp, ch 1, (cl, ch 1) in each ch-1 sp around, join in first cl. (160 cls, 160 ch-1 sps)

Fasten off.

Rnd 49: With RS facing, join A with a sc in any ch-1 sp, ch 2, hdc in side of last made sc, [sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2, hdc in side of last made sc] 159 times, join in first sc. (160 sc, 160 hdc, 160 ch-2 sps)

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends. **C!**



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SWEET GRANNY BLANKET

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place (3 dc, ch 1) groups across row**, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in slip ring of next corner triangle, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: Join CE in any ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, picot—see *Special Stitch*, dc, ch 2, 2 dc, picot, dc) in same sp, ch 1, *[(2 dc, picot, dc) in next

ch-1 sp, ch 1] across row**, (2 dc, picot, dc, ch 2, 2 dc, picot, dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Finishing

Steam block to shape. **C!**



SUNNY GARDEN THROW

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at opposite end of the first strip. Join a 4th strip of 7 Motifs at right angles to 2nd and 3rd strips parallel to the first strip, forming a rectangle. (26 motifs)

JOINING MOTIFS TO CENTER PANEL

With RS of Center Panel and Motif strips facing, align bottom of Center Panel with bottom strip of 7 Motifs (*joining only center 5 of these Motifs to Center Panel.*)

Join yarn with sl st in bottom right corner of Center Panel in first free lp of foundation ch, ch 4, sk corner Motif, sl st in free ch lp at corner of next Motif, [ch 4, sk next 4 ch lps on Center Panel, sl st in next lp, ch 4, sl st in next lp on rnd 9 on Motif, ch 4, sk next 5 lps on Center Panel, sl st in next free lp ch 4, sl st in next Motif lp] across, ending with ch 4, sl st in last foundation ch lp. (21 joins on Center Panel, 20 on Motifs)

Place 24 stitch markers every 2 inches (3¾ rows) up side of Center Panel.

Align side strip of Motifs with marked side of Center Panel, joining center 6 Motifs to side of Center Panel.

Ch 4, sk corner Motif, sl st in first free lp of next Motif, [ch 4, sl st in end of marked row of Center Panel, ch 4, sl st in next lp on Motif] across, ending with [ch 4, sl st in top corner of Center Panel (*last marker*)]. (25 sl st joins on side of Center Panel, 24 on Motifs)

Working across top of Center Panel, join center 5 Motifs as for bottom strip, then join 4th strip of Motifs as for previous side of Center Panel, ending with sl st in first foundation ch lp. Fasten off.

EDGING

Rnd 1: Join in any corner ch-9 lp, ch 3, (4 dc, ch 3, 5 dc) in same lp, *5 dc in each lp to next corner ch-9 lp**, (5 dc, ch 3, 5 dc) in corner, rep from * around, ending last rep at ** join in beg ch-3 of first corner.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 3, sk next dc, sc in next dc, sk next 2 dc, 9 dc in corner ch-3 sp, sk next 3 dc, sc in next dc, *[ch 3, sk next dc, sc in next dc] 7 times, 9 dc in next ch-3 sp between 5-dc groups, rep from * around working 9 dc in corner ch-3 sps, join in first sc.

Rnd 3: Sl st in first ch-3 lp, ch 1, sc in same lp, *sk next dc, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next dc, [sk next 2 dc, shell in next dc] twice, sk next dc, sc in next ch-3 lp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 lp] 6 times, rep from * around, join in first sc.

Rnd 4: Sk next 2 dc, **picot shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next dc, [sk next 4 dc, picot shell in next dc] twice, *sc in next ch-3 lp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 lp] 5 times**, sk next 2 dc, picot shell in next dc, [sk next 4 dc, picot shell in next dc] twice, rep from * around, ending last rep at ** join in first dc. Fasten off.

Block Throw. **C!**

RUBY'S CAFÉ

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Rnd 25: Beg shell in beg shell, *(ch 3, sc) in each of next 2 ch-3 sps, ch 3**, shell in each of next 2 shells, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, shell in last shell, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 45 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 26: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sk next ch-3 sp, shell in center ch-3 sp, ch 2, sk next ch-3 sp**, shell in each of next 2 shells, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, shell

in last ch-3 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (45 shells)

Rnd 27: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, 8 dc in next shell, ch 2**, shell in each of next

2 shells, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, shell in last shell, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 15 pineapple bases)

Rnd 28: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, dc in sp between first and 2nd dc of next 8-dc group, [ch 1, dc in sp between next 2 dc of same group] 6 times (7 dc across pineapple), ch 2**, shell in each of next 2 shells, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, shell in last ch-3 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 15 pineapples)

Rnd 29: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 5 ch-1 sps, ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 2, dc in sp between shells, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 15 single dc, 5 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 30: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 4 ch-3 sps, ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 2, shell in dc between shells, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (45 shells, 4 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 31: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 3 ch-3 sps**, (ch 2, shell) in each of next 3 shells, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, (ch 2, shell) in each of last 2 shells, ch 2, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (45 shells, 3 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 32: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 2 ch-3 sps, ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 2, 8 dc in next shell, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 15 pineapple bases)

Rnd 33: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 2, dc between first and 2nd dc of next 8-dc group, [ch 1, dc in next sp between next 2 dc of same group] 6 times (7 dc across pineapple), ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 15 pineapples)

Rnd 34: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 1, dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, shell in next shell, ch 2, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 5 ch-1 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch

of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 5 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 35: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 4 ch-3 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 4 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 36: Beg shell in beg shell, *ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 3 ch-3 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 3 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 37: Beg shell in beg shell, *shell in next shell, ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc) in each of next 2 ch-3 sps, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 2 ch-3 sps across each pineapple)

Rnd 38: Beg shell in beg shell, *shell in next shell, ch 2, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells, 1 ch-3 sp at top of each pineapple)

