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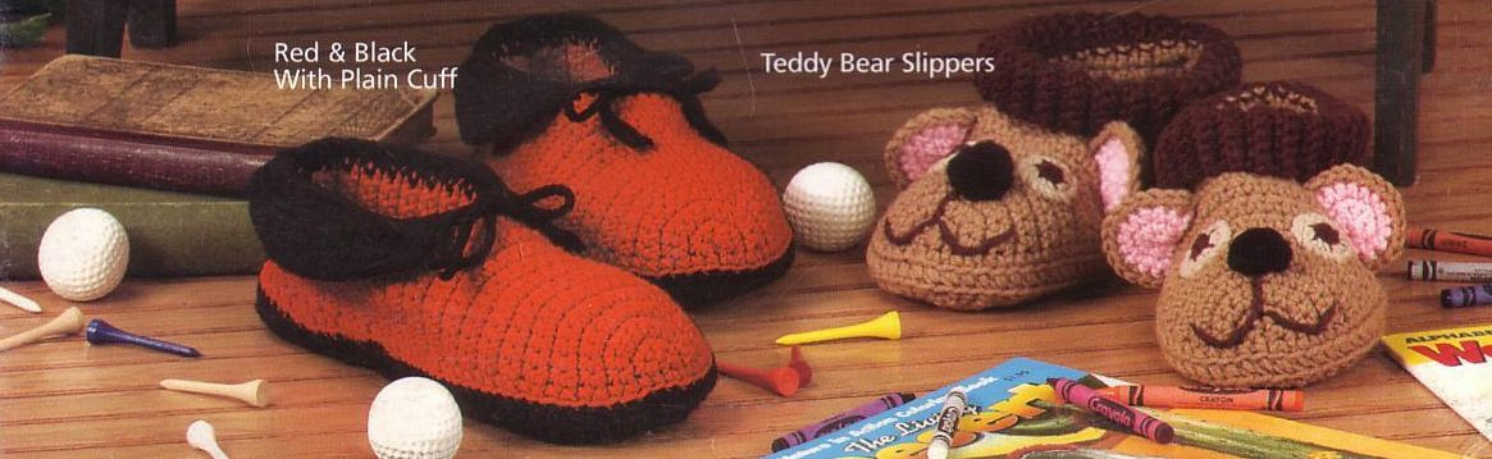
Warm the
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Stitch slippers for your family and friends using these 27 clever designs! The cozy slippers include granny squares, double strands and other quick-to-crochet patterns, with sizes for men, women and children.

Family Slippers

By Sharon Volkman • Photos on front cover

All of these easy-to-make slippers are made from one basic pattern. Change the top edge treatment and you'll have seven different styles for any occasion for each member of the family. For half-sizes, use a size smaller hook and use the pattern for the next size larger.

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Sole length: 6 (7-8-9-10-11-12) inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
See Individual Styles for colors and amounts
- Crochet hook size I/9
- Elastic cord: 24 (26-28-30-32-34-36) inches
- Yarn needle
- Trims and additional materials are listed for each style

Gauge

4 sc = 1 inch; 4 sc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.
Even-numbered rows are right side.

For each size, cut elastic cord in half. Forming 2 separate circles, tie cord ends tog in a knot about 1½ inches from the ends. Set aside.

Slipper Sizes 6-8

Note: This pattern is for slipper sizes 6, 7 and 8 inches.

Sole

Make 4

Row 1: Starting at toe, ch 5, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 2 chs, 2 sc in last ch, turn. (6)

Row 2 (Sizes 7 & 8 only): Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (8)

Row 2 (3-3): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. (6-8-8)

Row 3 (4-4): Ch 1, work 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (8-10-10)

Rows 4-13 (5-15, 5-17): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 14 & 15 (16-18, 18-20): Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each sc across, turn. (6-7-7)

Rows 16-24 (19-27, 21-31): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 28 (32) (Sizes 7 & 8 only): Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each rem sc across, turn. (6)

Row 25 (29-33): Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in next 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (4)

Edging

Rnd 26 (30-34): Ch 1, working around entire outer edge, work 58 (66-74) sc evenly sp around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Upper Section

Make 2

Row 1: Starting at toe, ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 3 sc in next ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next ch, turn. (5)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in each next 3 sc, sc in last sc, turn. (8)

Row 3 (Size 6 only): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 4 (3-3): Ch 1, sc in next 2 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc] twice, turn. (10)

Rows 5 & 6 (Size 6 only): Rep Row 3.

Row 7 (4-4): Ch 1, sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc, turn. (12)

Rows 8 & 9 (5-5): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 10 (6-6): Ch 1, sc in 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, turn. (14)

Rows 11 (7 & 8, 7-9): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 12 (9-10): Ch 1, sc in next 4 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc] twice, turn. (16)

Rows 10 & 11 (11-13) (Sizes 7 & 8 only): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 12 (14) (Sizes 7 & 8 only): Ch 1, sc in 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, turn. (18)

Row 13 (15) (Sizes 7 & 8 only): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 14 (16) (Sizes 7 & 8 only): Ch 1, sc in 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 5 sc, turn. (20)

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Right side

Row 13 (15-17): Ch 1, sc in next 5 (6-6) sc, sk rem sts, turn.

Rows 14-29 (16-33, 18-37): Ch 1, sc in next 5 (6-6) sc, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Left side

Row 13 (15-17) (Wrong side): Sk next 6 (8-8) sts of Row 12 (14-16), attach yarn in next sc, ch 1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, sc in next 4 (5-5) sc, turn. (5-6-6)

Rows 14-29 (16-33, 18-37): Ch 1, sc in next 5 (6-6) sc, turn.

At the end of last rep, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, with wrong side facing, sew last row of each side tog to form heel.

Bottom edging

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach yarn to bottom edge at heel seam, ch 1, work 58 (66-74) sc sts evenly sp around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Top edging

Note: See *Individual Styles for any changes*.

Rnd 1: Attach yarn at top edge of heel seam, ch 1, sc in side edge of 16 (18-20) rows, dec 1 sc over next row and first skipped st at center, sc across center sts to within last st, dec 1 sc over last center st and next row of next side, sc in side of next 16 (18-20) rows, sl st to join in beg sc. (38-44-48)

Rnd 2: Hold 1 elastic cord circle against Rnd 1 with knot at heel, working over elastic cord and in back lps only of each st around, ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Assembly

Holding wrong sides of inner and outer soles tog and wrong side of bottom edging of upper section to right side of inner sole, starting at heel and matching sts, sew edging sts tog with a double strand of yarn through front lps of outer sole, both lps of inner sole and back lps of upper section.

Slipper Sizes 9-12

Note: This pattern is for slipper sizes 9, 10, 11 and 12 inches.

Sole

Make 4

Row 1: Starting at toe, ch 5, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 2 chs, 2 sc in last ch, turn. (6)

Rows 2 & 3 (2 & 3, 2-4, 2-4): Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (10-10-12-12)

Row 4 (4-5-5): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 5 (5-6-6): Rep Row 2. (12-12-14-14)

Rows 6-17 (6-19, 7-21, 7-23):

Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 18 (20-22-24): Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (10-10-12-12)

Rows 19-21 (21-23, 23-26, 25-28): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 22 (24-27-29): Rep Row 18 (20-22-24). (8-8-10-10)

Rows 23-35 (25-39, 28-42, 30-46): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 36 & 37 (40 & 41, 43-45, 47-49): Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (4)

Edging

Rnd 38 (42-46-50): Ch 1, work 82 (90-98-106) sc evenly sp around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Upper Section

Make 2

Row 1: Starting at toe, ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 3 sc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next ch, turn. (5)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in each next 3 sc, sc in last sc, turn. (8)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in last sc, turn. (11)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in next 2 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc] 3 times, turn. (14)

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

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in 4 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc] twice, turn. (16)

Rows 7-9 (7-10, 7-7): Rep Row 5.

Row 10 (11-8-8): Ch 1, sc in 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, turn. (18)

Rows 11-13 (12-15, 9-11, 9-12): Rep Row 5.

Row 14 (16-12-13): Ch 1, sc in next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 5 sc, turn. (20)

Rows 15 (17, 13-15, 14-17): Rep Row 5.

Row 16 (18-16-18): Ch 1, sc in 6 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in 6 sc] twice, turn. (22)

Row 17 (19-17-19): Rep Row 5.

Row 18 (20-18-20): Ch 1, sc in 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 6 sc, turn. (24)

Row 19 (21) (Sizes 11 & 12 only): Rep Row 5.

Row 20 (22) (Sizes 11 & 12 only): Ch 1, sc in 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 7 sc, turn. (26)

Row 21 (23) (Sizes 11 & 12 only): Rep Row 5.

Row 22 (24) (Sizes 11 & 12 only): Ch 1, sc in 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in 7 sc, turn. (28)

Right side

Row 19 (21-23-25): Ch 1, sc in next 7 (7-8-8) sc, sk rem sts, turn.

Rows 20-41 (22-45, 24-49, 26-53): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Left side

Row 19 (21-23-25) (Wrong side): Sk next 10 (10-12-12) sc of Row 18 (20-22-24), attach yarn in next sc, ch 1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, sc in next 6 (6-7-7) sc, turn. (7-7-8-8)

Rows 20-41 (22-45, 24-49, 26-53): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of last rep, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, wrong sides facing, sew last row of each side tog to form heel.

Bottom edging

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach yarn to bottom edge at heel seam, ch 1, work 82 (90-98-106) sc evenly sp around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Top edging

Rnd 1: Attach yarn at top edge of heel seam, ch 1, sc in side edge of next 22 (24-26-28) rows, dec 1 sc over next row and first sk sc at center, sc across center to within last sc, dec 1 sc over next sc and next row, sc in rem 22 (24-26-28) rows, sl st to join in beg sc. (54-58-64-68)

Rnd 2: Hold 1 elastic cord circle against Rnd 1 with knot at heel, working over elastic cord and in back lps only of each st around, ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Assembly

Rep assembly of Slipper Sizes 6-8.

INDIVIDUAL STYLES

Muticolored With Boot Top

Materials

- Red Heart Jeweltones 4-ply yarn: 2½ (3-3¼-4½-4½-5½-5¾) oz No 3059 brilliant
1 (1¼-1¼-1½-1¾-2-2¼) oz No 3356 amethyst
- 1 yd ⅝-inch-wide turquoise ribbon

Sole

Make 2 outer soles with amethyst yarn. Make 2 inner soles with brilliant yarn. Work edging with amethyst.

Upper Section

Work 2 with brilliant yarn, bottom edging with brilliant yarn.

Work top edging with brilliant yarn, working Rnd 2 in both lps of Rnd 1. Do not fasten off at the end of Rnd 2, turn.

Rnds 3–5 (3–6, 3–6, 3–7, 3–7, 3–8, 3–8): Ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, turn.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Rnd 6 (7–7–8–8–9–9) (Right side): Attach amethyst yarn in first st, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Assembly

With double strands of amethyst yarn, sew sections tog. Cut ribbon in half and tie in a bow at center front of each slipper.

Fish Slippers

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver 4-ply yarn: 1¼ (1⅜-1½-1¾-2-2-2½) oz No 364 light mint
1⅝ (1¼-1⅝-1½-1⅝-1¾-2) oz No 309 Carolina print
¼-½ oz all sizes No 375 raspberry
½ oz all sizes No 324 bright yellow
Small amount all sizes of No 358 lavender and 312 black
- Crochet hooks sizes G/6, H/8 and I/9

Pattern Notes

For sizes 6–8 inches: Use crochet hook size G for eyes and gill fins.

For sizes 9 and 10 inches: Use crochet hook size H for eyes and gill fins.

