



## MATERIALS

**Caron® Cotton Cakes™** (8.8 oz/250 g; 530 yds/485 m)

Fruit Tropics (57045)

**6 balls**

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximately

**Beg** = Beginning

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**RS** = Right side

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**Sp** = Space

## MEASUREMENTS

Approx 51" x 59½" [129.5 x 142 cm].

## GAUGE

15 dc and 7.5 rows = 4" [10 cm].

Motif = Approx 8½" [21.5 cm] square

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Note:** Ch 5 at beg of rnds counts as 1 dc and ch-2 sp throughout.

### MOTIF (make 42)

See diagram on page 2.

Ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form a ring.

**1st rnd:** Ch 5. (3 dc. Ch 2) 3 times in ring. 2 dc in ring. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of ch 5.

**2nd rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 3 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 3 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5.

**3rd rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 7 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 7 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5.

**4th rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 11 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 11 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5.

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**5th rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 15 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 15 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5.

**6th rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 19 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 19 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5.

**7th rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 23 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 23 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5.

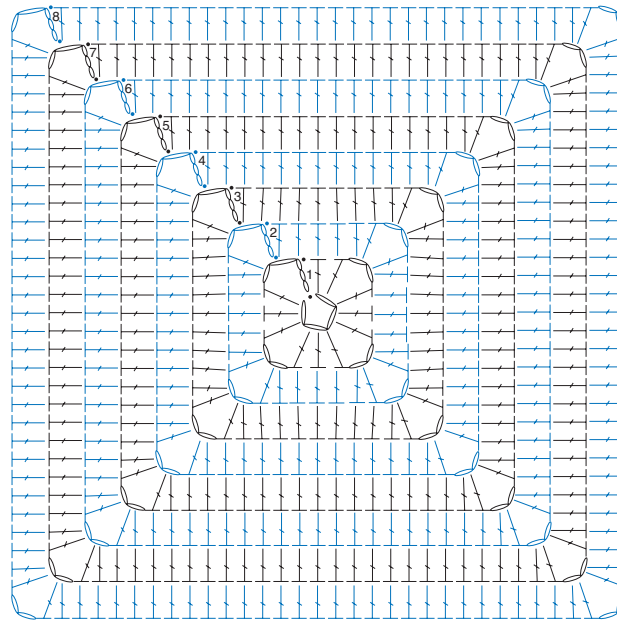
**8th rnd:** Sl st in first ch-2 sp. Ch 5. 2 dc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. [1 dc in each of next 27 dc. (2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] 3 times. 1 dc in each of next 27 dc. 1 dc in ch-2 sp. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch 5. Fasten off.

### FINISHING

Sew Motifs together, having 6 Motifs wide and 7 Motifs long.

**Border:** With RS facing, join yarn with sl st to any corner ch-2 sp of Blanket and proceed as follows:

**1st and 2nd rnds:** Ch 1. Work sc evenly around Blanket, having 3 sc in each corner. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.



STITCH KEY  
 ○ = chain (ch)  
 • = slip stitch (sl st)  
 T = double crochet (dc)