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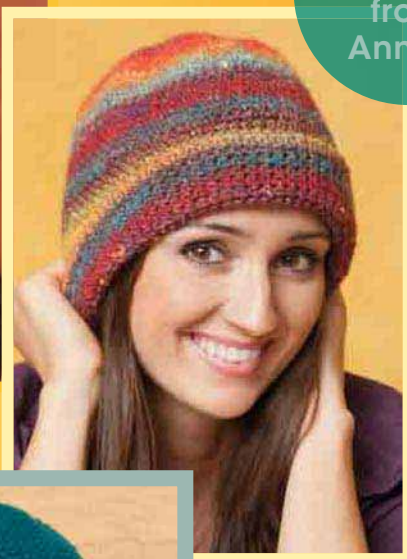
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The holidays will soon be here and with them the need for gifts. Crocheters are so fortunate in that they have the skills necessary to create unique, from-the-heart presents, and they find great joy and satisfaction in this. Handmade gifts created with lots of love can be better than the most expensive store-bought presents in the world.

In addition to making gifts, crocheters also love to use their needlework talents to decorate their homes for the holidays. Whether it's for Christmas, Hanukkah

or Kwanza, crochet is a beautiful medium for displaying festive holiday designs throughout the house.

This issue offers plenty of inspiration to fill both gift and decorating needs. There are projects that are perfect for recipients of all ages on your gift list, from darling baby items and cuddly toys for the kids to cozy accessories for the grown-ups. For your holiday home, there is a festive collection of projects to add color and warmth to your decor.

Whatever holiday you celebrate, may all the joy and peace of the season be yours in abundance.

Happy crocheting!

Carol Alexander

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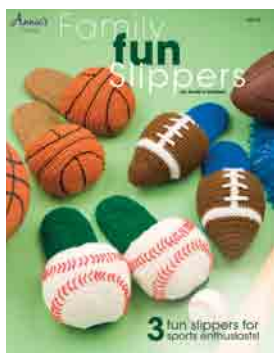
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Winter Rose Afghan

Design by Shannon Mullett-Bowlsby for Shibaguyz Designz

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

59 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Vanna's Choice medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/170 yds/100g per ball):
 - 5 balls #174 olive (A)
 - 4 balls #145 eggplant (B)
 - 3 balls #144 magenta (C)
 - 2 balls #123 beige (D)
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

Motif = 6½ inches in diameter; rnds 1 and 2 = 2¾ inches in diameter

SPECIAL STITCHES

Chain-3 join

(ch-3 join): Ch 1, remove hook from lp, insert hook from front to back through corresponding ch-3 sp of adjacent Motif, pick up dropped lp, ch 2.

Cluster (cl): Yo, insert hook in indicated st or sp, yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook (2 lps rem on hook), [yo, insert hook in same st or sp, yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice, yo, draw through all 4 lps on hook.

Beginning cluster (beg cl):

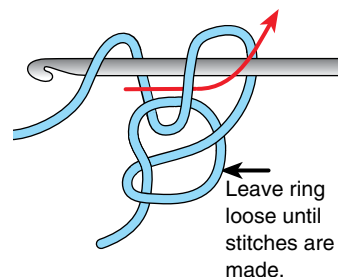
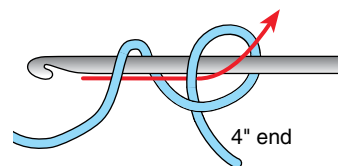
[Yo, insert hook in ring, yo, draw up lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice, yo, draw through 3 lps on hook.

AFGHAN

FIRST MOTIF

Rnd 1 (RS): With D, make **slip ring** (see illustration), ch 2, sc in ring, ch 1, **beg cl** (see Special Stitches) in ring, ch 3, **cl** (see

Special Stitches) in ring, ch 3] 5 times, **join** (see Pattern Notes) in top of beg cl, **change color** (see Stitch Guide) to C in last step of joining. Fasten off D. (6 cls, 6 ch-3 sps)



Slip Ring

Note: In following rnds, always work first post st around same st as joining sl st of previous rnd.

Rnd 2: With C, ch 1, **[fphdc** (see Stitch Guide) around cl, 5 dc in next ch-3 sp] 6 times, join in top of first fphdc, change color to B in last step of joining. Fasten off C. (6 fphdc, 30 dc)

Rnd 3: With B, ch 1, **[bpssc** (see Stitch Guide) around next fphdc, ch 5, sk next 5 dc] 6 times, join in first bpssc. (6 bpssc, 6 ch-5 sps)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, **[fpssc** (see Stitch Guide) around next bpssc, 10 dc in next ch-5 sp] 6 times, join in first fpssc, change color to A. Fasten off B. (6 fpssc, 60 dc)



PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.



Meet the Winner

Shannon Mullett-Bowlsby

Shannon Mullett-Bowlsby is the co-founder of The Shibaguyz and Shibaguyz Designz. Skilled in both crochet and knitting, Shannon is an award-winning designer who has had numerous patterns published by magazines and yarn companies. In addition,

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Hexagon motifs in rich jewel tones create a vibrant palette in this beautiful floral throw.

Rnd 5: With A, ch 1, [bpSC around next fpSC, ch 7, sk next 10 dc] 6 times, join in first bpSC. (6 bpSC, 6 ch-7 sps)

Rnd 6: Ch 1, [fpSC around next bpSC, (7 dc, ch 3, 7 dc) in next ch-7 sp] 6 times, join in first fpSC. Fasten off. (6 fpSC, 84 dc, 6 ch-3 sps)

MOTIFS 2-61

Rnds 1-5: Rep rnds 1-5 of First Motif.

Note: Follow assembly diagram on page 61 for placement of Motifs. The current Motif is joined to adjacent Motifs when working the ch-3 sps of rnd 6. Join with RS of Motifs facing and matching sts.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, [fpSC around next bpSC, (7 dc, **ch-3 join**—see *Special Stitches*, 7 dc) in next ch-7 sp] rep until Motif is joined to all adjacent Motifs, [fpSC around next bpSC, (7 dc, ch 3, 7 dc) in next ch-7 sp] rep around in rem sps, join in first fpSC. Fasten off. **cw**

Raspberry Cowl

Design by Jennifer Cirka

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ BEGINNER

FINISHED SIZE

One size fits most; 18 inches long
x 42 inches bottom circumference

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Wool-Ease medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool yarn (3 oz/197 yds/85g per ball):
3 balls #196 zinnia
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle



GAUGE

12 sc = 4 inches; 17 rows =
4 inches

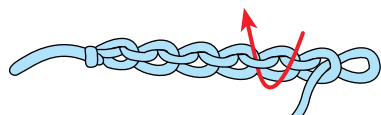
PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

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

COWL

Row 1: Ch 61 loosely, working in **back bar of ch** (see illustration), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 19 chs, hdc in each of next 20 chs, dc in each of next 20 chs, turn. (20 sc, 20 hdc, 20 dc)



Back Bar of Chain

Row 2: Ch 2 (see Pattern Notes), dc in first dc, working in **back lp** (see Stitch Guide), dc in each of next 19 dc, hdc in each of next 20 hdc, sc in each of next 19 sc,

working in both lps, sc in last st, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, working in back lp only, sc in each of next 19 sc, hdc in each of next 20 hdc, dc in each of next 19 dc,

working in both lps, dc in next dc, turn.

Rows 4–71: [Rep rows 2 and 3 alternately] 34 times. At the end of last rep, leaving a long length for sewing, fasten off.

With RS tog, holding row 71 to opposite side of foundation ch, sew across edge, forming a tube. **CW**



This simple tubular piece can be worn as a plush, multi-layer cowl, or pulled down over the shoulders as a capelet.



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Little Lady Muff

Design by Kristen Stoltzfus

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ EASY

FINISHED SIZE

5 x 9 inches with 36-inch neckline cord

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Fishermen's Wool medium (worsted) weight wool yarn (8oz/465 yds/227g per skein):
1 skein #200 oak tweed
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle
- Sewing thread
- 10 x 11-inch ivory fabric
- 8mm round wooden bead
- 10mm round wooden bead
- 12mm rectangle wooden bead



GAUGE

4 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Wind skein in 2 balls of same size.

Work with 2 strands held together unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

SPECIAL STITCH

Fan: (4 dc) in indicated st.

MUFF

Row 1: With 2 strands held tog (see *Pattern Notes*), ch 38,



A girl likes options, and a cozy muff makes a cute alternative to winter mittens and gloves.

sc in 2nd ch from hook, [sk next 2 chs, **fan** (see *Special Stitch*) in next ch, sk next 2 chs, sc in next ch] 6 times, turn. (6 fans, 7 sc)

Row 2 (RS): Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in same sc as beg ch-3, sc in center of fan between 2nd

and 3rd dc sts, [fan in next sc, sc in center of fan between 2nd and 3rd dc sts] 5 times, 2 dc in last sc, turn. (5 fans, 6 sc, 2 half fans)

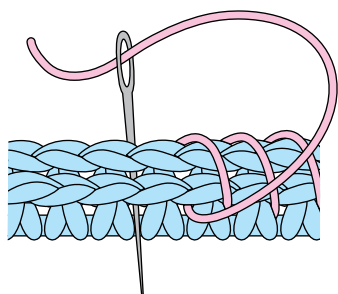
Row 3: Ch 1, sc in same dc as beg ch-1, fan in next sc, [sc in center of fan between 2nd and

3rd dc sts, fan in next sc] 5 times, sc in last dc, turn.

Rep rows 2 and 3 until Muff measures 10 inches from beg, draw up a lp, **do not fasten off**.

LINING

Fabric should be same size as crocheted piece. Turn under edges at least ½ inch and **whipstitch** (see illustration) to WS of crocheted piece.



Whipstitch Edges

With RS facing, fold last row to opposite side of foundation ch of row 1, and working through

both thicknesses, sl st across edge. Fasten off. Turn Muff RS out.

FLOWER

Make 3.

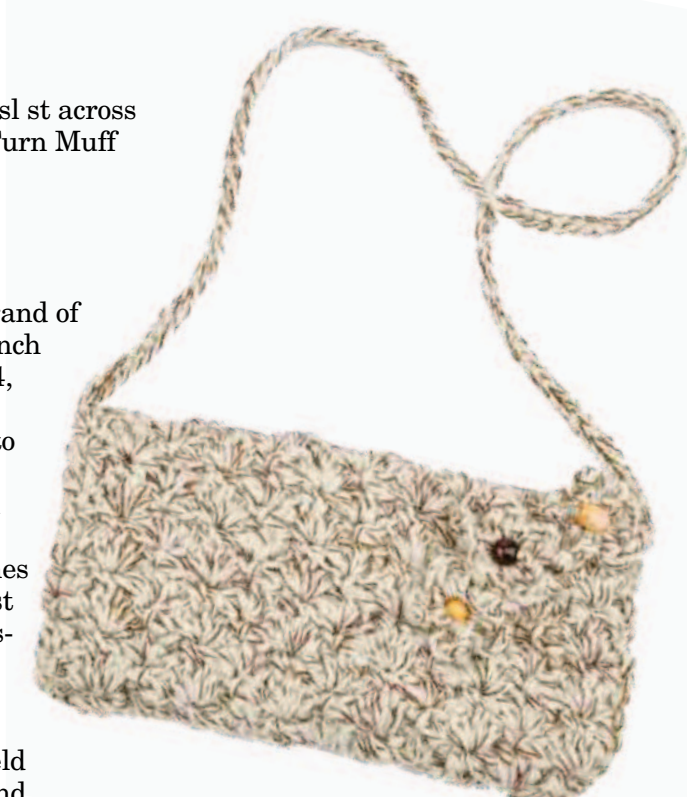
Rnd 1: With 1 strand of yarn, leaving 12-inch length at beg, ch 4, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, (ch 2, dc, tr, ch 2, sl st in top of tr, dc, ch 2, sl st in ring) 5 times in ring, join in first ch of beg ch-2. Fasten off. (5 petals)

CORD

With 2 strands held tog, join yarn to end of Muff opposite the sewn seam, ch 110, sl st in opposite end of Muff, ch 1, turn, sl st in each ch across, sl st in next st of Muff. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Using photo as a guide, sew Flowers to side edge of Muff, sew wooden bead to center of each Flower. **cw**



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Christmas Doily

Design by Agnes Russell

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

12¾ inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet size 10 crochet cotton (white: 400 yds per ball; solids: 350 yds per ball):
200 yds each #1 white, #494 victory red and #661 frosty green
10 yds #422 golden yellow
- Size 7/1.65mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

Poinsettia = 5½ inches in diameter;
4 shell rnds = 1½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

SPECIAL STITCHES

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

Beginning shell (beg shell): Sl st into ch-3 sp, (ch 3, 1 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in ch sp.

Double shell: (2 dc, ch 3) twice, 2 dc in indicated ch sp.

Beginning double shell (beg double shell): Sl st in ch-3 sp, ch 3, dc, (ch 3, 2 dc) twice in same ch-3 sp.

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

5-double crochet popcorn

(5-dc pc): 5 dc in ring, draw up lp, remove hook, insert hook in first dc of 5-dc group, pick up dropped lp, draw through st on hook, ch 1 to lock.

DOILY

POINSETTIA

Center

Rnd 1: With victory red, ch 7, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, 16 sc in ring, join in beg sc, **do not fasten off.** (16 sc)

First Large Petal

Row 2: Now working in rows, ch 1, sc in same sc as beg ch-1, turn. (1 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, 3 sc in sc, turn. (3 sc)

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

Row 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each rem sc across, turn. (4 sc)

Row 6: Rep row 4.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each sc across to last sc, 2 sc in next last, turn. (5 sc)

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Row 9: Rep row 5. (6 sc)

Row 10: Rep row 4.

Row 11: Rep row 7. (7 sc)

Rows 12 & 13: Rep row 4.

Row 14: Ch 1, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc, sc in each rem sc across, turn. (6 sc)

Row 15: Rep row 4.

Row 16: Ch 1, sc in each sc across to last 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, turn. (5 sc)

Row 17: Rep row 4.

Row 18: Rep row 14. (4 sc)

Row 19: Rep row 4.

Row 20: Rep row 16. (3 sc)

Row 21: Rep row 4.

Row 22: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next sc, turn. (2 sc)

Row 23: Ch 3, sk first sc, sl st in next sc. Fasten off.

2nd–8th Large Petals

Row 2: Sk next sc of rnd 1, join victory red with sc in next sc, turn. (1 sc)

Rows 3–23: Rep rows 3–23 of First Large Petal.

First Small Petal

Row 2: Working in next sk sc of rnd 1, join victory red with sc, turn. (1 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, 3 sc in sc, turn. (3 sc)

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

Row 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each rem sc across, turn. (4 sc)

Rows 6–8: Rep row 5. (7 sc)

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each of next 7 sc, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each rem sc across, turn. (6 sc)

Rows 11–14: Rep row 10. (2 sc)

Row 15: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, ch 1 to lock. Fasten off. (1 sc)

2nd–8th Small Petals

Rep rows 2–15 of First Small Petal.

Stamen

Rnd 1: With golden yellow, leaving 5-inch length at beg, ch 5, join in first ch to form a ring, working over rem beg length, **ch 3** (does not count as first dc), **(5-dc pc—see Special Stitches)**



Decorate your holiday table with an elegant doily featuring the season's beloved traditional flower.

8 times in ring, join in first 5-dc pc, leaving 24-inch length, fasten off.

To close opening slightly, give rem beg length a slight tug, **do not fasten off**. Set aside.