Rnd 39: Beg shell in beg shell, *shell in next shell, ch 1, dc in rem ch-3 sp of pineapple, ch 1**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells)

Rnd 40: Beg shell in beg shell, (ch 1, shell) in each shell around, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (30 shells)

Rnd 41: Sl st in first shell, **ch 4** (see Pattern Notes), (dc, [ch 1, dc] 4 times) in same shell, sc in next ch-1 sp between shells, *(dc, [ch 1, dc] 5 times) in next shell, sc in next ch-1 sp between shells, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. (180 ch-1 sps)

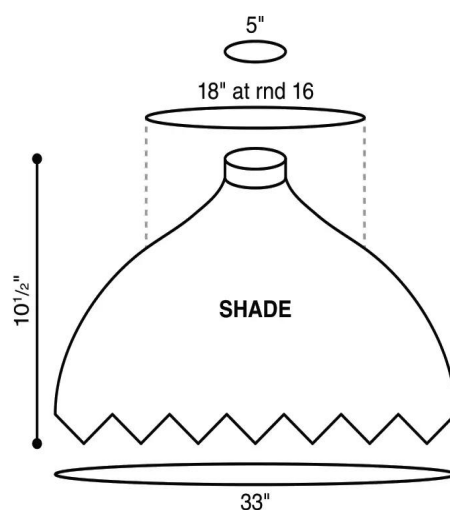
Rnd 42: Sl st in first ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 sc in same ch-1 sp as beg ch-1, 2 sc in next ch-1 sp, *(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-1 sp, 2 sc in each of next 2 ch-1 sps, sl st in next sc**, 2 sc in each of next 2 ch-1 sps, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (300 sc, 30 ch-3 sps)

FINISHING

Cut cardboard piece, tape ends tog to form a 5¼-inch tube. Cover tube with plastic wrap.



Blow up balloon to needed size, before knotting end, place crocheted piece over to check fit, remove crocheted piece and knot end of balloon. Soak crocheted piece in fabric stiffener, squeeze out excess and blot with paper towels. Cover balloon with plastic wrap and place crocheted piece over balloon, shaping evenly. Holding knotted end of balloon with fingers, insert tube in top of Shade to shape section to be placed over pendant light. Pulling knot above tube, secure knot with clothespin so that clothespin is holding tube in place on top of Shade. Cut a length of thread or yarn and secure to clothespin, hang Shade and allow to dry overnight. Remove balloon and tube. Brush excess stiffener from lace holes with stiff brush. Take collar ring off pendant light, insert socket through top opening of Shade. Return collar to light. Insert **light bulb** (see Pattern Notes) in socket. **C!**



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ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, join in top of beg ch. (72 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 6: Ch 3 and dc in first st, dc in next 7 dc, 2 dc in next dc, [ch 2, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next 7 dc, 2 dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, changing color to mint, join in top of beg ch. (88 dc, 8 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 7: Ch 1 and sc in first st, sc in each st and ch-2 sp around. Fasten off. (96 sc)

BACK

Rnd 1: With red, form a slip ring, ch 3, 15 dc in ring, join in top of beg ch. (16 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 3 and dc in first dc, 2 dc in each dc around, join in top of beg ch. (32 dc)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in next dc, [dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc] 15 times, join in top of beg ch. (48 dc)

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, [dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc] 15 times, join in top of beg ch. (64 dc)

Rnd 5: Ch 3, dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc, [dc in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next dc] 15 times, join in top of beg ch. (80 dc)

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, 2 dc in next dc, [dc in next 4 dc, 2 dc in next dc] 15 times, join in top of beg ch. Fasten off. (96 dc)

ASSEMBLY

Rnd 1: With WS tog and working through both thicknesses, join red in any st of last rnd above 1 of the 8 ch-2 sp spokes on Front, ch 1, sc in each st around, join in first sc, turn.

Hanger: Ch 10, sl st in last sc to form ring, turn, ch 1, 16 sc in ring just made, sl st in ring. Fasten off.

RETRO MEDLEY POT HOLDER

Foundation rnd: With swan, leaving 12-inch tail, **first foundation sc** (see *Special Stitches*), 65 **next foundation sc** (see *Special Stitches*), **changing color** (see *Pattern Notes and Stitch Guide*) to red, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc, do not turn. (66 sc)

Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc in first st, ch 1, sk 1, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sk 1] 32 times, changing color to mint, join in first sc. (33 sc, 33 ch-1 sps)



Rnd 2: Ch 1, sk first st, [sc in next ch sp, ch 1] 33 times, join in first sc.

Rnds 3–30: Rep row 2 in color sequence of swan, red and mint. Fasten off red and mint.

ASSEMBLY

Row 1: Flatten tube with WS tog so that working yarn is at end of row. Working through both thicknesses, ch 1, 2 sc in each ch sp across, turn.

Hanger: Ch 10, sl st in first sc to form ring, turn, ch 1, 16 sc in ring just made, sl st in ring. Fasten off. Use tail from foundation rnd to seam gap at beg as follows: Working through both thicknesses, join swan in end st and sl st in each st across. Fasten off. **C!**

BEACH COTTAGE DUO

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back lps (see *StitchGuide.com*) only, sc in each sc around, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc, do not fasten off.

SIDES

Rnd 1: With outside of bottom of basket facing and inside of bottom facing away, working around post of sc sts of rnd 13 of base, ch 1, [insert hook inside to outside to inside again around vertical post of st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through both lps] around, join in beg sc. (72 sts)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, **ext split st** (see *Special Stitches*) in each st around, join in beg st. (72 ext split sts)

Rnds 3–26: Rep rnd 2. At the end of rnd 26, fasten off.

HANDLE

Make 2.

Row 1: Working with 1 strand of clay, ch 6, insert hook in 2nd ch from hook, draw up a lp, [insert hook in next ch, draw up a lp] 4 times (6 lps on hook), **return** (see *Special Stitches*).

