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CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately

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.

Fdc (Foundation double crochet) = Ch 3 (counts as first st). Yoh. Insert hook in 3rd ch from hook and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through one loop on hook (ch made). (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice (1 dc made). *Yoh. Insert

hook into ch stitch and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through one loop on hook (ch made). (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice (1 dc made). Rep from * for as many fdc as called for in pattern.

Hdc = Half double crochet

Pat = Pattern

PM = Place marker

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Sc = Single crochet

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

WS = Wrong side

Yoh = Yarn over hook

MATERIALS

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

White (10955)

2 balls or 375 yds/343 m

Size U.S. L/11 (8 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**
4 stitch markers. Tapestry needle. 16" [40.5 cm] square pillow form. Alternatively, use an 18" [45.5 cm] square pillow form to overstuff the pillow for a greater pop.

MEASUREMENT

Approx 16" [40.5 cm] square.

GAUGE

8 sts and 6 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Diagonal Stripes Pat.

INSTRUCTIONS

FRONT AND BACK (make 2).

1st row: (WS). Work 32 fdc. Turn.

2nd row: (RS) Ch 1. 1 hdc in first st.

*1 dcfp around each of next 3 sts.

1 dcbp around each of next 3 sts.

Rep from * to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 hdc in first st.

*1 dcfp around each of next 2 sts.

1 dcbp around each of next 3 sts.

1 dcfp around next st. Rep from * to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

4th row: Ch 1. 1 hdc in first st.

*1 dcbp around each of next 2 sts.

1 dcfp around each of next 3 sts.

1 dcbp in next st. Rep from * to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

5th row: Ch 1. 1 hdc in first st.

*1 dcbp around each of next 3 sts.

1 dcfp around each of next 3 sts.

Rep from * to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

6th row: Ch 1. 1 hdc in first st.

*1 dcfp around next st. 1 dcbp

around each of next 3 sts. 1 dcfp

around each of next 2 sts. Rep from * to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

7th row: Ch 1. 1 hdc in first st.

*1 dcbp around next st. 1 dcfp

around each of next 3 sts. 1 dcbp

around each of next 2 sts. Rep from

* to last st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.

Rep 2nd row through 7th row twice more, and then 2nd row through 6th row once more, for a total of 24 rows worked.

Edging rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each st

across last row worked. Ch 2. Work

32 sc along side of pillow. . Ch 2.

Work 32 sc across bottom loops

of 1st row. Ch 2. Work 32 sc evenly

along side of square. Ch 2. Join

with sl st in first sc of rnd. 128 sc.

Assembly: Use stitch markers to

hold WS of front and back together.

Working through both thicknesses,

work 1 rnd of reverse sc around 3

sides of pillow, working 3 reverse sc

in each corner ch-2 sp. Insert pillow

form. Reverse sc through both

thicknesses of final side of pillow.

Weave in ends. Fasten off.