For sizes 11 and 12 inches: Use crochet hook size I throughout pattern.

Sole

Outer sole

Make 2 soles with light mint yarn.

Inner sole

Make 2 with Carolina print yarn and work edge with light mint.

Tail Fin

Make 4

Row 1: With raspberry yarn, ch 7, dc in 3rd ch from hook, dc in next 3 chs, 2 dc in last ch, turn. (7)

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in same st as beg ch-3, dc in next 5 sts, 2 dc in next st, turn. (9)

Row 3: Ch 1, sk first dc, 2 dc in each next 2 dc, sk next dc, sl st in next dc, sk next dc, 2 dc in each next 2 dc, sl st in last dc, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Holding wrong sides of 2 tail fins tog, overcast 2 pieces together around edges. Set aside.

Upper Section

With light mint, work toe section.

Right side & left side

Work with Carolina print yarn.

Sandwich tail fin between last row of sides and sew heel seam, catching foundation chs of tail in seam.

Bottom edging

Work with light mint yarn.

Top edging

Work with Carolina print yarn.

Gill Fins

Make 4

Row 1: With bright yellow yarn, ch 9, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (8)

Rows 2–6: Ch 1, working in back lps only, sc in each st across, turn.

At the end of Row 6, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, weave yarn through ends of rows on 1 side, pull to gather and secure. Sew gathered end to next 4 sts on top edge of fin to side of slipper next to toe section (see photo). Sew another gill fin to opposite side of slipper.

Eyes

Make 4

Rnd 1: With black yarn, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (6)

Rnd 2: Attach lavender yarn to any sc, ch 1, work 2 sc in each sc around, sl st to join in beg sc, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Sew 1 eye to each side of toe section.

Mouth

With length of raspberry yarn and yarn needle, embroider mouth in backstitch around front toe section at base of edging sts.

Assembly

Sew sections tog with light mint yarn.

Blue Slipper With Ribbed Cuff

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver 4-ply yarn: 2 (2½-2½-3-3¼-4-4¼) oz No 381 light blue
2¼ (2¾-2¾-3¼-3½-4¼-4½) oz No 384 skipper blue
- 2 x 4-inch piece cardboard
- Crochet hook size H/8 for ribbed cuff only

Sole

Make 2 outer soles with skipper blue and 2 inner soles with light blue. Work edging with skipper blue.

Upper Section

With light blue yarn, make 2 upper

sections. Work bottom edge and top edge with light blue.

Ribbed Cuff

Row 1: With crochet hook size H, attach skipper blue yarn in back lp of first st of Rnd 2 of top edge, ch 8 (9-9-10-10-11-11), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, sl st in back lp of same st as joining and back lp of next st of top edge, turn.

Row 2: Working in back lps only, sc in each st of cuff, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, working in back lps only, sc in each st of cuff, sl st in back lps of next 2 sts of top edge, turn.

Rows 4–38 (44-48-54-58-68-72): Rep Rows 2 and 3, ending with Row 2.

At the end of last rep, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, on right side, overcast through back lps of last row to opposite side of foundation ch of cuff.

Pompon

Make 2

Cut a 6-inch length of light blue and set aside. Working with 1 strand each light blue yarn and skipper yarn, wind around short width of cardboard 24 times. Slide yarn off cardboard and, with light blue strand, tie in middle of bundle. Cut lps and trim. Tie a pompon to center front of each slipper.

Pink With Lacy Cuff

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver 4-ply yarn: 2¾ (3½-3½-4½-4¾-5½-6) oz No 373 petal pink
½ (¾-¾-1-1-1¼-1¼) oz No 311 white
- 1 yd ⅝-inch-wide pink ribbon

Sole

With petal pink yarn, make 4.

Upper Section

With petal pink yarn, make 2. Work bottom edging with petal pink yarn and top edging with white yarn.

Lacy Cuff

Row 1: Mark center front 4 (6-6-8-8-10-10) lps of Rnd 1 of top edge, holding bottom edge away from you, attach white yarn to next front lp from mark, ch 2, sk next st, work 2 dc in next st, ch 1, 2 dc in next st, [sk 2 sts, 2 dc in next st, ch 1, 2 dc in next st] rep across to within last 2 sts before 2nd marked side, sk next st, dc in next st, sk center sts, turn.

Row 2: Ch 2 (first dc), [sk 2 dc, dc in next dc, dc, ch 1, dc in ch-1 sp, dc

in next dc] rep across to within last 2 dc, sk next dc, dc in top of beg ch-2 of previous row, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, [sk 2 dc, sc in next dc, 3 sc in ch-1 sp, sc in next dc] rep across to within last 2 dc, sl st in top of beg ch-2 of previous row, fasten off.

Assembly

Sew sections tog with double strand of petal pink yarn.

Cut ribbon in half; tie in a bow at center front of each slipper.

Daisy With Scalloped Edge

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver and Classic 4-ply yarn:
3 (3¾-3¾-5-5¼-6¼-6¾) oz No 363 pale green
¼ (¼-¼-½-½-½-½) oz No 311 white
Small amount No 261 maize
- Crochet hook size H/8 for daisy

Sole

With pale green yarn, make 4.

Upper Section

With pale green yarn, make 2.

Scalloped Edging

Attach white yarn at heel in first st of Rnd 2 of top edging, ch 1, hdc in same st as beg ch-1, [sk next st, sl st, ch 1 and hdc in next st] rep around, sl st to join in beg st, fasten off.

Daisy

Make 2

Rnd 1: With crochet hook size H and maize yarn, ch 4, 11 dc in 4th ch from hook, sl st to join in top of beg ch, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. (12)

Rnd 2: Attach white yarn in any dc, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, 1 dc, 3 tr and 1 dc in next st, [sc in next st, 1 dc, 3 tr and 1 dc in next st] 5 times, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

With rem length of maize yarn and yarn needle, sew outer edge of Rnd 1 to center of top of upper section.

Assembly

Sew sections tog with a double strand of pale green yarn.

Red & Black With Plain Cuff

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver 4-ply yarn:
2 (2½-2½-3¼-3½-4-4) oz No 390 hot red
1¼ (1½-2¼-2¼-2½-2¾-3) oz No 312 black

Sole

With black yarn, make 2 outer soles. With hot red yarn, make 2 inner soles and work edging with black yarn.

Upper Section

Work both upper sections with hot red yarn, working bottom edging with hot red yarn and top edging with black yarn.

Plain Cuff

Row 1: Mark 4 (6-6-8-8-10-10) center front lps of Rnd 1 of top edging, holding bottom edge away from you, attach black yarn to next front lp from mark, ch 1, sc in each rem front lp around to within next mark, sk center marked sts, turn. (34-38-42-46-50-54-58)

Rows 2-4: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of Row 4, fasten off.

Edging

Row 5: Attach black yarn in side edge of Row 1 of cuff, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in side edge of row, 3 sc in corner, sc in each sc across Row 4, 3 sc in corner, sc in side edge of each row, fasten off.

Assembly

Sew sections tog with double strand of black yarn.

Braided Ties

Cut 3 lengths of black yarn each 18 inches long and knot all strands tog at 1 end. Braid strands tog and knot at opposite end. Tie in a bow at center front edge.

Teddy Bear Slippers

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver 4-ply yarn:
3 (3¾-3¾-5-5¼-6¼-6¾) oz No 336 warm brown
¾ (¾-1-1-1-1¼-1¼) oz No 328 brown
Small amounts No 334 buff and No 373 petal pink for all sizes
- Crochet hooks sizes G/6, H/8 and I/9
- 2 black ¾-inch pompons for sizes 6-8
- 2 black 1-inch pompons for sizes 9-12
- Fabric glue

Pattern Notes

For sizes 6-8 inches: Use crochet hook size G for eyes.

For sizes 9 and 10 inches: Use crochet hook size H for eyes.

For sizes 11 and 12 inches: Use crochet hook size I throughout pattern.

Sole

With warm brown yarn, make 4.

Upper Section

Work toe section, right side and left side with warm brown yarn.

Bottom & top edgings

Work with warm brown yarn.

Ribbed Cuff

With brown yarn, rep ribbed cuff of Blue Slippers With Ribbed Cuff.

Ears

Note: Make 4 each petal pink yarn and warm brown yarn.

Row 1: Ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 3 sc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next ch, turn. (5)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, 2 sc in each next 3 sts, sc in last st, turn. (8)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] 3 times, sc in last st, fasten off. (11)

Row 4: Holding wrong sides of 1 each pink and warm brown piece tog, with pink side facing, matching sts and working through both thicknesses, attach warm brown yarn, ch 1, sc in next 2 sc, [2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc] 3 times, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Sew 1 ear to last row of upper section (toe) on each side, catching sts of both pink and warm brown sides.

Eyes

Make 4

Rnd 1: With brown yarn, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (6)

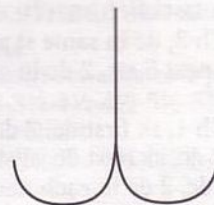
Rnd 2: Attach buff yarn in any sc, ch 1, work 2 sc in each sc around, sl st to join in beg sc, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. (12)

Sew eyes to upper section (toe) about 1 inch apart.

Mouth & Snout

Using diagram as a guide, adjusting appropriately for slipper size, with yarn needle and length of brown yarn, embroider in backstitch on front of upper section.

Teddy Bear Mouth & Snout
Adjust size for slipper size



Nose

Glue black pompon to top of snout line. ∞

Hearts Delight

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 11

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Ladies, sole length: small—8 inches; medium—9 inches; and large—10 inches

Materials

- 3-ply sport weight yarn:
- 5 oz white
- Crochet hooks sizes F/5 and H/8
- 24 inches $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch-wide elastic
- 20 inches $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch-wide rose ribbon
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With crochet hook size H and double strands of yarn, 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch

With crochet hook size F and 1 strand of yarn, 7 sc = 2 inches; 7 sc rows = 2 inches

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Popcorn (pc): Work 5 sc in indicated st, draw up a lp, remove hook, insert hook in first sc of 5-sc group, pick up dropped lp, draw through st on hook, ch 1 to lock.

Sole

Make 2

Row 1: Beg at heel with crochet hook size H and 2 strands of yarn held tog, ch 5 (6-7), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (4-5-6)

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

Row 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (6-7-8)

Rows 4–12 (4–13, 4–14): Rep Row 2.

Row 13 (14–15): Rep Row 3. (8-9-10)

Rows 14 & 15 (15–16): Rep Row 2.

Row 16 (16–17): Rep Row 3. (10-11-12)

Rows 17 (17–19, 18–21): Rep Row 2.

Row 18 (20–22): Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (8-9-10)

Row 19 (21–23): Rep Row 2.

Row 20 (22–24): Rep Row 18. (6-7-8)

Rows 23 (25 & 26) (Sizes medium & large only): Rep Row 2.

Row 21 (24–27): Rep Row 18. (4-5-6)

Rows 22–24 (25–27, 28–30): Rep Row 2.

At the end of last rep, do not turn.

Rnd 25 (28–31): Ch 1, sc in each sc and end of each row around entire outer edge of sole, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (56-64-72)

Sides

Rnd 1: With crochet hook size F, attach 1 strand of yarn in back lp only at center back heel, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, working in back lps only for this rnd, sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, [sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc. (70-80-90)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in back lp only of same st as beg ch-1, sc in front lp only of next st, [sc in back lp only of next st, sc in front lp only of next st] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in front lp only of same st as beg ch-1, sc in back lp only of next st, [sc in front lp only of next st, sc in back lp only of next st] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 4: Rep Rnd 2.

At the end of Rnd 4, fasten off size small only.

