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My favorite kind of project to crochet is the one that has a practical use. Cotton dishcloths for the kitchen are a perfect example. I know I am always looking for new patterns to fill the demand for my family's many requests. I really like the variety of designs in the four **Spring Dishcloths** (page 26) in this issue, and there are even two projects that are knit with crocheted edgings. I know many of you also knit and if you don't, it is fun to work on a *buddy* project with a friend who is a knitter—each of you do the part that you know how to do and then hand it over to the other one to finish it. The finished project is a combination of using both of your skills! It is a fun change from crocheting most of your projects all by yourself . . . or maybe this is the time to learn how to knit if you don't know how already.

Another favorite thing I like about crocheting projects is making them personal by choosing your own color combinations to match your taste and décor—or someone else's. I was delighted to discover that I could buy cotton yarn in preselected combinations that includes four coordinating colors! I chose a variety of packages to match others' different kitchen décor and selected *Citrus*, *Cucumber Lime*, and *Fruit Bowl* to match my own. I chuckled when I saw there was a *Camouflage* package, which I will use to make dishcloths for my grandson who is graduating from high school and is an avid hunter. They will be perfect for when he sets up housekeeping for the first time this fall.

When you are looking for a quick design to crochet in the months to come, make a few dishcloths! They are the perfect project for busy summer days.

Creatively yours,

Julie



On the Cover:
Striped Day Bag
found on page 27.



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Ebb Tide SHAWL

This stylish accent
is made from just
one ball of yarn!

Instructions begin
on page 9.

Baby Flower SHRUG & HEADBAND



Color-way #1



Color-way #2



Color-way #3

Choose from three different color-ways or make up your own!

Instructions begin on page 9.



Color-Block TOP

Crochet a fashion basic that is easy enough for a beginner to make!

Instructions begin on page 10.



Posh PILLOW

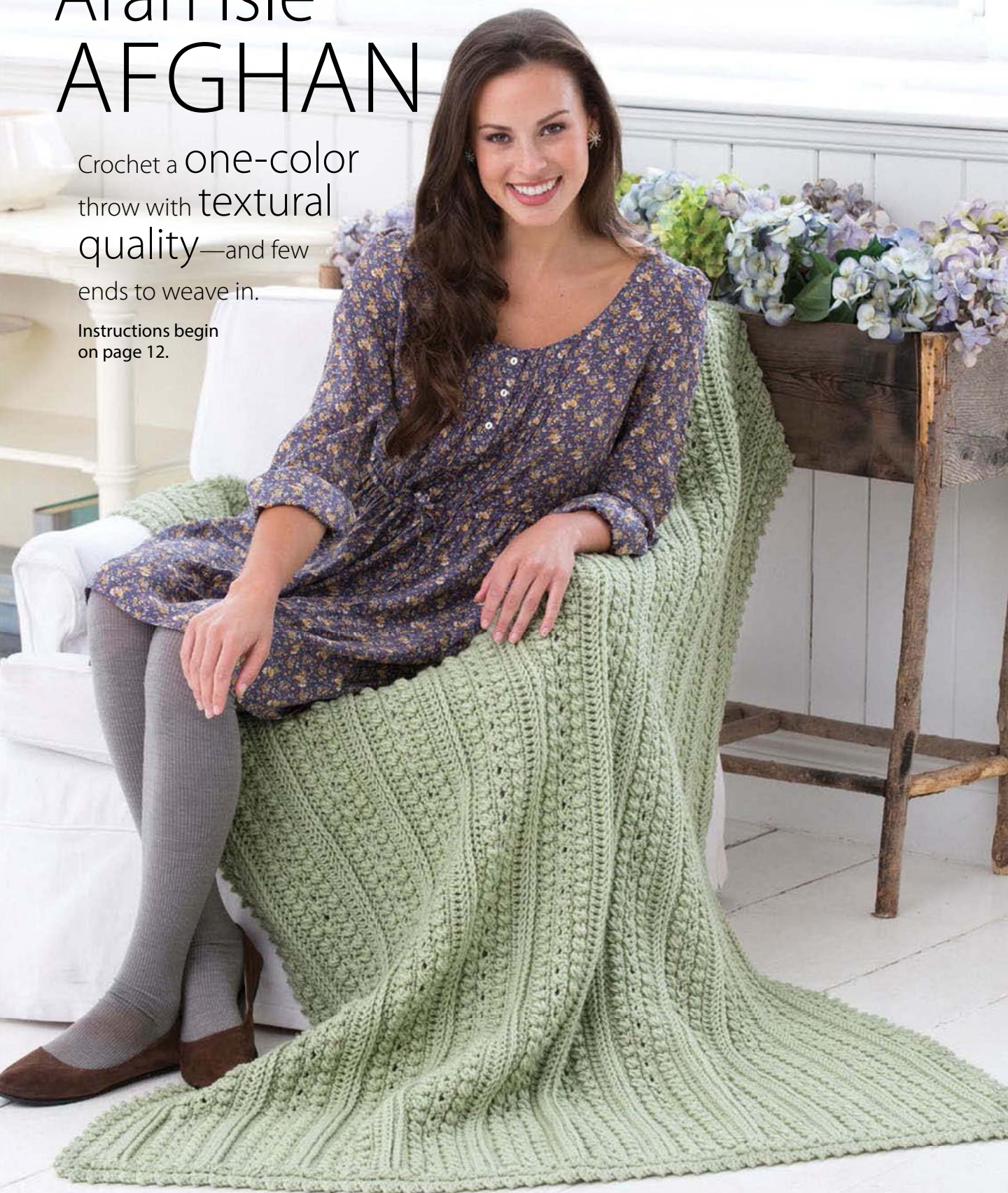
Crochet alternating stripes
of bright multi yarn and loopy chenille.

Instructions begin on page 11.

Aran Isle AFGHAN

Crochet a one-color
throw with textural
quality—and few
ends to weave in.

Instructions begin
on page 12.



Wedding CAPELET & FASCINATOR



Crochet lovely
accessories
to add a
personal
touch for
the bride.

Instructions begin
on page 13.

Instructions

All projects can be completed using basic crochet skills unless intermediate skills are indicated.

We have made every effort to ensure the instructions are accurate and complete.

If you have questions regarding a pattern in this issue, please let us know at stephaniqec@gmail.com.



Ebb Tide Shawl

SIZE 18" x 48" (45.5 x 122 cm)

GAUGE 9 dc + 8 ch-sp = 4" (10 cm).

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

NOTE Shawl is worked back and forth in one piece.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: 1 ball of #204 Healing Teal
- ☐ Crochet hook*: J-10 (6 mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle*

**Lion Brand® Shawl in a Ball® yarn and tools were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 79.

Row 1: Dc in 5th ch from hook (counts as first dc and first ch 1), *ch 1, sk 1 ch, dc in next st; rep across—39 dc + 38 ch-sps.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as first dc and ch 1), turn, *dc in next dc, ch 1; rep from * across to ch-4 sp, dc in turning ch.

Rep Row 2 until piece measures about 48" (122 cm) from beg, or until almost all yarn has been used.

Fasten off.

Finishing

To block shawl, dampen Shawl thoroughly. Spread a towel onto a flat surface. Lay Shawl on towel and smooth into shape. Gently shape Shawl to match finished

measurements. Use blocking wires if desired to further shape Shawl. Allow to air dry. Weave in ends. Ω

Design provided by
Lion Brand® Yarn



Baby Flower Shrug & Headband

SIZE Directions are for size 6 months. Changes for larger sizes are in parentheses.

Shrug Chest: 20 (22, 24, 26)" (51 [56, 61, 66] cm)

Headband: 16" (40.5 cm) in circumference. Stretches to 17"-18" (40.5-45.5 cm)

GAUGE

18 dc and 10 rows = 4" (10 cm).

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

fan: (dc, [ch 1, dc] 4 times) in same st or space.

tr2tog: *Yarn over (twice) insert hook in next st, draw up a loop, [yarn over, draw yarn through 2 loops on hook] twice; repeat from * once, yarn over, draw yarn through 3 loops on hook.

NOTE Shrug is made from the top down in one piece.

MATERIALS

The shrug and headband are shown in 3 color-ways.

- ☐ Yarn*: Color-way #1: 1 ball each of #261 Tangerine (A), #764

Taffy (B), and #100 White (C)
Color-way #2: 1 ball each of #764 Taffy (A), #556 Jam (B), and #100 White (C)

Color-way #3: 1 ball each of #691 Grass (A), #226 Bumble (B), and #100 White (C)

- ☐ Crochet hook*: G-6 (4.25 mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle
- ☐ One ½" (13 mm) button

**Red Heart® Anne Geddes Baby™ yarn and Susan Bates® hook were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

SHRUG

Yoke

Starting at neck edge, with A, ch 50.