DOILY

Rnd 1: With frosty green, ch 5, join in first ch to form a ring, ch 3, dc in ring, ch 1, [2 dc in ring, ch 1] 7 times, join in beg ch-3. (16 dc, 8 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in next dc, ch 3, [dc in each of next 2 sc, ch 3] 7 times, join in beg ch-3. (16 dc, 8 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same dc as beg ch-3, ch 3, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3, [2 dc in next dc, ch 3] around, join in beg ch-3. (32 dc, 16 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 4: **Beg shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in ch-3 sp, ch 2, dc in next ch-3 p, ch 2, [**shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch-3 sp,

ch 2, dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 2] 7 times, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 dc, 16 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 5: **Beg shell**, ch 2, **V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in single dc, ch 2, [shell in shell, ch 2, V-st in single dc, ch 2] 7 times, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 V-sts, 16 ch-2 sps)

Rnd 6: **Beg shell**, ch 3, *working in tip of Small Petal and ch-3 sp of V-st **at same time**, V-st in next V-st, ch 3**, shell in next



shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 V-st / Small Petal)

Rnd 7: Beg shell, *ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, shell in next ch-3 sp of next V-st, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3**, shell in shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. Fasten off. (16 shells, 32 ch-3 sps, 16 sc)

Rnd 8: Join white with sl st in ch-3 sp of first shell of previous rnd, beg shell in same ch-3 sp of shell, *ch 3, sc in next sc, ch 3**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (16 shells, 32 ch-3 sps, 16 sc)

Rnd 9: Beg shell in shell, *ch 4, 8 dc in next ch-3 sp of shell, ch 4**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 pineapple bases, 16 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 10: Beg shell in shell, *ch 4, dc in first dc of 8-dc group, [ch 1, dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 4**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 pineapples, 16 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 11: Beg shell in shell, *ch 4, sc in next ch-1 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-1 sp] 6 times, ch 4**,

shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 pineapples, 16 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 12: Beg shell in shell, *ch 4, sc in next ch-1 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-1 sp] 5 times, ch 4**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (8 shells, 8 pineapples, 16 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 13: Beg double shell (see *Special Stitches*) in shell, *ch 4, sc in next ch-1 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-1 sp] 4 times, ch 4**, **double shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (8 double shells, 8 pineapples)

Rnd 14: Beg shell in ch-3 sp of shell, ch 3, shell in next ch-3 sp of shell, *ch 4, sc in next ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 3 times, ch 4**, shell in next ch-3 sp of shell, ch 3, shell in next ch-3 sp of shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (16 shells, 8 pineapples, 16 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 15: Beg shell in shell, *ch 2, V-st in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, shell in next shell, ch 4, sc in next ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] twice, ch 4**, shell in next shell,

rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (16 shells, 8 V-sts, 8 pineapples, 16 ch-2 sps, 16 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 16: Beg shell in shell, *ch 4, shell in ch-3 sp of V-st, ch 4, shell in next shell, ch 4, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (24 shells, 8 pineapples, 32 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 17: Beg shell in shell, *[ch 4, sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 4, shell in next shell] twice, ch 4, dc in rem ch-3 sp, ch 4**, shell in next shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg ch-3. (24 shells, 48 ch-4 sps)

Rnd 18: Sl st in ch-3 sp of shell, ch 1, *[(2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in ch-3 sp of shell, (2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in each of next 2 ch-4 sps] twice, (2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in ch-3 sp of next shell, (2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in each of next 2 ch-4 sps, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 19: Join frosty green in first ch-3 sp of previous rnd, ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc) in same ch-3 sp, ch 4, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-3 sp, ch 4] 71 times, join in beg sc. (72 ch-4 sps, 144 sc)

Rnd 20: Sl st in ch-3 sp, ch 1, (2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in same ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-4 sp, [(2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc) in next ch-3 sp, sc in next ch-4 sp] 71 times, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (72 ch-3 sps, 360 sc)

FINISHING

Thread rem long length of Stamen on tapestry needle. Center Stamen over Center of Poinsettia and invisibly sew in place. Pass both beg and ending Stamen threads to center underside of Doily, knot and secure ends, invisibly weave in and fasten off rem lengths.

Use care to position all Large Petals of Poinsettia under Small Petals. **CW**

Pineapple Drop Earrings

Design by Elise Provost

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 2¼ x 1½ inches, excluding ear wire and bead

MATERIALS

- Kreinik Very Fine (#4) Braid metallic thread (12 yds per spool):
1 spool #3231 moonstone
- Size 8/1.50mm steel crochet hook
- ¾-inch plastic rings: 2
- 6 x 13mm crystal teardrop beads: 2
- Silver French hook ear wires: 2
- Stringing needle or collapsible eye needle
- Sewing needle
- Craft glue

GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.



Wear these gorgeous, sparkling silver earrings to an elegant dress-up affair or holiday party.

PATTERN NOTES

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

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

EARRING

Make 2.

BASE

Rnd 1: String 1 bead on braid and working around plastic ring, 45 **sc around ring** (see illustration), join with sl st in first st. **Do not fasten off.**

PINEAPPLE

Row 1: Ch 3 (see Pattern Notes), dc in each of next 13 sc, leaving rem sc sts unworked, turn. (14 dc)

Row 2: Ch 4 (see Pattern Notes), [dc, ch 1] in each of next 13 sts, turn. (14 dc, 13 ch-1 sps)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first ch-1 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-1 sp] 12 times, turn. (13 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)

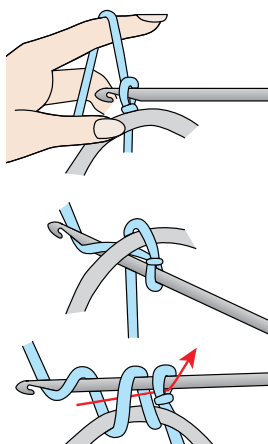
Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 11 times, turn. (12 sc, 11 ch-3 sps)

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 10 times, turn. (11 sc, 10 ch-3 sps)

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 9 times, turn. (10 sc, 9 ch-3 sps)

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 8 times, turn. (9 sc, 8 ch-3 sps)

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Single Crochet Around Ring

Out on the Town Cape

Design by Margaret Hubert

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

28 inches long x 9 inches across each bottom front and 45 inches across back bottom

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 36 inches (*small*) [40 inches (*medium*), 44 inches (*large*), 48 inches (*X-large*) and 52 inches (*2X-large*)]

MATERIALS

- Patons Canadiana medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/205 yds/100g per skein): 7 skeins #10704 tomato red
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 7/8-inch red buttons: 7
- Stitch markers



GAUGE

14 sc = 4 inches; 10 sc rows = 4 inches; 5 cls = 4 inches; 16 cl rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Cape is crocheted in 1 piece from Yoke downward; then Collar and Bands are added.

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

SPECIAL STITCH

Cluster (cl): (Sc, 2 dc) in indicated st.

CAPE

YOKE

Foundation row: Beg at Yoke top edge, ch 90, sc in 2nd ch

from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (89 sc)

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

Rows 2–6: Rep row 1.

Row 7: Ch 1, [sc in each of next 8 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 9 times, sc in each of next 8 sc, turn. (98 sc)

Rows 8–10: Rep row 1.

Row 11: Ch 1, [sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 9 times, sc in each of next 8 sc, turn. (107 sc)

Row 12: Rep row 1.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 9 sc, turn. (116 sc)

Row 14: Rep row 1.

Row 15: Ch 1, sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 11 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 10 sc, turn. (125 sc)

Row 16: Rep row 1.

Row 17: Ch 1, sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 12 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 10 sc, turn. (134 sc)

Row 18: Rep row 1.

Row 19: Ch 1, sc in each of next 10 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 13 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 11 sc, turn. (143 sc)

Row 20: Rep row 1.

Row 21: Ch 1, sc in each of next 11 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 14 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 11 sc, turn. (152 sc)

Row 22: Rep row 1.

Row 23: Ch 1, sc in each of next 12 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 15 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 11 sc, turn. (161 sc)

Row 24: Rep row 1.

Row 25: Ch 1, sc in each of next 12 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 16 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 12 sc, turn. (170 sc)

Row 26: Rep row 1.

Row 27: Ch 1, sc in each of next 12 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 17 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 13 sc, turn. (179 sc)

Row 28: Rep row 1.

Row 29: Ch 1, sc in each of next 13 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 18 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 13 sc, turn. (188 sc)

Row 30: Rep row 1.

Row 31: Ch 1, sc in each of next 13 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 19 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 14 sc, turn. (197 sc)

Rows 32–34: Rep row 1.

Row 35: Ch 1, sc in each of next 14 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 20 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 14 sc, turn. (206 sc)

Rows 36–38: Rep row 1.

Row 39: Ch 1, sc in each of next 14 sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 21 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 8 times, sc in each of next 15 sc, turn. (215 sc)

Rows 40–42: Rep row 1.

Row 43: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), working in **back lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) for this row only, hdc in each st across, turn. (215 hdc)

Row 44: Ch 2, hdc in each hdc across, turn. (215 hdc)



Row 46: Ch 1, cl in first sc, [sk next 2 dc, cl in next sc] rep across, ending with sc in last st, turn. (71 c/s)

[Work as established across 9 cls, turn] rep until piece measures 15 inches from beg of Left Front. Fasten off.

Join yarn in same st as the last cl of the first row of Left Front, [work across 53 cls, turn] rep until piece measures 15 inches from beg of Back. Fasten off.

Join yarn in same st as last cl of first row of Back, [work as established across 9 cls, turn] rep until piece measures 15 inches from beg of Right Front. Fasten off.

Row 1 (RS): Join yarn in opposite side of foundation ch of Yoke, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, sc in each of next 88 chs, turn. (89 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each of next 7 sc, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc, [sc in each of next 8 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] across. turn. (80 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, cl in first sc, [sk next 2 sc, cl in next sc] 26 times, sc in last sc, turn. (27 *cls*)

Row 4: Ch 1, cl in first sc, [sk next 2 dc, cl in next sc] 26 times, sc in last sc, turn.

Rep row 4 until Collar measures approximately 3 inches, ending at top Left Front. **Do not fasten off.**

Note: Divide Left Front edge in 4 quarters, placing st marker at each quarter point.

Row 1: Ch 1, work sc in row edges along Left Front working 20 sc in each quarter section of Left Front, turn. (80 sc)

Rows 2–4: Ch 1, sc in each of next 80 sc, turn. At the end of row 4, fasten off.

Note: Divide Right Front edge in 4 quarters, placing st marker at each quarter point.

Row 1 (RS): Join yarn in bottom Right Front, ch 1, work sc in row edges along Right Front working 20 sc in each quarter section of Right Front, turn. (80 sc)

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

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of next 40 sc, [ch 3, sk each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 4 sc] 6 times, ch 3, sk each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, turn.
(7 buttonholes)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each sc and 2 sc in each ch-3 sp across, turn. (80 sc)

Rnd 5: Now working in rnds, ch 1, sc in each sc to top of Right Front, working 3 sc in last sc:

A. sc in each dc along Collar,
sk all sc sts across top edge of
Collar, 3 sc in last st;

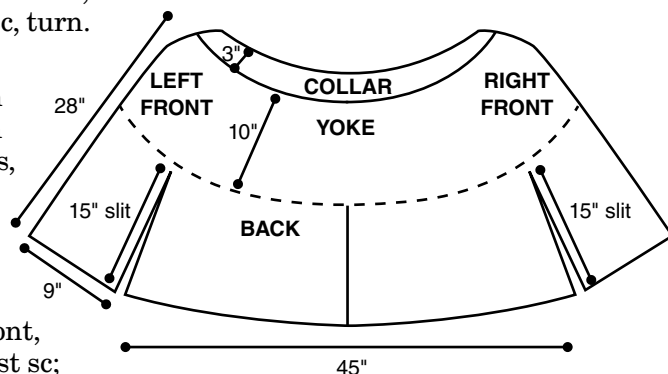
B. working down Left Front,
sc in each sc, 3 sc in last st;

C. working across bottom edge of Left Front, sc in each st across, 3 sc in last st, work 38 sc on row edges of each side of arm slit;

D. work 3 sc in corner st, sc across Back bottom edge, 3 sc in corner st, work 38 sc on row edges of each arm slit, 3 sc in corner st, sc in each st across bottom edge of Right Front, sl st to join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Sew buttons to Button Band opposite buttonholes.

Place Cape on flat padded surface, sprinkle with water and pat gently in shape, allow to dry. **CW**



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The designer of this project thought of her beloved stepmother, Maurine, as her "crochet angel," and she created this beautiful ornament in her memory. Make it for someone you know who needs a special angel.

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

Size 10 crochet cotton with size

7 hook: 3¾ inches wide x
5½ inches tall

Size 20 crochet cotton with size

10 hook: 2¾ inches wide x
3¾ inches tall

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet size 10 crochet cotton (350 yds per ball):
100 yds #479 bridal blue for large angel



Or

- Lizbeth Thread size 20 crochet cotton (210 yds per ball):
100 yds #601 snow white for small angel

- Size 10/1.15mm or 7/1.65mm steel crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Fabric stiffener
- 10-lb.-test nylon for hanging loop
- Straight pins
- Plastic wrap
- Pinning board

GAUGE

Size 10 hook with size 20

crochet cotton: 15 sts =

1 inch; 5 dc rows = 1 inch

Size 7 hook with size 10

crochet cotton: 9 sts = 1 inch;

4 dc rows = 1 inch

Maurine's Angel

Design by Andee Graves

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

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

Chain-5 at beginning of row counts as first treble crochet and chain 1 unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

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

Large shell (lg shell): (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in indicated st.

ANGEL

HEAD

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, (4 sc, hdc, 4 dc, hdc) in 2nd ch from hook, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc. (10 sts)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, (hdc, dc) in next st, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, (dc, hdc) in next st, 2 sc in next st, join in first sc. (18 sts)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, *ch 2, dc in next st, [ch 2, sk next st, dc in next st] twice, rep from * once, ch 2, sc in next st, join in first sc, **do not fasten off**. (10 sc, 6 dc, 7 ch-2 sps)

WINGS & BODY

Row 1 (RS): Now working in rows, sl st in next 2 sts, ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in each of next 3 sts, turn. (4 sc)

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

Row 3: Ch 5 (see *Pattern Notes*), sk first st, dc in next st, ch 2, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, [ch 2, dc in next st] twice, turn. (8 dc, 4 ch-2 sps)

Row 4: Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), **shell** (see *Pattern Notes*) in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, dc in next st, 2 dc in each next 2 sts, shell in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-5. (4 shells, 8 dc)

Row 5: Ch 4 (see *Pattern Notes*), [shell in next ch-2 sp of shell,

ch 1] twice, sk next 2 sts, dc in each of next 6 sts, [ch 1, shell in next ch-2 sp] twice, ch 1, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (4 shells, 6 ch-1 sps, 8 dc)

Row 6: Ch 5 (see *Pattern Notes*), (2 tr, ch 2, 2 dc) in first ch-1 sp, shell in next ch-2 sp, shell in next ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2, dc in next 6 dc, ch 2, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, shell in next ch-2 sp, shell in next ch-1 sp, shell in next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 tr) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, tr in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. (6 shells, 2 ch-1 sps, 4 ch-2 sps, 6 tr, 14 dc)

Row 7: Ch 3, shell in first ch-1 sp, shell in each of next 4 ch-2 sps of shells, shell in next ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 2 sts, 2 dc in each of next 2 sts, dc in each of next 2 sts, shell in next ch-2 sp, shell in each of next 4 ch-2 sps of shells, shell in next ch-1 sp, dc in 4th ch of beg ch-5.

Fasten off. (12 shells, 10 dc)

SKIRT

Row 1: With WS of row 7 facing, attach crochet cotton in first dc after 6th shell from end, ch 4, dc in same dc as beg ch-4, dc in next st, [ch 1, dc in each of next 2 sts] 3 times, ch 1, dc in same st as last dc, turn. (10 dc, 5 ch-1 sps)

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in same st as beg ch-3, [ch 2, sk next ch-1 sp, dc in each of next 2 sts] 4 times, ch 2, sk next ch-1 sp, 2 dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-4, turn. (12 dc, 5 ch-2 sps)

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

Row 4: Rep row 3.

