

BERNAT® SWIRLING TEXTURES CROCHET PILLOW



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx =	right to left. Yoh and draw through 3 loops on hook	Pat = Pattern
Approximately		Rep = Repeat
Beg = Begin(ning)		Rnd(s) = Round(s)
Ch = Chain(s)	Hdcfp = 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 3 loops on hook	Sc = Single crochet
Dc = Double crochet		Sl st = Slip stitch
Hdc = Half double crochet		Sp = Space(s)
Hdcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work, inserting hook from		St(s) = Stitch(es)
		Tog = Together
		WS = Wrong side
		Yoh = Yarn over hook

MEASUREMENT

Approx 24" [61 cm] square.

GAUGES

14 sts and 7 rows = 4" [10 cm] in grid pat with larger hook.
10 sc and 11 rows = 4" [10 cm] with larger hook.

INSTRUCTIONS

FRONT

Grid: Ch 85.

1st row: 1 hdc in 4th ch from hook (ch-3 counts as hdc, ch 1). *Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 hdc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. 84 sts.
2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as hdc, ch 1). *1 hdc in next hdc. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last ch-3. 1 hdc in 2nd ch of last ch-3. Turn.
Rep 2nd row until 41 rows have been worked. Fasten off.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Velvet™ (10.5 oz/300g; 315 yds/288 m)

Softened Blue (32008)

4 balls

Sizes U.S. K/10½ (6.5 mm) and U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) crochet hooks **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 24" [61 cm] square pillow form.

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Wiggles

With smaller hook and RS facing, join yarn with sl st to ch-1 or hdc post indicated with a red arrow on Chart. Ch 3. 1 dc around same ch-1 or hdc post as last sl st. Work 2 dc around each ch-1 or hdc post, following arrows on Chart to create Wiggles. Fasten off.

Rep from ** to ** for each section indicated in Chart.

BACK (make 2 alike)

Ch 61.

1st row: 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 60 sc.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Rep 2nd row until work from beg measures 10½" [26.5 cm].

Next row: Ch 2 (**does not** count as hdc). 1 hdc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Next row: Ch 1. *1 hdcfp around next hdc. 1 hdcbp around next hdc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn. Rep last row until work from beg measures 14" [35.5 cm]. Fasten off.

Assembly

With RS tog, overlap Back pieces to match Front with ribbed sections in center to create opening to insert pillow form. Sew outer edge seams.