Row 2: **TKS** (see *Special Stitches*) across, return.

Rep row 2 until handle measures 25 inches. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew handles in horseshoe shape to each side of basket, securing bottoms to rem lps of rnd 13 of base, leaving 12 sts of rnd 13 between each end of handle, and securing top of handles to rnd 25 of sides. **C!**

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changing color (see *Pattern Notes*) in last st, turn. Fasten off white.

BORDER

Rnd 1: Ch 5, tr in first ch-2 sp of row 126, [ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp] across to end, ch 5, turn work, tr in end of row 126 (*corner made*), [ch 2, tr in next row] across to end, ch 5, turn work, tr in first ch-2 sp from row 1 (*corner made*), [ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp] across to end, ch 5, turn work, tr in end of row 1 (*corner made*), [ch 2, tr in next row] across to end, ch 5, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch-2 sp of rnd 1 (*corner made*).

Rnd 2: Ch 5, tr in next ch-2 sp, [ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp] across to next corner sp, (tr, ch 5, tr) in corner sp, [ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp] across to next corner sp, (tr, ch 5, tr) in corner sp, [ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp] across to next corner sp, (tr,

ch 5, tr) in corner sp, [ch 2, tr in next ch-2 sp] across to end, ch 5, join in first ch-2 sp of rnd 2. Fasten off.

FRINGE

Following instructions, place double knot fringe across each short end. Cut 252 lengths of yarn each 14 inches long which will make 42 knots of 6 strands each. For each knot of first row of fringe, hold 6 strands tog and fold in half. With RS facing, insert crochet hook in first ch-2 sp on 1 short end and pull fold from RS to WS through sp. Pull ends through fold. Tighten knot firmly.

Place a knot in each ch-2 sp (including corners) on each short end.

Use half the strands from 1 knot and half the strands from the next knot to tie a 2nd row of knots about 1½ inches below the first row.



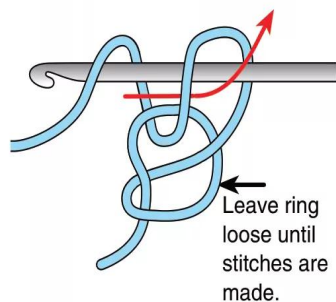
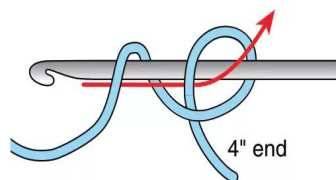
The outermost strands will not be tied in a 2nd knot. Trim to desired length.

FINISHING

Block table runner as desired. **C!**

A POCKETFUL OF NATURE

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Slip Ring

Rnd 5: [2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts] 8 times. (40 hdc)

Rnd 6: [2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 4 sts] 8 times. (48 hdc)

Rnds 7–16: Hdc in each st around.

Rnd 17: Ch 4, sk next 3 sts, hdc in each of next 4 sts, ch 4, sk next 3 sts, hdc in each rem st around—*hanging lps made*. (42 hdc, 2 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 18: [1 hdc in each of next 4 chs, hdc in each of next 4 sts] twice, hdc in each rem st around, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) to beg of rnd. Fasten off. (50 hdc)

ASSEMBLY

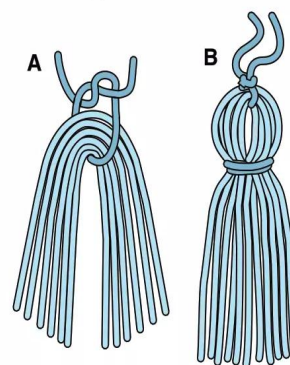
With electric drill, drill hole ½ inch in from each end of hanging rod. Thread hanging rod through the hanging lps of each Pocket.

Cut 2mm cord in 8-inch lengths, *fold 1 length of cording in half and tie an overhand knot ¼ inch from loose ends. Thread the loop through one drilled hole on hanging rod; rep from * for other drilled hole. (Alternatively, 2mm cord can be tied around hanging rod securely, adding an overhand knot made with rem cord, leaving a gap between the rod and the cut ends of the cord.)

Optional tassel: Cut 16 lengths of yarn, each approximately 15 inches long. With a new piece of yarn and leaving long ends for bead and to attach to Pocket, **tie a knot in the middle of the bundle** (see illustration A). Fold bundle in half. **Wrap another piece of yarn around the bundle approximately**



1 inch below (see illustration B). Thread large bead over ends of yarn used to tie bundle. Trim ends of tassel even. Using yarn ends at top of tassel, attach bead and tassel to bottom of Pocket. **C!**



Tassel

SEASIDE AFGHAN

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around, ending last rep at $\diamond\diamond$, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (119 sc and 30 ch-2 sps across each long side, 79 sc and 20 ch-2 sps across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 7 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in center sc of 3-sc corner, 2 sc in same st, *sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next st, **dc in next sk st** (see *Special Stitches*), sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st] around to next 3-sc corner**, 3 sc in next 3-sc corner, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc, turn. (106 sts and 45 ch-2 sps across each long side, 71 sts and 30 ch-2 sps across each short side, 4 3-sc corners)

Rnd 8 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next st, *[ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] twice, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st, {ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts} twice] to next sp before 3-sc corner, ch 2, sk next sp**, sc in each of next 5 sts (5-sc corner made), rep from * around, ending last rep at **, sc in each of last 3 sts at corner, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (104 sts and 45 sps across each long side, 69 sts and 30 sps across each short side, 4 5-sc corners)

Rnd 9 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in 3rd sc of any 5-sc corner, 2 sc in same st, *sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st] to next 5-sc corner, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st**, 3 sc in next (center) st, rep from * around, ending last rep at

**, join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 5 sc and 2 ch-2 sps)

Note: Place marker on first dc after each corner and last dc before each corner (8 markers). Markers will henceforth indicate first and last st of each side section. Side section pattern will continue as established on 149 sts across each long side and 99 sts across each short side with each of 4 corner sections inc 2 sts per rnd on every 3 of 4 rnds (8-st inc on every sand rnd and 8-st inc on first of 2 vacation blues rnds). Move markers up as each rnd is completed.

