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Materials and Sizing

10 Balls - Bernat POP! The colours shown in the samples are scrap yarns of assorted brands.

Hook - 5.5 mm / I Hook

Project Size: 48" wide x 58" long

Gauge 11 sc and 12 rows = 4" [10 cm]

Abbreviations

Approx = Approximate(ly)

Beg = Begin(ning)

Ch = Chain(s)

Dc = Double crochet

Dcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.

Dcfp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and

draw through 2 loops on hook) twice

Hdc = Half double crochet

Jn = Join

Picot = Ch 3. Sl st back into last sc worked.

Popcorn = 5 dc in same stitch. Drop loop of last dc and insert hook into top of rst dc. Pick up dropped loop and pull through.

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

Sc = Single crochet

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

Trbp = (Yoh) twice and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times

Trfp = (Yoh) twice and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times

Yoh = Yarn over hook

Special Abbreviations for Stitch Counts

BC = Between Corners

LS = Long Side

SS = Short Side

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Instructions

Rnd 1: Ch 14, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 9 st, 3 dc in last st, (ch 2, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same st. Working on other side of ch, dc in next 9 st (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, ch 2) in last st, hdc on top of beg ch.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, 1 dc around post of joining hdc. Alternate trfp and trbp around, with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc join on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnds 3 and 4: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, 1 sc around post of joining hdc. Sc in each st around with (sc, ch 2, sc) in 3 corners and (sc, hdc join on top of sc) in last corner.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, 1 dc around post of joining hdc. Dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc join on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, 1 sc around post of joining hdc, 1 sc in each of next 2 dc, (trfp around next sc 2 rnds below in 5th round, sk next dc, 1 sc in next dc, sk next sc of 5th rnd) rep () across side, 1 sc in next dc] rep [] around all sides with (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc) in 3 corners and (1 sc, hdc jn to first sc) in last corner.

Rnd 8: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, hdc in each st around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc join on top of ch 2) in last corner.

Rnd 9: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, alternate dcbp and dcbp around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn on top of ch 2) in last corner.

Rnd 10: Ch 1, sc around post of joining hdc, sc in each st around with (sc, ch 2, sc) in 3 corners and (sc, hdc jn on top of sc) in last corner.

Rnd 11: Ch 1, 2 sc around post of joining hdc, sc in each st around with (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in 3 corners and (2 sc, hdc jn to sc) in last corner.

Rnd 12: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, dcbp around each stitch around, with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to hdc) in last corner.

Rnds 13 to 15: ch 1, 1 sc around post of joining hdc, sc in each st around with (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc) in 3 corners and (1 sc, hdc jn in sc) in last corner.

Rnd 16: Ch 3, dc around post of joining hdc, dc in next 3 st (popcorn in next, dc in next 3 st) rep () around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc jn on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 17: Rep rnd 13.

Rnd 18: Ch 3, dc around post of joining hdc, dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc join on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 19: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, bpdh around each dc around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 20: (This round facilitates next round from odd stitch counts to even stitch counts. The corner counts of 2 dc and 3 dc are not a typo.) Ch 3, 2 dc around post, dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc jn on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 21: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, alternate (1 dcbp around next 2, and 1 dcbp around next 2) around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 22: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, alternate (1dcbp around next 2, and 1 dcbp around next 2) around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 cor-

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ners, and (2 hdc, hdc join in first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 23: Ch 3, 1 dc around post of joining hdc, dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc jn on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 24: Ch 2, hdc around post of joining hdc, 1 dcbp around each st around, with (hdc, ch 2, hdc) in 3 corners, and (hdc, hdc jn on top of first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 25: Ch 1, sc around post of joining hdc, (ch 3, sk next 3 sts, 1 sc in next) rep () across each side with ch 3, sk next sts to corner, (sc, ch 2, sc) in 3 corners and (ch 3, sk next sts to corner, 1sc, hdc jn to first sc) in last corner.