Rnd 5 (Sizes medium & large only): Rep Rnd 3, fasten off.

Sole Trim

With top of slipper facing and with crochet hook size H, attach 2 strands of yarn in rem free lp of Rnd 25 (28-31), sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Instep

Make 2

Row 1: With crochet hook size F and 1 strand of yarn, ch 4, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, 2 sc in next ch, turn. (5)

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (7)

Row 3: Rep Row 2. (9)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in next 4 sc, pc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc and in top of pc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (11)

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in 4 sc, pc in next sc, sc in next sc, pc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in

each sc and each pc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (13)

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in 4 sc, pc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, pc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, turn.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each sc and each pc across, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in 3 sc, pc in next sc, sc in next 5 sc, pc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, turn.

Row 11: Rep Row 9.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in 2 sc, [pc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc] twice, pc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc, turn.

Row 13: Rep Row 9.

Row 14: Ch 1, sc in 3 sc, [pc in next sc, sc in next sc] 4 times, sc in next 2 sc, turn.

Rows 15 & 16: Rep Row 9.

At the end of Row 16, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off size small only.

Rows 17 & 18 (Sizes medium & large only): Rep Row 9.

At the end of Row 18, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Assembly

Turn slipper inside out. Mark 10 (24-28) sts from center back on both sides of slipper. With right sides of slipper facing, matching sts carefully, sew instep in place between the 2 markers. Turn slipper right side out.

Top Opening Trim

Note: Cut elastic in half; knot ends together firmly to form 2 separate rings.

Rnd 1: With crochet hook size F, attach 1 strand of yarn at center back heel, holding 1 elastic circle in place and working over elastic, ch 1, sc evenly sp around opening, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, ch 1, [sc in next sc, ch 1] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Ribbon

Cut ribbon in half. Draw length of ribbon through st at center front of Rnd 1 of top opening trim, tie ends in a bow. ✕

Bridal Slippers

By Nazanin Fard • Photo on page 11

Experience Level

Intermediate

Size

Finished sole length: 8½ inches

Materials

- Crochet cotton size 10: 350 yds ecru
- Steel crochet hook size 7
- 2 (10½-inch) pieces ecru felt
- Sewing needle and thread
- 52 inches ¾-inch-wide ecru ribbon

Gauge

9 dc = 1 inch

Pattern Note

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Instep

Make 2

First motif

Rnd 1: Ch 8, join to form a ring, ch 3 (first dc), work 31 dc in ring, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (32)

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, ch 7, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3, [dc in next 4 dc, ch 7, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Second motif

Rnd 1: Rep Rnd 1 of first motif.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, ch 3, sl st into ch-7 sp of previous motif, ch 3, dc in next 4 dc, ch 1, sl st into ch-3 sp, ch 1, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3, sl st into next ch-7 sp of previous motif, ch 3, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3, [dc in next 4 dc, ch 7, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Third motif

Rnd 1: Rep Rnd 1 of first motif.

Rnd 2: Rep Rnd 2, joining 3rd motif to 2nd motif.

Fourth motif

Rnd 1: Rep Rnd 1 of first motif.

Rnd 2: Rep Rnd 2, joining 4th motif to 3rd and first motifs.

Sides

Attach ecru cotton in 4th ch of ch-7 corner sp of a motif, ch 120, using care not to twist, sl st in 4th ch of next outer corner ch-7 sp.

Rnd 1: Working around instep, ch 5 (first dc, ch 2), [dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, sk 3 dc, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in joining of motifs,

ch 2, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, sk 3 dc, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in ch-7 sp, ch 2] 3 times, working across ch, sk 2 chs, [dc in next ch, ch 2, sk 2 chs] rep around, ending with sl st to join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5. (64 ch-2 sps)

Rnds 2–5: Ch 5 (first dc, ch 2), [dc in next dc, ch 2] rep around, sl st to join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5.

At the end of Rnd 5, fasten off.

Ankle Trim

Rnd 1: Attach ecru cotton in opposite side of foundation ch in opposite side of dc at heel, ch 5 (first dc, ch 2), [dc in same ch as next dc, ch 2] rep around to within instep motifs, dc in ch-7 corner sp, ch 2, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in ch-3 sp, ch 2, sk 3 dc, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in joining of motifs, ch 2, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, sk 3 dc, dc in next dc, ch 2, dc in corner ch-7 sp, ch 2, working on rem opposite side of foundation ch, [dc in same ch as next dc, ch 2] rep around, sl st to join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5, fasten off.

Sole

Cut 2 soles for each slipper from felt about ½ inch larger all around sole pattern for a seam allowance. Leaving an opening for turning, pin and sew felt layers tog. Turn soles to right side; tuck in raw edges at opening and sew closed. Pin slipper to sole; whipstitch slipper to sole.

Cut ribbon in half. Starting at center front, weave ribbon over 2 dc, under 2 dc around; tie ends in a bow. ❧

Bridal Slippers
Sole

Mother & Daughter Slippers

By Isabelle Wolters • Photo on page 11

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Daughter's, sole length: small—7 inches; medium—8 inches; and large—8½ inches

Mother's, sole length: small—9 inches; medium—9½ inches; and large—10 inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
 - 3½ oz light mint
 - 3½ oz variegated sherbet pastels
- Crochet hooks sizes G/6 and H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With crochet hook size G and 2 strands of yarn, 7 sts = 2 inches

With crochet hook size H and 2 strands of yarn, 8 sts = 2 inches

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Instructions are given for daughter's sizes small and medium, with changes for mother's small and medium in parentheses.

For mother's and daughter's small and medium sizes, use crochet hook size G.

For mother's and daughter's large, use crochet hook size H and medium pattern for both sizes.

Slippers can be made larger or smaller by adjusting the size of the crochet hook.

Sole will cup slightly at heel and toe.
Shell: 3 dc in indicated st.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1: Holding 1 strand each light mint yarn and variegated yarn and with proper hook (see notes), ch 18, 20 (23, 26), 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 9, 10 (12, 13) chs, hdc in next 6, 7 (8, 10) chs, 7 dc in last ch (toe), working on opposite side of foundation ch, hdc in next 6, 7 (8, 10) chs, sc in next 9, 10 (12, 13) chs, 2 sc in same ch as beg 3-sc, sl st to join in beg sc. (42-46-52-58)

Rnd 2: Ch 2 (first hdc), 2 hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in next 18, 19 (22, 25) sts, 2 hdc in each of next 5, 7 (7, 7) sts, dc in next 17, 18 (21, 24) sts, 3 hdc in last st, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each rem st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off variegated yarn. (51-57-63-69)

Sides

Rnd 4: Working with 1 strand of light mint yarn, working in back lps for this rnd only, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each rem st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnds 5 & 6: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

At the end of Rnd 6, fasten off light mint yarn, attach variegated

yarn in same st as light mint yarn was fastened off.

Rnd 7: Ch 3 (first dc), 2 dc in same st as beg ch-3, sk 2 sts, [shell in next st, sk 2 sts] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (17-19-21-23 shells)

Rnd 8: Sl st in next 2 dc and into sp between 2 shells, ch 3 (first dc), 2 dc in same sp, [sk next shell, shell in next sp] 4, 5 (6, 7) times, [sk next 2 shells, shell in next sp] twice, sk next sh, shell in next sp, [sk next 2 shells, shell in next sp] twice, [sk next shell, shell in next sp] 3, 4 (5, 6) times, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (13-15-17-19 shells)

Rnd 9 (Daughter's only): Draw up a lp of light mint yarn in same st as variegated yarn was fastened off, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in next 16 (19) sts, sk next st, hdc in next 6 sts (instep of toe), sk next st, sc in next 14 (17) sts, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (37-43)

Rnd 9 (Mother's only): Draw up a lp of light mint yarn in same st as variegated yarn was fastened off, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in next 22 (25) sts, sk next st, dc in next 6 sts (instep of toe), sk next st, sc in next 20 (23) sts, sl st to join in beg sc. (49-55)

Rnd 10 (Mother's only): Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With 1 strand of variegated yarn, make a ch 9½ inches in length, fasten off.

Draw ch through center front st of last rnd of slipper, tie ends in a bow. Knot each end of tie. ☞

Super-Simple Slippers

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 12

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Foot length: 5(6-7-9-0-10-11) inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
 - 3½ oz fuchsia
- Crochet hooks sizes G/6 and H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With crochet hook size H, 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Most sizes require 1 skein or less, depending on size.

Design is basically a simple square,

sewn at heel and toe ends to form a double rectangle, with a beading around opening.

Measure foot from toe to heel to determine size needed.

Slippers

Row 1: With crochet hook size H, ch 16 (19-22-25-28-31-34), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (15-28-21-24-27-30-33)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, [ch 1, sk 1 sc, sc in next sc] rep across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc in ch-1 sp, [ch 1, sk 1 sc, sc in next ch-1 sp] rep across, ending with sc in last sc, turn.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until length of piece measures same as width, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

With right sides facing, fold piece in half; sew back seam for heel and front seam for toe. Turn slipper right side out.

Beading

Rnd 1: With crochet hook size G, attach yarn at heel seam, ch 3, sc in end of next row, [ch 1, sk 1 row, sc in end of next row] rep around opening, sl st to join in 2nd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 2: Sl st into ch-1 sp, ch 3, sl st in same ch-1 sp, [sl st in next ch-1 sp, ch 3, sl st in same ch-1 sp] rep around, sl st to join, fasten off.

Twist Ties

Make 2

Cut 2 pieces of yarn 72 inches long; tie ends in a knot. Secure knot on a nail or doorknob. Place a pencil in the other end and turn, twisting up the yarn until it twists back onto itself when relaxed. Holding ends tog, fold

twisted yarn in half. Release folded end and let yarn twist back on itself. Tie another knot at both ends of tie about ½ inch from end. Make 2nd tie in same manner.

Starting at center front, weave tie through Rnd 1 of beading.

Pompon

Make 4

Make 2 pompons for each slipper, each 2 inches. Attach a pompon to each end of tie. Tie ends in a bow. ∞

Easy Granny Slippers

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 12

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Ladies, sole length: small—8 inches; medium—9 inches; and large—10 inches

Materials

- Red Heart Jeweltones 4-ply yarn: 2 oz No 3388 turquoise (A) 1½ oz No 3059 brilliant (B)
- Crochet hook size E/4(F/5)
- Yarn needle

Gauge

For size small, with crochet hook size E, square = 3 inches

For size medium, with crochet hook size E, square = 3½ inches

For size large, with crochet hook size F, square = 4 inches

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Make 6 granny squares for each slipper (12 total).

To change yarn color, work dc until 2 lps rem, with next color, yo, draw through rem 2 lps on hook.

Carry yarn not in use along back of square, working over yarn not in use.

Granny Square

Rnd 1 (RS): With A, ch 3, join to form a ring, ch 3, dc in ring, ch 1, 2 dc in ring, changing to B in last step of last dc, with B, 2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc in ring, changing to A in last step, with A, 2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc in ring, changing to B in last step, with B, 2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc in ring, changing to A in last step, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3.

Note: Continue to change yarn color as indicated.

Rnd 2: With A, sl st into ch-1 sp, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in same ch-1 sp, with B, 3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, with A, 3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-

1 sp, with B, 3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, change to A, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3.