Row 1: Dc into 4th ch from hook, *2 dc in next ch, dc in next 3 ch; repeat from * across to last 2 ch, 2 dc in next ch, dc in last ch; turn—60 dc.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout), dc in next dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 4 dc; repeat from * across to last 3 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 2 dc; turn—72 dc.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in next 2 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 5 dc; repeat from * across to last 3 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 2 dc; turn—84 dc.

Row 4: Ch 3, dc in next 2 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 6 dc; repeat from * across to last 4 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 3 dc; turn—96 dc.

Row 5: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 7 dc; repeat from * across to last 4 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 3 dc; turn—108 dc.

Row 6: Ch 3, dc in next 3dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 8 dc; repeat from

* across to last 5 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 4 dc; turn—120 dc.

Row 7: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 9 dc; repeat from * across to last 6 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 5 dc; turn—132 dc.

Sizes 9, 12, and 18 Months Only

Row 8: Ch 3, dc in next 4 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 10 dc; repeat from * across to last 6 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 5 dc; turn—144 dc.

Sizes 12 and 18 Months Only

Row 9: Ch 3, dc in next 4 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 11 dc; repeat from * across to last 7 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 6 dc; turn—156 dc.

Size 18 Months Only

Row 10: Ch 3, dc in next 5 dc, *2 dc in next dc, dc in next 12 dc; repeat from * across to last 7 sts, 2 dc in next dc, dc in last 6 dc; turn—168 dc.

Divide for Fronts, Back, and Sleeves

Row 8 (9, 10, 11): Ch 1, dc in next 17 (19, 22, 24) dc, ch 6 (8, 8, 10) for underarm, skip next 30 (32, 32, 34) dc for sleeve, dc in next 36 (40, 46, 50) dc for back, ch 6 (8, 8, 10) for underarm, skip next 30 (32, 32, 34) dc for sleeve, dc in last 18 (20, 23, 25) dc; turn—84 (96, 108, 120) sts.

Skirt

Row 1: Ch 3, skip first 2 dc, fan in next dc, *skip next 5 dc, fan in next dc; repeat from * across to last 3 dc, skip next 2 dc, dc in top of turning ch; turn—14 (16, 18, 20) fans.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, *(sc, ch 3) in next 3 ch-1 spaces, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, sc in top of turning ch; turn—42 (48, 54, 60) ch-3 spaces.

Row 3: Ch 3, skip next ch-3 space, *fan in next ch-3 space**, skip next 2 ch-3 spaces; repeat from * across, ending last repeat at **, skip next ch-3 space, dc in last sc; turn.

Repeat Rows 2-3 until skirt measures 4 (4, 5, 5)" (10 [10, 12.5, 12.5] cm) from beginning, ending with Row 2 of pattern. Fasten off A, join C.

Last Row: With C, repeat Skirt Row 3. Fasten off C.

Sleeve Edging

Row 1: With right side facing and, join C in first (2nd, 2nd, 4th) dc of skipped sleeve sts on either sleeve opening, work Skirt Row 1 across dc section of sleeve—5 fans. Fasten off C. Repeat Sleeve Edging across other Sleeve opening

Collar

With B, ch 63.

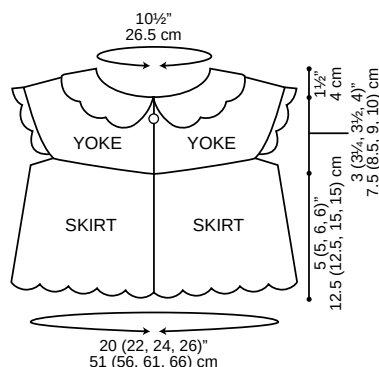
Row 1: Fan in 6th ch from hook, *skip next 5 ch, fan in next ch; repeat from * across to last 3 ch, skip next 2 chs, dc in last ch; turn—10 fans.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, *(sc, ch 3) in next 3 ch-1 spaces, sc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * across, sc in top of turning ch; turn—30 ch-3 spaces. Fasten off B, join C.

Row 3: With C, repeat Skirt Row 3. Fasten off C.

With right sides facing up, lay collar on top of neckline. Pin in place. With B, slip st collar to neck edge. Fasten off B.

Sew button to left front edge where desired. For buttonhole, use space between sts on right front.



HEADBAND

With A, ch 9.

Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each ch across, turn—7 sts.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), skip first st, dc in each dc across, turn—7 dc.

Repeat row 2 until headband measures 16" (40.5 cm) from beginning or 1 1/2" (4 cm) less than head circumference.

Without twisting headband, hold both ends together, slip st last row to foundation ch, matching sts.

Flower

With B, make an adjustable ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, 12 sc in ring; join with a slip st in first sc—12 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in first sc, 2 dc in each sc around; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3. Fasten off B, leaving a 12" (30.5 cm) sewing length—24 dc. Join C.

Rnd 3: With C, *ch 4, tr2tog over next 2 sts, ch 4, slip st in next 2 dc; rep from * around. Fasten off C.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Sew flower to headband over seam. □

Design by Lorna Misse
for Red Heart® Yarn



Color Block Top

SIZES Instructions are written for

smallest size. Needed changes for larger sizes are in parentheses (). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

To fit bust measurement

Extra-Small/Small – 28-34" (71-86.5 cm)

Medium – 36-38" (91.5-96.5 cm)

Large – 40-42" (101.5-106.5 cm)

Extra-Large – 44-46" (112-117 cm)

2/3 X-Large – 48-54" (122-137 cm)

4/5 X-Large – 56-62" (142-157.5 cm)

Finished bust measurement

Extra-Small/Small – 36" (91.5 cm)
Medium – 40" (101.5 cm)
Large – 44" (112 cm)
Extra-Large – 48" (122 cm)
2/3 X-Large – 56" (142 cm)
4/5 X-Large – 64" (162.5 cm)

GAUGE

18 dc and 10 rows = 4" (10 cm)
Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

MATERIALS

□ Yarn*:

#62027 Ginger (A) – XS/S or M,
4 balls; L or XL, 5 balls; 2/3XL
or 4/5XL, 6 balls

#62205 Aquifer (B) – XS/S or M,
4 balls; L or XL, 5 balls; 2/3XL
or 4/5XL, 6 balls

□ Crochet hook: H-8 (5 mm)

**Spinrite® Patons® Grace™ yarn was used for this project*

INSTRUCTIONS

Back

**With A, ch 84 (92-102-110-128-146).

Row 1 (RS): 1 dc in 4th ch from hook. 1 dc in each ch to end of chain—82 (90-100-108-126-144) dc. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn. Repeat (rep) last row until work from beginning (beg) measures approx 13 (13½-14-14½-15)" [33(34.5-35.5-35.5-37-38) cm], ending on a wrong side (WS) row. Fasten off.

Shape Sleeves

Row 1: With B, ch 9. Working across last row of Back with RS facing, 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Ch 11. Turn.

Row 2: 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (skipped ch-3 counts as dc). 1 dc in each ch and dc to end of row—100 (108-118-126-144-162) dc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn.** Rep last row until work from beg measures 23 (24-25-25-26-27)" [58.5 (61-63.5-63.5-66-68.5) cm] from beg. Fasten off.

Front

Work from ** to ** as given for Back. Rep last row until work from beg measures approx 21 (22-23-23-24-25)" [53.5 (56-58.5-58.5-61-63.5) cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape Neck: left side

Row 1 (RS): Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 33 (37-39-43-51-59) dc. [Yarn over hook (yoh) and draw up a loop in next stitch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook] twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook. Double crochet 2 together (Dc2tog) made. Turn. Leave remaining stitches (sts) unworked.

Row 2: Ch 3. 1 dc in next dc (counts as dc2tog). 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn.

Rep 1st and 2nd row once more, then 1st row once—30 (34-36-40-58-56) dc. Fasten off.

Right Side

With RS facing, skip next 28 (28-34-34-36-38) sts. Join B with slip stitch (sl st) to next dc.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 3. 1 dc in next dc (counts as dc2tog). 1 dc in each dc to end of row—34 (38-40-44-52-60) dc. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each dc to last 2 sts. Dc2tog. Turn. Rep last 2 rows once more, then 1st row once. 30 (34-36-40-58-56) dc. Fasten off.

Finishing

Sew shoulder and side seams.

Neck edging

With RS facing, join B with sl st to left shoulder seam at neck edge. Ch 1. Work single crochet (sc) evenly around neck edge. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off. Ω

Design provided by
Spinrite® Yarn



Posh Pillow

SIZE

Pillow measures
16" (40.5 cm) square.

