Bláithin Blanket CAL - Square 5 (US terms) Primula



Special Stitches

• **Puff Stitch (PS):** YO and insert hook in indicated stitch and pull up a loop to the height of a hdc, (yo and insert hook in same st and pull up a loop) 3 times in total, yo and pull through all 9 loops.

The following stitches are used in round 4

- Double crochet 2 together (dc2tog) worked over 2 sts: In indicated st, work (yo, insert hook in st, yo and pull up loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook) 2 times, yo and pull through all 3 loops on hook.
- Double crochet 3 together (dc3tog) worked over 3 sts: In indicated st, work (yo, insert hook in st, yo and pull up loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, yo and pull through all 4 loops on hook.

The following stitches are used in round 5

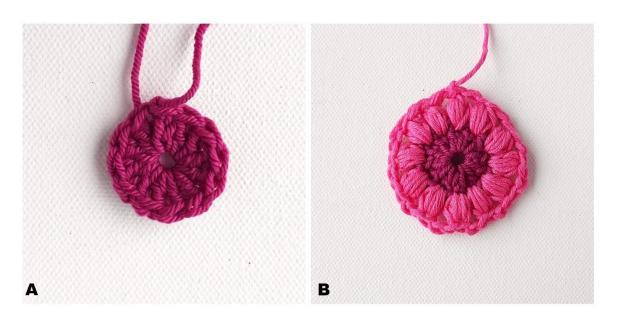
- **Double crochet 2 together (dc2cl)** *cluster*: In indicated space or st, work (yo, insert hook in space/st, yo and pull up loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook) twice, yo and pull through all 3 loops on hook.
- Treble crochet 2 together (tr2cl) cluster: In indicated space or st, work (yo hook twice, insert hook into space/st, yo and pull up loop, yo and pull through 2 loops, yo and pull through 2 loops) twice, yo and pull through all 3 loops on hook.

Instructions (US Crochet Terms)

Using first colour, make a magic ring.

Round 1: Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc), 11 dc in magic ring, join with a sl st to top of beg ch 3. Fasten off yarn. Pull ring tight to close – 12 dc Pic A

Round 2: Join next colour in any st, make [1 PS, ch 2] in each st around. Join with a sl st in 1st ch-2 sp. Fasten off yarn – 12 PS, 12 ch-2 **Pic B**



Round 3: Join next colour in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as 1 dc), 2 dc in same sp, make 3 dc in each sp around. Join with a sl st to beg ch 3. Do not fasten off yarn – 36dc **Pic C**

Round 4: Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc) dc2tog over next 2 sts, ch 4 * dc3tog over next 3 sts, ch 4; rep from * around. Join with a sl st to beg dc2tog. Fasten off yarn – *12 petals* **Pics D & E**



Round 5: Join in top of any petal (dc3tog), ch 1, 1 sc, ch 3, * [1 dc2cl, ch 2, 1 tr2cl, ch 2, 1 dc2cl] in next petal, ch 3, 1 sc in next petal, ch 4, ** 1 sc in next petal, ch 3; rep from * 2 more times, and from * to ** once more. Join with a sl st to beg sc. Fasten off yarn. **Pic F**



Round 6: Join in any sc before a corner, ch 3 (counts as 1 dc), * 3 dc in next ch-3 sp, 1 dc in next dc2cl, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, [1 dc, ch 2, 1 dc] in next tr2cl, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, 1 dc in next dc2cl, 3 dc in next ch-3 sp, 1 dc in next sc, 4 dc in next ch-4 sp, 1 dc in next sc; rep from * around, leaving out last dc in repeat. Join with a sl st in 3^{rd} ch of beg ch 3. Fasten off yarn – 20 dc in each side **Pic G**

Round 7: With main colour, join yarn in any ch-2 sp. Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc), 1 dc, ch 2, 2 dc (corner made), 1 dc in each st around, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in corner ch-2 sp. Join with a sl st to beg ch 3. Fasten off yarn. *24 dc in each side* **Pic H**



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