Rnd 3: With A, sl st into next ch-1 sp, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in ch-1 sp, 2 dc in next sp, sk 3 dc, 2 dc in sp between dc sts, with B, 2 dc in same sp as previous 2 dc, 3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, sk 3 dc, 2 dc in sp between dc sts, with A, 2 dc in same sp as previous 2 dc, 3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, sk 3 dc, 2 dc in sp between dc sts, with B, 2 dc in same sp as previous 2 dc, 3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc in ch-1 sp, sk 3 dc, 2 dc in sp between dc sts, with A, 2 dc in same sp as previous 2 dc, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 4 (Sizes medium & large only):

Attach A in any ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 sc in same ch-1 sp, sc in next 10 dc, [3 sc in ch-1 sp, sc in next 10 dc] 3 times, 1 sc in same ch-1 sp as beg 2-sc, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Assembly

With right sides of squares facing, following diagram for color placement of squares and working in back lps

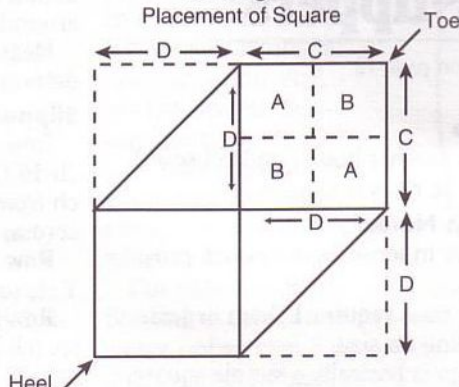
COLOR KEY

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B Brilliant

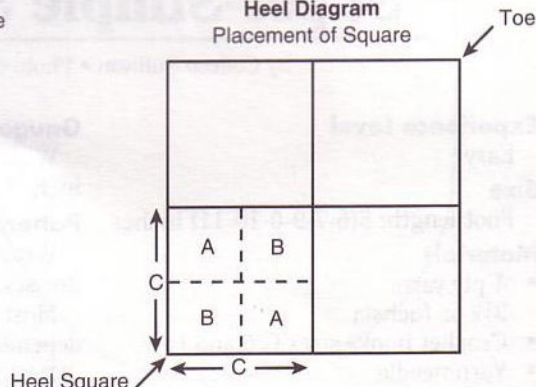
Diagram of Sole & Sides
Four Squares



Toe Diagram
Placement of Square



Heel Diagram
Placement of Square



only, sew 4 squares tog with A to form sole and sides.

Following diagram for placement of heel square, working in back lps only, sew heel square to sole along each C side.

Following diagram for placement of toe square, working in back lps only, sew toe square to sole along each C side. Fold each side square in half diagonally, wrong sides together; sew each side square along D to toe square.

Trim

Rnd 1: Attach A with sl st in back lp only of top heel point in ch-1 sp, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in back lps only of each st to within 1 st before joining of next square, draw up a lp in each next 3 sts, yo, draw through all 4 lps on hook, sc in back lp of each st across rem sides of 2 side squares to within 1 st of joining, draw up a lp in each of next 3 sts, yo, draw through all 4 lps on hook, sc in back

lps only of each st, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With A, ch 48, fasten off. Insert tie through sts at center-point joining of 2 side squares at center top of slipper, tie ends in a bow. Rep in same manner on 2nd slipper. ❧

Men's Classic

By Rosanne Kropp • Photo on page 12

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Small 7-8 (medium 9-10, large 11-12)

Materials

- Red Heart Super Saver 4-ply yarn: 1 skein No 4387 navy fleck
Small amount No 381 light blue
- Crochet hook size G/6
- Yarn needle

Gauge

7 dc = 2 inches; 2 dc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Ch 3 (first dc) at beg of a row.

Sole & Sides

Make 2

Row 1: Starting at heel with navy fleck yarn, ch 14 (15-16), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 7 (8-9) chs, hdc in next ch, dc in next 2 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in next ch, ch 2, working on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in first ch, hdc in next ch, dc in next 2 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in next 8 (9-10) chs, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 (first dc), dc in next 12 (13-14) sts, 3 dc in each next 2 chs, dc in next 13 (14-15) sts, turn. (32-34-36)

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in next 14 (15-16) dc, 3 dc in each next 2 dc, dc in next 15 (16-17) dc, turn. (36-38-40)

Rows 4 & 5: Ch 3, dc in each dc across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 3, dec 1 dc over next 2

dc, dc across to within last 2 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc, turn. (34-36-38)

Rows 7-11 (7-12, 7-12): Rep

Rows 4-6. (32-32-34)

For size small only, fasten off at the end of Row 11.

Row 13 (13 & 14): Rep Row 4.

At the end of last rep, fasten off.

Mark the 5th st from beg and end of last row on each size. With wrong side of last row facing, attach navy fleck yarn to marked st at end of row, ch 12, being careful not to twist ch, sl st in 2nd marked st.

Instep

Rnd 1: Leaving 4 dc at beg and end of Row 11 (13-14) unworked for cuff, ch 3, dc in next 23 (23-25) dc, dc in next 12 chs, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, turn. (36-36-38)

Rnds 2-4 (2-4, 2-5): Ch 3, dc in each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, turn.

Rnd 5 (5-6): Ch 3, dc in next 6 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc, [dc in next 7 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, turn. (32-32-34)

Rnd 6 (6-7): Ch 3, dc in next 5 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc, [dc in next 6 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, turn. (28-28-30)

Rnd 7 (7-8): Ch 3, dc in next 4 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc, [dc in next 5 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, turn. (24-24-26)

Rnd 8 (8-9): Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc,

dec 1 dc over next 2 dc, [dc in next 4 dc, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, turn. (20-20-22)

Rnd 9 (9-10): Ch 2 (first half of dc dec), dc in next dc, [dec 1 dc over next 2 dc] 9 (9-10) times, sk beg ch-2, sl st to join in top of first dc, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. (10-10-11)

With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, weave through last rnd, pull to close opening, secure.

Instep flap

Row 1: With inside of slipper facing, attach navy fleck yarn on opposite side of foundation ch-12 of instep, ch 3 (first dc), dc in next 11 chs, turn.

Row 2: Sk first dc, hdc in next dc, dc in next 8 dc, hdc in next dc, ch 1, sl st in top of beg ch-3 of Row 1, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With light blue yarn and working tightly, make a ch 34 inches long, fasten off. Place around slipper under cuff, centering tie at back of slipper with ends at the front; weave ends out through between 3rd and 4th sts at each edge on last row of sole and sides, in at next st of Rnd 1 of instep, sk 4 sts and out at front top of instep in Rnd 1, tie ends in a bow. ❧

Cozy Boots

By Aline Suplinskas • Photo on page 12

Directions

Easy

Size

Adults medium (6–7)

Adults large (8–9)

Materials

- 2-ply bulky weight yarn:
6 (7) oz MC
3 yds CC
- Crochet hooks sizes H/8 and I/9
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With crochet hook size H, 5 sc rows
= 1½ inches

With crochet hook size I, 7 sc rows
= 2 inches

Pattern Note

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1 (Right side): With MC, loosely ch 21, 3 dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each next 16 chs, 8 dc in last ch (heel), working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in next 16 chs, 4 dc in same 4th ch from hook as beg 3-dc, sl st to join in top of beg ch. (48)

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (first dc), dc in same st

as beg ch-3, 2 dc in each of next 3 dc, dc in next 16 dc, 2 dc in each next 8 dc, dc in next 16 dc, 2 dc in each next 4 dc, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (64)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st as beg ch-3, 2 dc in each of next 7, dc in each next 5 dc, sc in next 38 dc, dc in each next 5 dc, 2 dc in each next 8 dc, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (80)

Instep

Row 1: With MC, ch 4, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 2 chs, turn. (3)

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

Row 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in next sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (5)

Rows 4–8: Rep Row 2.

Row 9: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (7)

Rows 10–17: Rep Row 2.

At the end of Row 17, ch 40 (leg opening), sl st to join in opposite end of Row 17, fasten off.

Sides

Rnd 1: Attach MC in 21st ch (center of heel), ch 1, 1 sc in same ch as beg ch-1, sc in each ch, work 36 sc evenly sp around instep, sc in each ch of opposite edge, do not join. (76)

Note: Do not join rnds unless otherwise indicated; use a scrap of CC yarn to mark rnds.

Rnds 2–5: Sc in each sc around, inc 1 sc each rnd at center front of toe. (80)

At the end of Rnd 5, sl st to join in next sc, fasten off.

Place sole to sides, matching sts and working through both thicknesses, attach MC at center toe, sl st loosely in each st around, fasten off.

Cuff

Rnd 1: Working in opposite side of foundation ch of leg opening, attach MC yarn st center back, ch 3 (first dc), work 39 dc evenly sp around leg opening, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (40)

Rnds 2–8: Ch 3, dc in each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3.

Rnd 9: Sl st in each dc around, fasten off.

Fold Rnds 5–9 down over Rnds 1–4 of cuff.

Ties

Make 2

Cut a 1½-yard length each MC and CC yarn. Attach ends to stationary object or have a friend hold opposite ends; twist yarns until they beg to curl up; fold in half and allow to self-twist. Knot each end and trim.

Beg at center front, weave each cord through Rnd 1 of cuff. At center front tie ends in a bow. ✽

Soft & Comfy

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 13

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Ladies, sole length: 8 (9–10) inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
3½ oz each blue (MC) and white (CC)
- Crochet hook size H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With 2 strands of yarn held together,
7 sc = 2 inches; 7 sc rows = 4 inches

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Work with 2 strands of yarn held tog throughout unless otherwise indicated.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1: With 2 strands of MC yarn, ch 16 (20–24), 3 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 11 (15–19) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, 3 hdc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 11 (15–19) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, sl st to join in first hdc. (36–44–52)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 3 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in each next 2 sts, hdc in next 13 (17–21) sts,

2 hdc in each next 2 sts, 3 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in next 13 (17–21) sts, 2 hdc in last st, sl st to join in beg ch-2. (48–56–64)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, 3 dc in next st, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in next 7 (9–11) sts, sc in next 12 (14–16) sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, 3 sc in next st (center heel sts), 2 sc in each next 2 sts, sc in next 12 (14–16) sts, dc in next 6 (8–10) sts, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (60–68–76)

Rnd 4: Attach 2 strands of MC yarn with sl st in center sc of 3-sc heel sts, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc. (60–68–76)

Slipper Sides

Rnd 1: Working in back lps for this

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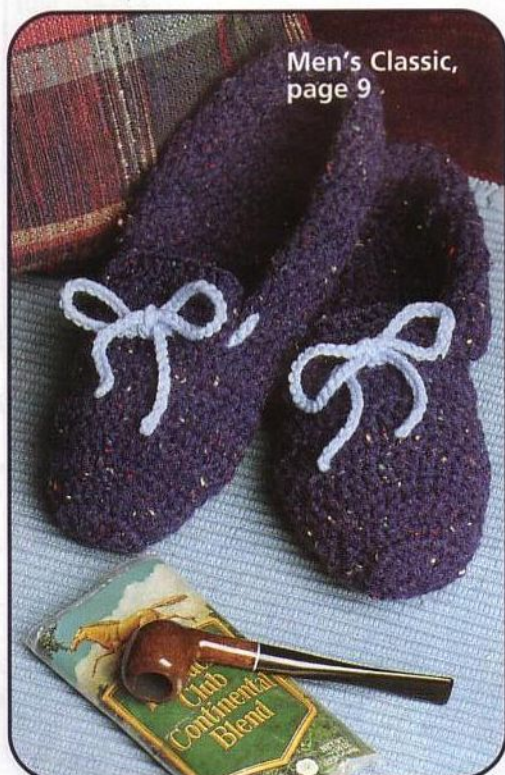


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rnd only, ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc. (60-68-76)

Rnd 2: Ch 5 (first dc, ch 2), sk 2 sts, dc in each next 2 sts, [ch 2, sk 2 sts, dc in next 2 sts] rep around, ending with ch 2, sk 2 sts, dc in next st, sl st to join in 3rd ch of beg ch-5, fasten off.