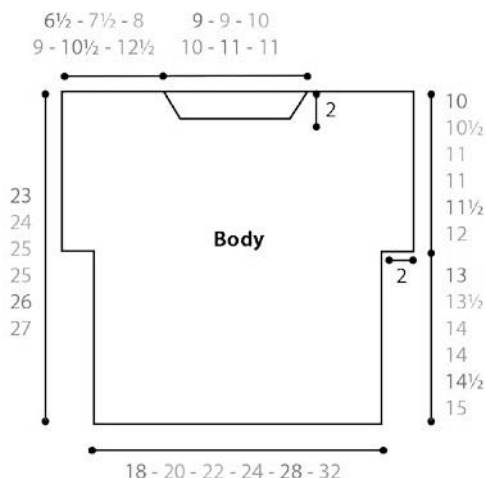
GAUGE

9 sts = 4" (10 cm); 8 rows = 4" (10 cm) in pattern with A.

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

NOTES

- Hold two strands of A together throughout.
- Working with B:
 - The yarn has a strand of chenille and a strand of thread. Treat the yarn as one strand.
 - Work with a slightly looser tension than with A.
 - Begin each wrong side row with a plain section of yarn, not at a cluster of loops. If necessary, cut off first cluster before joining yarn at end of previous row.



› When you reach a cluster, do not work into it or pull through a loop; instead, guide it to right side of fabric and continue to crochet with the plain sections of the strand.

• To change yarn at the end of a row or round, work last stitch of old yarn to last yarn over. Yarn over with new yarn and draw through all loops on hook to complete stitch. Proceed with new yarn. Cut old yarn.

• Catch yarn tails behind the stitching of the next row to minimize weaving in ends.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: 3 balls of #620 Cherry Gumdrops (A)
1 ball of #9764 Watermelon Lolli (B)
- ☐ Crochet hook: L-121 (8mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle
- ☐ 2 stitch markers
- ☐ Four 1½" (38 mm) buttons
- ☐ 16" (40.5 cm) square pillow form
- ☐ Optional: sewing needle and matching thread

**Red Heart® Gumdrops® and Lolli™ yarn and Susan Bates® hook were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

With 2 strands of A held together, ch 37.

Row 1 (RS): Hdc in 3rd ch from hook (beginning ch counts as first hdc) and in each ch across, turn—36 hdc.

Rows 2–5: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout), hdc in each st across; change to B at end of Row 5, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, loosely sc in each st across; change to A, turn—36 sc.

Rows 7–9: Repeat Row 2 three times; change to B at end of Row 9.

Row 10: Repeat Row 6.

Rows 11–15: Repeat Row 2 five times; change to B at end of Row 15.

Rows 16–65: Repeat Rows 6–15 five times.

Flap

Row 66: Repeat Row 6.

Note: Place a stitch marker at each end of row for assembly.

Rows 67 and 68: Repeat Row 2 twice.

Row 69 (buttonhole row): Ch 2, hdc in first 6 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 sts (for buttonhole), hdc in next 5 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 sts, hdc in next 6 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 sts, hdc in next 5 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 sts, hdc in remaining sts, turn—28 hdc and 4 ch-2 spaces (for buttonholes).

Row 70: Ch 2, *hdc in each st to next ch-2 space, hdc in next 2 ch; repeat from * 3 times, hdc in remaining sts—36 hdc. Fasten off.

Fold cover at Row 33 so that Row 1 is aligned with marked row and all B rows match. Pin sides together. Hold cover with wrong side of flap facing and to your left.

Row 71: Working through both thicknesses and across ends of rows between first 2 sts, join B with sc in first row at bottom of cover, sc evenly spaced across ends of rows and flap to last row, 3 sc in first st, sc in each st to last st, 3 sc in last st, working across ends of rows, sc evenly spaced across other end of flap and ends of rows through both thicknesses and between first 2 sts. Fasten off.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Insert pillow form, fold flap over and mark placement for buttons under each buttonhole. Sew buttons with yarn needle and 1 strand of A or sewing needle and matching thread. Ω

Design by Randy Cavaliere for Red Heart® Yarn



Aran Isle Throw

SKILL

Intermediate

SIZE Throw measures 48" x 63" (121.9 x 160 cm)

GAUGE

12 sts = 4"; 10 rows = 43/8" in pattern with larger hook. Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

BPDC (back post double crochet): Yarn over, insert hook from back to front to back around the post of stitch indicated and draw up a loop, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops] twice.

FPDC (front post double crochet): Yarn over, insert hook from front to back to front around the post of stitch indicated and draw up a loop, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops] twice.

MB (make bobble): [yarn over and draw up a loop] 3 times all in stitch indicated, yarn over and draw through all 7 loops on hook.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: 7 skeins of #661 Frosty Green
- ☐ Crochet hooks*: J-10 (6mm) and I-9 (5.5mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle

**Red Heart® Super Saver® yarn and Susan Bates® hooks were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

Beginning at side edge (afghan is worked side to side) with larger hook, ch 181.

Row 1 (WS): Dc in 4th ch from hook and in each ch across; turn—

179 sts.

Row 2 (RS): Ch 2 (counts as first st), skip first dc, * BPDC around next st; repeat from * across; turn.

Row 3: Ch 2, skip first st, * FPDC around next st; repeat from * across; turn.

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

Row 5 (Bobble Row): Ch 1, sc in first sc, * MB in next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from * across; turn.

Row 6: Repeat Row 4.

Row 7: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), skip first sc, * skip next sc, dc in next 2 sc, dc into skipped sc working around the last 2 dc (this dc encloses the last 2 dc); repeat from * to last sc; dc in last sc; turn.

Rows 8-10: Repeat Rows 4-6.

Row 11: Ch 3, skip first sc, dc in next sc and in each sc across; turn. Work Rows 2-11 a total of 10 times. Work Rows 2-3 once more. Do not fasten off. Change to smaller hook.

Edging

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1, work sc evenly around all 4 sides of afghan and work 3 sc in each corner; join with a slip st in first sc; turn.

Rnd 2 (WS): Ch 1, work as for Row 5-Bobble Row, working 3 sts in each corner and adjusting at end of round as necessary; join; turn.

Rnd 3 (RS): Ch 1, sc in each st around and work 3 sc in each corner as before; join; do NOT turn.

Rnd 4 (RS): * Ch 3, skip 1 sc, slip st in next sc; repeat from * around; turn.

Rnd 5-Picot Round (WS): Ch 1, * (sc, ch 2, slip st into 2nd ch from hook, sc) all in ch-3 space; repeat from * around; join. Fasten off.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Ω

Design by Michele Maks
for Red Heart® Yarn



Wedding Capelet

SIZE: 14" x 40" (35.5 x 101.5 cm)

GAUGE

1 Motif = 6" (15 cm) across.

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct size.

STITCH

rev sc (reverse single crochet):

Single crochet worked from left to right (right to left, if left-handed). Insert hook into next stitch to the right (left), under loop on hook, and draw up a loop. Yarn over and draw through all loops on hook.

NOTES

- See stitch diagram on page 14 to make the Motifs.
- 12 Full Motifs and 5 Half Motifs are worked separately and are sewn together following the diagram.
- Edging is worked around the outside edge of Capelet.
- Rhinestone beads are sewn onto Capelet with sewing needle and thread.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: 3 balls of #100 Diamond
- ☐ Crochet hook*: G-6 (4.25 mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle*
- ☐ 6 rhinestone beads, 1/2" (13 mm) in diameter
- ☐ 17 rhinestone beads, 3/4" (19 mm) in diameter
- ☐ Sewing needle and thread

**LION BRAND® Vanna's Glamour® yarn and tools were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

Full Motif (make 12)

Ch 8; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1, work 12 sc in ring; join with a sl st in first sc.

Spoke 1

Row 1 (RS): Ch 12, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 sc in each of next 9 ch, sc in last ch, sl st in next sc of Rnd 1 – you will have 20 sc in Spoke 1 at the end of this row.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, working through back loops only, sc in each st to end.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, working through back loops only, sc in first 4 sc, (ch 3, sc in next 4 sc) 4 times, sl st in next sc of Rnd 1.

Spokes 2-5

Ch 11, sl st in 2nd ch-3 sp (from center) of previous Spoke.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1, turn, sk sl st, sc in first ch, 2 sc in each of next 9 ch, sc in next ch, sl st in next sc of Rnd 1.

Rows 2 and 3: Work same as Rows 2 and 3 of Spoke 1.

Spoke 6

Ch 11, sl st in 2nd ch-3 sp (from center) of previous Spoke.

Rows 1 and 2: Work same as Rows 1 and 2 of Spoke 2.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, working through back loops only, sc in first 4 sc, (ch 3, sc in next 4 sc) twice, ch 1, sl st in tip of Spoke 1, ch 1, sc in next 4 sc, ch 3, sc in last 4 sc, sl st in first sc of Rnd 1. Fasten off.