Rnd 10 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, *sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] to next corner, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 2 sts, 3 sc in next st**, sc in next st, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 1 group of 7 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 11 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in 4th sc of any 7-sc group, 2 sc in same st, $\diamond$ sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st; working side section, *sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in next st, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts**, dc in next sk st, rep from * across side section to first ch-2 sp of next corner, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts $\diamond\diamond$, 3 sc in next st, rep from $\diamond$ around, ending last rep at $\diamond\diamond$, join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 2 dc, 1 group of 7 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 12 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 2 sts, $\diamond$ ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st; working side section, sc in each of next 2 sts, *ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp**, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across side section, ending last rep at ** in last ch sp before next marked st, sc in each of next 2 sts; working corner section, sc in next st, ch 2, sk next st $\diamond\diamond$, sc in each of next 7 sts, rep from $\diamond$ around, ending last rep at $\diamond\diamond$, sc in each of last 4 sts, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 2 sc, 1 group of 7 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 13 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in 4th sc of any 7-sc group, 2 sc in same st, $\diamond$ [sc in each of next 2 sts*, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st] across to last st of corner section, ending last rep at * in next marked st; working side section, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 3 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st**, sc in each of next 3 sts] across, ending last rep at ** in ch sp before next marked st, sc in next marked st; working corner section, sc in next st, [dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts] to center sc of next 7-sc corner $\diamond\diamond$, 3 sc in next st, rep from $\diamond$ around, ending last rep at $\diamond\diamond$, join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 2 dc, 2 sc, 1 group of 7 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 14 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, $\diamond$ [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st] across to last st before next marked st, sc in next st; working side section, sc in next marked st, *ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 5 sts, ch 2, sk next sp**, sc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * across to next marked st, ending last rep at **, sc in next st; working corner section, sc in each of next 2 sts, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] across to center sc of next 7-sc group, 3 sc in next st $\diamond\diamond$, sc in next st, rep from $\diamond$ around, ending last rep at $\diamond\diamond$, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 15 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 15 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in 5th sc of any 9-sc group, 2 sc in same st, $\diamond$ sc in each of next 3 sts, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts] across, ending last rep in last st before marked st; working side section, *ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st**, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, sc in each of next 2 sts, [dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts] around to next 3-sc group, sc in first st of group $\diamond\diamond$, 3 sc in center st, rep from $\diamond$ around, ending last rep at $\diamond\diamond$, join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 2 dc, 4 sc, 1 group of 9 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 16 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in each of next 3 sts, $\diamond$ [ch 2, sk next st, sc in each

of next 3 sts] across, ending last rep in last st before next marked st; working side section, *[ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] twice, ch 2, sk next sp**, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** (at marked st); working corner section, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] across to 9 corner sts, sc in each of next 9 sts, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 6 sc, 1 group of 9 sc and 2 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 17 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in center sc of any 9-sc group, 2 sc in same st, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next st, [dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st] across to next marked st; working side section, *dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st] across to next 9-sc group, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 2 dc, 13 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 4 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 18 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] across to next marked st; working side section, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] across side section, ending last rep at * in next marked st; working corner section, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next sts] around to next 3-sc group, sc in first st of group, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 6 sc, 1 group of 11 sc and 4 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 19 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in center st of any 11-sc group, 2 sc in same st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st] across to marked st; working side section, *sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in next st, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner

section, dc in next sk st, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st] across to next 11-sc group, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next st, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 4 dc, 10 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 6 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 20 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, ch 2, sk next sp, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] across, ending last rep in last ch sp before next marked st, sc in next st; working side section, sc in each of next 2 sts, *ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in last ch sp before next marked st, sc in each of next 2 sts; working corner section, sc in next st, ch 2, sk next sp, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] to next 3-sc group, sc in each of next 3 sts, rep from around, ending last rep at , sc in each of last 2 sts, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 14 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 6 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 21 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in center sc of any 3-sc group, 2 sc in same st, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts] across, ending last rep at * in last ch sp before marked st, sc in next st; working side section, sc in next marked st, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 3 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 3 sts] across to next marked st, ending last rep at **, sc in next marked st; working corner section, sc in next st, dc in next sk st, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st] across to 3 corner sts, ch 2, sk next st, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 6 dc, 10 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 6 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 22 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] across, ending last rep in next marked st; working side section, *ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 5 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in last ch sp before next marked st, sc in next marked st; working corner section, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] across to 3 corner sts, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners

of 18 sc, 1 group of 5 sc and 6 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 23 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in center sc of any 5-sc corner, 2 sc in same st, sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts] across, ending last rep in last st before next marked st; working side section, *ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, [sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st] to 3 corner sts, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 6 dc, 12 sc, 1 group of 5 sc and 6 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 24 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] across to next marked st; working side section, *[ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] twice, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked ch sp; working corner section, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] to next 5-sc group, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from around, ending last rep at , sc in each of next 3 sts, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 18 sc, 1 group of 5 sc and 6 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 25 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in 3rd sc of any 5-sc group, 2 sc in same st, sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts] across, ending last rep at * in last st before marked st; working side section, [dc in next sk st, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st] across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, [ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next sk st] to next 5-sc group, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 6 dc, 14 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 8 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 26 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next st, ch 2, sk next sp, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] across, ending last rep in last ch sp before next marked st; working side section, *sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in