Row 5: Ch 5, [shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1] 4 times, shell in next ch-2 sp, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch, turn. (5 shells, 4 ch-1 sps)

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, **[lg shell]** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next ch-1

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A Bear for All Seasons

Designs by Andee Graves

SKILL LEVEL

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FINISHED SIZES

Stuffed Bear: 4¾ inches tall x 3½ inches wide

Flat Bear: 4 inches tall x 3¼ inches wide

MATERIALS

- Caron Dazzeaire bulky (chunky) weight acrylic/nylon yarn (3 oz/155 yds/85g per skein):
 - Stuffed Bear:** .8 oz/42 yds/23g #0004 clay pot
 - .12 oz/6.2 yds/3.43g #0001 summer rose
- Caron Simply Soft medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/315 yds/170g per skein):
 - Flat Bear:** .4/21 yds/10g #9701 white
 - .03 oz/1.6 yds/.82g #0009 garnet
- DMC Perle Cotton size 5 crochet cotton (27 yds per skein):
- 10 yds #310 black
- DMC Embroidery Floss (8.7 yds per skein):
- 1 skein each black and white
- Sizes E/4/3.5mm and H/8/5mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Various sizes yarn/tapestry needles
- Stitch marker
- ¼-inch black craft felt circles: 4
- Fiberfill

GAUGE

Size H hook: Muzzle = 1¼ inch

Size E hook: Muzzle = ⅞ inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

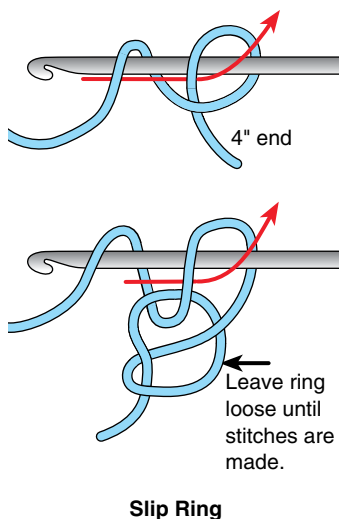
Do not join rounds unless otherwise stated. Use stitch marker to mark rounds.

Work Stuffed Bear tight enough to prevent fiberfill from coming out between stitches.

Stuffed Bear uses size H crochet hook and clay pot yarn.

Flat Bear uses size E crochet hook and white yarn.

Begin first round with **slip ring** (see illustration). Work indicated number of stitches in 2nd chain from hook, pull remaining beginning length to close opening.



Slip Ring

SPECIAL STITCH

3-double crochet cluster

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

FLAT BEAR

EAR

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With size E hook (see Pattern Notes), ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join**, place

marker and move as work progresses. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each of next 3 sc, sl st in next st. Fasten off. (6 sc, 1 sl st)

Note: 2nd and 3rd sc of rnd 2 are top of Ears.

MUZZLE

Rnd 1: Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: [2 sc in next sc] 6 times, sl st in next sc. Fasten off. (12 sc)

ARMS & LEGS

Make 4.

Rnds 1 & 2: Rep rnds 1 and 2 of Muzzle. (12 sc)

HEAD

Rnd 1: Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: [2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (12 sc)

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

Rnd 4: Sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 5 times, sc in last sc, sl st in next sc. Fasten off. (24 sc)

BODY

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Head. **Do not fasten off.** (24 sc)

Rnd 5: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc] 6 times, sl st in next sc. Fasten off. (30 sc)

BOW TIE

With garnet, ch 4, **(3-dc cl—see Special Stitch, ch 3, sl st, ch 3, 3-dc cl, ch 3, sl st)** in first ch of ch-4, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off.

Thread yarn needle with rem ending length, weave through base of cl sts and snug to close opening, wrap ending length around center of bow 3 or 4 times, knot to secure, do not fasten off rem length.



Make this darling little bear either stuffed or flat for lots of year-round decorating and gift options.

Finish as given in Stuffed Bear instructions (page 54).

STUFFED BEAR

EAR

Make 2.

Rnds 1 & 2: With size H hook (see *Pattern Notes*), rep rnds 1 and 2 of Small & Large Bear Ear. (6 sc, 1 sl st)

Note: 2nd and 3rd sc of rnd 2 are top of Ears.

MUZZLE

Rnds 1 & 2: Rep rnds 1 and 2 of Flat Bear Muzzle. (12 sc)

ARMS & LEGS

Make 4.

Rnd 1: Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: With WS on outside, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (12 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc]

4 times, sl st in next st, leaving 6-inch length, fasten off. (8 sc)

HEAD BACK

Rnd 1: Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. (6 sc)

Rnd 2: [2 sc in next sc] 6 times. (12 sc)

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

Rnd 4: Sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in

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Snowman Stocking Ornament

Design by Sandy Abbate

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ □ EASY

FINISHED SIZE

9 inches tall

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Vanna's Choice medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/170 yds/100g per ball):
1 ball each #100 white and #180 cranberry
- Lion Brand Wool-Ease medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool/polyamide yarn (2½ oz/162 yds/70g per ball):
1 ball #501 white frost
- Fine (sport) weight acrylic yarn:
1 yd each pumpkin and black
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 1¼-inch-wide 3-leaf holly button
- Tacky glue
- Blusher
- Fiberfill
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

5 sc = 1 inch; 7 sc rnds = 1½ inches;
5 dc = 1½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.



Hang this whimsical ornament on your tree or door for a charming addition to your holiday decorations.

ORNAMENT

STOCKING

Heel

Rnd 1: With cranberry, ch 7, 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 4 chs, 3 sc in next ch, working on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in each of next 4 chs, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc. (14 sc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc as joining, 3 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 6 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, join in beg sc. (18 sc)

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Foot

Rnd 1: Attach cranberry directly above center sc of 3-sc group, ch 1, sc in same sc, sc in each of next 9 sc, ch 10, sk next 8 sc, join in beg sc. (10 sc, ch-10 sp)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc, sc in each of next 9 sc, sc in each of next 10 chs, join in beg sc. (20 sc)

Rnds 3–10: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, join in beg sc.

Rnd 11: Ch 1, [sc dec (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] 10 times, join in beg sc. (10 sc)

Rnd 12: Ch 1, [sc dec in next 2 sc] 5 times, join in beg sc. Leaving a length of yarn, fasten off. (5 sc)

Weave rem length through sts of rnd 12, draw tight to close opening, secure and fasten off.

Leg

Rnd 1: Working in rem sc of Heel and opposite side of foundation ch of rnd 1 of Foot, join cranberry with sl st at back of center st of Heel, ch 1, sc in same st, work 21 more sc evenly sp around, join in beg sc. (22 sc)

Rnds 2–10: Ch 1, sc in each of next 22 sc, join in beg sc. At the end of rnd 10, fasten off. (22 sc)

Cuff

Rnd 1: With WS facing, join white frost in same st as joining of rnd 10 of Leg, ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. (22 sc)

Rnds 2–7: Ch 2 (does not count as a st), dc in same st as beg ch-2, dc in each rem st around, join in first dc. (22 dc)

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in each dc around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Fold Cuff downward at rnd 3. Stuff Stocking lightly with fiberfill.

SNOWMAN

Head

Rnd 1: With white, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join rnds, place st marker. (6 sc)

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

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

Rnd 4: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 5: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 6: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 7: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc] around. (30 sc)

Rnds 8 & 9: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 10: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 11: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 12: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (18 sc)

Rnd 13: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 14: [Sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (12 sc)

Stuff Head with fiberfill.

Rnd 15: [Sc dec in next 2 sc] 6 times, sl st in next st, leaving a 12-inch length, fasten off.

Weave rem length through rem sts of rnd 15, pull tightly to close opening, secure.

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Elegant Ribbon Wrap

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FINISHED SIZE

Center Motif: 5 inches square

Wrap panel: Each panel 3½ inches wide x 11 inches long

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet size 10 crochet cotton (400 yds per ball):
1 ball #1 white
- Aunt Lydia's Fashion Crochet Metallics size 5 cotton/metallic filament (100 yds per ball):
25 yds #90G gold/gold
- Size 6/1.80mm steel crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Sewing needle
- White sewing thread
- 12mm white buttons: 4
- 4 x 10 x 10-inch square gift box
- Gold wrapping paper



GAUGE

Rnd 1 = 7/8 inch in diameter;

11 dc = 1 inch; 1 dc rnd = 3/8 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

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

SPECIAL STITCHES

Popcorn (pc): 5 dc in indicated st, draw up lp, remove hook,



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insert hook in first dc, pick up dropped lp and draw through st on hook.

Beginning popcorn (beg pc):

Ch 3, 4 dc in same st as beg ch-3, draw up a lp, remove hook, insert hook in top of beg ch-3, pick up dropped lp and draw through st on hook.

Beginning shell (beg shell):

Ch 6, 4 dc in indicated ch sp.

Shell: (4 dc, ch 3, 4 dc) in indicated st.

Tab stitch (tab st): Dc in indicated st, ch 4, 4 dc over post of dc just completed, sc in end lp of next tab.

Beginning tab stitch (beg tab st): Dc in indicated st, ch 4, 4 dc

over post of dc just completed, sc in next lp.

Double crochet cluster (dc cl): [Yo, insert hook in next dc, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] 4 times, yo, draw through rem 5 lps on hook.

RIBBON WRAP

CENTER MOTIF

Rnd 1 (RS): With white, ch 8, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, **ch 3** (see *Pattern Notes*), 23 dc in ring, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (24 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same dc as beg ch-1, *ch 16, sc in 11th ch of ch-16, hdc in next ch, dc in each of next 7 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in next ch**, sc in each of next 2 dc, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, sc in next sc, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (12 leaves)

Rnd 3: With RS facing, working in each side of each leaf and in ch-5 sp at end of each leaf, join gold/gold in 6th ch of opposite side of foundation ch of any leaf, **beg pc** (see *Special Stitches*) in same ch, *(ch 5, **pc**—see *Special Stitches*) 3 times in ch-5 sp, ch 5, pc in 6th st on opposite edge of leaf (4th dc)**, pc in 6th ch of next leaf, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg pc. Fasten off. (60 pc, 48 ch-5 sps)

Rnd 4 (RS): Working in ch-5 sps on outer edge only (24 ch-5 sps), working in first ch-5 sp at top of any leaf, join white, **ch 6** (see *Pattern Notes*), 4 dc in next ch-5 sp, *[ch 5, sc in next ch-5 sp] 4 times, ch 5, 4 dc in next ch-5 sp, ch 3**, 4 dc in next ch-5 sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, 3 dc in next ch-5 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, sl st in ch-3 sp. (4 corners, 20 ch-5 sps)

Rnd 5: Beg shell (see *Special Stitches*) in same ch-3 sp, *ch 2, **dc cl** (see *Special Stitches*) in each of next 4 dc, ch 5, sc in

next ch sp, ch 5, dc in center of next ch sp, [ch 4, dc in center of next ch sp] twice, ch 5, sc in next ch sp, ch 5, dc cl in each of next 4 dc, ch 2**, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next ch-3 sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, 3 dc in same ch-3 sp as beg ch-6, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, sl st in ch-3 sp. (4 shells, 8 cls, 8 ch-2 sps, 8 ch-4 sps, 16 ch-5 sps)

Rnd 6: Beg shell in same ch-3 sp, *ch 2, dc cl in next 4 dc, ch 3, **beg tab st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next lp, ch 3, dc in next dc, dc in next 9 sts, dc in next dc, ch 3, beg tab st in next lp, ch 3, dc cl in next 4 dc, ch 2**, shell in next ch-3 sp of shell, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, 3 dc in same ch-3 sp as beg ch-6, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, sl st in ch-3 sp, turn. (8 beg tabs, 4 groups 11 dc, 4 shells, 8 dc cls)

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in same st as beg ch-1, sc in next dc, *ch 3, sc in each of next 2 dc, ch 5, sc in next ch sp, ch 3, beg tab st in next sc, ch 3, dc in next dc, ch 9, sk next 9 dc, dc in next dc, ch 3, **tab st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, ch 3, sc in next sp, ch 5, sc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, sc in each of next 2 dc, (3 sc, ch 3, 3 sc) in next ch-3 sp of shell, sc in each of next 2 dc, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Button Loop Panel

Make 2.

Row 8: With RS of Center Motif facing and working from right to left, join white in sc between ch-5 and ch-3 sps to the left of shell, ch 6, 2 dc in same sc, ch 3, tab st in next sc, ch 3, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 sts, dc in next dc, ch 3, tab st in next sc, ch 3, 2 dc in next sc, turn.

Row 9: Ch 5, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, tab st in next sc, ch 3, dc in next dc, ch 9, sk next 9 dc, dc in next dc, ch 3, tab st in next

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Vintage Christmas Throw

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FINISHED SIZE

44 x 60 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (solids: 7 oz/364 yds/198g; multi: 5 oz/244 yds/141g per skein):
2 skeins each #633 dark sage, #378 claret and #967 holly & ivy
1 skein each #334 buff and #631 light sage
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

Hexagon = 3 inches top to bottom and 3½ inches point to point

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Make 17 Hexagons for each panel, joining together as indicated while working round 3.

Panels are vertical on completed Throw.

Panel Side Edging is worked on each side of Hexagon strips.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

THROW

PANELS

Make 6.

Hexagon

Make 17, alternating claret & dark sage.

Rnd 1 (RS): With claret, ch 4, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch to form a ring, ch 1, (sc in ring, ch 3) 5 times, sc in ring, hdc in beg sc (*counts as last ch-3 sp*) to position hook to beg following rnd. (6 sc, 6 ch-3 sps)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same sp as beg ch-1, ch 1, [(sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-3 sp, ch 1] 5 times, join in beg sc. (12 sc, 6 ch-2 sps, 6 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 3: Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 1, (sc, ch 4, sc) in same ch-2 sp, *sk next sc, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-1 sp, sk next sc**, (sc, ch 4, sc) in next ch-2 sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (24 sc, 6 ch-4 sps, 6 ch-2 sps)

Position Hexagon so that joining seam is at top. Join rem Hexagons at bottom edge of previous Hexagon while working side 3 of Hexagon.

To join, continuing to rep rnds 1 and 2 and for rnd 3, join at ch-4 and ch-2 sps. To join ch-4 sps, ch 2, drop lp, draw lp under to over through opposite ch-4 sp, ch 2 and continue. To join ch-2 sps, ch 1, drop lp, draw lp under to over through opposite ch-2 sp, ch 1 and continue. Continue joining until 17 Hexagons are joined in a strip.

Side Edging

Row 1 (RS): Draw up a lp of buff in ch-4 sp at left-hand edge of top Hexagon, ch 1, sc in same sp, sk over sc sts and working in ch-2 sps and ch-4 sps only, *ch 2, sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-4 sp, ch 2, sc in next ch-2 sp**, ch 2, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 ch-4 sps, rep from * across, ending last rep

at **, ch 2, sc in last ch-4 sp. Fasten off. (16 dec, 70 sc, 85 ch-2 sps)

Row 2 (RS): Draw up a lp of light sage in first ch-2 sp of row 1, ch 1, 2 sc in same ch-2 sp, working in specified sps only, *ch 2, sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp (*at point*), [ch 2, sc in next ch-2 sp] twice**, ch 1, sc in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in same sp as last sc. Fasten off. (104 sc, 16 ch-1 sps, 85 ch-2 sps)

Row 3 (RS): Draw up a lp of claret in 2nd sc of row 2, ch 1, sc in same sc, work 2 sc in each ch-2 sp, sc in each sc, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp at points and sk 2 sc at center between points and work sc in center ch-1 sp, ending with leave last sc unworked. Fasten off. (256 sc, 17 ch-2 sps)

Row 4 (RS): Draw up a lp of holly & ivy in 2nd sc of row 3, **ch 4** (see *Pattern Notes*), tr in next sc, *dc in each of next 3 sc, hdc in each of next 2 sc, sc in next ch-2 sp, hdc in each of next 2 sc, dc in each of next 3 sc**, tr in next sc, [sk next sc, tr in next sc] twice, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, tr in each of next 2 sc. Fasten off. (239 sts)

Rep Side Edging rows 1–4 on opposite side of Hexagon strip.

Rep until all 6 Panels are completed.

Panel Borders

Note: Work Border around first Panel. Join rem Panels on 1 side while working rnd 1 of Border. Continue to join at each ch-2 sp by ch 1, drop lp, draw lp under to over through opposite ch-2 sp, ch 1 and continue.

Rnd 1 (RS): Draw up a lp of dark sage in 2nd tr of Side Edging row 4 at bottom, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same st, working

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A large, hand-knitted throw blanket with a repeating diamond pattern in red, green, and cream is draped over a light-colored upholstered chair with wooden armrests. The blanket's pattern consists of large green diamonds with red centers, separated by cream-colored lines. To the left, a dark wood side table holds a round clock and a small white object. A portion of a Christmas tree is visible in the upper left corner. The background features a window with a decorative stained glass design. The overall scene is set in a cozy, vintage-style interior.

