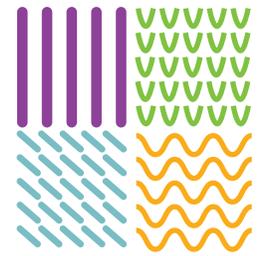


Join Together: 6 Join-as-you-go Crochet Techniques

Homework

Using smooth, light-colored yarn worsted weight yarn and a hook in an appropriate size for your yarn, stitch at least 4 motifs of EACH of the shapes described below (square, hexagon, circle). NOTE: The circles are not needed for the 2-hr version of this class.



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One-Color Granny Square (Make 4)

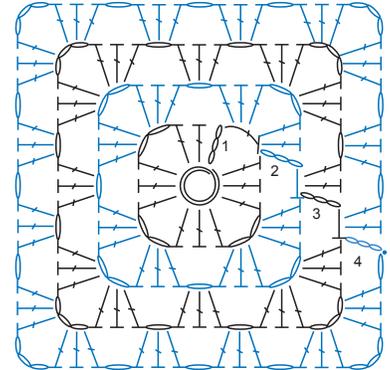
Ch 4, join with slip st to form ring, or begin with Magic Circle/sliding loop.

Rnd 1: Ch 3 (counts as dc throughout), 2 dc in ring, ch 2, [3 dc in ring, ch 2] 2 times, 3 dc in ring, join with dc in top of ch-3.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in space formed by joining dc, *ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next space; rep from * around, ending, join with hdc in top of ch-3.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in same space, *ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next space**, ch 1, 3 dc in next space; rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join with hdc in top of ch-3.

Rnd 4: Ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same space, *ch 1, 3 dc in next space, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next space, ch 1**, 3 dc in next space; rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join with slip st in top of ch-3. Fasten off. Leave a 12" tail on the final round; do not weave in ends on final round.



Granny Hexagon (Make 1 through Rnd 4; make 3 through Rnd 3)

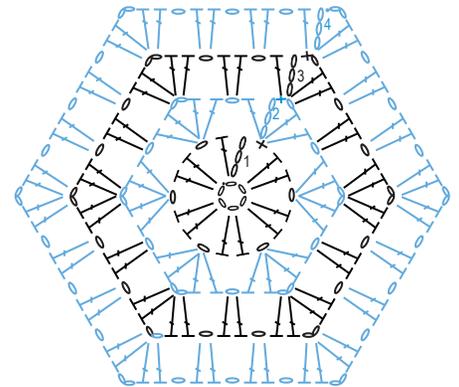
Ch 5, join with slip st to form ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in ring, *ch 1, 2 dc in ring; rep from * four more times, join with sc in top of ch-3.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same space, *ch 1, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next space; rep from * four more times, ch 1, 2 dc in same space as beg ch, ch 1, join with sc in top of ch-3.

Rnd 3: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same space, *ch 1, 2 dc in next space, ch 1, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next space; rep from * around, ending 2 dc in same space as beg ch, ch 1, join with sc in top of ch-3. [Fasten off three hexagons here.]

Rnd 4: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same space, *(ch 1, 2 dc in next space) two times, ch 1, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next space; rep from * around, ending 2 dc in same space as beg ch, ch 2, join with slip in top of ch-3. Fasten off.



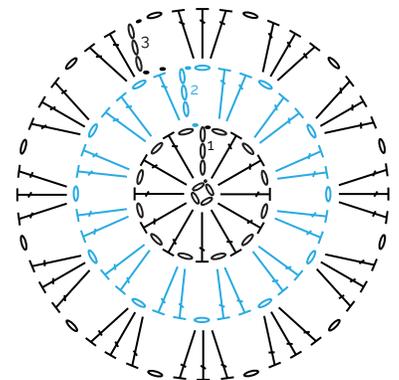
Granny Circle (Make 4)

Ch 4, join with slip st to form ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 4 (counts as dc and ch 1), [dc, ch 1] 11 times into ring, join with slip st to 3rd ch of ch-4, slip st in next space.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same space, ch 1, *2 dc in next space, ch 1; rep from * around, join with slip st in top of of ch-3, slip st in next st and in next ch-space.

Rnd 3: Ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same space, ch 1, *3 dc in next space, ch 1; rep from * around, join with slip st in top of ch-3. Fasten off. Leave an 8" tail on the final round; do not weave in ends on final round.





COMMON CROCHET SYMBOLS

-	slip stitch (sl st)		ch-3 picot
o	chain (ch)		single crochet 2 together (sc2tog)
x or +	single crochet (sc)		double crochet 2 together (dc2tog)
	Front post single crochet (FPsc)		3-dc cluster
	Back post single crochet (BPsc)		5-dc cluster
	extended (Elmore) single crochet (Esc)		5-dc shell
T	half double crochet (hdc)		5-dc popcorn
	Front post half double crochet (FPhdc)		worked in front loop only (appears at base of st being worked)
	Back post half double crochet (BPhdc)		worked in back loop only (appears at base of st being worked)
	extended (Elmore) half double crochet (Ehdc)		
	double crochet (dc)		
	Front post double crochet (FPdc)		
	Back post double crochet (BPdc)		
	extended (Elmore) double crochet (Edc)		
	treble crochet (tr)		
	Front post treble crochet (FPtr)		
	Back post treble crochet (BPtr)		
	extended (Elmore) treble crochet (Etr)		
	double treble crochet (dtr)		

Abbreviations

beg: beginning
 ch: chain
 dc: double crochet
 hdc: half double crochet
 rep: repeat
 rnd(s): round(s)
 st(s): stitch(es)

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