each of next 3 sts**, ch 2, sk next sp, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, ch 2, sk next sp, [sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp] to next 5-sc group, sc in each of next 2 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 24 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 8 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 27 (RS): With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in center sc of any 3-sc group, 2 sc in same st, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st] across to next marked st; working side section, *sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next st, dc in next sk st, sc in next st, dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts**, dc in next sk st, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in next marked st; working corner section, [dc in next sk st, ch 2, sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts] to corner st, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 8 dc, 16 sc, 1 group of 3 sc and 8 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnd 28 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, sk next sp, sc in next st] across, ending last rep in last st before marked st; working side section, sc in each of next 2 sts, *ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts, ch 2, sk next sp**, sc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * across, ending last rep at ** in last sp before next marked st, sc in each of next 2 sts; working corner section, sc in next st, [ch 2, sk next sp, sc in each of next 3 sts] to center st of next 3-sc group, sc in each of next 2 sts, rep from around, ending last rep at , sc in last st, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (4 corners of 20 sc, 1 group of 7 sc and 8 ch-2 sps between markers)

Rnds 29–52: [Rep rnds 13–28] once, then rep rnds 13–20.

Rnd 53 (RS): With RS facing, sc join sand in center sc of any 3-sc group, 2 sc in same st, [sc in next st, [dc in next sk st*, sc in each of next 3 sts] across, ending last rep at * in last ch sp before marked st, sc in next st; working side section, sc in each of next 2 sts, [dc in

next sk st, sc in each of next 3 sts, dc in next sk st**, sc in each of next 5 sts] across, ending last rep at ** in last ch sp before next marked st, sc in each of next 2 sts; working corner section, sc in next st, dc in next sk st, [sc in each of next 3 sts, dc in next st] to next 3-sc group, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, rep from around, ending last rep at , join in beg sc, turn. (4 corners of 18 dc, 1 group of 3 sc and 52 sc between markers)

Rnd 54 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, *sc in each st across to next corner**, 3 sc in corner st, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 55: With RS facing, sc join vacation blues in center sc of any 3-sc group, 2 sc in same st, *sc in each st to next corner**, 3 sc in center sc of next 3-sc group, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, turn.

Rnd 56 (WS): Ch 1, sc in same st as join, *sc in each st to next corner**, 3 sc in center sc of next 3-sc group, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. **C!**

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21 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 21 sts, rep from * around, join. (230 hdc)

Rnd 24: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 22 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 22 sts, rep from * around, join. Fasten off. (240 hdc)

BACK COVER

Rnd 1: With F, form a slip ring, ch 2, 10 hdc in ring, join in first sc. Tighten ring. (10 hdc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, 2 hdc in each st around, join. (20 hdc)

Rnd 3: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in next st, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in next st, rep from * around, join. (30 hdc)

Rnd 4: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 2 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 2 sts, rep from * around, join. (40 hdc)

Rnd 5: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 3 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * around, join. (50 hdc)



Rnd 6: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 4 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 4 sts, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (60 hdc)

Rnd 7: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 5 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 5 sts, rep from * around, join. (70 hdc)

Rnd 8: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 6 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc

in each of next 6 sts, rep from * around, join. (80 hdc)

Rnd 9: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 7 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 7 sts, rep from * around, join. (90 hdc)

Rnd 10: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 8 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 8 sts, rep from * around, join. (100 hdc)

Rnd 11: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 9 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 9 sts, rep from * around, join. (110 hdc)

Rnd 12: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 10 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 10 sts, rep from * around, change to next color. (120 hdc)

Rnd 13: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 11 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 11 sts, rep from * around, join. (130 hdc)

Rnd 14: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 12 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 12 sts, rep from * around, join. (140 hdc)

Rnd 15: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 13 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 13 sts, rep from * around, join. (150 hdc)

Rnd 16: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 14 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 14 sts, rep from * around, join. (160 hdc)

Rnd 17: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in of next 15 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 15 sts, rep from * around, change to next color, join. (170 hdc)

Rnd 18: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 16 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in of next 16 sts, rep from * around, join. (180 hdc)

Rnd 19: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 17 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc

in each of next 17 sts, rep from * around, join. (190 hdc)

Rnd 20: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 18 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 18 sts, rep from * around, join. (200 hdc)

Rnd 21: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as join, hdc in each of next 19 sts, *2 hdc in next st, hdc in each of next 19 sts, rep from * around, join. Fasten off. (210 hdc)

Finishing

Using A, **whipstitch** (see illustration) Front and Back Covers tog. The Front Cover has 30 more sts than Back Cover so sk every 8th st of Front Cover. Fill with fiberfill or pillow insert as you go. **C!**

BOHO STRIPES THROW

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4TH SECTION

Rep 2nd section. 22 rows of pearl. In last st, change to seedling.

5TH SECTION

Rep first section. There are 4 seedling stripes and 3 pearl stripes.

6TH SECTION

Rep 2nd section. 22 rows of pearl. In last st, change to goldenrod.

7TH SECTION

Rep first section. There are 4 goldenrod stripes and 3 pearl stripes.

8TH SECTION

Rep 2nd section. 22 rows of pearl. In last st, change to lagoon.

9TH SECTION

Rep first section. There are 4 lagoon stripes and 4 pearl stripes. After the last row of

lagoon is completed, fasten off both lagoon and pearl.

Work 1 row of agean sea in each hdc across. Fasten off.

Work 1 row of licorice in each hdc across. Fasten off.

TASSEL

Make 4.

Before starting tassels, cut 8 strands of lico- rice each 6 inches long.

Holding both agean sea and licorice tog, wrap around 3-inch square of cardboard 40 times.

Using 1 of the 6-inch strands, pull under all of the strands before cutting and pull tightly as possible and knot it on top.

Now cut the bottom.

Take the next 6-inch strand and go about a half inch down and wrap around tassel tightly 2 or 3 times. Pull the ends of this strand through the tassel with a tapestry needle.

