



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate

Approx =
Approximate(ly)

Beg = Begin(ning)

Ch = Chain(s)

Dc = Double crochet

PM = Place marker

Popcorn = Work 5 dc into same stitch or space. Drop loop from hook. Insert hook from front to back into first dc of 5 dc group. Pull dropped loop through st. Ch 1 to secure popcorn.

Rep = Repeat

Sc = Single crochet

WS = Wrong side

MEASUREMENT

Approx 24" [61 cm] square.

GAUGE

9.5 sc and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Ch 3 at beg of row counts as dc.

Pillow Front

Ch 56.

1st row: (WS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch across. Turn. 55 sc.

2nd row: Ch 3. *Popcorn in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * to last 2 sts. Popcorn in next sc. 1 dc in last sc. Turn.

3rd and alt rows: Ch 1. 1 sc in each st to end of row. Turn.

4th row: Ch 3. 1 dc in next sc. *Popcorn in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * to last st. 1 dc in last sc. Turn.

6th row: Ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 2 sc. *Popcorn in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 3 sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

8th row: Ch 3. *1 dc in each of next 3 sc. Popcorn in next sc. Rep from * to last 2 sc. 1 dc in each of last 2 sc. Turn.

9th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each st to end of row. Turn.

MATERIALS

Caron® Chunky Cakes™ (9.8 oz/280 g; 297 yds/271 m)
Rice Pudding (17024) **4 balls**

Size U.S. K/10½ (6.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Pillow form 24" [61 cm] square.

Rep 2nd to 9th rows until work from beg measures approx 24" [61 cm], ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

Pillow Back (make 2).

Ribbing: Ch 7.

1st row: 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 6 sc.

2nd row: Ch 1. Working in back loops only, 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Rep last row until work from beg (when slightly stretched) measures 24" [61 cm]. **Do not** fasten off.

Proceed as follows:

1st row: Turn work sidewise. Ch 1. Work 55 sc along side of ribbing. Turn. PM at end of row.

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

Rep last row until work from marker measures 14" [35.5 cm]. Fasten off.

FINISHING

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