Rnd 3: Attach 2 strands of CC yarn in same st where MC was fastened off, [dc in each of next 2 skipped sts of Rnd 1 below, ch 2, sk 2 dc] rep around, sl st to join in beg st, fasten off.

Rnd 4: Attach 2 strands of MC yarn where CC was fastened off, ch 1, [sc in 2 dc, dc in 2 dc of previous rnd below] rep around, sl st to join, fasten off.

Toe Shaping

Row 1: Counting from where Rnd 4 of slipper was fastened off, attach 2

strands of CC yarn with a sl st in 16th(20th-24th) st on side of slipper, sc in next 5(9-13) sts, [dec 1 sc over next 2 sc] 10(6-2) times, sc in next 5(9-13) sts, fasten off. (20, 24, 28 sts)

Row 2: Attach 2 strands of MC yarn in first sc, ch 4 (first dc, ch 1), sk next st, dc in each next 2 sts, [ch 2, sk 2 sts, dc in each next 2 sts] rep across, ending with ch 1, sk 1 st, dc in last st, fasten off.

Row 3: Attach 2 strands of CC yarn with sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-4 of previous row, ch 1, sc in same st, dc in next 2 sts of Row 1, [sc in next 2 dc, dc in next 2 sts of row below] rep around, ending with dc in next st of row below, sc in last dc, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Turn slipper inside out. With yarn needle and rem length of yarn, sew

seam across sts of Row 3. Turn slipper right side out.

Top Trim

Rnd 1: Attach 2 strands of MC at center heel, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st to within instep, sc evenly sp across instep, sc in each rem st, sl st to join in beg sc, turn.

Rnd 2: Sl st in each sc around, fasten off.

Sole Trim

Rnd 1: With sole facing, attach 2 strands of MC yarn in rem free lp of Rnd 4 of sole, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Pompon

Make 2

With MC yarn, make 2½-inch pompon and attach to upper front of slipper instep. ☞

Curly Cuffs

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 13

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Child's, sole length: small—6½; medium—7; large—7½; and extra-large—8 inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
3½ oz pink
1½ oz white
- Crochet hook size H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With 2 strands of yarn held together, 7 sc = 2 inches

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Work with 2 strands of yarn held tog unless otherwise indicated.

Love knot variation (lk): *Draw up a lp to measure ½ inch, yo, draw through lp, sc in both strands of long lp (½-inch lp and the lp that was pulled through), rep from * once, sc in next st.

Soles

Rnd 1: With pink yarn, ch 10 (12-14-16), 3 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in each of next 5

(7-9-11) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, 3 hdc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in 5 (7-9-11) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch. (24-28-32-36)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 3 hdc in next hdc, 2 hdc in each of next 2 hdc, hdc in next 7 (9-11-13) hdc, 2 hdc in each of next 2 hdc, 3 hdc in next hdc, 2 hdc in each next 2 hdc, hdc in 7 (9-11-13) hdc, 2 hdc in next hdc, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2. (36-40-44-48)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in each next 2 sts, 3 dc in next st, 2 dc in each next 2 sts, dc in next 4 (5-6-7) sts, sc in next 9 (10-11-12) sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, 3 sc in next st (heel end), 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, sc in next 9 (10-11-12) sts, dc in 3 (4-5-6) sts, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (48-52-56-60)

Slipper Sides

Rnd 1: Ch 1, working in back lps for this rnd only, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach 2 strands of pink yarn with sl st in center heel st, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg

sc. (48-52-56-60)

Rnds 3 & 4: Ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

At the end of Rnd 4, fasten off sizes small and medium.

Rnd 5 (Sizes large & extra-large only): Ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Instep

Make 2

Rnd 1: With 2 strands of pink yarn, ch 7 (9-11-13), 3 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 2 (4-6-8) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, 3 hdc in next ch, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 2 (4-6-8) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, sl st to join in beg hdc, turn. (18-22-26-30)

Row 2: Ch 2, hdc in next 5 (7-9-11) hdc, 2 hdc in each next 2 hdc, 3 hdc in next hdc, 2 hdc in each of next 2 hdc, hdc in next 6 (8-10-12) hdc, do not work in last hdc, turn. (23-27-31-35)

At the end of Row 2, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off sizes small and medium.

Row 3 (Sizes large & extra-large only): Ch 1, sc in each of next (31-35) sts, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Turn slipper wrong side out. Mark center toe of both slipper and instep; matching sts carefully from toe along side of both pieces, with rem length of yarn, sew instep to slipper.

Bottom Trim

Rnd 1: Attach 1 strand of pink yarn at heel in rem free lp of Rnd 3 of sole,

sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Cuff

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach 1 strand of white yarn with sl st at center back, ch 1, sc in each st to within instep, work 6 (6-8-8) sc evenly sp across

instep, sc in each rem st to beg sc, sl st to join in beg sc, turn.

Rnds 2-6 (Wrong side): Ch 1, working in back lps only, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

At the end of Rnd 5, fasten off.

Curly Cuff

Rnd 1: Working in rem free lps of Rnd 4, work 1k in each st around, join, fasten off.

Rep Rnd 1 in rem free lps of Rnd 5. ❧

Duck Boots

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 13

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Child's, sole length: small—6½ inches; medium—7 inches; large—7½ inches; and extra-large—8 inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
3½ oz blue
1 oz gold
- Crochet hook size H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

With 1 strand of yarn, 3 hdc = 1 inch; 3 hdc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Soles are crocheted with 2 strands of yarn held together; rem of slipper is crocheted with 1 strand.

Sole

Rnd 1: With 2 strands of blue yarn, ch 10 (12-14-16), 3 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in each next 5 (7-9-11) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, 3 hdc in last ch (heel), working on opposite side of foundation ch, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 5 (7-9-11) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, sl st to join in first hdc. (24-28-32-36)

Rnd 2: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 3 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in each next 2 sts, hdc in next 7 (9-11-13) sts, 2 hdc in each next 2 sts, 3 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in each next 2 sts, hdc in next 7 (9-11-13) sts, 2 hdc in next st, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2. (36-40-44-48)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in each next 2 sts, 3 dc in next st (center toe), 2 dc in each next 2 sts, dc in next 4 (5-6-7) sts, sc in next 9 (10-11-12) sts, 2 sc in each next 2 sts, 3 sc in next st (center heel), 2 sc in each next 2 sts, sc in

next 9 (10-11-12) sts, dc in next 3 (4-5-6) sts, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (48-52-56-60)

Slipper Sides

Rnd 1: Working in back lps only, attach 1 strand blue yarn at center back heel, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach 1 strand gold yarn at center back heel, ch 2, hdc in each sc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2, fasten off.

Rnd 3: Attach 1 strand blue yarn at center back heel, ch 2, hdc in each st around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2.

Rnds 4 & 5: Ch 2, hdc in each st around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2. At the end of Rnd 5, fasten off.

Instep

Make 2

Rnd 1: With 1 strand of blue yarn, ch 5 (7-9-11), 3 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 0 (2-4-6) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, 3 hdc in last ch (toe end), working on opposite side of foundation ch, 2 hdc in next ch, hdc in next 0 (2-4-6) chs, 2 hdc in next ch, sl st to join in top of first hdc, turn.

Row 2: Ch 2, hdc in next 3 (5-7-9) sts, 2 hdc in each of next 2 sts, 3 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in each next 2 sts, hdc in next 4 (6-8-10) sts, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off.

Turn slipper sole and sides inside out; place slipper sides wrong sides together. Mark center toe st of both slipper sides and instep. Thread needle with rem length of yarn. Matching sts carefully, working through both thicknesses, sew around instep. Turn slipper right side out.

Bottom Trim

Rnd 1: Working in rem free lps of Rnd 3 of sole, attach 1 strand blue

yarn at center back heel, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Cuff

Row 1 (Right side): Attach 1 strand blue yarn with sl st in first st on slipper side (same st where instep was joined), ch 1, sc in each st around to opposite side of instep, do not work across instep sts, turn.

Rows 2 & 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc of previous row, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, working in back lps for this row only, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 5 & 6: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of Row 6, fasten off.

Tongue

Row 1: Attach 1 strand of yarn with sl st in first st of instep, working in side edge of Rows, ch 2, work 8 hdc evenly sp across, turn. (9)

Row 2: Hdc dec over next 2 hdc, hdc in next 5 hdc, hdc dec over next 2 hdc, turn. (7)

Row 3: Hdc dec over next 2 hdc, hdc in next 3 hdc, hdc dec over next 2 hdc, turn. (5)

Row 4: Sl st in each of next 5 hdc, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With 1 strand of gold yarn, ch 80, fasten off.

Working through sts of Row 5 of cuff, starting at center back, weave over 2 sts, under 2 sts, to end of cuff; rep same on opposite side. Fold cuff Rows 4-6 down, pass end of tie through Row 1 of cuff, into edge of tongue and out at center of tongue; rep on opposite edge. Tie ends in a bow. Rep in same manner on 2nd slipper. ❧

Aran Slippers

By Nazanin Fard • Photo on page 13

Experience Level

Intermediate

Size

Ladies medium

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:
3½ oz winter white
- Crochet hook size H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

4 sc = 1 inch; 4 sc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Note

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Pattern Stitch

Notes: Worked in multiples of even number of sts.

On sides of slippers, work in rnds; sl st to join each rnd. On instep, turn each row; ch 1 to beg rows.

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

Row 2: Ch 1, working in front lps for this row only, ch 3, sk next 2 sts, [sc in next st, turn, 3 sc in previous ch, turn, holding the ch in front and working in front lps only, sc in skipped sts, ch 3, sk 3 sts] rep across, ending with sc in last st, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, working in back lps for this row only, sc in each rem back lp of sts across, turn.

Sole

Make 2

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

Rows 2–4: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (16)

Rows 5–40: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 41: Sl st in next st, sc in each sc across to within last st, sl st in last st, turn.

Rows 42–45: Sk sl st, sl st in next sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, sl st in last sc, turn.

At the end of Row 45, do not fasten off.

Sides

Rnd 1: Ch 1, work 101 sc evenly sp around sole, sl st to join in beg sc. (101)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 3: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnds 4–6: Working in rnds, work Pattern Stitch Rows 1–3.

Rnds 7 & 8: Rep Rnd 2.

At the end of Rnd 8, fasten off.

Instep

Make 2

Row 1: Ch 21, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn.

Rows 2–4: Work Pattern Stitch

Rows 1–3.

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

[Rep Rows 2–5] 3 times.

Holding instep to slipper, working through both thicknesses, sc instep to slipper on all 3 sides of instep, fasten off.

Ankle

Rnd 1: Attach yarn to Rnd 8 of sides, working in rem sts of Rnd 8 and side edge of instep sts, ch 1, [sc in next 4 sts, sk 1 st] rep evenly sp around, sl st to join in beg sc. (60)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in next sc, ch 1, sk 1 sc, [sc in next 2 sc, ch 1, sk 1 sc] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Drawstrings

Make 2

Cut 2 pieces of yarn each 90 inches in length; tie 2 pieces together in a knot on both ends. Secure knot on a nail or doorknob. Place a pencil in the other end and turn, twisting up the yarn until it twists back on itself when relaxed. Holding ends tog, fold twisted yarn in half. Release folded end and let yarn twist back on itself. Tie another knot at both ends of drawstring about ½ inch from former knots. Trim ends. Starting at center front, weave drawstring through ch-1 sps of Rnd 1 of ankle, ending at center front. Tie ends in a bow. ☞

Tapestry

By Katherine Eng • Photo on page 14

Experience Level

Easy

Size

7–9

Materials

- Spinrite Bernat Caress chunky weight yarn:
4.5 oz No 6202 tapestry
- Spinrite Bernat Berella “4” worsted weight yarn:
1 oz No 8855 medium damson
- Crochet hook size G/6
- Yarn needle

Gauge

Sole (2 strands chunky weight yarn): 3 sc across = 1¼ inches; 3 rows = 1¼ inches

Top (1 strand chunky weight yarn): 3 sc across = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Shell: 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc in indicated st.

