

CARON

FLOWERS & CHECKS CROCHET BLANKET

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## **MATERIALS**

**Caron® One Pound™** (16 oz/453.6 g; 812 yds/742 m)

Contrast A Off White (10514) 3 balls

Contrast B Blue Grotto (15019) 1 ball

Contrast C Raspberry (10659) 1 ball

Contrast D Sunflower (10549) 1 ball

Size U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Yarn needle





# CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

Approx =

Approximately

 $\mathbf{Beg} = \mathsf{Begin}(\mathsf{ning})$ 

Ch = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Hdc** = Half double

crochet

**Rep** = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

**RS** = Right side

**Sc** = Single crochet

**SI st** = Slip stitch

**Sp** = Space

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

**Tog** = Together

**Tr** = Treble crochet

# **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx 50" x 62" [127 x 157.5 cm].

# **GAUGE**

11 hdc and 9 rows = 4" [10 cm]. Motif = 6" [15 cm] square.

# **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **Notes:**

- Gauge may vary between working in rounds for Flower Motif and working in rows for Checkered Motif.
- It is worth taking time to check this as you will be sewing the Motifs together and Motifs need to be as close to same size as possible.
- Ch 2 at beg of rows in Motif 2 do not count as hdc.

- When changing yarn colors, work to last 2 loops on hook of first color. Draw new color through last 2 loops and proceed in new color.
- Carry color not in use loosely across top of work and work sts around yarn not in use.

# **FLOWER MOTIF**

**MOTIF 1** - Make 11 using A as Color 1 and B as Color 2.

**MOTIF 2** - Make 11 using A as Color 1 and C as Color 2.

**MOTIF 3** - Make 11 using A as Color 1 and D as Color 2.

With Color 1, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring. See diagram on page 3.



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**1st rnd:** Ch 3 (counts as dc). 9 dc in ring. Join Color 2 with sl st to top of ch 3. Break Color 1.

**2nd rnd:** With Color 2, ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in same sp as sl st. \*2 dc in next dc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 20 dc.

**3rd rnd:** Skip first dc. \*(1 dc. 1 tr) in next dc. 3 tr in next dc. (1 tr. 1 dc) in next dc. sl st in next dc. Rep from \* around, ending by joining with a sl st to top of ch 3 of previous rnd. Fasten off.

4th rnd: Join Color 3 with sl st to any centre tr of 3-tr group. Ch 1. 1 sc in same st as sl st. \*1 hdc in next tr. 1 dc in each of next 2 sts. 1 tr in same st as sl st from previous rnd. 1 dc in each of next 2 sts. 1 hdc in next tr. 1 sc in next tr. Rep from \* around, omitting last sc and joining with sl st to first sc.

**5th rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc in same st as sl st. \*1 hdc in next st. 1 dc in next st. 2 dc in next st. (1 tr. Ch 1. 1 tr) in next st (corner made). 2 dc in next st. 1 dc in next st. 1 hdc in next st. 1 sc in each of next 3 sts. Rep from around, ending with 1 sc in each of last 2 sts. Join with sl st to first sc.

**6th rnd:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first st. Work 1 hdc in each st around, having 3 hdc in each ch-1 corner sp. Join with sl st to first hdc. Fasten off.

#### **CHECKERED MOTIF**

**MOTIF 4** - Make 11 using A as Color 1 and B as Color 2.

**MOTIF 5** - Make 9 using A as Color 1 and C as Color 2.

**MOTIF 6** - Make 11 using A as Color 1 and D as Color 2.

With Color 1, ch 20.

1st row: (RS). With Color 1, 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each of next 2 ch. \*With Color 2, 1 hdc in each of next 3 ch. With Color 1, 1 hdc in each of next 3 ch. Rep from \* to last 3 ch. With Color 2, 1 hdc in each of last 3 ch. Turn. 18 hdc.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. \*With Color 2, 1 hdc in next 3 hdc. With Color 1, 1 hdc in next 3 hdc. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** With Color 2, ch 2. 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. \*With Color 1, 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. With Color 2, 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. Rep from \* to last 3 hdc. With Color 1, 1 hdc in each of last 3 hdc. Turn.

**4th row:** Ch 2. \*With Color 1, 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. With Color 2, 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.

**5th row:** With Color 1, ch 2. 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. \*With Color 2, 1 hdc in each of next 3 hdc. Rep from \* to last 3 hdc. With Color 2, 1 hdc in each of last 3 hdc. Turn. **6th to 8th rows:** As 2nd to 4th

Rep 5th to 8th rows once more. Fasten off at end of last row.

#### **FINISHING**

rows.

Sew Motifs together as shown in Assembly Diagram.

# **BORDER**

1st rnd: (RS). Join A with sl st to any corner. Ch 2. 3 hdc in corner. Work 146 hdc evenly up right side edge. 3 hdc in corner. Work 116 hdc evenly along top edge. 3 hdc in next corner. Work 146 hdc evenly down left side edge. 3 hdc in corner. Work 116 hdc evenly along bottom edge. Join C with sl st to first hdc. 536 hdc.

2nd rnd: With C, \*Skip next 2 hdc. 5 dc in next hdc. Skip next 2 hdc. SI st in next hdc. Rep from \* around, ending with 'SI st in next hdc. Skip next 2 hdc.' Join with sI st to first st. Fasten off.

2	4	1	6	3	5	2
4	1	6	3	5	2	4
1	6	3	5	2	4	1
6	3	5	2	4	1	6
3	5	2	4	1	6	3
5	2	4	1	6	3	5
2	4	1	6	3	5	2
4	1	6	3	5	2	4
1	6	3	5	2	4	1

**ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM** 



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