Half Motif (make 5)

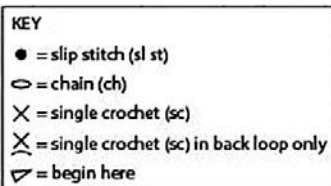
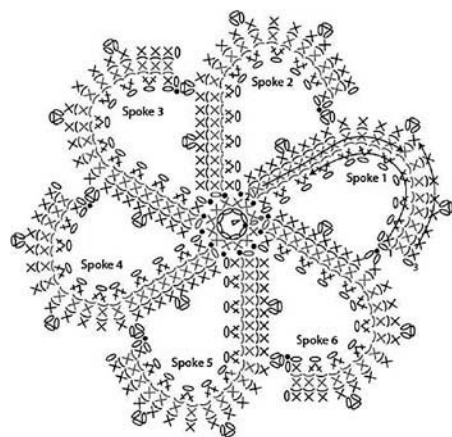
Work same as Full Motif through Spoke 3. At the end of Spoke 3, sl st in next sc of Rnd 1, then sl st in tip of Spoke 1. Fasten off.

Finishing

Following the diagram on page 14, arrange Motifs onto a flat surface. With yarn threaded into blunt needle sew the Motifs together wherever the edges touch.

Edging

Rnd 1 (RS): From RS, join yarn



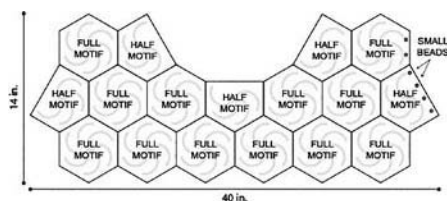
with an sc in tip of any Spoke, *sc in each st and 2 sc in each ch-3 sp to next Spoke, ch 4, sc in tip of next Spoke; rep from * around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each st and 5 sc in each ch-4 sp around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnds 3-5: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, rev sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

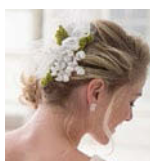
Weave in ends.



Beading

With sewing needle and thread, sew 1 large bead in the center of each Motif and, following diagram, sew 6 small beads along right edge of Capelet. Use the small beads as buttons, buttoning them into the spaces between sts as desired. Ω

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Wedding Fascinator

SIZE 6" (15 cm) across

GAUGE Exact gauge is not essential to this project.

NOTES

- Flowers and Leaves are crocheted and then glued to comb.
- Corkscrew Flowers are worked in joined rnds with RS always facing. Do not turn at beg of rnds.
- Use only the green color from the B yarn package.

MATERIALS

- Yarn*: 1 ball of #100 Diamond Glamour (A)
1 package of #660 Celebrate Bonbons (B)
- Crochet hook*: F-5 (3.75 mm)
- Large-eyed blunt needle*
- One gray glass bead, 3/8" (1 cm) in diameter
- One silver rhinestone bead, 3/4" (2 cm) in diameter
- Sewing needle and thread
- Hair comb
- 5 yds (4.5 m) of 3" (7.5 cm) wide glitter tulle

*Lion Brand® Vanna's Glamour® and Bonbons® yarn and tools were used for this project.

INSTRUCTIONS

SMALL CORKSCREW FLOWER

With A, ch 8.

Join with a sl st in first ch to make a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1, work 12 sc in ring; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: *Ch 12, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 sc in each of next 10 ch, sl st in next sc of Rnd 1, sc in next sc of Rnd 1; rep from * to last sc, ch 12, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 sc in each of next 10 ch, sl st in last sc—6 petals.

Fasten off.

LARGE CORKSCREW FLOWER

With A, ch 10.

Join with a sl st in first ch to make a ring.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1, work 16 sc in ring; join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: *Ch 16, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 sc in each of next 14 ch, sl st in next sc of Rnd 1, sc in next sc of Rnd 1; rep from * to last sc, ch 16, sc in 2nd ch from hook, 2 sc in each of next 14 ch, sl st in last sc—8 petals. Fasten off.

ROSEBUD

With A, ch 5.

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across—4 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, 3 sc in each st across—12 sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, 2 sc in each st across—24 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, *sc in each of next 4 sts, ch 3; rep from * to last 4 sts, sc in each of last 4 sts. Fasten off.

Coil the piece into a spiral rosebud. Sew a few sts through the base to secure. With sewing needle and thread, sew gray glass bead to center of flower.

LEAVES (make 3)

With pea green from B yarn package, ch 10.

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 7 ch, work 3 sc in last ch; turn to work along opposite side of foundation ch and sc in each of next 8—19 sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, sc in each of first 9 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 9 sts—21 sts.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, sc in each of first 10 sts, 3 sc in next st,

sc in each of next 10 sts—23 sts.
Row 4: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, sc in each of first 11 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 11 sts—25 sts. Fasten off.

Finishing

Weave in ends.

Wrap flat top edge of comb with tulle, pulling up loops of tulle between the teeth of the comb. With sewing needle and thread, sew Leaves to comb.

Layer Corkscrew Flowers, with smaller on top. With sewing needle and thread, sew rhinestone bead to center of layered Flowers. Sew Flowers to comb. Sew Rosebud to comb. Ω

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 Lion Brand® Yarn



Basketweave Dishcloth

TECHNIQUES Knit & Crochet

SIZE 9" x 9"

GAUGE 18 sts x 24 rows = 4" in Basketweave pattern.

Check your gauge. Change needle or hook size to obtain correct gauge

STITCHES

S2-k-*psso*: Slip 2 sts together knit-wise, k1, pass 2 slip sts over.

Basketweave (mult 6 sts + 7):

Rows 1 & 3 (RS): K2, *p3, k3; rep from * to last 5 sts, p3, k2.

Rows 2 & 4: K2, * k3, p3; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

Row 5: K2, * k3, yo, s2-k-*psso*, yo; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

Rows 6, 8, 10: K2, * p3, k3; rep

from * to last 5 sts, p3, k2.

Rows 7 & 9: K2, * k3, p3; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

Row 11: K2, * yo, s2-k-*psso*, yo, k3; rep from * to last 5 sts, yo, s2-k-*psso*, yo, k2.

Rows 12, 14, 16: K2, * k3, p3; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

Rows 13 & 15: K2, *p3, k3; rep from * to last 5 sts, p3, k2. Rep Rows 5-16 for patt.

MATERIALS

□ Yarn*: 1 ball of #38-10
 Lavendear

□ Knitting needle: 8 (5 mm)

□ Crochet hook: G-6 (4mm)

□ Large-eyed blunt needle

*Premier Yarns® Home Cotton yarn® was used for this project.

INSTRUCTIONS©Premier

Cast on 37 sts.

Rows 1-3: Knit.

Row 4: Work Row 1 of Basketweave patt.

Continue in patt until Washcloth meas 8.5" ending with Row 14.

Knit 4 rows. Bind off all sts.

Crochet Edging

With crochet hook, attach yarn at top right corner. *3 sc into corner, sc approximately 24 sts across one side* four times. Sl st in 1st sc. Fasten off.

Optional hanger: On one corner, 2 sc sts into corner, ch 15, sc.

Weave in ends. Ω

Design provided by
 Premier Yarns®



Butterflies Dishcloth

SIZE 9" x 9"

GAUGE

At the end of Rnd 2, Motif measures 2¾" across.

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

MATERIALS

□ Yarn*: 1 ball of #38-01 White (A)
 1 ball of #38-13 Pastel Blue (B)

□ Crochet hook: G-6 (4mm)

□ Large-eyed blunt needle

*Premier Yarns® Home Cotton® yarn was used for this project.

INSTRUCTIONS

With A, ch 4, sl st to join in a ring.

Rnd 1: With A, ch 3, 15 dc in ring, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-3—16 dc.

Rnd 2: With A, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same st, [dc in each of next 3 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next dc] 3 times, 1 dc in each of next 3 dc, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, fasten off—4 ch-2 sps.

Rnd 3: With B, join in ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, [ch 6, sk next 7 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp] 3 times, ch 6, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-3—4 ch-6 sps.

Rnd 4: With B, sl st to ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, [dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 6, sk ch-6 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc, (2dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp] 3 times, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 6, dc in each of next 2 dc, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-3—4 ch-6 sps.

Rnd 5: With B, sl st to ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, [dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 3, tr into the 4th sk'd dc of Rnd 2 catching both ch-6 loops, ch 3, dc in each of next 4 dc, (2dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp] 3 times, dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 3, tr into the 4th sk'd dc of Rnd 2 catching both ch-6 loops, ch 3, dc in each of next 4 dc, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-3—8 ch-3 sps.

Rnd 6: With B, sl st to ch-2 sp, ch 1, [(sc, ch 2, sc) in same sp, sc in each of next 6 dc, 3 sc in ch-3 sp, sc in tr, 3 sc in ch-3sp, sc in each of next 6 dc] 4 times, join with a sl st to 1st sc, fasten off.