*Victorian colors
and vintage style
give this elegant
holiday throw
a nostalgic,
old-world charm.*

Texting Mittens

Design by Linda Dean

SKILL LEVEL



FINISHED SIZE

11¼ inches cuff to fingertips x 3¾ inches across palm; approximately 7½ inches in circumference around palm

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Boutique Midnight medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool/nylon/metallic polyester yarn (2½ oz/153 yds/70g per ball):
1 ball #1942 serenade
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle
- Sewing thread
- 1½ x ⅝-inch hook-and-loop tape
- Stitch marker



GAUGE

6 sts = 2 inches; 7 rnds = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

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

Cut hook-and-loop tape in half lengthwise, creating two 1½ x ⅝-inch pieces.

MITTENS

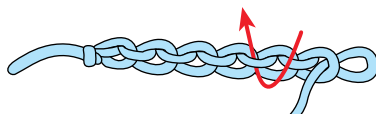
Make 2.

CUFF

Row 1: Ch 10, working in **back bar of ch** (see illustration), sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (9 sc)



Texting in cold weather will be easier and more comfortable with these clever, thumb-free mittens that can be worn with or without the finger caps in place.



Back Bar of Chain

Rows 2–21: Ch 1, working in **back lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of each sc, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 22: Holding row 21 to opposite side of foundation ch,

working through both thicknesses in back lp of sts of row 21 and front lps of foundation ch, sl st across, **do not fasten off**.

MITTEN

Rnd 1: Working in edge of rows of Cuff, ch 1, sc in end of each row around, do not join rnds, place st marker and move as work progresses. (21 sc)

Note: Work in back lp only of each sc unless otherwise stated.

Rnd 2: Sc in each st around.

Rnds 3–7: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 8: [2 sc in next sc] twice, sc in each rem st around. (23 sc)

Rnd 9: Rep rnd 8. (25 sc)

Rnd 10: Ch 4, sk next 3 sts (*thumb opening*), sc in each of next 22 sc. (22 sc, ch-4 sp)

Rnd 11: Sc in each of next 4 chs, sc in each of next 22 sc. (26 sc)

Rnds 12–18: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 19: [Sc dec (*see Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] twice, sc in each of next 22 sc. (24 sc)

Left Mitten

Note: Position Mitten flat with 12 sts on top (back) of hand and 12 sts on bottom (palm), sc across to last st of top (back) of hand. Thumb opening will be on right edge of mitten.

Rnd 20: Sc in next st, ch 9 (*underside of fingers*), sk next 9 sts, sc in each of next 14 sts. (15 sc, ch-9 sp)

Rnd 21: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 10 sts] twice. (22 sc)

Rnd 22: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 9 sts] twice. (20 sc)

Rnd 23: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 8 sts] twice. (18 sc)

Rnd 24: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 7 sts] twice. (16 sc)

Rnd 25: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 6 sts] twice. (14 sc)

Rnd 26: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 5 sts] twice. (12 sc)

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Bobble Hat & Wristlets

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FINISHED SIZES

Hat: Diameter of Hat lying flat measures approximately 11 inches

Wristlets: Instructions given fit adult sizes small–medium (with size I hook) or large–X-large (with size K hook)

MATERIALS

- Universal Yarn Classic Chunky bulky (chunky) acrylic/wool weight yarn (3½ oz/131 yds/100g per ball):
3 balls #60611 cocoa
- Sizes I/9/5.5mm and K/10½/6.5mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Stitch markers



GAUGE

Size K hook for Hat: [Bobble, sc] 3 times = 3 inches; 4 bobble rnds = 3 inches

Size I hook for Hat: 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rnds = 1 inch

Size K hook for Wristlets: 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rnds = 1 inch; [bobble, sc] twice = 2 inches; 2 bobble rnds = 2 inches

Size I hook for Wristlets: 7 sc = 2 inches; 7 sc rnds = 2 inches; [bobble, sc] 3 times = 2½ inches; 4 bobble rnds = 2½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Do not join rounds unless otherwise stated. Place stitch marker at end of round and move as work progresses.

Bulky-weight yarn gives cozy warmth and stitching speed to this easy set. Textured bobbles add delightful dimension.



Do not work in chain-1 of each bobble stitch. Skip these chain-1 spaces.

For Wristlets, use same pattern for both sizes with different-size crochet hook.

SPECIAL STITCHES

5-double crochet bobble

(5-dc bobble): [Yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] 5 times in same st, yo, draw through all 6 lps on hook, ch 1 to lock.

3-double crochet bobble

(3-dc bobble): [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, ch 1 to lock.

HAT

CROWN

Rnd 1 (RS): Beg at center top of crown, with size K hook, ch 3 loosely, 7 hdc in 3rd ch from hook, do not join, place st marker. (7 hdc)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each hdc around. (14 sc)

Rnd 3: [Sc in next st, **5-dc bobble** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st] around. (7 bobbles, 7 sc)

Rnd 4: [Work 2 sc in next sc, 2 sc in next 5-dc bobble] around. (28 sc)

Rnd 5: Rep rnd 3. (14 bobbles, 14 sc)

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] 4 times. (36 sc)

Rnd 7: Rep rnd 3. (18 bobbles, 18 sc)

Rnd 8: [Sc in each of next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st] 4 times. (40 sc)

Rnd 9: Rep rnd 3. (20 bobbles, 20 sc)

Rnd 10: [Sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] 10 times. (50 sc)

Rnd 11: Rep rnd 3. (25 bobbles, 25 sc)

Rnd 12: [Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st] 7 times, ending with sc in last st. (64 sc)

Rnd 13: Rep rnd 3. (32 bobbles, 32 sc)

Rnd 14: Sc in each st around.

Rnds 15–20: [Rep rnds 13 and 14 alternately] 3 times.

Rnd 21: Place 8 st markers evenly sp around, sc in each st around, working **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc where markers are placed. (56 sc)

Rnd 22: Rep rnd 3. (28 bobbles, 28 sc)

Rnd 23: Place 6 st markers evenly sp around, sc in each st around, working sc dec in next

2 sc where markers are placed, **do not fasten off**. (50 sc)

Hatband

Rnd 24: With size I hook, sc in each sc around. (50 sc)

Rnds 25–27: Sc in each sc around. At the end of rnd 27, sl st in next sc, fasten off.

WRISTLET

Make 2.

CUFF

Row 1: With size I [K] hook, ch 13, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (12 sc)

Rows 2–21: Ch 1, working in **back lp** (see *Stitch Guide*), sc in each st across, turn.

At the end of row 21, leaving a 12-inch length of yarn, fasten off.

With rem length, sew last row to opposite side of foundation ch.

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FINISHED SIZE

16 inches wide x 66 inches long
(length is divided into: 9 inches for
first Lace Edge, 48 inches for Wrap
and 9 inches for 2nd Lace Edge)

MATERIALS

- Caron Simply Soft medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/315 yds/170g per skein):
2 skeins #0014 pagoda (A)
1 skein each #9727 black (B)
and #9742 gray heather (C)
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

[3 dc, sc] 3 times = 4 inches;
4 rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

When changing color, always leave 6-inch length of each old and new color.

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

SPECIAL STITCHES

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

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

V-stitch (V-st): (Dc, ch 4, dc) in indicated st or sp.

Treble cluster (tr cl): *Yo hook twice, insert hook in ch-4 sp, yo, draw up a lp, [yo, draw through 2 lps on hook] twice, rep from *



Add a stylish finish to a dressy outfit with this pretty lace wrap that can be worn different ways.

once, yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook.

Single crochet foundation stitch (sc foundation st):

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

Next st: *Insert hook in base ch just completed, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 1 lp on hook (*base ch completed*), yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, rep from * until indicated number of sts are completed.

WRAP

Row 1 (RS): With A, **sc foundation st** (see *Special Stitches*) 187 times, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, ch 1, sk 1 sc, sc in next sc, [ch 5, sk 1 sc, sc in next sc, ch 2, sk next 2 sc, sc in next sc] 36 times, ending with ch 5, sk 1 st, sc in next st, ch 1, sk 1 st, sc in last st, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to B, turn. (37 ch-5 sps, 36 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-1 sps)

Row 3 (RS): Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), 2 dc in ch-1 sp, [sc in next ch-5 sp, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp] rep across, ending with 2 dc in last ch-1 sp, dc in last sc, turn. (114 dc)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st, *ch 5, sk next st, sc in next st**, ch 2, sk next st, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, ch 1, sc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, change color, turn.

Rows 5 & 6: With C, rep rows 3 and 4.

Rows 7 & 8: With A, rep rows 3 and 4.

Rows 9 & 10: With B, rep rows 3 and 4.

Rows 11–42: [Rep rows 5–10 consecutively] 7 times.

Row 43: With A, rep row 3.



Row 44: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Fasten off.

Lace Edge

Row 1 (RS): Working across 1 short end of Wrap (16-inch edge), attach A, ch 1, work 43 sc across, turn.

Row 2: Beg shell (see *Special Stitches*) in first sc, *ch 5, sk next 6 sc, **V-st** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, ch 5, sk next 6 sc, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next sc, rep from * across, turn. (4 shells, 3 V-sts)

Row 3: Sl st in ch-2 sp, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, *ch 3, [(tr cl—see *Special Stitches*, ch 3) 4 times in next ch-4 sp, shell in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across, turn. (4 shells, 3 tr cl groups)

Row 4: Sl st in ch-2 sp, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, *ch 4, sk next

ch-3 sp, [2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3] twice, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, shell in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across, turn.

Row 5: Sl st in ch-2 sp, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, *ch 4, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, shell in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across, turn.

Row 6: Sl st in ch-2 sp, beg shell in same ch-2 sp, *ch 5, V-st in next ch-3 sp, ch 5, shell in next ch-2 sp, rep from * across, turn.

Rows 7–10: Rep rows 3–6 of Lace Edge.

Rows 11–13: Rep rows 3–5 of Lace Edge. At the end of row 13, fasten off.

Rep Lace Edge rows 1–13 on opposite short end of Wrap. Use care to weave in all rem ends. **CW**

Shades of Blue Slippers

Design by Carrie Carpenter

SKILL LEVEL



FINISHED SIZES

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

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Shoe size: 3–4 (7–8 inches) [5–6 (8–9 inches), 7–8 (9–10 inches), 9–10 (10–11 inches), 11–12 (11–12 inches)]

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Deborah Norville Collection Serenity Chunky bulky (chunky) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/ 109 yds/100g per ball):
2 [2, 3, 3, 3] #07 Memphis blues
- Size K/10½/6.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch markers



GAUGE

12 dc = 4 inches; 13 dc rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SLIPPER

Make 2.

CUFF

Row 1: Ch 10, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (9 sc)

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

Row 3: Rep row 2 for a total of 26 [28, 30, 32, 34] rows or until

Cuff measures approximately 8 [8, 9, 10, 11] inches. Holding last row of Cuff to opposite side of foundation ch of row 1, matching sts, sl st across row to form a tube. **do not fasten off.**

LEG

Rnd 1: Ch 1, working in end of Cuff rows, work 24 [26, 28, 32, 34] sc evenly sp around, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc. (24 [26, 28, 32, 34] sc)

Rnd 2: Sc in first sc, sc in each sc around, do not join, place st marker at beg of rnd, move marker as work progresses.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, working in back lp, sc in each st around.

Rep rnd 3 for a total of 28 [28
30, 32, 34] rnds or until Slipper
measures 8 [8, 9, 9, 9] inches
from top of Cuff.

HEEL

Row 1: Sc in first sc, place

marker, sc in each of next 11
[11, 12, 15, 16] sts, place marker,
turn leaving rem sts unworked.
(12 [12, 14, 16, 17] sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across to last sc, leaving last sc unworked, turn. (11 [11, 13, 15, 16] sc)

Rep row 2 until 5 [5, 6, 6, 6] sc
sts rem.

Heel Shaping

Row 1: Ch 1, sc in each of next 5 [5, 6, 6, 6] sc, [sc in closest next unworked st across side edge of Heel] 3 times, turn. (8 [8, 9, 9, 9] sc)

Row 2: Sk sl st, sc in each of next 8 [8, 9, 9, 9] sc, sc in next closest unworked st across side edge of Heel] 3 times, sl st in side edge of Heel, turn. (11 [11, 12, 12, 12] sc)

Row 3: Sk sl st, sc in each of next 11 [11, 12, 12, 12] sc, sc in next unworked st on side of Heel, sl st in next st of Heel edge, turn. (12 [12, 13, 13, 13] sc)



Row 4: Sk sl st, sc in each sc of previous row, sc in next unworked st on side edge of Slipper, sl st in next st, turn.

Rep row 4 adding 1 st on each row until reaching a total of 19 [21, 23, 25, 29] sc around Slipper including the rem sts on Leg after row 1 of Heel. At end of last row, sl st in next st, **do not turn**.

FOOT

Rnd 1: Sc in each of next 19 [21, 23, 25, 29] sc, place st marker (move marker as work progresses). (19 [21, 23, 25, 29] sc)

Rnd 2: Sc in each sc around.

Rep rnd 2 until Foot measures 6½ [7½, 8½, 9½, 10½] inches from Heel.

TOE SHAPING

Note: Leaving st marker from Foot in place, place another st marker at each side edge of Foot, move st markers with each rnd to keep them at each side edge of Foot.

Rnd 1: Sc to within 2 sc of first marker, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sts, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc across to within 2 sts of 2nd marker, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each rem sc of rnd. (15 [17, 19, 21, 25] sc)

Rnds 2–4: Sc in each sc around.

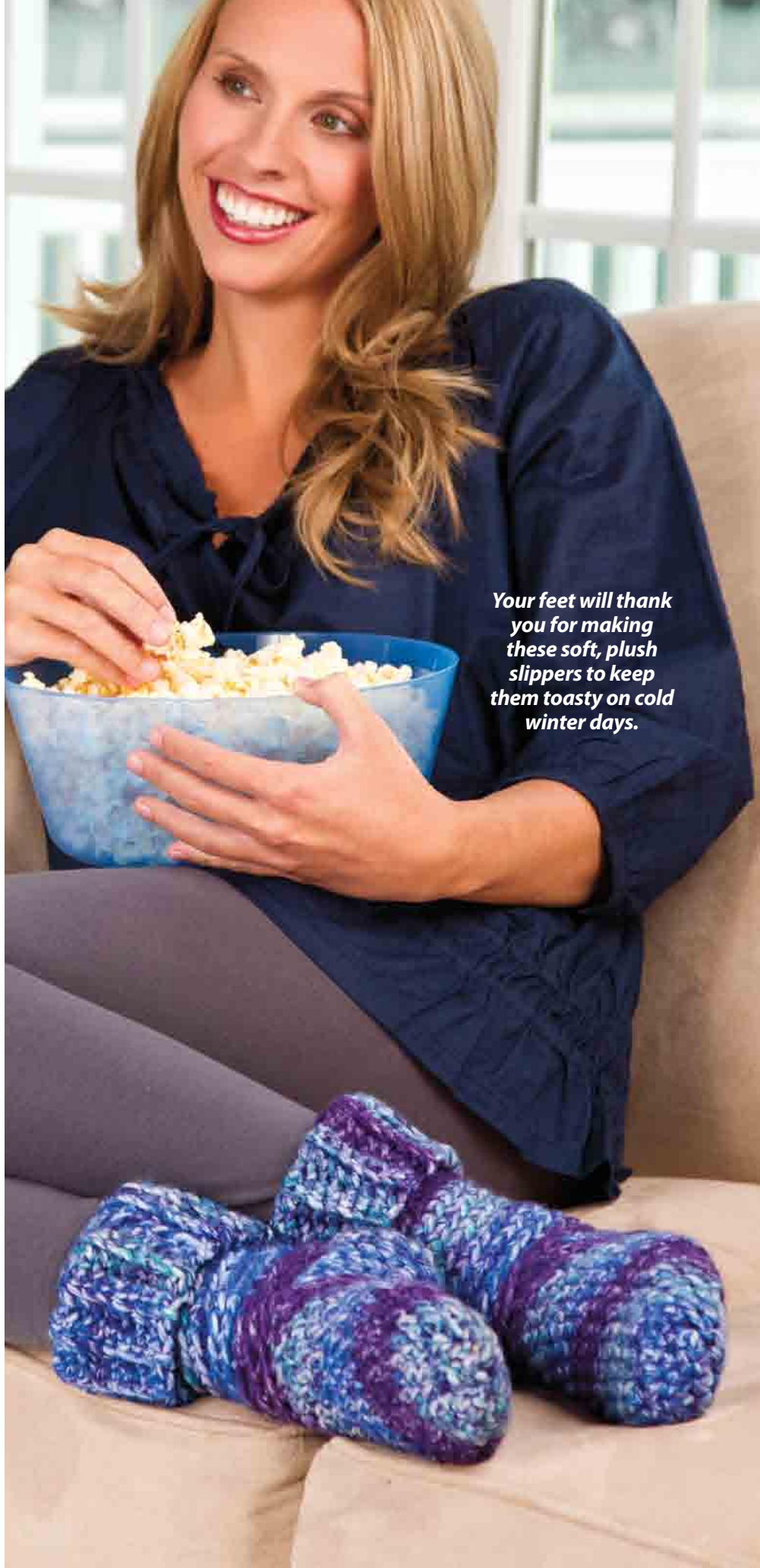
Rnd 5: Sc to within 2 sc of first marker, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc across to within 2 sts of 2nd marker, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each rem sc of rnd. (11 [13, 15, 17, 21] sc)

Rnd 6: Sc in each sc around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Turn Slipper inside out, fold Toe flat across and with tapestry needle and length of yarn, sew Toe opening closed. **CW**

Your feet will thank you for making these soft, plush slippers to keep them toasty on cold winter days.



