



Bear Family Pillows

Designed by Michele Wilcox

Father Bear Pillow

Finished Size: 12" square.

Materials:

- ☐ Worsted yarn:
 - 5 oz. gray
 - 1½ oz. each of dk. brown and fuzzy beige
 - ½ oz. each of red and green
- ☐ Polyester fiberfill

- ☐ Tapestry needle
- ☐ F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

Gauge: 9 sc = 2"; 9 sc rows = 2".

Basic Stitches: Ch, sl st, sc.

Notes:

Wind a separate ball of yarn for each section of color.



When changing colors (*see Stitch Guide*), drop first color to wrong side of work, pick up when needed. Do not carry dropped color along back of work. Always change to next color in last st of last color used. Fasten off color when no longer needed.

PILLOW FRONT

Row 1: With gray, ch 48, sc in second ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn. (47 sc made)

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

Rows 5–46: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing colors according to corresponding row of graph on page 88, turn.

Rows 47–50: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rnd 51: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each

st and in end of each row around with 3 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Facial Features

With dk. brown, using French knot, satin stitch and straight stitch (*see Stitch Guide*), embroider eyes, nose and mouth according to graph.

PILLOW BACK

Row 1: With gray, ch 48, sc in second ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn. (47 sc made)

Rows 2–50: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rnd 51: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 3 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

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EDGING

Rnd 1: Hold Pillow Front and Back wrong sides together; working through both thicknesses in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*), join gray with sc in any st, sc in each st around stuffing before closing, join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Working in **both lps**, (ch 3, skip next st, sl st in next st) around to last 2 sts, ch 3, skip last 2 sts, join with sl st in first sl st. Fasten off.

Mama Bear Pillow

Finished Size: 12" square.

Materials:

- ☐ Worsted yarn:
 - 5 oz. off-white
 - 1½ oz. each of lt. brown and yellow
 - ½ oz. green
 - Small amount dk. brown
- ☐ Polyester fiberfill
- ☐ Tapestry needle
- ☐ F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

Gauge: 9 sc = 2"; 9 sc rows = 2".

Basic Stitches: Ch, sl st, sc.

Notes: See Father Bear Pillow Notes on page 86.

PILLOW FRONT

Starting with off-white, work same as Father Bear Pillow Front according to graph on page 89.

FATHER BEAR KEY:

- ☐ = GRAY
- ☐ = BEIGE
- ☐ = DK. BROWN
- ☐ = GREEN
- ☐ = RED
- ☐ = DK. BROWN EMBROIDERY

Facial Features

Work same as Father Bear Pillow Facial Features. With yellow, using French knot, embroider dots on Pillow Front according to graph.

PILLOW BACK & EDGING

With off-white, work same as Father Bear Pillow Back and Edging.

Baby Bear Pillow

Finished Size: 9" square.

Materials:

- ☐ Worsted yarn:
 - 4 oz. lt. blue
 - 1½ oz. lt. brown
 - 1 oz. each of dk. blue and red
 - Small amount dk. brown
- ☐ Polyester fiberfill
- ☐ Tapestry needle
- ☐ F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

FATHER BEAR



Gauge: 9 sc = 2"; 9 sc rows = 2".

Basic Stitches: Ch, sl st, sc.

Notes: See Father Bear Pillow Notes on page 86.

PILLOW FRONT

Starting with lt. blue, work same as Father Bear Pillow Front according to graph on this page.

Facial Features

Work same as Father Bear Pillow Facial Features.

PILLOW BACK & EDGING

With lt. blue, work same as Father Bear Pillow Back and Edging. ✪

BABY BEAR



MAMA BEAR



BABY BEAR KEY:

- = LT. BLUE
- = MED. BLUE
- = MED. BROWN
- = RED
- = DK. BROWN EMBROIDERY

MAMA BEAR KEY:

- = OFF-WHITE
- = LT. BROWN
- = GREEN
- = YELLOW
- = YELLOW FRENCH KNOT
- = DK. BROWN EMBROIDERY