Attach one tassel to each corner of the Throw.

Weave in all ends. **C!**



BOHO STRIPES PILLOW

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Row 105: Rep row 3, **do not change color**, turn.

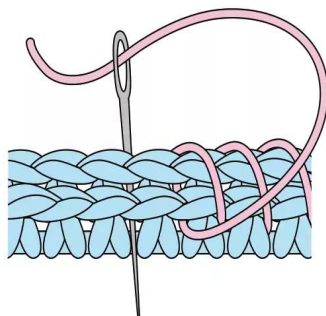
Rows 106 & 107: Rep rows 4 and 5. Fasten off.

ASSEMBLY & FINISHING

Bottom Seam

With WS tog, fold piece in half lengthwise, matching ends of rows. **Whipstitch**

(see illustration) ends of rows tog with end tails, changing color as needed to match each stripe.



Whipstitch Edges

First Flange

Joining row: Hold piece with RS facing, edges of row 107 held tog and bottom seam at right. Working through both thicknesses, insert hook in sp at base of first st of row 105 (between candy pink and pearl stripes), holding

pearl under piece, place slip knot on hook, pull up lp, insert hook in sp above next st, yo, pull up lp through lp on hook (*first surface sl st made*), work 59 **surface sl sts** (see *Special Stitches*) across. Fasten off. (60 sl sts)

Optional: For a sharper shape, insert small amounts of fiberfill in corners before joining is complete.

Edging row: With bottom seam at right and working through both thicknesses, **sc join** (see *Special Stitches*) pearl in first st, sc in each st across edges. Fasten off pearl. (60 sc)

2nd Flange

Insert pillow form.

With opposite end of Pillow facing, rep joining row in sps at base of row 4 between candy pink and pearl stripes.

Working in opposite side of foundation ch, rep edging row. **C**

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sk next dec, 3 dc in next sp, sk next sc] twice, 3 dc between last sc and following dc, [sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp] 3 times, sk next 3 dc**, corner in next ch-3 corner sp, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off. (56 3-dc groups)

Joining Rnd (RS): Sc join amethyst in any ch-3 corner sp, (ch 3, sc) in same sp, *ch 3, [sk next 3 dc, sc in next sp between 3-dc groups, ch 3] to corner**, (sc, ch 3, sc) in corner sp, rep from * around ending last rep at **, join. Fasten off. (60 sc, 60 ch-3 sps)

BLOCKS 2-12

Work as for Block 1 referring to Color Key for sequence of colors.

Joining Rnd: Referring to Assembly Diagram, work as for Block 1 joining on 1 or 2 sides joining 3 blocks wide by 4 blocks long.

To join at ch-3 sps, ch 2, drop lp, draw lp under to over (or back to front, or WS to RS) through opposite ch-3 sp, ch 1 and continue.

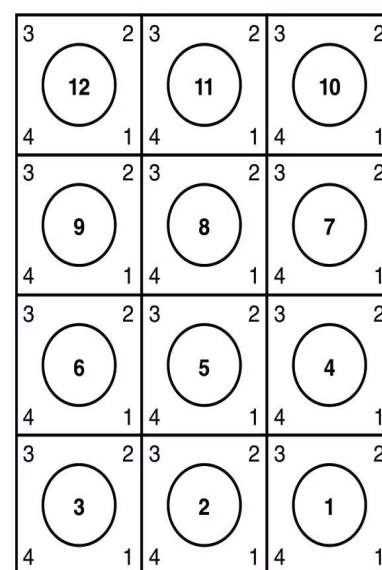
To join corner while connecting 1 side to another, ch 2, drop lp, draw lp under to over through opposite ch-3 sp, ch 1 and continue.

To join where 4 corners meet, ch 2, drop lp, draw lp under to over through opposite ch-3 sp to the right, ch 1. Drop lp, sk next corner ch-3 sp, draw lp under to over through next corner ch-3 sp, ch 1 and continue. With all blocks joined, fasten off.

EDGING

Rnd 1: Join amethyst in any ch-3 corner sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, *[3 dc in

next sp] 14 times**, sk corner of next block, 3 dc in joining between blocks, sk corner of next block, rep from * across each side ending each side at **, work corner in each outside ch-3 corner sp, join. Fasten off. **C**



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Assembly Diagram

BLOCK NUMBER	1st CORNER	2nd CORNER	3rd CORNER	4th CORNER
1	Blue suede	Burgundy	Gold	Pool
2	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade	Burgundy
3	Pool	Gold	Dark jade	Blue suede
4	Coral	Dark jade	Blue suede	Pool
5	Blue suede	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid
6	Burgundy	Gold	Dark orchid	Coral
7	Gold	Burgundy	Coral	Dark orchid
8	Burgundy	Pool	Gold	Dark orchid
9	Dark jade	Coral	Blue suede	Pool
10	Pool	Gold	Dark jade	Blue suede
11	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid	Blue suede
12	Pool	Blue suede	Gold	Burgundy

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Color Key

BLOCK NUMBER	RNDS 1 & 2	RND 3	RND 4	RND 5	RND 6	RND 7	RND 8	RNDS 9 & 10	RND 11	RND 12
1	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade	Blue suede	Pool	Gold	Burgundy	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid
2	Blue suede	Pool	Gold	Burgundy	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade	Gold	Pool	Blue suede
3	Burgundy	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade	Blue suede	Pool	Gold	Coral	Dark orchid	Burgundy
4	Dark orchid	Burgundy	Gold	Pool	Blue suede	Dark jade	Coral	Gold	Burgundy	Dark orchid
5	Pool	Gold	Burgundy	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade	Blue suede	Burgundy	Gold	Pool
6	Pool	Blue suede	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid	Burgundy	Gold	Dark jade	Blue suede	Pool
7	Dark jade	Blue suede	Pool	Gold	Burgundy	Dark orchid	Coral	Pool	Blue suede	Dark jade
8	Blue suede	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid	Burgundy	Gold	Pool	Coral	Dark jade	Blue suede
9	Gold	Burgundy	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade	Blue suede	Pool	Dark orchid	Burgundy	Gold
10	Coral	Dark orchid	Burgundy	Gold	Pool	Blue suede	Dark jade	Burgundy	Dark orchid	Coral
11	Burgundy	Gold	Pool	Blue suede	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid	Pool	Gold	Burgundy
12	Dark jade	Coral	Dark orchid	Burgundy	Gold	Pool	Blue suede	Dark orchid	Coral	Dark jade