Snuggly Snowman Set

Designs by Debra Arch

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ □ EASY

FINISHED SIZES

Scarf: 4¾ inches wide x 41½ inches long

Hat: Instructions given fit 2–4-year-old (16–18 inches in circumference)

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Soft Yarn medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (5 oz/256 yds/140g per ball):
1 ball each #4600 white, #6768 pink and #2515 turquoise
5 yds #4614 black
- Size F/5/3.75mm and J/10/6mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- ⅝-inch turquoise buttons: 9
- ⅝-inch pink buttons: 2



GAUGE

Size F hook: 5 sc = 1 inch; 5 sc rows = 1 inch

Size J hook: 7 hdc sts = 2 inches; 3 hdc rows = 1½ inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

SCARF

SCARF CENTER

Row 1 (RS): With size J hook and white, ch 13, hdc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in each rem ch across, turn. (12 hdc)

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

Row 3: Ch 2, hdc in each st across, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to turquoise in last st, leaving a 3-inch length of white and 3-inch length of turquoise at beg.

Row 4: Ch 1, lay beg and ending yarns on top of previous row and work over these ends, sc in

each st across, change color to white in last st, leaving a 3-inch length of each color.

Row 5: Ch 1, lay beg and ending yarns on top of previous row and work over these ends, sc in each st across, change color to turquoise in last st, leaving a 3-inch length of each color.

Row 6: Ch 1, lay beg and ending yarns on top of previous row and work over these ends, sc in each st across, change color to white in last st, leaving a 3-inch length of each color. (12 sc)

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A child's winter hat and scarf set doesn't get much cuter than this one adorned with adorable snowman and mitten accents.



Cuddle Bug Bunting Set

Designs by Dianne Gochenour

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Instructions given fit size newborn to 3 months

FINISHED GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Cocoon: 11½ inches wide x 19 inches long

Hat: 12 inches in circumference

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Pound of Love medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (16 oz/1,020 yds/448g per skein):
1 skein #099 antique white
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle



GAUGE

4 hdc = 1 inch; 2 hdc rnds = 1 inch; [sc, shell] twice and sc = 2½ inches; 4 rnds = 1¾ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: 3 dc in indicated st.

Beginning shell (beg shell): Ch 3, 2 dc in same st as beg ch-3.

COCOON

Rnd 1 (RS): Beg at bottom, ch 2, 10 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first hdc. (10 hdc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 2 hdc

in each rem st around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (20 hdc)

Rnd 3: Rep rnd 2. (40 hdc)

Rnd 4: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in next hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in next hdc] around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (60 hdc)

Rnd 5: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in each of next 2 hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in each of next 2 hdc] around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (80 hdc)

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st as joining, sk next st, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, [sk next st, sc in next st, sk next st, shell in next st] around, join in beg sc. (20 sc, 20 shells)

Rnd 7: Beg shell (see *Special Stitches*) in sc, sc in center dc of next shell, [shell in next sc, sc in center dc of next shell] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 8: Sl st in next dc, ch 1, sc in same dc, shell in next sc, [sc in center dc of next shell, shell in next sc] around, join in beg sc.

Rnds 9–48: [Rep rnds 7 and 8] 20 times. At the end of rnd 48, fasten off.

Turn down top edge of Cocoon approximately 2 inches.

HAT

Rnd 1 (RS): Beg at crown of Hat, ch 2, 9 hdc in 2nd ch from hook, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first hdc. (9 hdc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 2 hdc in each rem st around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (18 hdc)

Rnd 3: Rep rnd 2. (36 hdc)

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same st as joining, sk next st, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st, [sk next st, sc in next st, sk next st, shell in next st] around, join in beg sc. (9 sc, 9 shells)

Rnd 5: Beg shell (see *Special Stitches*) in sc, sc in center dc of next shell, [shell in next sc, sc in center dc of next shell] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, sl st in center dc.

Rnd 6: Sl st in next dc, ch 1, sc in same dc, shell in next sc, [sc in center dc of next shell, shell in next sc] around, join in beg sc.

Rnds 7–17: [Rep rnds 5 and 6] 5 times. At the end of rnd 17, fasten off.

Roll brim of Hat upward approximately 1 inch. **CW**





The old saying “snug as a bug in a rug” seems very appropriate for this cozy cocoon and hat for Baby.

Fuzzy Baby Penguin

Design by Eve Leder

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ □ EASY

FINISHED SIZE

9 inches tall

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Vanna's Choice medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/170 yds/100g per ball):
1 ball each #100 white and #153 black
- Lion Brand Jiffy bulky (chunky) weight acrylic yarn (3 oz/135 yds/85g per ball):
1 ball #155 silver heather
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Fiberfill
- Stitch markers



GAUGE

Body: 4 sc = 1½ inches

Head: 5 sc = 1¼ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

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

PENGUIN

BODY

Rnd 1 (RS): With silver heather, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join, place st marker. (6 sc)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Rnd 9: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 10: Rep rnd 9.

Rnd 11: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, **sc dec** (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] around. (42 sc)

Rnd 12: Rep rnd 9.

Rnd 13: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (36 sc)

Rnd 14: Rep rnd 9.

Rnd 15: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (30 sc)

Rnds 16–18: Rep rnd 9.

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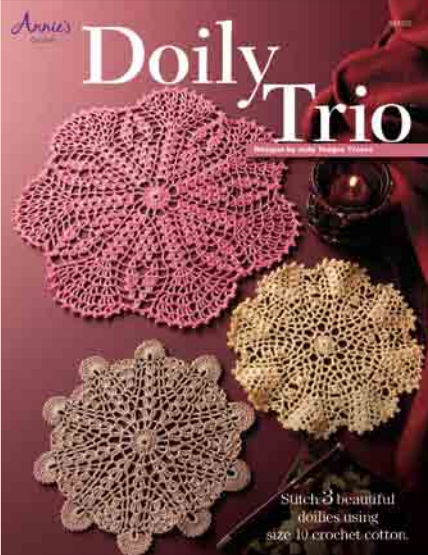
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SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ □ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit child's size 4; changes for 6, 8 and 10 are in [].

FINISHED GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 29 inches (size 4), [30½ inches (size 6), 31½ inches (size 8) and 34 inches (size 10)].

Length: 15 inches (size 4), [16½ inches (size 6), 18 inches (size 8) and 20 inches (size 10)]

MATERIALS

- Caron Simply Soft Party medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3 oz/164 yds/85g per skein):
 - 3 [4, 4, 5] skeins #0002 fuchsia sparkle (A)
 - 1 [2, 2, 2] skeins each #0006 purple sparkle (B) and #0004 teal sparkle (C)
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch markers



GAUGE

Yoke, sleeve and body pattern:
16 sts = 4¼ inches; 11 rows = 4¼ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

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

SPECIAL STITCH

2-double crochet cluster

(2-dc cl): Yo, insert hook in indicated st or sp, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook (2 lps rem on hook), yo, insert hook in same st or sp, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook, yo, draw through rem 3 lps on hook.

JACKET

YOKE

Row 1: With A, ch 54 [56, 56, 60], hdc in 3rd ch from hook (2 sk chs do not count as first hdc), [(sc, dc) in next ch, sk next ch] 25 [26, 26, 28] times to last ch, hdc in last ch, turn. (52 [54, 54, 58] sts)

Row 2: Ch 2 (see Pattern Notes), hdc in first hdc, [(sc, dc) in next dc, sk next sc] 3 [3, 3, 4] times, (sc, dc) in next dc, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in next sc (corner), [(sc, dc) in next dc, sk next sc] twice, hdc in next dc, place a marker in hdc just made, sk next sc, (sc, dc) in next dc, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in next sc (corner), [(sc, dc) in next dc, sk next sc] 8 [9, 9, 9] times, (sc, dc) in next dc, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in next sc (corner), [(sc, dc) in next dc, sk next sc] twice, hdc in next dc, place a marker in hdc just made, sk next sc, (sc, dc) in next dc, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in next sc (corner), [(sc, dc) in next dc, sk next sc] 4 [4, 4, 5] times, hdc in last hdc, turn. (66 [68, 68, 72] sts)

Notes: Markers indicate where hdc sts are worked near the middle of each Sleeve section. Move the marker as each row is worked. If a st is worked into a

marked st, move the marker into the st worked. If a marked st is sk, move the marker into the sp between the 2 sts on either side of the skipped st. From here on, sk the sc sts.

Row 3: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1 [2, 2, 2], sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next (marked) hdc, hdc in next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch-sp, (sc, dc, ch 1 [2, 2, 2], sc, dc) in corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (82 [84, 84, 88] sts and 4 corner ch-sp)

SIZE 4 ONLY

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, sk corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, sk next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, sk corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (80 sts)

SIZES 6 [8] ONLY

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, sk next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in corner ch sp, ch 2, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, (sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, sk next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. ([94] sts)

SIZE 10 ONLY

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, sk next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch

sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. ([102] sts)

ALL SIZES

Row 5: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, rep from * 3 times, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (96 [110, 110, 118] sts)

Row 6: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1 [2, 2, 2], sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to 1 dc before marker, hdc in next dc and move marker to hdc just made, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1 [2, 2, 2], sc, dc) in corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (110 [124, 124, 132] sts)

SIZES 4 [6, 8] ONLY

Row 7: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, sk corner ch-sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next marked hdc, hdc in next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, sk corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc in last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (110 [124, 124] sts)

SIZE 10 ONLY

Row 7: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, (sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, hdc next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in corner ch sp, ch 2, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. ([140] sts)

ALL SIZES

Row 8: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in

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Your darling little diva will love the girly-glitz sparkle of this cardigan that's just as cute with jeans as it is for dress-up.

Checkerboard Pet Mats

Designs by Terry Day

SKILL LEVEL



FINISHED SIZE

20½ inches square

MATERIALS

- Caron Simply Soft medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/315 yds/170g per skein):
4 oz each #0013 nutmeg and #9730 autumn red (each Mat)
2 oz each #2710 gray heather (mice) and/or #0001 vanilla (bones)
1 oz #2680 black (each Mat)
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Washable glue (optional)



GAUGE

9 hdc = 2 inches; 5 hdc rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

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

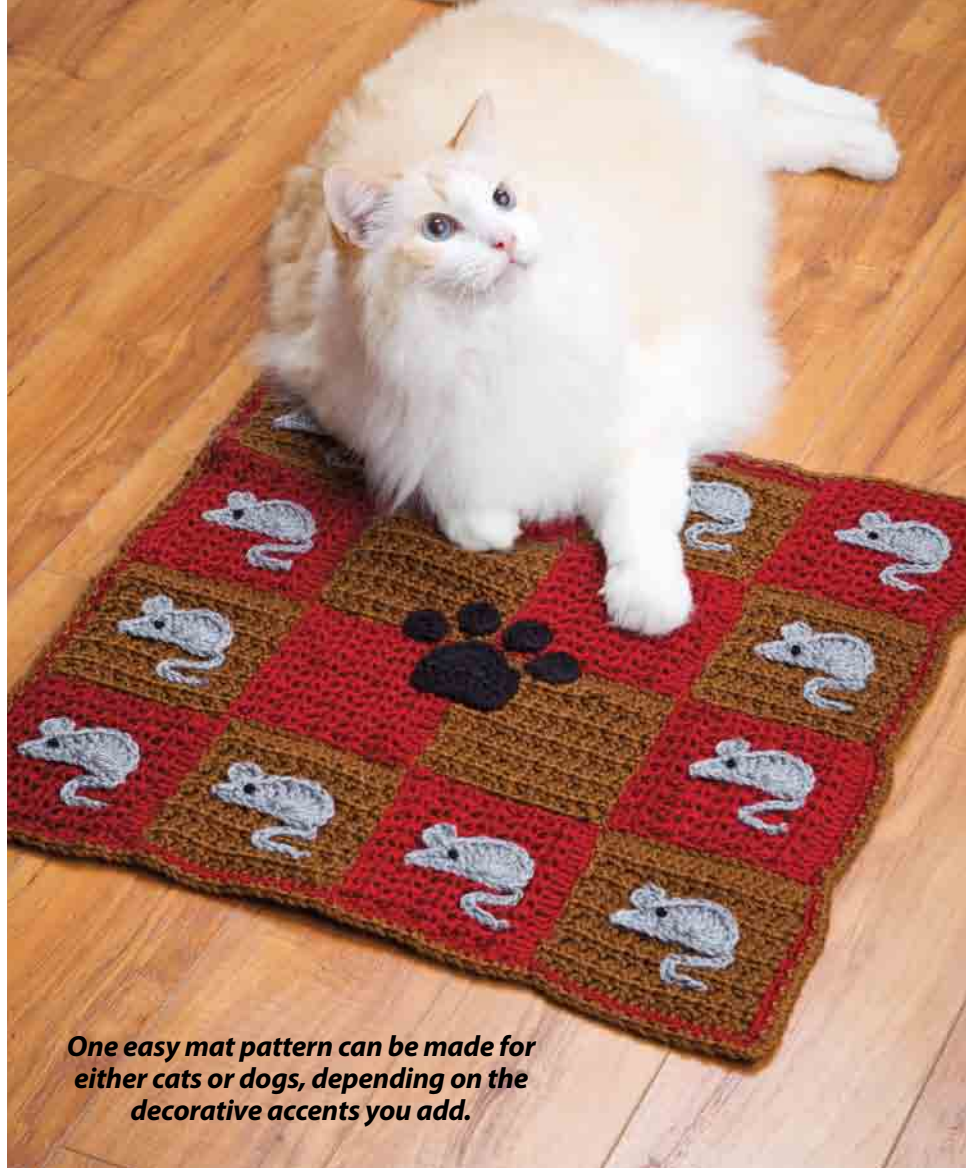
SPECIAL STITCH

2-half double crochet cluster (2-hdc cl): [Yo, insert hook in dc, yo, draw up lp] twice in same st, yo, draw through all 5 lps on hook.

MAT

SQUARE

Make 8 each nutmeg and autumn red.



One easy mat pattern can be made for either cats or dogs, depending on the decorative accents you add.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 21, hdc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in each rem ch across, turn. (20 hdc)

Row 2: Ch 1, [hdc in **front lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of next st, hdc in **back lp** (see *Stitch Guide*) of next st] across, turn.

Rows 3–11: Rep row 2. At the end of row 11, fasten off.

PAW PAD

Make 1 for each Mat.

Row 1: Beg at bottom of Paw Pad, with black, ch 9, dc in 3rd ch from hook (2 sk chs count as first dc), dc in next ch, 2 dc in each of next 2 chs, dc in each of next 3 chs, turn. (10 dc)

Row 2: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), dc dec (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 3 dc, 2 dc in each of next

2 dc, dc dec in next 3 dc, dc in last dc, turn. (8 dc)

Row 3: Sl st in each of first 2 sts, 2 hdc in each of next 4 sts, sl st in each of last 2 sts. Fasten off. (4 sl sts, 8 hdc)

TOE

Make 4 for each Mat.

Row 1: With black, ch 4, 2 tr, ch 3, sl st in 4th ch from hook. Fasten off.

MOUSE

Make 12 for cat Mat.