Rnd 7: With A, join in ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, [ch 6, sk 7 sc, dc in each of next 7 sc, ch 6,

sk 7 sc, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp] 3 times, ch 6, sk 7 sc, dc in each of next 7 sc, ch 6, sk 7 sc, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3—8 ch-6 sps.

Rnd 8: With A, sl st to ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, [dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 6, sk ch-6 sp, dc in each of next 7 dc, ch 6, sk ch-6 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp] 3 times, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 6, sk ch-6 sp, dc in each of next 7 dc, ch 6, sk ch-6 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3—8 ch-6 sps.

Rnd 9: With A, sl st to ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, [dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 3, tr into the 4th sk'd dc of Rnd 2 catching both ch-6 loops, ch 3, dc in each of next 7 dc, ch 3, tr into the 4th sk'd dc of Rnd 2 catching both ch-6 loops, ch 3, dc in each of next 4 dc, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp] 3 times, dc in each of next 4 dc, ch 3, tr into the 4th sk'd dc of Rnd 2, catching both ch-6 loops, ch 3, dc in each of next 7 dc, ch 3, tr into the 4th sk'd dc of Rnd 2 catching both ch-6 loops, ch 3, dc in each of next 4 dc, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3, fasten off—16 ch-3 sps.

Rnd 10: With B, join in ch-2 sp, (sc, ch 15, sc) in same sp, sc around working 1 sc into each st, 3 sc in each sp, join with a sl st to 1st sc, fasten off.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Block.

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Flower Dishcloth

SIZE 9" x 9"

GAUGE

At the end of Rnd 5, Motif

measures 3½" x 3½".

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain the correct gauge.

MATERIALS

- Yarn* (1 ball each): #38-10 Lavender (A)
#38-08 Pastel Pink (B)
#38-13 Pastel Blue (C)
- Crochet hook: G-6 (4mm)
- Large-eyed blunt needle

*Premier Yarns® Home Cotton® yarn was used for this project.

INSTRUCTIONS

With A, ch 4, sl st to join in a ring.

Rnd 1: With A, ch 4, [dc, ch 1] 7 times in ring, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-4, fasten off—8 ch-1 sps.

Rnd 2: With B, join in ch-1 sp, ch 2, (dc, tr, dc, hdc) in same sp, [hdc, dc, tr, dc, hdc] each each ch-1 sp around, join with a sl st in 2nd ch of beg ch-2—8 petals.

Rnd 3: With B, ch 1, [2 sc in each of next 4 sts, sl st in next st] around, join with a sl st to 1st sc, fasten off.

Rnd 4: With A, working behind the sts of Rnds 2 & 3, join in any dc of Rnd 1, ch 1, sc in same st, [ch 5, sc in next dc of Rnd 1] 7 times, ch 5, sl st to join in 1st sc—8 ch-5 sps.

Rnd 5: With A, sl st in next ch-5 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, [ch 2, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 2, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next ch-5 sp] 3 times, ch 2, sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 2, sl st to join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, fasten off—4 ch-3 corner sps.

Rnd 6: With C, join in any ch-3 corner sp, ch 3 (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, [(ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, ch 2, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in ch-3 sp] 3 times, (ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, ch 2, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 7: With C, sl st to corner sp, ch 3 (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, [(ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 3 ch-2

sps, ch 2, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in ch-3 sp] 3 times, (ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 3 ch-2 sps, ch 2, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 8: With C, sl st to corner sp, ch 3 (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, [(ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 4 ch-2 sps, ch 2, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in ch-3 sp] 3 times, (ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 4 ch-2 sps, ch 2, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 9: With C, sl st to corner sp, ch 3 (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp, [(ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 5 ch-2 sps, ch 2, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in ch-3 sp] 3 times, (ch 2, 2 dc) in each of next 5 ch-2 sps, ch 2, join with a sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 10: With A, join in any ch-3 corner sp, ch 1, (2 sc, ch 15, 2 sc) in same sp, sc around working 1 sc in each dc, 2 sc in each ch-2 sp, and 3 sc in each ch-3 sp, join with a sl st to 1st sc, fasten off.

Finishing

Weave in ends. Block. Ω

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Premier Yarns®



Miters Dishcloth

TECHNIQUES Knit and crochet

SIZE 10" x 10"

GAUGE 16 sts x 30 rows = 4" in garter st.

Check your gauge. Change needle or hook size to obtain correct gauge.

STITCHES

S2-k-ssso: Slip 2 sts together knit-wise, k1, pass 2 slip sts over.

Mitered Square (mult of 4 + 1):

Mark center stitch with removable stitch marker.

Row 1 (WS): With A, knit to marked st, p1, k to end.

Row 2 (RS): With B, k to 1 before marked st, s2-k-psy, k to end—2 sts dec'd.

Row 3: With B, k to marked st, sl 1 wyif, k to end.

Row 4: With A, k to 1 before marked st, s2-k-psy, k to end—2 sts dec'd.

Row 5: With A, k to marked st, sl 1 wyif, k to end.

Rep Rows 2-5 until 5 sts rem, rep Rows 2-3 once more.

Next Row: With A, s2-k-psy. Cut A and thread through remaining st.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn* (1 ball each): #38-08 Pastel Pink (A)
#38-01 White (B)
- ☐ Knitting needle: 8 (5 mm)
- ☐ Crochet hook: G-6 (4mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle
- ☐ Removable stitch marker

**Premier Yarns® Home Cotton® yarn was used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS3, All

Inward Square (make 2)

With A, cast on 37 sts.

Work Mitered Square.

Outward Square (make 2)

With A, pick up & knit 18 sts along side of Inward Square, starting at cast-on edge, align the last st of both Inward Squares and pick up & knit 1 st through both center sts together, pick up & knit 18 sts along the side of the 2nd Inward Square ending at the cast-on edge—37 sts.

Work Mitered Square.

Finishing

With crochet hook and A, attach yarn at the end of the last Mitered Square. 3 sc into corner, sc along top edge working 1 sc into each ridge along the side of the Mitered

Square and 1 sc into every cast-on st, 2 sc into corner, ch 15, 1 more sc into corner, work along the remaining 3 sides working 1 sc into every cast-on st, 1 sc into each ridge, and 3 sc into each corner, fasten off.

Weave in ends. Ω

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Premier Yarns®



Striped Day Bag

SIZE 8 ½" x 11" (22 x 28 cm), not including handles

GAUGE 22 sts + 16 rows = 4" (10 cm) in pattern.

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

STITCHES

cross-hdc (crossed hdc): Skip next st, hdc in next st, hdc in skipped st.
rev sc (reverse single crochet): Single crochet worked from left to right (right to left, if left-handed). Insert hook into next stitch to the right (left), under loop on hook, and draw up a loop. Yarn over, draw through all loops on hook.

STRIPE SEQUENCE

*Work 2 rnds with A,**2 rnds with B, 2 rnds with C, 2 rnds with D, 2 rnds with E, 2 rnds with F, 2 rnds with G, 2 rnds with H; rep from * 2 times total, then rep from ** once more for Stripe Sequence.

NOTES

- Bag is worked in joined rnds beg at base.
- After base is complete, color is changed every other rnd following Stripe Sequence.
- To change color, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to

complete st. Continue with new color. Fasten off old color.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: 2 packages of #640 Nature, which includes the following colors:
Chocolate Brown (A), Tan (B), Green (C), Lightest Yellow (D), Cream (E), Dusty, Rose (F), Palest Lavender (G), Purple (H)
- ☐ Crochet hook*: F-5 (3.75 mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle*

**Lion Brand® Bonbons® yarn and tools were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

BAG

Base

Note: Do not turn at beg of rnds while working Base.

With A, ch 44.

Rnd 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch to last ch, 3 sc in last ch; working across opposite side of foundation ch, sc in next 41 ch, 2 sc in last ch (at base of first sc made); join with sl st in first sc—88 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as joining, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in each of next 3 sts, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in each of last 2 sts; join with sl st in first sc—94 sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 4 sts; join with sl st in first sc—98 sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts; join with sl st in first sc—102 sc.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 41 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 8 sts; join with sl st in first sc—106 sc.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st as joining and in next 47 sts, 2 sc in

next st, sc in next 52 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in last 4 sts; join with sl st in first sc— 108 sc.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, working in back loops only, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc.

Sides

Note: Turn at beg of rnds while working Sides.

Rnd 8 (WS) Ch 2 (counts as hdc in this rnd and in all following rnds, serves as first part of last cross-hdc), turn, sk first st, *cross-hdc; rep from * to last st, sk last st (same st as joining of previous rnd), hdc in st skipped at beg of rnd (last cross-hdc completed); join with sl st in top of beg ch—54 cross-hdc.