To beg a rnd with a shell, simply ch 3 for first dc.

Sole

Make 2

Row 1 (Right side): With 2 strands of tapestry yarn held tog, beg at heel, ch 4, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 2 chs, turn. (3)

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (5)

Rows 3 & 4: Rep Row 2. (9)

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

Rows 6–8: Rep Row 5.

Row 9: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (7)

Rows 10–12: Rep Row 5.

Row 13: Rep Row 2. (9)

Rows 14 & 15: Rep Row 5.
Row 16: Rep Row 2. (11)
Rows 17-21: Rep Row 5.
Row 22: Rep Row 9. (9)
Row 23: Rep Row 5.
Row 24: Rep Row 9. (7)
Row 25: Rep Row 5.
Row 26: Rep Row 9, fasten off. (5)

Sides

Rnd 1 (Right side): Working with 1 strand of tapestry yarn, draw up a lp in center ch of heel, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, sc in next ch, sc in end of next 25 rows, 2 sc in first sc of toe, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc, 2 sc in last sc, sc in end of next 25 rows, sc in last ch, sl st to join in beg sc. (61)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 3: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each rem sc around, sl st to join in beg sc. (60)

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, sk 2 sc, shell in next sc, sk 2 sc, [sc in next sc, sk 2 sc, shell in next sc, sk 2 sc] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 6: [Shell in sc, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] 4 times, shell in next sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 ch-2 sps of shells, [shell in sc, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] 4 times, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, sl st into ch-2 sp of next shell.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, [sc in ch-2 sp of shell, shell in next sc] 4 times, dec 1 sc over next 2 ch-2 sps of shells, [shell in next sc, sc in ch-2 sp of shell] 3 times, shell in last sc, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Rnd 8: Draw up a lp of medium damson yarn in first sc of previous rnd, ch

1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, [ch 2, sc, ch 3 and sc in ch-2 sp of shell, ch 2, sc in next sc] 3 times, ch 2, dec 1 sc over next 2 ch-2 sps of shells, ch 2, sc in next sc, [ch 2, sc, ch 3 and sc in ch-2 sp of shell, ch 2, sc in next sc] twice, ch 2, sc, ch 3 and sc in next ch-2 sp of shell, ch 2, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With 2 strands medium damson yarn held tog, leaving a 3-inch length at beg, ch 60, leaving a 3-inch length, fasten off. Pull ch under to over through ch sps of 2 front shells, tie ends in a bow. Cut 2 lengths of medium damson each 6 inches long, draw through end of first ch, tie with rem lengths in an overhand knot. Trim ends to measure 1 inch. Rep, adding lengths of yarn on opposite end of ch. ☞

Jiffy Puff Slippers

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 14

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Ladies, sole length: 8 (9-10) inches

Materials

- Lion Brand Jiffy chunky weight yarn:
5 oz No 338 Manchester
- Crochet hook size H/8
- Yarn needle

Gauge

3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Beg cl: Ch 3, [yo hook, insert hook in same st as beg ch-3, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice, yo, draw through 3 lps on hook.

3-dc cl: [Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] 3 times in same st, yo, draw through all 4 lps on hook.

Do not join rnds unless otherwise indicated. Use a scrap of CC yarn to mark rnds.

Sole

Note: Make 2 for each slipper.

Rnd 1: Ch 14 (18-22), work 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 4 (6-8)

chs, hdc in next 1 (2-3) chs, dc in next 4 (5-6) chs, 2 dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, 5 sc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, hdc in next ch, 2 dc in next ch, dc in next 4 (5-6) chs, hdc in next 1 (2-3) chs, sc in next 4 (6-8) chs, 2 sc in next ch. (33-41-49)

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in each next 2 sts, sc in next 12 (16-20) sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] twice, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 (16-20) sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts. (40-48-56)

Rnd 3: Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 13 (17-21) sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts] 3 times, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 13 (17-21) sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st. (45-54-62)

Rnd 4: Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 16 (20-24) sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts] 3 times, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 16 (20-24) sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st, sl st in next sc to join, fasten off. (52-60-68)

Rnd 5: Holding wrong sides of 2 soles tog and working through both thicknesses, attach yarn at center back heel, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in back lp only, do not fasten off.

Slipper Sides

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 1, working

in back lps only, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, turn. (52-60-68)

Rnd 2 (Wrong side): Beg cl in first st, sc in next st, [3-dc cl in next st, sc in next st] rep around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3 of beg cl, turn.

Rnd 3 (Right side): Ch 1, sc in each sc and in top of each cl around, sl st to join in beg sc, turn.

Rnd 4: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in 16 (20-24) sts, [dec 1 sc over next 2 sts] 10 times, sc in next 16 (20-24) sts, sl st to join in beg sc, turn. (42-50-58)

Rnd 6: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in next 11 (15-19) sts, [dec 1 sc over next 2 sts] 10 times, sc in next 11 (15-19) sts, sl st to join in beg sc, turn. (32-40-48)

Rnd 8: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc, turn.

Rnd 10: Sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Sole Trim

Rnd 1: With top of slipper facing, working in rem free lps of Rnd 5 of sole, attach yarn at center back heel, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Bow

Make 2

Ch 50, fasten off. Draw ch around center front st of Rnd 9 of slipper sides, tie ends in a bow. Rep in same manner on 2nd slipper. ☞

Homespun

By Katherine Eng • Photo on page 14

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Ladies 7–9

Materials

- Lion Brand Homespun chunky weight yarn:
3.5 oz No 305 modern
- Lion Brand Jiffy chunky weight yarn:
2.5 oz No 109 royal blue
- Crochet hook size G/6
- 8mm acrylic tribeads:
4 green
8 blue
- Yarn needle

Gauge

For sole, first 4 rows = 1¼ inches; 4 sc = 1¼ inches

Pattern Note

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Sole

Row 1 (Right side): Beg at heel with homespun yarn, ch 5, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 3 chs, turn. (4)

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in next sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (6)

Rows 3 & 4: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to within last sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (10)

Rows 5–29: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

At the end of Row 29, place a marker.

Instep

Row 30: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in next 6 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (8)

Rows 31–41: Ch 1, sc in next 8 sc, turn.

At the end of Row 41, fasten off.

Sides

Row 1 (Right side): Leaving a long length of royal blue yarn at beg, draw up a lp in end of Row 29 of sole, ch 1, sc in same row as beg ch-1, sc in each next 28 rows, working in opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next 4 chs, working across opposite side of sole, sc in each next 29 rows, turn. (62)

Row 2: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (60)

Rows 3–9: Rep Row 2. (46)

At the end of Row 9, leaving a long length of yarn, fasten off.

With right sides facing and rem lengths of royal blue yarn at beg and end, sew tog Rows 1–9 of royal blue sides to Rows 30–41 of instep.

Slipper Top

Rnd 1 (Right side): Draw up a lp of modern yarn in sc to the left of center back, ch 1, sc in each sc of side, 8 sc of instep and opposite side of slipper, sl st to join in beg sc. (54)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, sc in next 12 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, [sc in next 11 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc] 3 times, sl st to join in beg sc. (50)

Rnd 3: Ch 4 (first dc, ch 1), sk 1 sc, [dc in next sc, ch 1, sk 1 sc] rep around, sl st to join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in ch-1 sp, ch 3, [sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 3] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With 2 strands of royal blue yarn, leaving a 3-inch length at beg, ch 75, leaving a 3-inch length, fasten off.

Starting at center front of Rnd 3, weave through ch-1 sps around. Thread 1 blue, 1 green and 1 blue tribead onto both strands of 1 end of 1 tie; knot end at base of beads. Trim ends to 1 inch. Rep with rem 3 tie ends. Tie ch in a bow at center front. ☞

Button-Cuff

By Colleen Sullivan • Photo on page 14

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Ladies, sole length: Small—8 inches; medium—9 inches; and large—10 inches

Materials

- Red Heart Jeweltones 4-ply yarn:
3 oz No 3356 amethyst
2 oz No 3059 brilliant
- Crochet hook size H/8
- 18 inches ¼-inch-wide elastic
- 2 purple ⅞-inch buttons
- Yarn needle

Gauge

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

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Back post sc (bpsc): Insert hook from back to front to back around vertical portion of st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook.

Do not join rnds unless otherwise indicated. Use a scrap of CC yarn to mark rnds.

Sole

Note: Make 2 each amethyst yarn and brilliant yarn.

Rnd 1: Beg at heel, ch 17 (21–25), 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 7 (9–11) chs, hdc in next 1 (2–3) chs, dc in next 4 (5–6) chs, 2 dc in next ch,

hdc in next ch, 5 sc in last ch (toe), working on opposite side of foundation ch, hdc in next ch, 2 dc in next ch, dc in next 4 (5–6) chs, hdc in 1 (2–3) chs, sc in next 7 (9–11) chs, 2 sc in next ch. (39–47–55)

Rnd 2: Work 2 sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 15 (19–23) sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] twice, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 15 (19–23) sts, 2 sc in each next 2 sts. (46–54–62)

Rnd 3: Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 16 (20–24) sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts] 3 times, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 16 (20–24) sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in last st. (52–60–68)

Rnd 4: Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 19 (23–27) sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next 2 sts] 3 times, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 19 (23–25) sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in last st. (58–66–74)

Rnd 5: Sc in next st, sc in next 25 (29–33) sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4

sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 25 (29-33) sts, sc in last st, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. (60-68-76)

Joining soles

With wrong sides of 1 brilliant sole and 1 amethyst sole tog with brilliant sole facing, working through both thicknesses and matching sts carefully, attach amethyst yarn with sl st in center heel st, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each sc around, sl st to join in beg sc. (60-68-76)

Sides

Rnd 1: Working in back lps for this rnd only, ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc. (60-68-76)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, bpsc around each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnds 4 & 5: Rep Rnds 2 and 3.

Rnd 6: Rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in 20 (24-28) sts, [dec 1 sc over next 2 sts] 10 times, sc in next 20 (24-28) sts, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (50-58-66)

Toe shaping

Row 1: Attach amethyst yarn with sl st in 15 (17-19) st from center back

of slipper, ch 1, bpsc around next 6 (8-10) sts, [bpsc dec over next 2 sts] 5 times, bpsc around next 6 (8-10) sts, turn. (17-21-25)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in next 3 (5-7) sts, [dec 1 sc over next 2 sts] 5 times, sc in next 4 (6-8) sts, turn. (12-16-20)

Row 3: Ch 1, bpsc around next 3 (5-7) sts, [bpsc dec over next 2 sts] 3 times, bpsc around next 3 (5-7) sts, leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. (9-13-17)

Turn slipper inside out, with yarn needle and rem length of yarn, fold Row 3 in half and sew closed.

Bottom Trim

With bottom of slipper facing, working in rem free lps of joining soles, attach amethyst yarn at center back, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Top Edging & Cuff

Note: Cut elastic in half. Knot ends tog firmly to form 2 separate rings.