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Color Key

BOHO DREAM CATCHER

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Center Dangle: Thread: 12 inches. Drop: teardrop bead. String: 8mm silver, sapphire jasper, 8mm silver, orange crackle, 8mm silver, [amethyst, 5mm silver, turquoise, 5mm silver, garnet, 5mm silver] 2 times, amethyst, 5mm silver, turquoise, 5mm silver.

Side-Center Dangles (make two): Thread: 10 inches. Drop: crystal point. String: [8mm silver, orange crackle] 3 times, 8mm silver, [garnet, 5mm silver, amethyst, 5mm silver] 2 times.

Side Dangles (make two): Thread: 8 inches. Drop: teardrop bead. String: 8mm silver, sapphire jasper, 8mm silver, orange crackle, 8mm silver, [turquoise, 5mm silver] 3 times.

End Dangles (make two): Thread: 4 inches. Drop: crystal point. String: 8mm silver, sap-

phire jasper, 8mm silver, garnet, 5mm silver, turquoise, 5mm silver.

FRINGE

Cut suede leather lace to length indicated. Fold in half, placing lp behind hoop with ends facing up. Bring ends over hoop and through lp. Pull to tighten.

Side-Center (make two):

12 inches.

Sides (make two):

8 inches.

Ends (make two): 7 inches. C!



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next ch-1 sp] 5 times, change to 4th color, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1] 6 times; change to 5th color, rep

from *, change to 2nd color, join in top of beg ch-3. (96 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 28 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 9: With 2nd color, sl st in same ch-1 sp as fasten off of rnd 8, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 7 times, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, change to 3rd color, [3 dc, ch 1] 5 times, change to 4th color, *3 dc in next ch-1 sp, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 6 times; change to 5th color, rep from *, change to first color, join in top of beg ch-3. (108 dc, 4 ch-2 sps, 32 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 10: With first color, sl st in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, (2 hdc, ch 2, 3 hdc) in same ch-2 sp, *hdc in each st and in each ch-1 sp around to next ch-2 sp, (3 hdc, ch 2, 3 hdc) in next ch-2 sp; rep from * 3 times, join in top of beg ch-2. Fasten off. (152 hdc, 4 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 11: Join first color in any ch-2 sp, ch 2, (2 hdc, ch 2, 3 hdc) in ch-2 sp, *working in

back bar of hdc (see illustration) in each hdc across, (3 hdc, ch 2, 3 hdc) in ch-2 sp; rep from * around, join in top of beg ch-2. (216 hdc, 4 ch-2 sps)



Half Double Crochet Back Bar
(illustration shows side facing stitcher)

Fasten off, weave in ends.

JOINING SQUARES

Block squares before joining.

With RS facing, sl st squares tog by inserting hook into **front lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of front square, and 3rd lp only of back square, working through both thicknesses.

Make 4 rows of 3 squares each. **C!**

GRANNY STRIPE PLACE MAT SET

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COASTER

Note: Row 1 does not count in *Stripe Sequence* (see Pattern Notes).

Row 1: Following Stripe Sequence, ch 22, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (21 sc)

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in first st, *sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in next st, rep from * across, ending with 2 dc in last st, turn. (6 3-dc groups, 3 dc)

Row 3: Ch 2, sk first 2 sts, 3 dc in first sp, *sk next 3 sts, 3 dc in next sp, rep from * across, ending with dc in beg ch-3, **changing color** (see *Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes*) to next sequence color in last dc, turn. Fasten off old color. (7 3-dc groups, 1 dc)

Row 4: Ch 2, dc in first st, *sk next 3 sts, 3 dc in next sp, rep from * across, ending with 2 dc in last st, turn. (6 3-dc groups, 3 dc)

Row 5: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 6: Rep row 4.

Row 7: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Row 9: Rep row 3, changing to next color in sequence in last dc. Fasten off old color.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Fasten off. (22 sc)

FRINGE

For each row end, cut 2 pieces of yarn 4 inches long. Hold strands tog, fold in half and pull up lp of fringe in sp at end of row. Pull ends through lp and pull tightly. Trim to desired length.



FINISHING

Block Place Mat and Coaster as desired. **C!**

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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 1/2
3.....85.0	50.....1 3/4
4.....113.4	100.....3 1/2

UNITED STATES

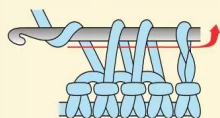
sl st (slip stitch)
sc (single crochet)
hdc (half double crochet)
dc (double crochet)
tr (treble crochet)
dtr (double treble crochet)
skip

UNITED KINGDOM

sc (single crochet)
dc (double crochet)
htr (half treble crochet)
tr (treble crochet)
dtr (double treble crochet)
ttr (triple treble crochet)
miss

Single crochet decrease (sc dec):

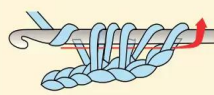
(Insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-sc dec

Half double crochet decrease (hdc dec):

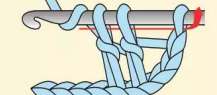
(Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



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

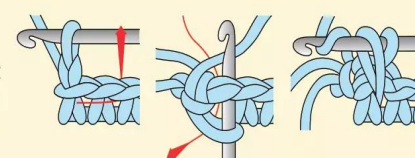
Treble crochet decrease (tr dec):

Holding back last lp of each st, tr in each of the sts indicated, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

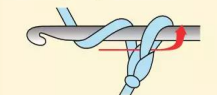


Example of 2-tr dec

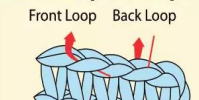
Reverse single crochet (reverse sc): Ch 1, sk first st, working from left to right, insert hook in next st from front to back, draw up lp on hook, yo and draw through both lps on hook.