Change to B.

Rnd 9: With B, ch 1, turn, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first ch.

Rnd 10: With B, ch 2, turn, sk first st, *cross-hdc; rep from * to last st, sk last st, hdc in st skipped at beg of rnd; join with sl st in top of beg ch.

Rnds 11-20: Rep last 2 rnds and continue to change color as in Stripe Sequence. **Note:** The last 2 rnds you work should be worked with G.

Change to H.

Rnd 21 (Increase Rnd): With H, ch 1, turn, 2 sc in first st, sc in next 42 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 42 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts; join with sl st in first sc—112 sts.

Rnd 22: With H, rep Rnd 10—56 cross-hdc.

Rnds 23-30: Rep Rnds 9 and 10 and continue to change color following Stripe Sequence. Change to E.

Rnd 31 (Increase Rnd): With E, ch 1, turn, 2 sc in first st, sc in next 44 sts, 2 sc next st, sc in next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 44 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 10 sts; join with sl st in first sc— 116 sts.

Rnd 32: With E, rep Rnd 10—58 cross-hdc.

Rnds 33-38: Rep Rnds 9 and 10 and continue to change color following Stripe Sequence. Change to B. **Note:** Color A is skipped in this rep of the Stripe Sequence.

Rnd 39 (Increase Rnd): With B, ch 1, turn, 2 sc in first st, sc in next 44 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 44 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next 12 sts; join with sl st in first sc—120 sts.

Rnd 40: With B, rep Rnd 10—60 cross-hdc. Change to C.

Rnds 41 and 42: With C, rep Rnds 9 and 10.

Change to D.

Top

Note: When Bag is complete, top edge will be folded over. Accordingly, the RS (outside) of the top edge is the WS (inside) of Bag.

Rnd 43 (RS of top of Bag): With D, ch 1, do not turn, sc in each st around; join with sl st in first ch.

Note: For Rnds 44-54, turn at the end of each rnd.

Rnd 44: With D, rep Rnd 10.

Rnds 45-54: Rep Rnds 9 and 10 and continue to change color following Stripe Sequence. At the end of Rnd 54, do not change color.

Bag Edging

Rnd 55 (RS of top of Bag): With H, work rev sc in each st around; join with sl st in first ch. Fasten off.

HANDLES (make 2)
With E, ch 105.

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across—104 sts. Change to F.

Row 2: With F, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Change to G.

Row 3: With G, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Change to H.

Row 4: With H, ch 1, turn, sc in

each st across. Change to A.

Row 5: With A, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Change to B.

Row 6: With B, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Change to C.

Row 7: With C, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Change to D.

Row 8: With D, ch 1, turn, sc in each st across. Do not fasten off.

Handle Edging

Fold Handle lengthwise in half, bringing WS together. Ch 1, working through both thicknesses and into outside loops only of sts of last row and foundation ch at base of Row 1, sl st in each st across. Fasten off.

Finishing

Fold top to outside, sew ends of Handles to inside of top (folded) edge of Bag, about 2 in. (5 cm) from sides. Weave in ends. Ω

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Lion Brand® Yarn



Dolly Bedtime Set

SKILL Intermediate

SIZES

Nightgown fits 18" (45.5 cm) tall doll. Nightgown from shoulder to bottom edge measures 12.5" (32 cm). Bed Sock foot length measures 3" (7.5 cm). Headband measures 21.5" (54.5 cm) long.

GAUGE 17 sc and 20 rows sc = 4" (10 cm) with smaller hook; first 8 rows of Yoke in pattern = 2.5" (6.5 cm) long with smaller hook; 4 shells of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) and 8 rows of shells = 4" (10 cm) with smaller hook.

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

SPECIAL STITCH

sc2tog: [draw up a loop in next st] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

SPECIAL TECHNIQUE

Attach with slip stitch: Place a slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated stitch or space, yarn over and draw thread through stitch or space and slip knot.

NOTES

- Nightgown is worked from top to bottom in one piece.
- After Yoke is completed, Body is worked in continuous rounds without turning.
- Sleeves are worked in continuous rounds without turning.

MATERIALS

- Yarn*: 1 ball #936 Rocking Horse
- Crochet hooks*: G-6 (4mm) and H-8 (5mm)
- Three ½" (12mm) buttons
- Large-eyed blunt needle
- Stitch markers
- Sewing needle and matching thread

**Red Heart® Anne Geddes Baby™ yarn and Susan Bates® hooks were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

NIGHTGOWN

Yoke

With smaller hook, ch 41.

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across; turn—40 sc.

Row 2 (WS): Ch 2 (counts as beginning hdc now and throughout), hdc in front loop only of each sc across; turn—40 hdc.

Row 3: Ch 2, 2 hdc in back loop only of next hdc, *hdc in back loop only of next hdc, 2 hdc in back loop only of next hdc; repeat from * across, working last 2 hdc in top of beginning ch-2; turn—60 hdc.

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc in front loop only

of each hdc across, working last 2 hdc in top of beginning ch-2; turn.

Rows 5-6: Repeat Rows 3-4—90 hdc.

Row 7: Ch 2, hdc in back loop only of next hdc, 2 hdc in back loop only of next hdc, *hdc in back loop only of each of next 2 hdc, 2 hdc in back loop only of next hdc; repeat from * across, working last 2 hdc in top of beginning ch-2; turn—120 hdc.

Row 8: Repeat Row 4.

Body

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 1 (does not count as a st), 18 sc in back loops only, ch 4, skip 26 hdc for Sleeve, 32 sc in back loops only, ch 4, skip 26 hdc for next Sleeve, 18 sc in back loops only, working last sc in top of ch-2; join with slip st in beginning sc—76 sts.

Rnd 2: Change to larger hook; (ch 3, 1 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in first sc, skip 3 sc, *(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next sc, skip 3 sts; repeat from * around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3, being careful not to twist—19 shells.

Rnds 3-16: Slip st in next st and ch-1 space, (ch 3, 1 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same space, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in ch-1 space of each shell around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3—19 shells.

Round 17: Slip st in next st and ch-1 space, (ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same space, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in ch-1 space of each shell around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3—19 large shells.

Rnds 18-19: Slip st in next 2 sts and ch-1 space, (ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same space, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in ch-1 space of each shell around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3—19 large shells. At end of Round 19, fasten off and weave in ends.

Sleeves (Make 2)

Rnd 1 (RS): With smaller hook, attach yarn with slip st in chain

space at center of underarm, (ch 3, 1 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same space; continue working over 26 skipped hdc as follows: (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in first skipped hdc, [skip 3 hdc, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next hdc] 6 times; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3—8 shells.

Rnds 2-3: Slip st in next st and ch-1 space, (ch 3, 1 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same space, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in ch-1 space of each shell around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3—8 shells. At end of Round 3, fasten off and weave in ends. Work second Sleeve in same manner.

Back Yoke Edging

Note: Work 12 sc evenly across each edge by working 3 sc in each pair of hdc row ends. Do not leave extra spaces between stitches and ch-3 loops.

With Right Side of the back of the Yoke facing, use smaller hook to attach yarn with slip st in row end of hdc at top right corner; ch 1, 12 sc across right edge. Rotate Yoke to work across left edge; work 12 sc and 3 ch-3 loops evenly across left edge as follows: 2 sc, ch 3, 4 sc, ch 3, 4 sc, ch 3, 2 sc, ending at top left corner. Fasten off and weave in ends. Sew Buttons on Edging under loops.

Gown Flower Tie

With smaller hook, ch 4; join with slip st in first ch to form a ring; *[slip st, ch 2, 1 dc, ch 2] 5 times in ring; join with slip st in beginning slip st*; work a 30" (76 cm) long chain, join with slip st in 4th ch from hook to form a ring; repeat from * to *. Fasten off and weave in ends. Weave Tie through first round of shell pattern on Body.

BED SOCK (Make 2)

Note: Toe and Sock Top are worked in continuous rounds without

joining or turning. Place a stitch marker in the last st of each round and move up as rounds are completed.

Toe

With smaller hook, ch 4; join with slip st in first ch to form a ring.

Round 1 (RS): Ch 1 (does not count as a st now and throughout), 10 sc in ring; do not join, place marker—10 sc.

Round 2: *[2 sc in back loop only of next sc, 1 sc in back loop only of next sc] twice**, 2 sc in back loop only of next 2 sc; repeat from * to **; move marker—16 sc.

Rounds 3-7: Work sc in back loop only of each sc around, moving marker at end of each Round—16 sc.

Heel

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1, sc in back loop only of each of next 10 sc; turn—10 sc.

Rows 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each sc; turn—10 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, 3 sc, sc2tog twice, 3 sc; turn—8 sts.

Row 5: Ch 1, 8 sc; turn—8 sc.

