



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Alt** = Alternate

**Approx** = Approximately

**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

**Pat** = Pattern

**Popcorn** = Work 4 dc into same stitch or space. Drop loop from hook. Insert hook from front to back into first dc of 4-dc group. Pull dropped loop through st. Ch 1 to secure popcorn.

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 50" x 60" [127 x 152.5 cm].

## GAUGE

7 sc and 8 rows = 4" [10 cm].

## INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 77.

### Bottom Border:

See diagram on page 2.

**Set up row:** (WS). 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (skipped ch-3 counts as dc). 1 dc in each ch to end of chain. 75 sts. Turn.

**\*\*1st row:** (RS). Ch 2 (counts as hdc throughout). 1 dcbp around next st. \*1 dcfp around next st. 1 dcbp around next st. Rep from \* to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

## MATERIALS

**Bernat® Blanket Speckle™** (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)

Moss (02010)

**7 balls or 1422 yds/1300 m**

Size U.S. L/11 (8 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**  
Yarn needle.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 dcfp around next st. \*1 dcbp around next st. 1 dcfp around next st. Rep from \* to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

**3rd and 4th rows:** As 1st and 2nd rows once more.

**5th row:** As 1st row.\*\*

**6th row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each st to end of row. Turn.

Proceed in Diamond Popcorn Pat as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc throughout). \*1 dc in each of next 6 sts. Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in each of next 5 sts. Rep from \* to last 2 sts. 1 dc in each of last 2 sts. Turn.

**2nd and alt rows:** Ch 1. 1 sc in st to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 3. \*1 dc in each of next 4 sts. Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in each of next 3 sts. Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in each of next 3 sts. Rep from \* to last 2 sts. 1 dc in each of last 2 sts. Turn.

**5th row:** Ch 3. \*1 dc in each of next 2 sts. Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in each of next 7 sts. Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in next st. Rep from \* to last 2 sts. 1 dc in each of next 2 sts. Turn.

**7th row:** Ch 3. \*Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in each of next 11 sts. Rep from \* to last 2 sts. Popcorn in next st. 1 dc in next st. Turn.

**9th row:** As 5th row.

**11th row:** As 3rd row.

**12th row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in st to end of row. Turn.

These 12 rows form Diamond Popcorn Pat.

Rep last 12 rows 4 times more, then 1st and 2nd rows once.

**Top Border: 1st row:** (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each st to end of row. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 dcfp around next st. \*1 dcbp around next st. 1 dcfp around next st. Rep from \* to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 2. 1 dcbp around next st. \*1 dcfp around next st. 1 dcbp around next st. Rep from \* to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

**4th and 5th rows:** As 2nd and 3rd rows once more.

**6th row:** As 2nd row. Fasten off.

**Left Border:** With RS facing, join yarn with sl st to top left corner of Blanket.

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. Work 109 sc evenly down left side edge of Blanket.

**2nd row:** (WS). Ch 3. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Bottom Border. Fasten off.

**Right Border:** With RS facing, join yarn with sl st to bottom right corner of Blanket.

Work as given for Left Border along right side edge of Blanket.

### STITCH KEY

- = chain (ch)
- ⊥ = single crochet (sc)
- ⊥ = half double crochet (hdc)
- ⊥ = double crochet (dc)
- ⊥ = front post double crochet (dcfp)
- ⊥ = back post double crochet (dcbp)
- ⊕ = popcorn