Rnd 1: Attach amethyst yarn with sl st in center back st, ch 1, bpsc around next 14 (16-18) sts, work 7 sc across instep (toe section), bpsc around next 14 (16-18) sts, sl st to join in beg sc. (35-39-43)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, holding elastic next to rnd and working sts over, sc in next 14 (16-18) sts, 2 sc in each next 7 sts, sc in next 14 (16-18) sts, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (42-46-50)

Rnd 3: With top of slipper facing, attach brilliant yarn with sl st in back lp only of center back st, ch 1, working in back lps for this rnd only, sc in 14 (16-18) sts, [sc in next st, 2 sc in next st] 7 times, sc in next 14 (16-18) sts, sl st to join in beg sc. (49-53-57)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, bpsc around each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, [sk 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk 2 sts, sc in next st] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Rnd 7: With bottom of slipper facing, attach amethyst yarn in rem free lp of Rnd 2, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

With cuff folded downward, sew a button through both cuff and instep of slipper at center front. ❧

Granny Square Slippers

By Sylvia Landman • Photo on back cover

This easy family of soft slippers is constructed from a granny square at the top of the foot. The sides are worked in double crochet with a separate sole.

Experience Level

Easy

Size

Sole length: Mom—9½ inches;
Dad—11 inches; child's medium—7½ inches; and child's small—6 inches

Materials

- 4-ply yarn:

Mom:

3 oz pink

1 oz each lavender and white

Dad:

4 oz brown

1 oz each rust, orange and coordinating variegated

Child's medium:

2 oz pale blue mohair-type yarn

2 oz cream

Child's small:

½ oz medium blue and light blue

2 oz dark blue

- Crochet hook size F/5

- Yarn needle

Gauge

4 dc = 1 inch

Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Ch 3 counts as first dc of each rnd.

Slippers for Mom

Granny Square Instep

Make 2

Rnd 1 (Right side): With pink yarn, ch 5, join to form a ring, ch 3, 2 dc in ring, ch 2, [3 dc in ring, ch 2] 3 times, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach white yarn in any cor-

ner ch-2 sp, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp, ch 1, [3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc in next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1] 3 times, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 3: Attach lavender yarn in any corner 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 corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 3 times, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 4: Attach pink yarn in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc in same corner ch-2 sp, [ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] twice, ch 1, *3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc in next corner ch-2 sp, [ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] twice, ch 1, rep from * 2 more times, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Toe Shaping

Row 1 (Right side): Attach white yarn in 2nd ch of any corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, [sc in next 3 dc, sk ch-1 sp] 3 times, sc in next 3 dc, sc in next ch of corner ch-2 sp, turn. (14)

Row 2: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2

sc, sc in each sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (12)

Rows 3–6: Rep Row 2. (4)

At the end of Row 6, fasten off.

Ankle Shaping

Rnd 1: Working in back lps for this rnd only, attach white yarn at opposite side of granny square from toe shaping in 2nd ch of corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, [dc in next 3 dc, sk ch-1 sp] 3 times, dc in next 3 dc, dc in next ch of corner ch-2 sp, ch 39, with care not to twist ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach lavender yarn in center ch at back of slipper, ch 3, dc in each ch to within dc of Rnd 1, work 2 dc over side edge of dc, work 12 dc across side edge of granny square, 7 dc evenly sp across toe shaping, 4 dc across Row 6 of toe shaping, 7 dc evenly sp across toe shaping, 12 dc across side edge of granny square, 2 dc over side edge of dc of Rnd 1, 1 dc in each rem ch of Rnd 1, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (85)

Rnd 3: Attach pink yarn with sl st between starting ch and next dc of previous rnd, ch 3, working all dc sts between dc, work 1 dc between each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 4: With white yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 5: With lavender yarn, rep Rnd 3. (85)

Cuff

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach white yarn in opposite side of foundation ch at center heel, ch 3, dc in each ch, dc in next 14 dc of ankle shaping, dc in each ch on opposite edge, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (53)

Rnd 2: Attach pink yarn, ch 3, dec 1 dc over next 2 dc, dc in each rem dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (52)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, sk next dc, 5 dc in next dc, sk 1 dc, [sc in next dc, sk 1 dc, 5 dc in next dc, sk 1 dc] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off. (13 groups of 5-dc)

Shell Ties

Make 2

Row 1: With pink yarn, ch 95, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each rem ch across, ch 3, 3 dc, 1 tr and 4 dc in same ch as last sl st, fasten off. Starting at center front, weave tie through Rnd 1 of cuff. Attach pink yarn in end of ch without shell, ch 3, 3 dc, 1 tr and 4 dc in same ch, fasten off. Pull ends slightly to gather; tie ends in a bow.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1: With pink yarn, ch 29, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 2 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, sc in next 14 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 4 chs, 7 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in next 4 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, sc in next 14 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 2 chs, 2 dc in last ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch. (60)

Note: With a scrap of CC yarn, mark heel end of sole.

Rnds 2–4: Ch 1, sc in each st around, working 3 sc in center st at each end for toe and heel, sl st to join in beg sc. (72)

Rnd 5: Ch 3, 2 dc in same st as beg ch-3, dc in next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in next 15 sts, dc in next 10 sts, 2 tr in next st, tr in next 3 sts, 7 tr in next st, tr in next 3 sts, 2 tr in next st, dc in next 10 sts, sc in next 15 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 3 sts, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (84)

Rnd 6: Ch 2 (first hdc), hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in each rem st around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2. (85)

Rnd 7: Holding Rnd 5 of ankle shaping to Rnd 6 of sole and matching sts, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Slippers for Dad

Granny Square Instep

Make 2

Rnds 1–4: Rep Rnds 1–4 of Slippers for Mom, working Rnd 1 with brown yarn, Rnd 2 with rust yarn, Rnd 3 with orange yarn and Rnd 4 with variegated yarn.

Toe Shaping

Row 1 (Right side): Attach rust yarn in 2nd ch of any corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, [sc in next 3 dc, sc in next ch-1] 4 times, turn. (17)

Row 2: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (15)

Rows 3–6: Rep Row 2. (7)

At the end of Row 6, fasten off.

Ankle Shaping

Rnd 1: Working in back lps for this rnd only, attach brown yarn at opposite side of granny square from toe shaping in 2nd ch of corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, [dc in next 3 dc, dc in next ch] 4 times, ch 47, with care not to twist ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (17 dc and 47 chs)

Rnd 2: Attach brown yarn in center ch at back of slipper, ch 3, dc in each ch to within Rnd 1 of ankle shaping, 2 dc in side edge of dc, 14 dc across side of granny square, 11 dc across side edge of toe shaping, 7 dc across Row 6 of toe shaping, 11 dc across opposite side of toe shaping, 14 dc across granny square, 2 dc in side edge of Rnd 1, dc in each rem ch of ankle shaping, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (108)

Rnd 3: Attach rust yarn with sl st between starting ch and next dc of previous rnd, ch 3, working all dc sts between dc, work 1 dc between each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (108)

Rnd 4: With orange yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 5: With variegated yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 6: With brown yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Cuff

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach brown yarn at center back heel in opposite side of foundation ch, ch 3, dc in each ch to within last ch, dec 1 dc over next ch and next dc of ankle shaping, dc in next 15 dc, dec 1 dc over next dc and next ch, dc in each rem ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (62)

Rnd 2: Attach orange yarn, ch 3, dc in each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (62)

Rnd 3: With rust yarn, rep Rnd 2.

Rnd 4: With variegated yarn, rep Rnd 2.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1: With brown yarn, ch 35, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 3 chs, hdc in next 3 chs, sc in next 18 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 5 chs, 7 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in next 5 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, sc in next 18 chs, hdc in next 3 chs, dc in next 3 chs, 2 dc in last ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (74)

Note: With a scrap of CC yarn, mark heel end of sole.

Rnds 2–5: Ch 1, sc in each st around, working 3 sc in center st at each end for toe and heel, sl st to join in beg sc. (90)

Rnd 6: Ch 3, 2 dc in same st, dc in next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 19 sts, dc in next 10 sts, [2 tr in next st, tr in next 3 sts] twice, 7 tr in next st, [tr in next 3 sts, 2 tr in next st] twice, dc in next 10 sts, sc in next 19 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, 2 dc

in next st, dc in next 3 sts, 4 dc in last st, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (108)

Rnd 7: Holding Rnd 6 of ankle shaping to Rnd 6 of sole and matching sts, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Child's Medium Slippers

Granny Square

Make 2

Rnds 1–3: Rep Rnds 1–3 of Slippers for Mom, working Rnd 1 with cream yarn, Rnd 2 with pale blue yarn and Rnd 3 with cream yarn.

Toe Shaping

Row 1: Attach cream yarn in 2nd ch of any corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, [sc in next 3 dc, sk ch-1 sp] twice, sc in next 3 dc, sc in next ch of corner ch-2 sp, turn. (11)

Row 2: Ch 1, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, sc in each sc across to within last 2 sc, dec 1 sc over next 2 sc, turn. (9)

Rows 3–5: Rep Row 2. (3)

At the end of Row 5, fasten off.

Ankle Shaping

Rnd 1: Working in back lps only for this rnd, attach cream yarn at opposite side of granny square from toe shaping in 2nd ch of corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, sk ch-1 sp, dc in next dc, sk 1 dc, dc in next dc, sk ch-1 sp, dc in next 3 dc, dc in next ch of corner ch-2 sp, ch 31, with care not to twist, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach cream yarn in center ch at back of slipper, ch 3, dc in each ch to within dc of Rnd 1, 2 dc over side edge of dc, dc in next 9 dc of granny square, 1 dc in next ch of corner ch-2 sp, 5 dc across toe shaping, 3 dc across Row 5 of toe shaping, 5 dc across opposite side of toe shaping, dc in 2nd ch of corner ch-2 sp, 9 dc across granny square, 2 dc over side edge of Rnd 1, dc in each rem ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (68)

Rnd 3: Attach pale blue yarn with sl st between starting ch and next dc of previous rnd, ch 3, working all dc sts between dc, work 1 dc between each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 4: With cream yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Cuff

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach pale blue yarn in opposite side of foundation ch at center heel, ch 3, dc in each ch and each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (41)

Rnd 2: Attach cream yarn in back, ch 3, dc in each dc around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Rnd 3: Attach pale blue yarn, ch 1,

sc in same st as beg ch-1, ch 3, [sc in next st, ch 3] rep around, sl st to join in beg sc, fasten off.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1: With cream yarn, ch 21, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 2 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, sc in next 8 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 2 chs, 5 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in next 2 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, sc in next 8 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 2 chs, 2 dc in last ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch. (42)

Rnds 2–4: Ch 1, sc in each st around, working 3 sc in center st at each end for toe and heel, sl st to join in beg sc. (54)

Rnd 5: Ch 3, 2 dc in same st as beg ch-3, dc in 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in next 10 sts, dc in next 10 sts, 5 dc in next st (toe), dc in next 10 sts, sc in next 10 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 3 sts, dc in last st, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (63)

Rnd 6: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each st to within center st at toe, 5 sc in center st, sc in each rem st around, sl st to join in beg sc.

Rnd 7: Holding Rnd 4 of ankle shaping to Rnd 6 of sole and matching sts, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With cream yarn, ch 65, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each rem ch across, fasten off.

Starting at center front, weave ch through Rnd 1 of cuff.

With pale blue yarn, make 2 pompons each 1½ inches in diameter. Attach 1 pompon to each end of tie. Tie ends in a bow.

Child's Small Slippers

Granny Square Instep

Make 2

Rnds 1–3: Rep Rnds 1–3 of Slippers for Mom, working Rnd 1 with dark blue, Rnd 2 with medium blue and Rnd 3 with light blue.

Note: No toe shaping is required on size small slippers.