Row 6: Ch 1, 2 sc, sc2tog twice, 2 sc; turn—6 sts.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc, sc2tog twice, sc; turn—4 sts.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc2tog twice; turn—2 sts.

Sock Top

Rnd 1: Ch 1, 2 sc, work 7 sc evenly across sc row ends of Heel side, at front work sc in back loop only of each of next 6 sc, work 7 sc evenly across sc row ends of other Heel side; do not join, place marker—22 sc.

Rnds 2-9: Sc in back loop only of each sc around, moving marker at end of each round. At end of Round 9, fasten off and weave in ends.

HEADBAND

Work same as Gown Flower Tie,

except make the chain 18" (45.5 cm) long. Ω

Design by Lisa Gentry
for Red Heart® Yarn



Little Dancers' Leg Warmers

SIZE Directions are for size Small (2-3 years). Changes for sizes Medium (4-7 years) and Large (8-10 years) are in parentheses.

Leg warmer measures 7½ (8½, 9½" [19 (21.5, 24) cm] in circumference x 10 (11½, 12)" [25.5 (29, 30.5)cm] long.

GAUGE 16 hdc = 4" (10 cm); 10 rows = 4" (10 cm).

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

NOTES

- Leg warmer is made in 2 sections: Work ribbed cuff in rows and work leg in joined rounds.
- For best fit, measure child's mid-calf while in a standing position; make size 1-2" (2.5 - 5 cm) smaller than the calf measurement.
- Leg warmer is intended to stretch and fit snugly but comfortably around the calf.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: 1 (1, 1) ball #9590 Lavender
- ☐ Crochet hook: G-6 (4.25mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle
- ☐ 1 yd 1/8" to 1/4" (3mm-6.5mm) wide ribbon

*Red Heart® Soft Baby Steps® yarn and Susan Bates® hook were used for this project.

INSTRUCTIONS

LEG WARMER (make 2)

Ribbed Cuff
Ch 9.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn—8 sc.

Rows 2-28 (32, 36): Ch 1, working in back loops only, sc in each st across, turn.

Joining row: Holding first and last rows together and working through both thicknesses, slip st in each st across. Turn cuff so seam is on inner side.

Leg

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2 (does not count as a st here and throughout), working across top edge in ends of rows, 2 hdc in first row, [skip next row, 2 hdc in next row] 13 (15, 17) times, skip last row; join with slip st in first hdc—28 (32, 36) hdc.

Rnds 2-17 (20, 23): Ch 2, 2 hdc in space between first 2 hdc, 2 hdc in space between next 2 hdc; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first hdc.

Rnd 18 (21, 24): Ch 3 (counts as hdc, ch 1), skip next st, hdc in next st, *ch 1, skip next st, hdc in next st; repeat from * around, ch 1, skip last st; join with slip st in 2nd ch of beginning ch—14 (16, 18) hdc and 14 (16, 18) ch-1 spaces.

Rnd 19 (22, 25): Ch 1, 2 sc in each ch-1 space around; join with slip st in first hdc—28 (32, 36) sc.

Rnd 20 (23, 26): Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first hdc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Finishing

Cut ribbon in 2 pieces each measuring 18" (45.5 cm). Weave ribbon through ch-1 spaces of Rnd 18 (21, 24) of each leg warmer. Tie ribbon in a bow. Ω

Design by Salena Baca
for Red Heart® Yarn

Hair Blooms

SIZE Flower measures 3" (7.5 cm) in diameter.

GAUGE Gauge is not critical for this project.

NOTE Only small quantities of yarn are needed for this project.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn* (1 ball each):
 - #9590 Lavender (A)
 - #9700 Baby Pink (B)
- ☐ Crochet hook*: F-5 (3.75mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle
- ☐ 2 hair combs

**Red Heart® Soft Baby Steps® yarn and Susan Bates® hook were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

FLOWER (make 2)

First Petal Layer

With A, ch 4.

Rnd 1 (RS): Work 11 dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning ch count as first dc); join with slip st in top of beginning ch—12 dc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join and in each dc around; join with slip st in first sc—24 sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, hdc in same st as join, 2 dc in next 2 sc, hdc in next sc, ch 1, slip st in next sc (petal made), *hdc in next sc, 2 dc in next 2 sc, hdc in next sc, ch 1, slip st in next sc (petal made); repeat from * around, ending with last slip st in last slip st of Rnd 2—6 petals. Fasten off.

2nd Petal Layer

With B, ch 4.

Rnd 1 (RS): Work 11 dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning ch count as first dc); join with slip st in top of beginning ch—12 dc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hdc in same st as join, 2 dc in next dc (petal made), *ch 1, (slip st, ch 1, hdc) in next dc, 2 dc in next dc (petal made); repeat from * around; join with slip st in beginning ch—6 petals. Fasten off.

3rd Petal Layer

With A, ch 2.

Rnd 1 (RS): Work 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook; join with slip st in first sc—6 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join (petal made), *ch 1, (slip st, ch 1, 2 sc) in next sc (petal made); repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc—6 petals. Fasten off.

Center Piece

Leaving a long beginning tail, with B, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, join with slip st to first sc. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Weave ending tail through back loop of each st; pull gently but tightly to close.

Finishing

Stack layers of petals with first petal layer on bottom and 3rd petal layer on top. Pull tails of centerpiece through center of Rnd 1 of all layers. Tie a knot and secure on wrong side of first petal layer. Sew to top bar of comb between teeth. Weave in ends. □

Design by Michele Wilcox
for Red Heart® Yarn



Spring Wreath

SIZE 14" (35.5 cm)
diameter

GAUGE

16 sc and 16 rows = 4" [10 cm].

Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

NOTES

- Use photo as guide for placement of pieces.
- 1 ball of Ombre makes 9 Butterflies.
- 1 ball of Solid makes 18 Bells.
- 1 ball of Solid makes 7 Daffodils.
- 1 ball of Solid makes 35 Leaves.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn* (1 ball each):
 - #00010 Yellow (A)
 - #00084 Sage Green (B)
 - #133 Shaded Denim Ombre (C)
 - #00165 Daisy Ombre (D)
 - #00144 Strawberry Ombre (E)
 - #01004 Soft Ecru (F)
 - #00026 Light Blue (G)
- ☐ Crochet hook: G-6 (4mm)
- ☐ Willow wreath: 14" [35.5 cm] in diameter
- ☐ 5 brown chenille stems
- ☐ 22 pompoms 1/4" (5 mm) wide
- ☐ Thread-coated wire
- ☐ Glue gun and glue sticks
- ☐ *Optional: Dried flowers for decoration*

**Spinrite Lily® Sugar'n Cream® Solids and Ombres yarns were used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

BELL (make 3)

With G, ch 2.

Rnd 1 (RS): 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in each of next 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. Join with sl st in first sc—8 sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1. 1 sc in same st as last ss. (2 sc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc) 3 times. 2 sc in next sc. Join with ss in first sc—12 sc.

Rnds 5 and 6: Ch 1. 1 sc in same st as last ss. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 7: Ch 1. Miss first and 2nd sc. (5 dc in next sc. Miss next sc. Sl st in next sc. Miss next sc) 3 times. Join with ss in first ch 1. Fasten off.

PISTIL (make 3)

With A, ch 2.

Rnd 1: 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Join with sl st in first sc. Ch 10.

Fasten off.

Finishing

Join Pistil to Bell. Glue Bells in cluster as shown in picture.

BUTTERFLY (Make 4 each with C and E. Make 3 with D)

Ch 6. Join in round with ss in first ch.

Rnd 1: Ch 1. [(1 sc. Ch 6. 1 sc) all in ring] twice. [(1 sc. Ch 4. 1 sc) all in ring] twice. Join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: *Sl st in next ch 6 sp. (Ch 3. 4 dc. 1 tr. Ch 3. Sl st in first ch—Picot made. 1 tr. 5 dc) all in next ch 6 sp. Sl st in each of next 2 sc. Rep from * once more. (9 dc in next ch 4 sp. Sl st in each of next 2 sc) twice. Fasten off.

Glue foundation ring closed vertically. Glue opening of each wing closed vertically. Cut desired length of chenille stems for Body as illustrated. Shape wire antennas as shown. Glue pompoms to top of antennas.

DAFFODIL (make 3)

With A, ch 2.

Rnd 1 (RS): 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. Join with sl st in back loop of first sc.

First Petal

Row 1: Ch 1. 2 sc in back loop of same sc as last sl st. Ch 1. Turn.

Row 2: 2 sc in each sc. 4 sc. Ch 1. Turn.

Rows 3 to 5: 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Ch 1. Turn.

Row 6: (Draw up a loop in each of

next 2 sc. Yoh and draw through 3 loops on hook—Sc2tog made) twice. Ch 3. Turn.