Rnd 26: Ch 1, sc around post of joining hdc, 1 sc in next sc (working over ch 3 sp of last rnd, sk next st of rnd 24, 3 dc in next st [centre of 3 skipped sts], sk next st, 1 sc in next sc of 25th rnd) rep () around with (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc) in 3 corners and (1 sc, hdc jn to first sc) in last corner.

Rnd 27: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, 1 hdc in next 2 st (sk next dc, 1dcbp around next dc, sk next dc, 4 trfp around next sc 2 rows below) rep () 23 times for LS and 19 times for SS, with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 28: Ch 3, dc around post of joining hdc, (dc in each dc, sk each dc, trfp in each trfp) around with (2dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc jn on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 29: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, hdc in each dc, criss cross in tr st (criss cross: sk next 2 st, 1 dcfp around each of next 2 st, 1 dcfp around each of 2 skipped st) with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 30: Ch 3, dc around post of joining hdc, dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc jn on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 31: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, 1 dc, 1 dc in each st around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 32: Ch 1, sc around post of joining hdc, sc in each st around with (sc, ch 2, sc) in 3 corners and (sc, hdc jn to first sc) in last corner.

Rnd 33: Ch 3, dc around post of joining hdc (sk next sc, dc in next sc, dc in skipped st – X st made) rep () around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc in 3 corners and (2dc, hdc jn on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 34: Rep rnd 32.

Rnds 35 – 40: Rep rnds 33 - 34.

Rnd 41: Ch 3, dc around post of joining hdc, dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 3 corners and (2 dc, hdc join on top of ch 3) in last corner.

Rnd 42: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, dc, 1 dc in each st around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 43: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc [1dcfp around next st, 1 dc, 1 dc around next 4, (alternate 1dcfp around next 4 and 1dcbp around next 4 across side) 1 dc, 1 dc around next 4, 1dcfp in last st] rep [] around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 44: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [1dcfp around next 3 st, 1 dc, 1 dc around next 4 st, (1 dcfp around next 4 st, 1dcbp around next 4) rep () across side, dc, 1 dc around last 3 st] rep [] around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and

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(2 hdc, hdc join to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 45: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [dcbp around next st, dcfp around each of next 4 st (1 dcbp around next 4, 1 dcfp around next 4) rep () across, 1 dcbp around last st] rep [] around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 46: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [dcbp around next 3 st, dcfp around next 4 st (dcbp around next 4 st, dcfp around next 4 st) rep () across, 1 dcbp around last 3 st] rep [] around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn around first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 47: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [dcbp around next st, dcfp around next 4, (dcbp around next 4, dcfp around next 4) rep () across, dcbp around next st] rep [] around with (2hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 48: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [dcbp around next 3, dcfp around next 4, dcfp around next 4, (dcbp around next 4, dcfp around next 4) rep () across, dcbp around last 3] rep [] around with (2hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners and (2hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 49: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [dcfp around next st, dcbp around next 4, (dcfp around next 4, dcbp around next 4) rep () across, dcfp in last st] rep [] around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners, and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnd 50: Ch 2, 2 hdc around post of joining hdc, [dcfp around next 3, dcbp around next 4, (dcfp around next 4, dcbp around next 4) rep () across, dcfp around last 3] rep [] around with (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in 3 corners, and (2 hdc, hdc jn to first hdc) in last corner.

Rnds 51 – 54: Rep rnds 43 – 46.

See below if you want the blanket bigger before doing the final round.

Final Rnd 55: Ch 1, sc around post of joining hdc, picot, 2 sc in same sp as first sc, picot, (sc in next 2 st, picot) rep () around with (sc, picot, 2 sc, picot) in corners. Join with a sl st to first sc, fasten off.

If you would like to continue to make your afghan bigger, then follow the alternative section below to add an additional 20” per side to your blanket. Measurement is approximately 78” long x 68” wide.

***Repeat Rounds 32 – 42

Repeat Rounds 25 – 31

Repeat Rounds 20 – 23

Repeat Round 42

Repeat Rounds 13 – 19

Repeat Rounds 6 – 12

Repeat Rounds 2 – 5 ***

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