Head/Body

Row 1: With gray heather, ch 10, 8 tr in 4th ch from hook, sk next ch, tr in next ch, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in next ch, sl st in last ch (nose). Fasten off.

Ear

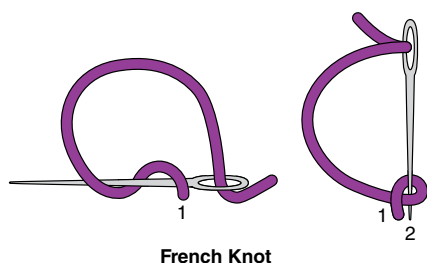
Join (see *Pattern Notes*) gray heather in dc, (ch 3, **2-hdc cl**—see *Special Stitch*, ch 3, sl st) in same dc as joining. Fasten off.

Tail

Join gray heather in first tr of 8-tr group, ch 12. Fasten off. Tie end of Tail in a knot and trim end of yarn, fluff out slightly.

Eye

With length of black, embroider **French knot** (see *illustration*) wrapping yarn 3 times around needle, attach French knot on Head just below Ear.



BONE

Make 12 for dog Mat.

Row 1 (RS): With vanilla, ch 10, dc in 3rd ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, working around post of last dc, (ch 3, 2 dc, sc, 2 dc, ch 3, sl st) around post of last dc. Fasten off.

Row 2: With RS facing, join vanilla in beg ch-2 sp at opposite end of Bone, (ch 3, 2 dc, sc, 2 dc, ch 3, sl st) in ch-2 sp. Fasten off.

ASSEMBLY

Lay Squares with WS facing and starting with first row of 4 Squares, [nutmeg rows horizontally, then autumn red Square rows vertically] twice. Start next row with autumn red, place Squares opposite direction of row below. Continue to rep until 4 rows of 4 Squares are placed.

Sew rows of Squares tog.

EDGING

Rnd 1 (RS): Join autumn red in any st on edge, ch 1, sc in each st around outer edge, working 3 sc in each corner, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 2 (RS): Join nutmeg in center corner sc, ch 1, *(sc, ch 1, sc) in center corner sc, ch 1, sk next st, [sc in next st, ch 1, sk next sc] across edge to next corner, rep from * around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Block Mat lightly placing towel between iron and Mat.

Using photo as a guide, sew (or glue with washable glue), Paw Pad to very center of Mat and Toes evenly sp above Paw Pad.

Arrange Mice or Bones in center of outer edge 12 Squares only. Sew or glue in place to each Square. Sew or glue Mouse Tails to Squares as shown. **cw**



Alpaca Love Afghan

Design by Carol LaFollette-Walker

SKILL LEVEL

■ ■ ■ ■ ■ INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

44 x 60 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Classic medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/190 yds/100g per skein):
2 skeins #401 nickel (A)
- Red Heart Super Saver Regular medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3 oz/160 yds/85g per skein):
3 skeins #311 white (B)
4 skeins #312 black (C)
- TLC Essentials medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/312 yds/170g per skein):
1 skein #2990 rust (D)
- Red Heart Super Saver Economy medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (solid: 7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein; fleck: 5 oz/260 yds/141g per skein):
2 skeins #334 buff fleck (F)
1 skein #321 gold (E)
- Sizes G/6/4mm and I/9/5.5mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch marker
- Large safety pins: 8



GAUGE

Size G hook: 4 sts = 1 inch

Size I hook: 12 sts = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

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

AFGHAN

SPIRAL SQUARE

Make 9 Spiral Squares starting with A and 9 Squares starting with B.

Rnd 1 (RS): With size I hook and A or B, leaving a 6-inch length at beg, ch 2, 8 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to B or A in last step of 8th sc, **do not join rnds, place st marker** (see *Pattern Notes*). (8 sc)

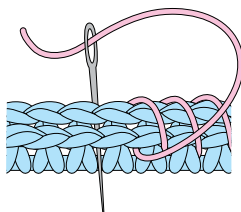
Rnd 2: [Sc in next sc, (sc, hdc, sc) in next st for corner] 4 times, change color to A or B in last st. (12 sc, 4 hdc)

Rnds 3–11: Alternating rnds with colors B and A, sc in each sc along the sides and work (sc, hdc, sc) in each corner hdc of each rnd. At the end of rnd 11, sl st in first sc of rnd 11. Fasten off. (84 sc, 4 hdc)

Assemble Spiral Strips

Make 3 Strips of 6 Spiral Squares each.

Make 2 Spiral Strips starting with the last rnd of Square ending with color A, with RS facing, join to last rnd of Square ending with color B by sewing through **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*) only **whipstitch** (see *illustration*) along 1 side from center corner hdc to corner hdc, continue sewing and alternating colors with rem 4 Squares. These 2 Strips are at top and bottom of Afghan.



Whipstitch Edges

Make 1 Spiral Strip, starting with the last rnd of the Square ending with color B and sew tog same as previous Strips, alternating colors. This Strip will be at center of the Afghan.

BOTTOM/SECTION 1

Row 1: With size I hook, hold Spiral Strip made for bottom horizontal and with RS facing join C with sl st in center corner hdc on top edge, ch 1, working in back lp sc in each sc and each hdc across edge, turn. (138 sc)

Rows 2 & 3: Loosely ch 1, hdc in each sc across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to B, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to D, turn.

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

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to E, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to D, turn.

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

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to B, turn. (138 sc)

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to C, turn.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 13 & 14: Loosely, ch 1, hdc in each st across, turn.

Row 15: Ch 1, sc in each st across, change color to F, turn.

Rows 16–44: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At the end of row 44, change color to C, turn.

CENTER/SECTION 2

Row 45: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 46–59: Rep rows 2–15 of Bottom/Section 1. At the end of row 59, fasten off.

Spiral Center Strip

With RS of Spiral Strip made for center and Afghan facing, with length of C and tapestry needle, working in back lps only, whipstitch pieces tog. Open to lie flat.

Row 60: With RS facing, join C with sl st in center corner hdc on top edge of center Spiral Strip, ch 1, working in back lp, sc in each sc and each hdc across edge, turn. (138 sc)

Rows 61–74: Rep rows 2–15 of Bottom/Section 1. (138 sc)

TOP/SECTION 3

Rows 75–118: Rep rows 16–59 of Bottom/Section 1 and Center/Section 2.

Top Spiral Strip

With RS of Spiral Strip made for top and Afghan facing, with length of C and tapestry needle, working in back lps only, whipstitch pieces tog. Open to lie flat.

ALPACA

Make 2 each A, B, C, D and E.

Top Half

Row 1 (RS): With size G hook, ch 20, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (19 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc (for tail), sc in each rem sc across, turn. (20 sc)

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

Row 4: Ch 1, sc dec (see *Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 10 sts, hdc in each of next 8 sts (for shoulder), turn. (19 sts)

Any yarn lover is sure to delight in this colorful, creative afghan featuring a major provider of luscious fiber!



Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each of next 5 sts (*for neck*), leaving rem sts unworked, turn. (5 sc)

Rows 6–9: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 3 sts, turn. (4 sc)

Row 11: Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in next st, sc dec in next 2 sts, turn. (4 sc)

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 13: Ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, sc in each of next 4 sts (*for head*), turn. (6 sts)

Row 14: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 4 sts, turn. (5 sc)

Row 15: Ch 1, sk first st, sl st in next st, sc in next st, hdc in next st, ch 4, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, 2 sc in next ch, hdc in same st as last hdc (*ear completed*), sl st in last st. Fasten off.

Bottom Half

Row 1: With RS facing, hold Alpaca upside down with neck hanging down to the left-hand side, attach yarn with sl st in opposite side of foundation ch at base of tail, ch 1, sc in each of next 19 chs, turn. (19 sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each rem st across, turn. (18 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of next 5 sts (*back legs*), leaving rem sts unworked, turn. (5 sc)

Row 4: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 3 sts, turn. (4 sc)

Rows 5–7: Ch 1, sc in each of next 4 sts, turn.

Row 8: Ch 5, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in each of next 2 chs (*first hind leg*), sk next st of row 7, sc in each of next 3 sts of row 7, turn. (7 sts)

Row 9: Ch 6, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in each of next 3 chs (*2nd hind leg*), sk next 2 sts of row 8, sl st in next st of row 8. Fasten off. (5 sts, 1 sl st)

Row 10: For chest, with RS facing, position Alpaca upside down with back legs to the right, attach yarn with sl st to first st on the belly to the left side of the hind legs, ch 1, sk first st, sc in next st, hdc in each of the next 2 sts, dc in each of next 3 sts, hdc in each of next 4 sts, sc dec in last 2 sts, turn. (11 sts)

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in each of next 4 sts (*front leg*), leaving rem sts unworked, turn. (4 sts)

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in next st, sk last st, turn. (3 sts)

Row 13: Ch 1, hdc in each of next 3 sts, turn.

Row 14: Ch 7, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next of next 3 chs, hdc in each of next 2 chs, sl st in the end of row 13. Fasten off. (6 sts)

Using safety pins to secure, position Alpacas (1 each color) evenly sp across color F (rows 16–44 and rows 75–103). Sew each Alpaca to Afghan with matching yarn color.

BORDER

Rnd 1 (RS): With size I hook and working down left side of Afghan, join C in top left corner st, ch 1, (sc, hdc, sc) in corner st, working in ends of rows work 199 sc evenly sp down side edge working (sc, hdc, sc) in corner st, working in back lp, sc in each st across bottom, (sc, hdc, sc) in next corner st, work 199 sc evenly sp in end of rows up to top corner, (sc, hdc, sc) in center corner st, working in back lp only, sc in each st across, join with sl st in beg sc. Fasten off. **CW**



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I recently adopted a 4½-lb. Chihuahua and need knitting or crochet patterns for small dog sweaters. Can anyone help me?

Kitty DeBritz, 614 Kilpatrick St., American Canyon, CA 94503

The responses to my "pen pals welcome" note that was in December 2010 issue was overwhelming. However, between the time I wrote that note and its publication, my mother became ill. I didn't have time to respond to all the pen pals, and I'm truly sorry about that. Thank you for understanding.

E. Bogue, P.O. Box 304, Henagar, AL 35978

I would like to have copies of the following patterns from the April 2009 issue of *Crochet World*: The Hoosier Granny Shrug and The Denim Mist Afghan. I am also looking for Jack Frost patterns from the 1960s and '70s, and a minidress pattern made with daisies from a daisy winder and then crocheted or knitted together. I will pay for patterns and postage.

Lee Ann Schemel, 2888 Raven Glass Road, Waterford, MI 48329

I am looking for some yarn to finish a sweater. I used Herrschners Afghan Acrylic Yarn, 2-ply, 2-oz skeins in blue.

The shade of blue may be art. 01-3220, but I'm not sure. If someone has this please contact me, and I will send a piece of the yarn to see if it is the matching shade. I would need one skein.

Cindy Bailey, 308 Cedar Park Circle, LaVergne, TN 37086

I am looking for a crocheted worm pattern. It's about 6 inches long, curly with eyes. I hope someone has this pattern and will send me a copy. Thanks.

Glenda Coggins, 502 E. Lelia St., Florence, AL 35630

I am interested in finding a crochet pattern for a small tea set with cups and teapot, or a teacup doily and matching teapot. If you would have a pattern to share, I would appreciate it. Thanks.

Kay Moyer, 837 Garfield Ave., Lansing, MI 48917

I'm looking for a sunflower doily that I had many years ago. I lost the pattern in a flood. I am also looking for an afghan with a basic fall theme. I am 83 years old and crocheting is my favorite pastime. I will try to answer all letters.

Jean Jones, 1422 New Bolton Drive, Port Orange, FL 32129

A group from my church has been making prayer shawls for

those in need. The peace and comfort these have brought people is overwhelming. If anyone has extra Caron or Homespun yarn, we are in need of it. The soft yarn is so comforting. I also make dishcloths from Peaches & Creme cotton yarn that are given to the Buddy Walk for Down syndrome. If anyone has any donations, they would be greatly appreciated.

Joyce Gentrup, 201 E. Park St., Hartington, NE 68739

I am hoping someone has Elizabeth Hiddleston pattern books that they don't want anymore. I loved her patterns and learned how to crochet using her book called *The Complete Book of Crochet*. I would also like Magic Crochet and Decoration Crochet books. I love *Crochet World*—keep up the good work!

Emily Connell, 19098 Highway 51 S., Sardis, MS 38666

I am new to *Crochet World*, but so far, I love it. I have been crocheting for about five years and have learned how to crochet prayer shawls. My favorite thing to do is granny squares, and I am looking for some easy granny squares. I am also open to pen pals. Thank you.

Amy Morgan, 4101 NASA Parkway Apt. #250, Seabrook, TX 77586

I have lost patterns and am hoping someone could help me. I am looking for Irish panel blankets or any panel blankets, slouchy hat patterns, all foot patterns and any pattern of the month. Please help me with these. I make blankets for our youth group at church and blankets for our retirement home. I could also use any yarn you may not need; it will all go toward blankets for others. Thank you.

Maureen Cornett, 703 Royster Ave., Shelby, NC 28150

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BACK TALK!

Letters from our readers

Kudos From a Young Reader

Hi! I'm 16, and I just got my first magazine from you guys, the April 2012 issue. I just wanted to tell you that I think the magazine's completely amazing, and I love it. Personally, I love the projects for the kids. I especially like your "Scrap Delights" project because it allows me to make something completely adorable without having to buy a lot of new yarn, which is great for crocheters like me who have a limited budget for yarn. I plan on making almost all the projects from this issue and giving them to my friends. Anyway, your magazine's really good, and you should keep making it this great.

—Michelle Salazar

Christmas Gift for My Granddaughter

I was looking for an afghan pattern to crochet for my 4-year-old granddaughter for Christmas and the Waves of Color pattern in the June 2010 issue was perfect! Here is a picture of Zoe with her new blanket. I think she likes it! I've been a subscriber to *Crochet World* for quite a few years and I love it! Keep up the good work *Crochet World*!

—Barbara Gilbert



Amour Crochet Hooks

PRODUCT REVIEW

These incredibly smooth hooks allow yarn to slide effortlessly while crocheting. Amour Crochet Hooks, from Clover, have signature handles in vibrant colors of lime green, yellow, orange, magenta, pink, purple, blue, deep blue, green and brown, depending on the size of the hook. The handle is made from natural elastomer rubber—making crocheting comfortable and stress-free.

Amour Crochet Hooks are available in 10 sizes ranging from B to J and size 7. Each size has its own color for easy identification. Amour in French means "love," and we certainly love these hooks! They're bright, fun and colorful!

MSRP is \$7.95; product is available at local shops and online at www.clover-usa.com.



Pineapple Drop Earrings

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Row 8: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 7 times, turn. (8 sc, 7 ch-3 sps)

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 6 times, turn. (7 sc, 6 ch-3 sps)

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 5 times, turn. (6 sc, 5 ch-3 sps)

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 4 times, turn. (5 sc, 4 ch-3 sps)

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp,

[ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] 3 times, turn. (4 sc, 3 ch-3 sps)

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] twice, turn. (3 sc, 2 ch-3 sps)

Row 14: Ch 1, sc in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, draw up bead, ch 1 tightly around bead, ch 1, sc in next ch-3 sp. Fasten off. (2 sc, 2 ch sps)

FINISHING

To prevent fraying, weave in end and dab with glue.

Attach earring wire at top (opposite *Pineapple*). Block lightly. **CW**



A Bear for All Seasons

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next sc] 5 times, sc in last sc, sl st in next sc. Fasten off. (24 sc)

HEAD FRONT

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Head Back. **Do not fasten off.**

Rnd 5: Sc in each sc around, sl st in next sc. Fasten off.

BODY BACK

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Head Back. **Do not fasten off.**

Rnd 5: [2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts] 6 times, sl st in next sc. Fasten off.

BODY FRONT

Rnds 1–5: Rep rnds 1–5 of Flat Bear Body. **Do not fasten off.** (30 sc)

Rnd 6: Sc in each sc around, sl st in next st. Fasten off.

BOW TIE

With summer rose, ch 16, (3-dc cl—see *Special Stitch*, ch 3, sl st, ch 3, 3-dc cl, ch 3, sl st) in first ch of ch-4, leaving 12-inch length, fasten off.

