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BERNAT **RIDGED BIRCH CROCHET PILLOW**



MATERIALS

Bernat[®] Suede-ish[™] (7.9 oz/225 g; 428 yds/391 m)

18" [45.5 cm] square pillow form. Twelve ³/₄" [2 cm] wooden buttons.



CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately **Beg** = Beginning Ch = Chain(s)**Hdc** = Half double crochet **Pat** = Pattern

MEASUREMENT

Approx 18" [45.5 cm] square.

GAUGE

13 sc and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm]. 14 sts and 9 rows = 4" [10 cm] in pat.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Ch 2 at beg of row **does not** count as st.

Buttonhole Side

Ch 61.

1st row: (RS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain. Turn. 59 hdc.

2nd row: Ch 2. Working in *horizontal bar only, created by hdc* at front of work, (see

diagram), 1 hdc in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep = Repeat **RS** = Right side Sp(s) = Space(s)**St(s)** = Stitch(es) **WS** = Wrong side

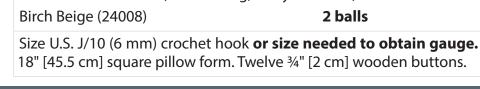
3rd row: (Buttonhole row – RS). Ch 2. Working in horizontal bar only, created by hdc at front of work, 1 hdc in each of first 6 sts. *Ch 2. Skip 2 sts. 1 hdc in each of next 7 sts. Rep from * to last 8 sts. Ch 2. Skip 2 sts. 1 hdc in each of last 6 sts. Turn.

4th row: Ch 2. Working in horizontal bar only, created by hdc at front of work, 1 hdc in each st to end of row, working 2 hdc in each ch-2 sp. Turn.

5th row: As 2nd row.

Rep last row for pat until work from beg measures 16¹/₂" [42 cm], ending on a WS row.

Next 2 rows: As 3rd and 4th rows. Next row: As 2nd row. Fasten off.





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Button Side

Work as given for Buttonhole Side, omitting all references to buttonholes.

FINISHING

Following diagram (note direction of pat ridges), sew buttons to correspond to buttonholes. Fold cushion flat, having rows of buttons in middle of Front and Back. Sew side seams. Insert pillow form. Close buttons.