Ankle Shaping

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach dark blue yarn in 2nd ch of any corner, ch 3, [dc in next 3 dc, dc in next ch] 3 times, ch 25, with care not to twist ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach medium blue yarn in center ch at back of slipper, ch 3, dc in each ch, 2 dc in side edge of Rnd 1,

dc in next [9 dc across edge of granny square] 3 times, 2 dc in side edge of Rnd 1, dc in each rem ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (56)

Rnd 3: Attach light blue yarn with sl st between starting ch and next dc, ch 3, working all dc sts between dc, work 1 dc between each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 4: With dark blue yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Rnd 5: With medium blue yarn, rep Rnd 3.

Cuff

Rnd 1 (Right side): Attach light blue yarn in opposite side of foundation ch at center heel, ch 3, dc in each ch and each dc of Rnd 1 around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off. (38)

Rnd 2: Attach dark blue yarn at center back, ch 3, dc in each dc around, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Sole

Make 2

Rnd 1: With dark blue yarn, ch 17, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in next 6 chs, hdc in next ch, dc in next 3 chs, 5 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, dc in next 3 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in next 6 chs, hdc in next ch, dc in next ch, 2 dc in last ch, sl st to join in top of beg ch-3. (34)

Note: With a scrap of CC yarn, mark heel end of sole.

Rnds 2 & 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in center st at each end for toe and heel, sl st to join in beg sc. (42)

Rnd 4: Ch 2, 2 hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 2 hdc in next st, hdc in next 15 sts, [2 hdc in next st, hdc in next st] twice, 5 dc in next st, [hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next st] twice, hdc in next 15 sts, 2 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in last st, sl st to join in top of beg ch-2. (56)

Rnd 5: Holding Rnd 5 of ankle shaping to Rnd 4 of sole and matching sts, sl st in each st around, fasten off.

Ties

Make 2

With light blue yarn, ch 65, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each rem ch across, fasten off.

Starting at center front, weave tie through Rnd 1 of cuff.

Tassel

With dark blue yarn, ch 4, join to form a ring, ch 1, 12 sc in ring, sl st to join in beg sc, sl st in next 6 sc, sl st in end of tie, sl st in next 6 sc, fasten off. Rep tassel on opposite end of tie.

Tie ends in a bow. ❧

STITCH GUIDE

Front Loop (a) Back Loop (b)



Chain (ch)

Yo, draw lp through hook.



Slip Stitch Joining

Insert hook in beg ch, yo, draw lp through.



Stitch Abbreviations

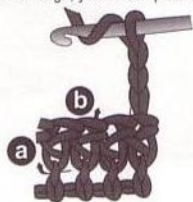
The following stitch abbreviations are used throughout this book.

beg	begin(ing)
bl(s)	block(s)
bpdc	back post dc
ch(s)	chain(s)
cl(s)	cluster(s)
CC	contrasting color
dc	double crochet
dec	decrease
dtr	double treble crochet
fpdc	front post dc
hdc	half-double crochet
inc	increase
lp(s)	loop(s)
MC	main color
p	picot
rem	remain(ing)
rep	repeat
rd(s)	round(s)
RS	right side facing you
sc	single crochet
sk	skip
sl st	slip stitch
sp(s)	space(s)
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together
tr	treble crochet
trtr	triple treble crochet
WS	wrong side facing you
yo	yarn over

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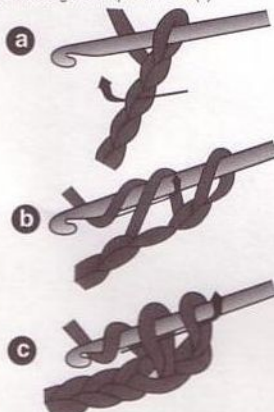
Fpdc (a): Yo, insert hook from front to back and to front again around the vertical post (upright part) of next st, yo and draw yarn through, yo and complete dc.

Bpdc (b): Yo, reaching over top of piece and working on opposite side (right side) of work, insert hook from right to left around vertical post of next st, yo and draw yarn through, yo and complete dc.



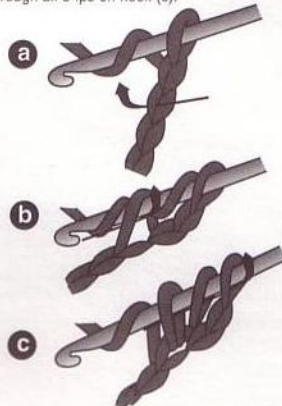
Single Crochet (sc)

Insert hook in st (a), yo, draw lp through (b), yo, draw through both lps on hook (c).



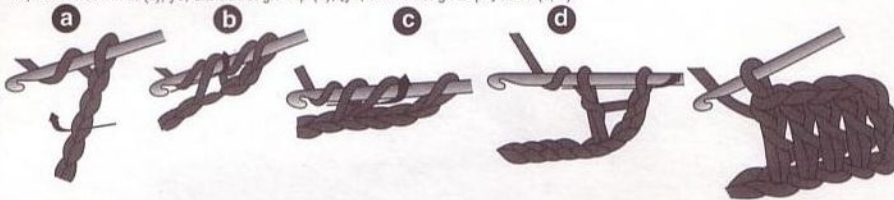
Half-Double Crochet (hdc)

Yo, insert hook in st (a), draw lp through (b), yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook (c).



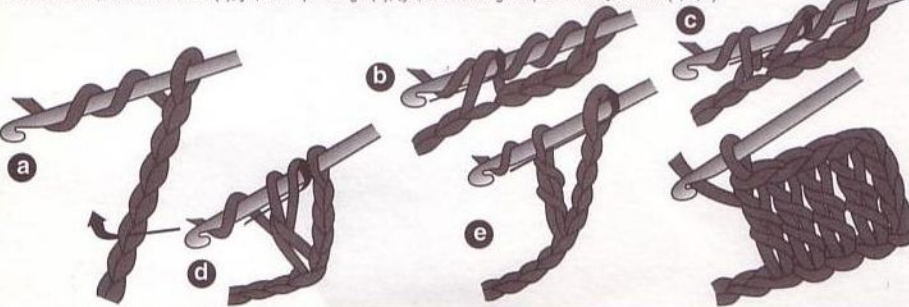
Double Crochet (dc)

Yo, insert hook in st (a), yo, draw through 1 lp (b), [yo, draw through 2 lps] twice (c, d).



Treble Crochet (tr)

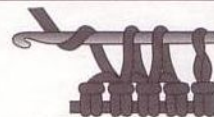
Yo hook twice, insert hook in st (a), yo, draw lp through (b), [yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] 3 times (c, d, e).



Yarn Conversion

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

DECREASING



Single Crochet Decrease

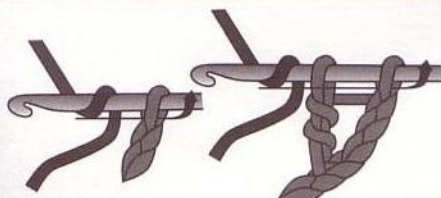
Dec 1 sc over next 2 sc as follows: Draw up a lp in each of next 2 sts, yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook.



Half-Double Crochet Decrease

Dec 1 hdc over next 2 hdc as follows: [Yo, insert hook in next st, yo, draw lp through] twice, yo, draw through all 5 lps on hook.

SPECIAL STITCHES



Chain Color Change (ch color change)

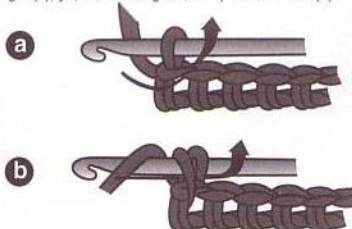
Yo with new color, draw through last lp on hook.

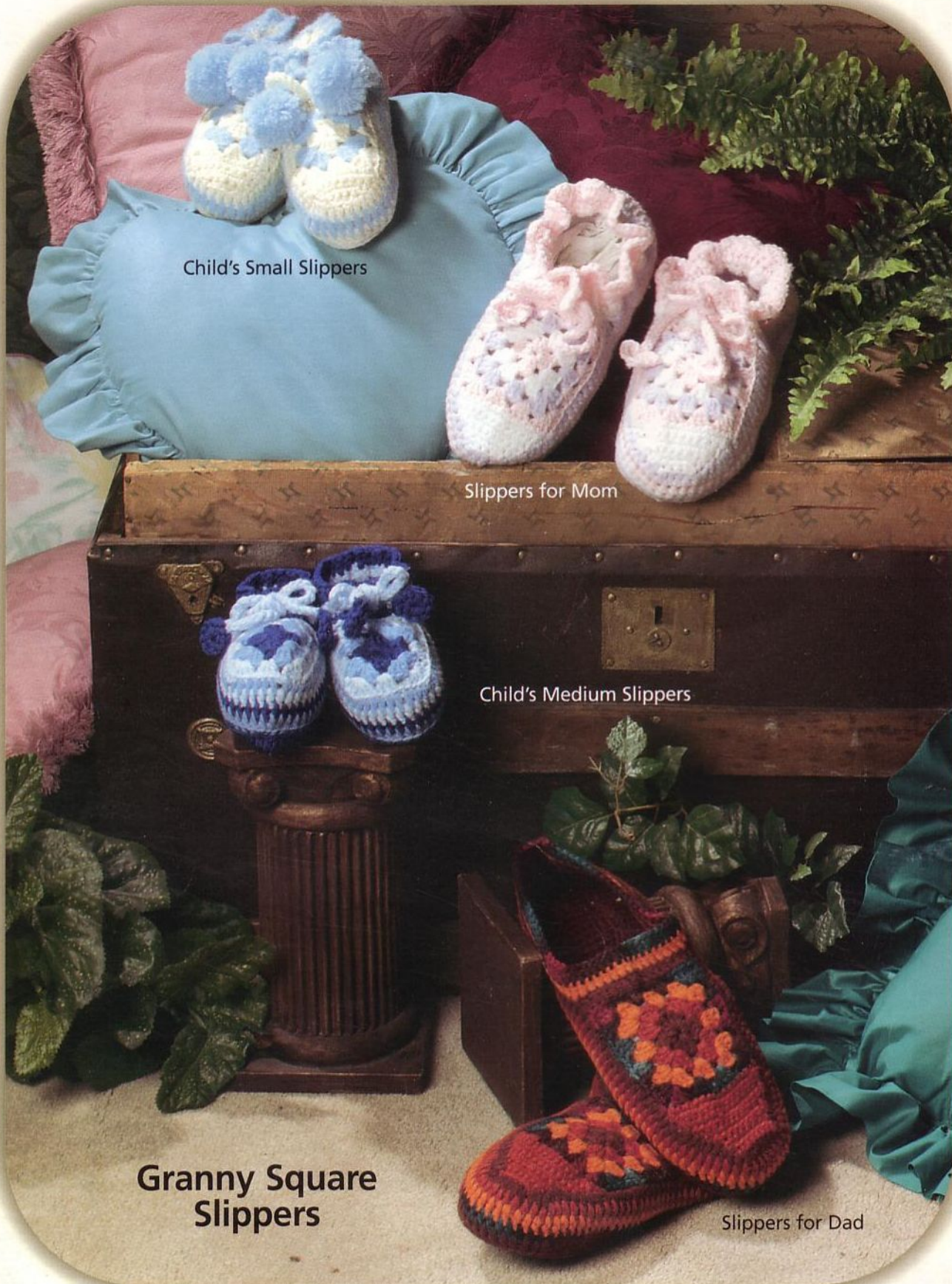
Double Crochet Color Change (dc color change)

Drop first color, yo with new color, draw through last 2 lps of st.

Reverse Single Crochet (reverse sc)

Working from left to right, insert hook in next st to the right (a), yo, draw through st, complete as for sc (b).





Child's Small Slippers

Slippers for Mom

Child's Medium Slippers

Granny Square
Slippers

Slippers for Dad