Thread yarn needle with rem

ending length, weave through base of cl sts and snug to close opening, wrap ending length around center of bow 3 or 4 times, knot to secure, do not fasten off rem length.

FINISHING

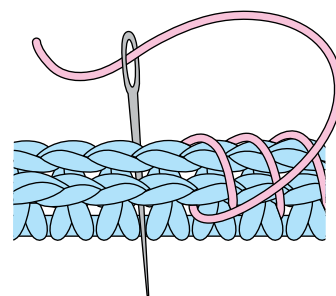
Using crochet cotton for Stuffed Bear and embroidery floss for Flat Bear, embroider satin stitch for nose and straight stitch for mouth on WS of Muzzle of both bears.

Place Muzzle RS down on Head or Head Front toward the bottom edge. Sew in place with long tail around outside of Muzzle.

Place felt circles for eyes evenly spaced above Muzzle and sew in place with black embroidery floss. Use white floss to create highlight on each eye.

For Stuffed Bear sew Head sections tog using **whipstitch** (see *illustration*) joining last rnds. Leave small opening and stuff with fiberfill, sew opening closed. Rep, sewing Body sections tog.

Sew Ears, with tops pointed outward and RS facing forward, to either side of top half of Bear's Head.



Whipstitch Edges

Sew base of Head to Body securely.

For Stuffed Bear, stuff Arms and Legs with fiberfill to round out, weave long ending tail through top lps of sts in last rnd and tighten, sew closed with a few sts.

Sew Arms and Legs to Body spaced as in photo.

For Flat Bear sew Bow Tie just below joining for Head and Body. For Stuffed Bear place Bow Tie in front under Muzzle, wrap beg ch around neck as ribbon and sew behind Bow Tie to Bear.

To use Bear as ornament use a 10-inch length of yarn, create lp by knotting ends, draw lp end through st at top center of Head and bring other end through to snug up. **CW**

Texting Mittens

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Rnd 27: [Sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of next 4 sts] twice. (10 sc)

Fold rnd 27, flat across, working through both thicknesses, sl st in each of next 5 sts. Fasten off.

Right Mitten

Note: Position Mitten flat with 12 sts on top (back) of hand and 12 sts on bottom (palm), sc across to last st of hand on same edge as thumb. Thumb opening will be on left edge of mitten.

Rnd 20: Sc in each of next 14 sc (top of fingers), ch 9, sk next 9 sts (underside of fingers), sc in next st. (15 sc, ch-9 sp)

Rnd 21: [Sc in each of next 10 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (22 sc)

Rnd 22: [Sc in each of next 9 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (20 sc)

Rnd 23: [Sc in each of next 8 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (18 sc)

Rnd 24: [Sc in each of next 7 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (16 sc)



Rnd 25: [Sc in each of next 6 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (14 sc)

Rnd 26: [Sc in each of next 5 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (12 sc)

Rnd 27: [Sc in each of next 4 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] twice. (10 sc)

Fold rnd 27, flat across, working through both thicknesses, sl st in each of next 5 sts. Fasten off.

Finger Opening Trim

Row 1: Sl st in same sp as last sc before ch sp on rnd 20, ch 2, working in sk sts of rnd 19, dc in back lp of each of next 9 sts, sl st in ch sp of rnd 20 directly above last dc. Fasten off.

Rep row 1 of Finger Opening Trim on rem Mitten.

Thumb

Make 2.

Rnd 1: Sl st in first sk st of rnd 9, working in back lps only, sc in same sc, sc in next 2 sc, sc in side edge of st between rnds 9 and 10, sc in each of next 4 chs, sc in side edge of st between rnds 9 and 10. (9 sc)

Rnds 2–5: Working in back lps, sc in each st around. At the end of rnd 5, sl st in next st, fasten off.

FINISHING

With sewing needle and thread, sew hook-and-loop tape to Finger Opening Trim and to inside edge of rnd 21 of Mitten. **CW**



Snowman Stocking Ornament

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Hat Ribbing

Row 1: With white frost, ch 7, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 5 chs, turn. (6 sc)

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

Rows 3–20: Rep row 2.

Holding RS tog, working through both thicknesses of row 20 and opposite side of foundation ch, ch 1, sl st in each st across, **do not fasten off**.

Crown

Rnd 1: Working in ends of rows, ch 1, work 20 sc evenly sp around Hat Ribbing, join in beg sc. (20 sc)

Rnds 2–6: Ch 2 (*does not count as a st*), dc in same st as beg

ch-2, dc in each st around, join in first dc. (20 dc)

Pompom

Rnd 7: Ch 12, sl st in same st of rnd 6, [(sl st, ch 12, sl st) in next st] around. Fasten off.

Tie

With white frost, ch 60. Fasten off. Weave Tie through top of rnd 6 of Crown. Tie a knot and pull tight. Make a bow and use lps of bow as hanger. Fluff ch-12 lps to form Pompom.

Nose

Row 1: With pumpkin, ch 5, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in next ch, dc in next ch, turn. (4 sts)

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in same st as ch-2, hdc in next st, sc in next st, sl st in last st, leaving a 10-inch length of yarn, fasten off.

Fold Nose in half lengthwise and sew sts of row 2 to opposite side of foundation ch.

Earmuff

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With cranberry, ch 4, dc in 4th ch from hook (*beg 3 sk chs count as first dc*), work 10 dc in same st, join in 4th ch of beg ch-4. (12 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, [sc dec in next 2 sts] 6 times, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (6 sc)

Finishing

Use photo as a guide for placement. As desired, sew or glue pieces tog. Sew Head to top of Stocking. Turn Hat Ribbing upward and sew Hat to top of Head. Sew Nose to center front of face. With black, embroider eyes as desired. Embroider mouth with cranberry. Sew Earmuff to each side of Hat directly below Hat Ribbing. Sew holly button to front Stocking Cuff. To highlight cheeks, place a small amount of blusher on each side of face. 



The crocheted ribbon wrap easily buttons on the underside to secure in place.

Elegant Ribbon Wrap

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sc, ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc, turn.

Row 10: Ch 5, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, tab st in next sc, ch 3, dc in next dc, dc in each of next 9 sts, dc in next dc, ch 3, tab st in next sc, ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc, turn.

Rows 11–44: [Rep rows 9 and 10] 17 times.

Row 45: Ch 5, dc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, sc in next sc, sc in each of next 4 dc, sc in end lp, ch 3, sc in each of next 2 dc, ch 7 (button lp), sc in each of next 7 dc, ch 7 (button lp), sc in each of next 2 dc, ch 3, sc in next sc, sc in each of next 4 dc, sc in end lp, ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc. Fasten off.

Wrap gift box in gold wrapping paper. Place Elegant Ribbon Wrap around package and button panels on underside. **CW**

This image shows a detailed view of a crocheted textile. The pattern consists of repeating geometric motifs in three colors: deep red, forest green, and cream. The motifs include large stars, diamonds, and smaller triangular shapes, all interconnected by a fine, light-colored thread. The bottom edge of the fabric is finished with a decorative scalloped or ruffled border. The overall texture is dense and intricate, characteristic of traditional crocheted lace or holiday-themed fabrics.

Rnd 2 (RS): Ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same sp, sk sc sts and working in sps only, *sc in next ch-2 sp (or in next ch-4 sp between Panels at top and bottom), (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-2 sp, rep from * around, working at each corner, sc in next ch-2 sp, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-2 sp, (sc, ch 4, sc) in next ch-2 sp, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-2 sp, join in beg sc. Fasten off. **cw**

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Working across top, *[ch 2, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp] 6 times, ch 2, sc in next ch-2 sp to the

Fuzzy Baby Penguin

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Rnd 19: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] around. (24 sc)

Rnd 20: Rep rnd 9.

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

Rnd 22: Rep rnd 9.

Rnd 23: [Sc dec in next 2 sc] 9 times. Leaving a 12-inch length of yarn, fasten off. (9 sc)
Stuff Body with fiberfill.

HEAD

Rnd 1: With black, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join, place st marker. (6 sc)

Rnds 2–7: Continuing with black, rep rnds 2–7 of Body. (42 sc)

Rnd 8: Sc in each of next 13 sc, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to white, sc in each of next 5 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 6 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 5 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 13 sc.

Rnd 9: Sc in each of next 12 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 7 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 4 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 7 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 12 sc.

Rnd 10: Sc in each of next 11 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 8 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 4 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 8 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 11 sc.

Rnd 11: Sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 6 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc. (36 sc)

Rnd 12: Sc in each of next 9 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 18 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 9 sc.

Rnd 13: Sc in each of next 5 sc, dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 2 sc, [sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 4 sc] twice, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc. (30 sc)

Rnd 14: Sc in each of next 2 sc, dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 4 sc, change color to white, [sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 3 sc] 3 times, change color to black, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc. (24 sc)

Rnd 15: Sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next sc, dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, change color to white, [sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] twice, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, change color to black, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next 2 sc. (18 sc)

Rnd 16: Sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next sc, dec in next 2 sc, change color to white, [sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc] 3 times, change color to black, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in next sc, draw up a lp. (12 sc)

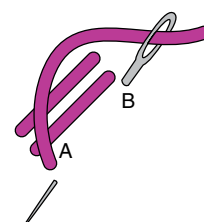
Rnd 17: Sc in next 3 sc, change color to white, sc in each of next 6 sc, change color to black, sc in each of next 3 sc, leaving 12-inch length of black, fasten off. (12 sc)

EYES

Using photo as a guide, with length of black, sew **straight st** (see *illustration*) on each side of white section between rnds 12 and 13, stuff Head with fiberfill.

BEAK

Rnd 1: With black, ch 2, 4 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join, place st marker. (4 sc)



Straight Stitch

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. (8 sc)

Rnd 3: [2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc] twice. (10 sc)

Rnds 4 & 5: Sc in each sc around. At the end of rnd 5, sl st in next sc, leaving 6-inch length, fasten off.

Do not stuff Beak with fiberfill.

WING

Make 2.

Rnd1: With silver heather, ch 2, 7 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join, place st marker. (7 sc)

Rnd 2: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 3–5: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 6: 2 sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 sc. (9 sc)

Rnds 7–10: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 11: Sc dec in next 2 sc, [sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] twice, sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc. (9 sc)

Rnds 12–14: Rep rnd 2. At the end of rnd 14, leaving a 12-inch length, fasten off.

Do not stuff Wings with fiberfill.

FEET

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With black, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join, place st marker. (6 sc)

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


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

Row 4: Now working in rows to make the toes, sc in next sc, ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next

ch, sc in same sc on rnd 3 before ch-3 (*first toe*), sl st in next sc of rnd 3, sc in next sc, ch 4, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 2 chs, sc in same sc on rnd 3 before ch-4 (*2nd toe*), sl st in next sc of

rnd 3, sc in next sc, ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, sc in same sc on rnd 3 before ch-3 (*3rd toe*), leaving 8-inch length for sewing, fasten off.

FINISHING

Using photo as a guide, sew Head to Body, Feet to bottom of Body, Wings to each side of Body and Beak to center front of Head. 

Snuggly Snowman Set

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Row 7: Ch 2, lay beg and ending yarns on top of previous row and work over these ends, hdc in each st across, turn. (12 hdc)

Rows 8 & 9: Rep rows 2 and 3.

Rows 10–117: [Rep rows 4–9] 18 times. Fasten off.

TRIM

Row 1 (WS): With size J hook, working on length of Scarf Center in ends of rows, attach pink in end of first row, ch 2, hdc in each of next 117 rows, hdc in end of last row, turn. (119 hdc)

Row 2: Ch 2, hdc in each hdc across, Fasten off.

Rep rows 1 and 2 on opposite edge of Scarf Center.

HAT

BRIM

Rows 1–48: Rep rows 1–48 of Scarf Center. (12 hdc)

Row 49: Holding last row to opposite side of foundation ch and working through both thicknesses, sl st in each st across, do not fasten off.

Brim Top Edge

Rnd 50: Now working in rnds, with RS out, sc in end of seam, [sc in ends of next 3 rows of white, change color to turquoise in last sc, sc in end of turquoise row, change color to white, sc in end of next white row, change color to turquoise, sc in next turquoise row, change color to

white] rep around, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in beg sc. Fasten off.

Crown

Rnd 1: With size J hook and white, ch 3, 8 hdc in first ch, join in first hdc. (8 hdc)

Rnd 2: Ch 2 (see *Pattern Notes*), hdc in same st as beg ch-2, 2 hdc in each hdc around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (16 hdc)

Rnd 3: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in next hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in next hdc] 7 times, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (24 hdc)

Rnd 4: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in each of next 2 hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in each of next 2 hdc] 7 times, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (32 hdc)

Rnd 5: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in each of next 3 hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in each of next 3 hdc] 7 times, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (40 hdc)

Rnd 6: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in each of next 4 hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in each of next 4 hdc] 7 times, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (48 hdc)

Rnd 7: Ch 2, hdc in same st as beg ch-2, hdc in each of next 5 hdc, [2 hdc in next hdc, hdc in each of next 5 hdc] 7 times, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. (56 hdc)

Rnds 8–16: Ch 2, hdc in each hdc around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2.

Rnd 17: Place Brim inside Crown aligning RS of Brim bottom edge to WS of rnd 16 of Crown, working through both thicknesses, work 56 sc around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Fold Brim upward 2¼ inches to RS of Hat.

APPLIQUÉS

FACIAL FEATURES

Eye

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With size F hook and black, ch 2, 10 sc in 2nd ch from hook, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (10 sc)

Cheek

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With size J hook and pink, ch 2, 10 sc in 2nd ch from hook, join in beg sc. (10 sc)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. (20 sc)

Nose

Row 1: With size J hook and turquoise, ch 8, (yo, insert hook in 4th ch from hook, yo, draw up a lp, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) twice in same ch, yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in next ch, sl st in last ch. Fasten off. (5 sts)

RIGHT MITTEN

Make 2.

Row 1: Beg at Mitten wrist, with size F hook and pink, ch 8, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (7 sc)

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

Row 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn. (9 sc)

Thumb

Row 6: Ch 1, [sc dec (*see Stitch Guide*) in next 2 sc] twice, leaving rem sts unworked, turn. (2 sc)

Row 7: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc. Fasten off. (1 sc)

Palm

Row 8: Attach pink in next unworked sc of row 5, ch 1, 2 sc in same sc, sc in each of next 4 sc, turn. (6 sc)

Rows 9 & 10: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc dec in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, turn. (4 sc)

Row 12: Ch 1, [sc dec in next 2 sc] twice, **do not turn**. (2 sc)

Rnd 13: Now working in rnds, ch 1, work 10 sc in ends of rows 12–1 around Palm to Mitten wrist, ch 1, work 6 sc across opposite side of foundation ch,

ch 1, work 10 sc around Thumb to end of row 7 of Thumb, work 5 sc evenly sp on rem portion of Palm, join in next sc. Fasten off.

Cuff

Row 1: With size F hook, attach white in ch-1 sp of Mitten wrist in rnd 13, ch 2, hdc in each of next 6 sc, hdc in next ch-1 sp, turn. (8 hdc)

Row 2: Ch 2, hdc in each hdc across. Fasten off. (8 hdc)

LEFT MITTEN

Make 2.

Rows 1–12: Rep rows 1–12 of Right Mitten. At the end of row 12, turn. (2 sc)

Rnd 13: Now working in rnds, ch 1, work 5 sc in ends of Palm rows 12–9, work 10 sc around Thumb to end of row 1 at wrist, ch 1, work 6 sc across opposite side of foundation ch, ch 1, work

10 sc along side edge of Palm, join in next sc. Fasten off.

Cuff

Rep rows 1 and 2 of Right Mitten Cuff.

ASSEMBLY

Using photo as a guide for placement, with length of pink yarn, sew 2 turquoise buttons to each RS of each Mitten. Sew a Right and Left Mitten to each end of Scarf.

FINISHING

Using matching yarns for each, attach facial features to Hat: Sew Eyes ½ inch apart over rnds 5–7; sew Nose centered below Eyes; sew a Cheek to each side of Nose.