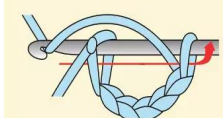
Chain (ch): Yo, pull through lp on hook.



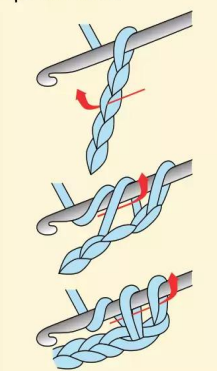
Front loop (front lp) Back loop (back lp)



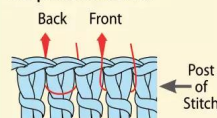
Slip stitch (sl st): Insert hook in st, pull through both lps on hook.



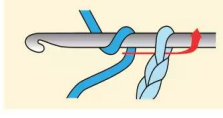
Single crochet (sc): Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through both lps on hook.



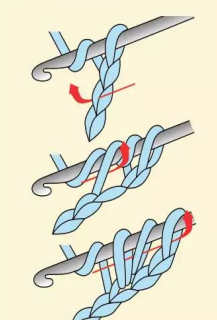
Front post stitch (fp): Back post stitch (bp): When working post st, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row.



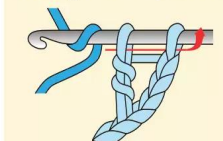
Chain color change (ch color change): Yo with new color, draw through last lp on hook.



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



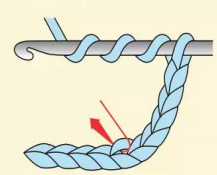
Double crochet color change (dc color change): Drop first color, yo with new color, draw through last 2 lps of st.



Double crochet (dc): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.



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



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

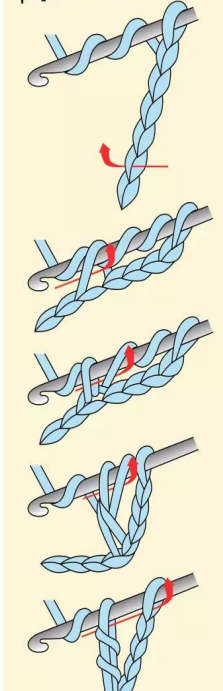


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Skill Levels

1 2 3 4 5 6 BEGINNER

Projects for first-time crocheters using basic stitches, with little or no shaping.

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.

STANDARD YARN WEIGHT SYSTEM

Categories of yarn, gauge ranges and recommended hook sizes.

Yarn Weight Symbol & Category Names	0 LACE	1 SUPER FINE	2 FINE	3 LIGHT	4 MEDIUM	5 BULKY	6 SUPER BULKY	7 JUMBO
Type of Yarns in Category	Lace, Fingering, Size 10 Crochet Thread	Sock, Fingering, Baby	Sport, Baby	DK, Light Worsted	Worsted, Afghan, Aran	Chunky, Craft, Rug	Super Chunky, Roving	Roving
Crochet Gauge* Ranges in Single Crochet to 4 inches	32–42 sts	21–32 sts	16–20 sts	12–17 sts	11–14 sts	8–11 sts	6–9 sts	5 sts and fewer
Recommended Hook in Metric Size Range	1.5–2.25mm	2.25–3.5mm	3.5–4.5mm	4.5–5.5mm	5.5–6.5mm	6.5–9mm	9–16mm	16mm and larger
Recommended Hook–U.S. Size Range	Steel 8–1 Regular Hook B1	B1 to E4	E4 to 7	7 to I9	I9 to K10½	K10½ to M/N13	M/N13 to Q	Q and larger

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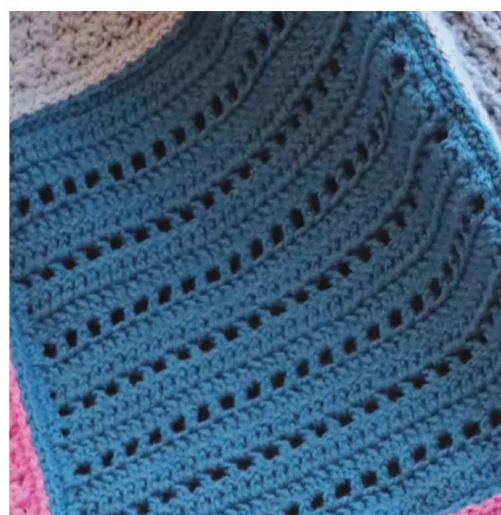
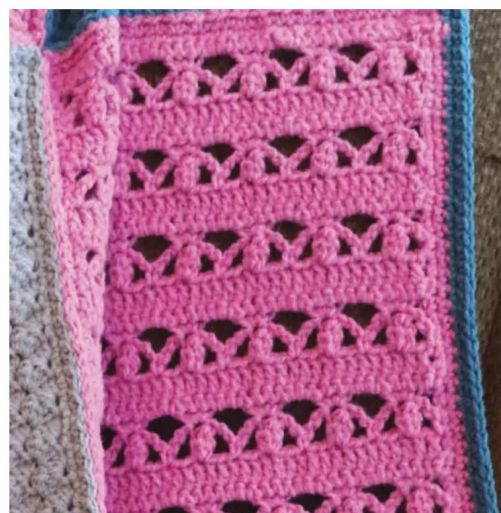
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