Row 7: Miss first sc. Sl st in next sc. Sl st in side of each of next 5 rows of petal. Sl st in last sc worked on 1st row and in back loop of next sc. Do not turn.

Second to Sixth Petals

Row 1: Ch 1. 2 sc in back loop of same sc as last sl st. Ch 1. Turn.

Rows 2 to 7: Work as given for 2nd to 7th rows of First Petal. At end of Sixth Petal, fasten off.

TRUMPET

Join F with sl st to any front loop of 1st rnd.

Rnd 1: Ch 1. 2 sc in same sp as last sl st. *2 sc in front loop of next sc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1. 1 sc in same st as last sl st.

Ch 1. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * around.

Join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

LEAF (make 10)

With B, ch 12.

Rnd 1 (RS): 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in next ch. 1 hdc in next ch. 1 dc in each of next 4 ch. 1 hdc in next ch. 1 sc in each of next 2 ch. 3 sc in last ch. Working in other side of ch, proceed as follows: 1 sc in each of next 2 ch. 1 hdc in next ch. 1 dc in each of

next 4 ch. 1 hdc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. 2 sc in next ch. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

Assembly

Using photo as a guide, assemble all pieces on Wreath and glue in place. If desired, break small lengths of dried flowers and attach to Wreath randomly as shown. Ω

Design provided by
Spinrite® Yarn



Metallic Mesh Top

SIZES To fit bust measurement Extra-

Small/Small – 30-32" (76-81.5 cm)

Medium – 34-36" (86.5-91.5 cm)

Large – 38-40" (96.5-101.5 cm)

Extra-Large – 42-46" (106.5-117 cm)

2/3 Extra-Large – 48-54" (122-137 cm)

4/5 Extra-Large – 56-62" (142-157.5 cm)

Finished bust measurement

Extra-Small/Small – 35" (89 cm)

Medium – 39" (99 cm)

Large – 43" (109 cm)

Extra-Large – 49" (124.5 cm)

2/3 Extra-Large – 57" (144.5 cm)

4/5 Extra-Large – 65" (165 cm)

GAUGE

13 sc and 15 rows = 4" (10 cm).

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Check your gauge. Change hook size to obtain correct gauge.

NOTE Ch 2 at beg of row counts as hdc throughout.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Yarn*: #97005 Moonstone (MC) XS/S, 2 balls; M or L, 3 balls; XL, 5 balls; 2/3 XL, 6 balls; 4/5 XL, 7 balls
- #95042 Platinum (A) XS/S, 1 balls; M or L, 2 balls; XL or 2/3 XL, 3 balls; 4/5 XL, 4 balls
- ☐ Crochet hook: H-8 (5mm)
- ☐ Large-eyed blunt needle
- ☐ 4 Stitch markers

**Spinrite® Patons® Metallic™ yarn was used for this project.*

INSTRUCTIONS

Front and Back (Make the same)
Ribbing: With MC, ch 64 (70-78-88-104-116).

Row 1 (RS): 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2 dc). 1 dc in each ch to end of ch—61 (67-75-85-101-113) dc. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 2. *1 dcbp around next st. 1 dcfb around next st. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 dcbp around next st. 1 hdc in last dc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 2. *1 dcbp around next st. 1 dcbp around next st. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 dcfb around next st. 1 hdc in last hdc. Turn.

Row 4: Ch 2. *1 dcbp around next st. 1 dcfb around next st. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 dcbp around

next st. 1 hdc in last hdc. Turn. Rep rows 3 and 4 until work measures approx 2½" [6 cm], ending on a 4th row.

Sizes XS/S and M only:

Next row (RS): Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 28 (31) sts. Sc2tog] twice. 1 sc in last st. Turn—59 (65) sc.

Sizes L and XL only:

Next row (RS): Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next (13-15) sts. Sc2tog] 5 times—70-80) sc. Turn.

Sizes 2/3XL and 4/5XL only:

Next row: (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next (2-0) sts. (Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 12 sts) (7-8) times. 1 sc in last st—94-105) sc. Turn (All sizes) **Row 1:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in each sc to end of row—59 (65-70-80-94-105) hdc. Turn

Row 2: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each hdc to end of row. Turn. Rep last row until piece from beg measures 14 (14-15-15-16-16)" [35.5(35.5-38-38-40.5-40.5) cm], ending on a WS row, and dec 2 (0-1-3-1-0) st(s) evenly across last row. Place markers at beg and end of last row—57 (65-69-77-93-105) sts. Break MC. Join A. With A, proceed in Mesh Pat as follows:

Row 1: Ch 1. 1 sc in first st. *Skip next 3 sts. Ch 5. 1 sc in next st. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 5 (counts as dc. Ch 2). 1 sc in first ch-5 sp. *Ch 5. 1 sc in next ch-5 sp. Rep from * to end of row. Ch 2. 1 dc in last sc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. *Ch 5.

1 sc in next ch-5 sp. Rep from * to last ch-5 sp. Ch 5. 1 sc in 3rd ch of previous row. Turn.

Rep rows 2 and 3 for Mesh Pat until work from marked row, when slightly stretched, measures 7½ (8-8½-8½-9- 9½)" [19 (20.5-21.5-21.5-23-24) cm], ending on a 2nd row.

Shape Neck (Right Side)

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. *Ch 5. 1 sc in next ch-5 sp. Rep from * 3 (4-4-5-6-7) times more. Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.

Row 2: Ch 5 (counts as dc. Ch 2). 1 sc in first ch-5 sp. *Ch 5. 1 sc in next ch-5 sp. Rep from * 2 (3-3-4-5-6) times more. Ch 2. 1 dc in last sc. Fasten off.

Left Side

Row 1: Skip next 5 (5 -6-6-8-9) ch-5 sps. Join A with sl st to next ch-5 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in same ch-5 sp as last sl st. *Ch 5. 1 sc in next ch-5 sp. Rep from * 2 (3-3-4-5-6) times more. Ch 5. 1 sc in 3rd ch of turning ch. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 5 (counts as dc. Ch 2). 1 sc in first ch-5 sp. *Ch 5. 1 sc in next ch-5 sp. Rep from * 2 (3-3-4-5-6) times more. Ch 2. 1 dc in last sc. Fasten off.

Finishing

With WS tog, sew shoulder seams. Sew side seams to markers. □

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Spinrite® Yarns

CORRECTION

The number of stitches to cast on was mistakenly left off of the instructions for the **Softly Rippled Poncho** on page 9 of the March 2016 issue of *Quick & Easy Crochet* magazine. These are your missing instructions: **Loosely ch 128. Be careful not to twist ch; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.** Also change Row 1 to **Rnd 1.**



Abbreviations & Symbols

alt alternate(ing)
approx... approximately
beg begin(ning)(s)
ch chain
ch-sp ch in space previously
 made
cl cluster
cont continue(ity)
dc double crochet
dtr double treble crochet
hdc half double crochet
inc increase
lp(s) loops(s)
mm millimeters
patt pattern
rem remain(ing)
rep repeat (s) (ing) (ed)
rnd(s) round(s)
RS right side
sc single crochet

sk skip
sl slip
sl st slip stitch
sp(s) space(s)
st(s) stitch(es)
tbl through back loop
tog together
tr treble crochet
v-st v-stitch
WS wrong side
wyif with yarn in front
yo yarn over
yoh yarn over hook

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* repeat whatever follows the * as indicated
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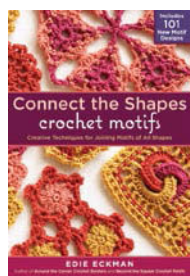
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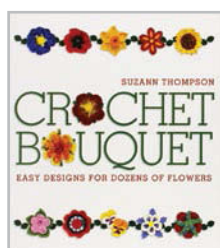


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Basketweave



Butterflies



Miters

Striped DAY BAG

Crochet several
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wardrobe.

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Dolly BEDTIME SET

Crochet a nightgown
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and floral headband.

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Floral Headband



Bed Socks

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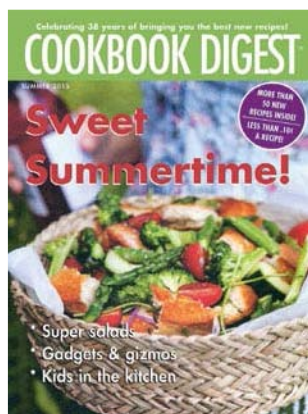
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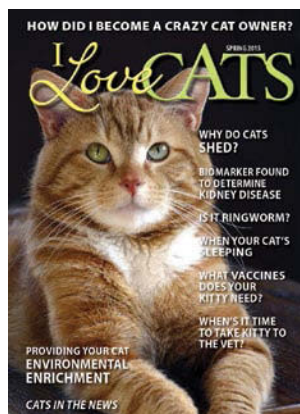
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