With length of pink yarn, sew rem turquoise button and 2 pink buttons to Hat Brim. **CW**

Bobble Hat & Wristlets

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BODY

Rnd 1: With size I [K] hook, working in ends of Cuff rows, attach yarn, work 22 sc around, do not join, place st marker. (22 sc)

Rnd 2: [Sc in next st, **3-dc bobble** (*see Special Stitches*) in next

st] 4 times, sc in each of next 14 sts. (4 bobbles, 18 sc)

Rnd 3: Sc in each st around. (22 sc)

Rnd 4: [Sc in next st, 3-dc bobble in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 12 sts. (5 bobbles, 17 sc)

Rnd 5: Sc around, inc 2 sc evenly sp around. (24 sc)

Rnd 6: Sc in first st, [sc in next st, 3-dc bobble in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 13 sts. (5 bobbles, 19 sc)

Rnd 7: Rep rnd 5. (26 sc)

Rnd 8: Sc in first st, [sc in next st, 3-dc bobble in next st] 6 times, sc in each of next 13 sts. (6 bobbles, 20 sc)

Rnd 9: Rep rnd 3.

Rnd 10: Sc in each of next 3 sts, [sc in next st, 3-dc bobble in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 13 sts. (5 bobbles, 21 sc)

Rnd 11: Rep rnd 5. (28 sc)

Rnd 12: Sc in each of next 3 sts, [sc in next st, 3-dc bobble in next st] 6 times, sc in each of next 13 sts. (6 bobbles, 22 sc)

Right Hand

Rnd 13: Sc over to 12th sc, sc in next st (*at top of 5th 3-dc bobble*) sk next 6 sts (*for thumb opening*), sc in next 9 sc. (22 sc, 6 sk sts)

Rnd 14: Sc in each of next 14 sc, work 8 sc around thumb opening, beg with st that connects front to back, sc around thumb



opening again (9 sc), sc in rem sc, sl st in next st. Fasten off.

Left Hand

Rnd 13: Remove st marker from first st and place in last st of previous rnd, sk first 6 sts (for thumb opening), sc in next st (7th st of rnd and will be the

st at top of 2nd 3-dc bobble of previous rnd), sc in rem 21 sts. (22 sc, 6 sk sts)

Rnd 14: Work 8 sc around thumb opening, beg with st that connects front and back, sc around thumb opening (9 sc), sc in rem 21 sc, sl st in next sc. Fasten off. **CW**

Maurine's Angel

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sp] 4 times, lg shell in next ch-2 sp, sc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (5 lg shells, 6 sc)

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, lg shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in next sc] 5 times, turn. (5 lg shells, 6 sc, 10 ch-1 sps)

Row 8: Sl st in first st, [ch 3, lg shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 3, sl st in next sc] 5 times.

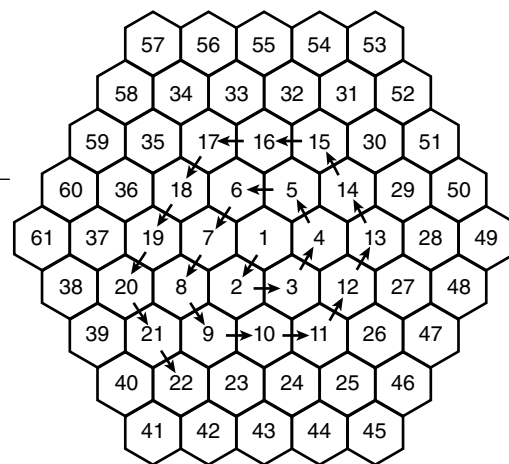
Fasten off. (5 lg shells, 6 sl sts, 10 ch-3 sps)

FINISHING

Cover pinning board with plastic wrap. Saturate Angel with fabric stiffener and pin to pinning board with straight pins. For better shaping, pin in each ch sp around outer edge of Angel. Once Angel is dry, remove pins. For hanger, attach a length of nylon to top of Head. **CW**

Winter Rose Afghan

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Winter Rose Afghan
Assembly Diagram

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Bentonville, AR 72712

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Half Moon Bay, CA 94019

The Lazy Daisy
2127 E. Florida Ave.
Hemet, CA 92544

COLORADO

Brigitte Cornell Productions
7928 A Bayonet Circle
Colorado Springs, CO 80902

The Yarn Outlet LLC
416 S. 8th St.
Colorado Springs,
CO 80905

CONNECTICUT

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Middletown, CT 06457

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301 E. North Meridian Road
Newton, KS 67114

MISSOURI

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NEW MEXICO

Warm Hearts Yarn
13 Sherwood Blvd.
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Everything You Needle
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Monroe, NY 10950

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corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, sk next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (124 [138, 138, 154] sts)

Row 9: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, rep from * 3 times, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (140 [154, 154, 170] sts)

Row 10: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, sk corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to 1 dc before marker, hdc in next dc and move marker to hdc just made, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 2, sk corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (138 [152, 152, 168] sts)

Row 11: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, hdc in next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch-sp;

rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (154 [168, 168, 184] sts)

Note: Remove the markers as work progresses on following row.

Row 12: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next hdc, sk next hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 2, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, for sizes 4 [6] only **change color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to B in last hdc, turn. (168 [182, 182, 198] sts)

SIZES 8 [10] ONLY

Row 13: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, ch 1, (sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1, sc, dc) in corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc, ch 1, sc, dc) in corner ch sp; (sc, dc) in each dc to next corner ch sp, (sc, dc) in corner ch sp, ch 1, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, **change color** (see *Stitch Guide*) to B in last hdc, turn. ([194, 210] sts)

Skill Levels



BEGINNER

Beginner projects for first-time crocheters using basic stitches. Minimal shaping.



EASY

Easy projects using basic stitches, repetitive stitch patterns, simple color changes, and simple shaping and finishing.



INTERMEDIATE

Intermediate projects with a variety of stitches, mid-level shaping and finishing.



EXPERIENCED

Experienced projects using advanced techniques and stitches, detailed shaping and refined finishing.

Standard Yarn Weight System

Catagories of yarn, gauge ranges, and recommended hook sizes.

| Yarn Weight Symbol & Category Names |  0 LACE |  1 SUPER FINE |  2 FINE |  3 LIGHT |  4 MEDIUM |  5 BULKY |  6 SUPER BULKY |
|---|--|--|--|---|---|---|---|
| Type of Yarns in Category | Lace | Sock, Fingering, Baby | Sport, Baby | DK, Light Worsted | Worsted, Afghan, Aran | Chunky, Craft, Rug | Super Chunky, Roving |
| Crochet Gauge* Ranges in Single Crochet to 4 inches | 32–42 sts | 21–32 sts | 16–20 sts | 12–17 sts | 11–14 sts | 8–11 sts | 5–9 sts |
| Recommended Hook–Metric Size Range | 1.50–2.25mm | 2.25–3.5mm | 3.5–4.5mm | 4.5–5.5mm | 5.5–6.5mm | 6.5–9mm | 9mm and larger |
| Recommended Hook–U.S. Size Range | Steel 8–B/1 | B/1–E/4 | E/4–7 | 7–I/9 | I/9–K/10½ | K/10½–M/13 | M/N/13 and larger |

*Guidelines only: The above reflect the most commonly used gauges and hook sizes for specific yarn categories.

BODY

Row 1 (WS): With B, ch 2, working in **front lps** (see *Stitch Guide*), hdc in first hdc, *(sc, dc) in each dc to corner ch sp, sk corner ch sps, sk each dc to next corner ch sp, sk next corner ch sp (*armhole*), rep from * once, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn. (100 [106, 110, 118] sts)

Rows 2–6 [2–7, 2–8, 2–9]: Ch 2, hdc in first hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn.

Row 7 [8, 9, 10]: Rep row 2, change color to A in last hdc, turn.

Note: For sizes 4 and [8] only, work the next row in **back lps** (see *Stitch Guide*) only. For sizes [6, 10] only, work next row in front lps only.

Row 8 [9, 10, 11]: With A, ch 2, hdc in first hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn.

Rows 9–14 [10–16, 11–18, 12–20]: Rep row 2. At the end of last rep, change color to C in last hdc, turn.

Row 15 [17, 19, 21]: With C, ch 2, and working in front lps only, hdc in first hdc, (sc, dc) in each dc to last hdc, hdc in last hdc, turn.

Rows 16–22 [18–25, 20–28, 22–31]: Rep row 2. At the end of last rep, fasten off.

SLEEVE

Make 2.

Rnd 1 (WS): Join A with sc in first ch sp of armhole edge, dc in same ch sp, (sc, dc) in next 17 [19, 21, 23] dc, (sc, dc) in next sc, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first sc, turn. (38 [42, 46, 50] sts)

Rnds 2–26 [2–28, 2–31, 2–34]: Ch 1, (sc, dc) in each dc around, join first sc, turn. At the end of last rep, fasten off.

FIRST RUFFLE

Row 1 (RS): With Jacket upside down, working in rem lps of row

14 [16, 18, 20], join C with sc in first hdc, [sc in next 25 [16, 27, 28] sts, 2 sc in next st] 1 [5, 1, 3] time(s), sc in each rem st across, turn. (101 [111, 111, 121] sc)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 3, sk each of next 3 sc, sc in next sc, ch 3, sk next sc, sc in next sc, ch 3, sk each of next 3 sc, sc in next sc, rep from * across, turn. (30 [33, 33, 36] ch-3 sps)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, (2-dc cl—see *Special Stitch*, ch 3) 4 times, 2-dc cl in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, sc in next sc, rep from * across, turn. (10 [11, 11, 12] 2-dc cl groups)

Row 4: Ch 4 (see *Pattern Notes*), tr in first sc, *ch 3, sk next ch-3 sp, [sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3] 2 times, sk next ch-3 sp, 2 tr in next sc, rep from * across, turn. (22 [24, 24, 26] tr)

Row 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in each of first 2 tr, *ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, (2-dc cl, ch 3) 4 times, 2-dc cl in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, 2 sc in each of next 2 tr, rep from * across turn. **Size 4 only, fasten off.**

SIZES [6, 8, 10] ONLY

Row 6: Ch 4, sk first sc, tr in next 3 sc, *ch 3, sk next ch-3 sp, [sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3] twice, sk next ch-3 sp, tr in each of next 4 sc, rep from * across, turn. ([48, 48, 52] tr)

Row 7: Ch 1, 2 sc in first tr, sc in next 2 tr, 2 sc in next tr, *ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, (2-dc cl, ch 3) 4 times, 2-dc cl in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, 2 sc in next tr, sc in next 2 tr, 2 sc in next tr, rep from * across, turn.

Sizes 6 and 8 only, fasten off.

SIZE [10] ONLY

Row 8: Ch 4, sk first tr, tr in each of next 5 sc, *ch 3, sk next ch-3 sp, [sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3] twice, sk next ch-3 sp,



tr in each of next 6 sc, rep from * across, turn. ([78] tr)

Row 9: Ch 1, 2 sc in first tr, sc in next 4 tr, 2 sc in next tr, *ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, (2-dc cl, ch 3) 4 times, 2-dc cl in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, sk next ch-3 sp, 2 sc in next tr, sc in each of next 4 tr, 2 sc in next tr, rep from * across. Fasten off.

2ND RUFFLE

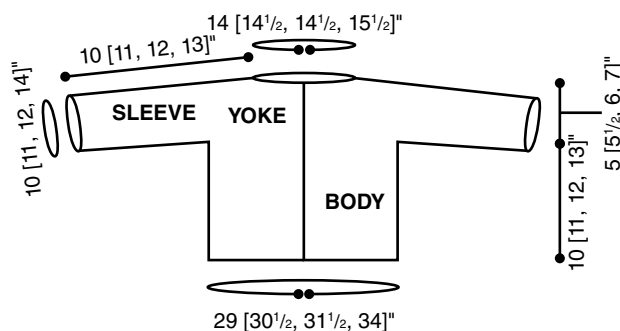
With A, rep First Ruffle, working in rem lps of row 7 [8, 9, 10].

3RD RUFFLE

With B, rep First Ruffle working in rem lps of last row of Yoke.

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STITCH ABBREVIATIONS

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

YARN CONVERSION

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

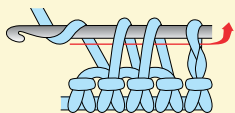
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| | | |
|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| sl st (slip stitch) | = | sc (single crochet) |
| sc (single crochet) | = | dc (double crochet) |
| hdc (half double crochet) | = | htr (half treble crochet) |
| dc (double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

Single crochet

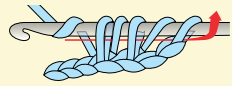
decrease (sc dec):
(Insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-sc dec

Half double crochet

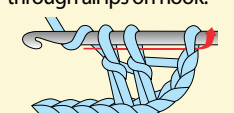
decrease (hdc dec):
(Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-hdc dec

Double crochet

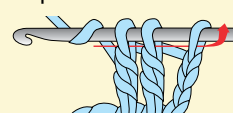
decrease (dc dec): (Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-dc dec

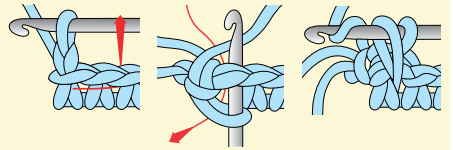
Treble crochet

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

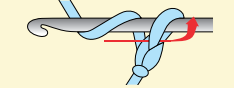


Example of 2-tr dec

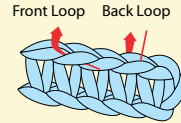
Reverse single crochet (reverse sc): Ch 1, sk first st, working from left to right, insert hook in next st from front to back, draw up lp on hook, yo, and draw through both lps on hook.



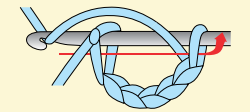
Chain (ch): Yo, pull through lp on hook.



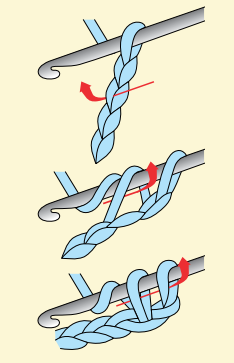
Front loop (front lp) Back loop (back lp)



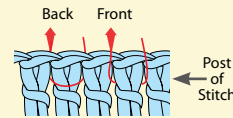
Slip stitch (sl st): Insert hook in st, pull through both lps on hook.



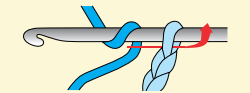
Single crochet (sc): Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through both lps on hook.



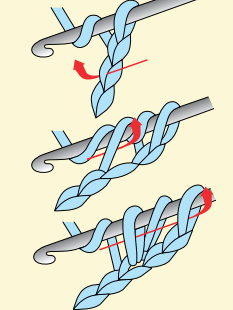
Front post stitch (fp): Back post stitch (bp): When working post st, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row.



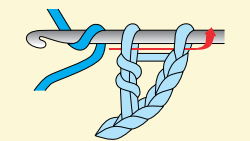
Chain color change (ch color change)
Yo with new color, draw through last lp on hook.



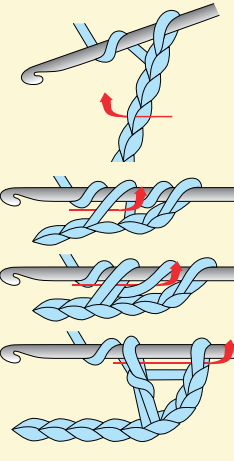
Half double crochet (hdc): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.



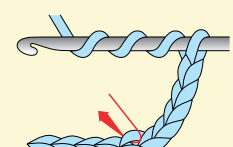
Double crochet color change (dc color change)
Drop first color, yo with new color, draw through last 2 lps of st.



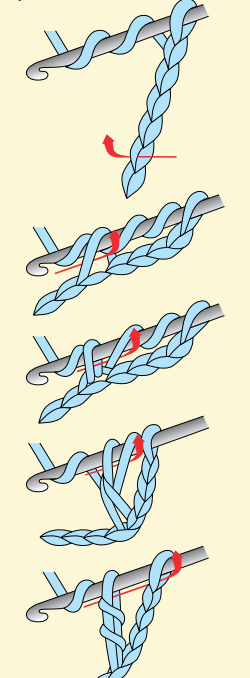
Double crochet (dc): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.

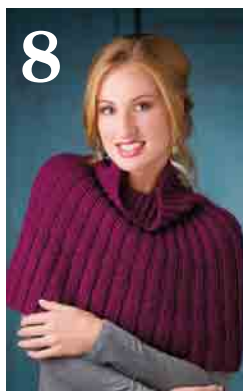


Double treble crochet (dtr): Yo 3 times, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] 4 times.



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





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