



## Poinsettia Throw

### FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

**Length:** 42"

**Width:** 36"

### MATERIALS

**Premier® Yarns Anti-Pilling® Everyday®**  
DK (100% Anti-Pilling Acrylic; 3.5oz/100g,  
273yds/250m)

- MC: 1107-01 White – 9 balls

**Premier® Yarns Gala™** (95% Polyester; 5%  
Metallic Polyester 1.76 oz/50g, 149yds/137m)

- CC: 2085-02 Gold – 5 balls

**Hook:** US Size 7 (4.5 mm) *or size needed to  
obtain gauge*

**Notions:** Tapestry needle

### GAUGE

1 Motif = 6" across

**Save time, check your gauge.**

### Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Chain, single, half double and double crochet stitches.
- Working in rounds and joining with slip stitches.
- Changing colors.
- Seaming motifs together.

### STITCH GUIDE

**Magic Ring:** Wrap yarn around your left middle finger twice, leaving a 6" tail. Insert hook under both strands and pull up a loop. Ch 1, and beg working directly into center of ring. This ring can be tightened later by pulling on the yarn tail.

**Shell:** 7 dc in indicated stitch or space.

**Slip Stitch Seam (Sl St Seam):** With RS facing out, and pieces side by side, insert hook through the back loop of a stitch, then through the front loop of its corresponding stitch on the joining piece. Pull yarn through all 3 loops on hook to complete a slip stitch.

**V-Stitch (V-st):** (Dc, ch 1, dc) in indicated stitch or space.

### PATTERN NOTES

This Throw is made by crocheting 42 Motifs and joining them together with a slip stitch seam. A Border is worked around the entire blanket after Motifs are joined.

### THROW

**Motif (make 42)**

With CC, make a **Magic Ring**

**Rnd 1:** Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1 throughout), into the ring work (dc, ch 1) 7 times, join with sl st to 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch-4 – 8 dc, 8 ch-1 sps.

**Rnd 2:** (Sc in next ch-1 sp, **Shell** in next ch-1 sp) 4 times, join to first sc with sl st, drop CC, pick up MC – 8 **Shells** (2 per corner).

**Rnd 3:** With MC, (ch 4, dc, ch 3, **V-st**) in same sp, \*ch 5, sk next **Shell**, (**V-st**, ch 3, **V-st**) in next sc; rep from \* two more times, ch 5, sk last corner **Shell**, join with sl st to 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch-4.

**Rnd 4:** \***Shell** in next ch-1 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **Shell** in next ch-1 sp, working over the next ch-5 sp, sc in the center dc of the next corner **Shell**, 2 rnds below; rep from \* 3 more times, do not join, drop MC, pick up CC.

**Rnd 5:** With CC, ch 4, dc in same st, \*ch 5, sk next **Shell**, [**V-st**, ch 3, **V-st**] in next sc (corner made), ch 5, sk next **Shell**, **V-st** in next sc; rep from \* 3 more times, omitting last **V-st**, join to

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3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch-4, fasten off CC, pick up MC.

**Rnd 6:** With MC, sl st in ch-1 sp of first **V-st**, **Shell** in same sp, \*working over the next ch-5 sp, sc in the center dc of the next **Shell**, 2 rnds below, **Shell** in next ch-1 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **Shell** in next ch-1 sp, working over the next ch-5 sp, sc in the center dc of the next **Shell**, 2 rnds below, **Shell** in ch-1 sp of next **V-st**; rep from \* 3 more times, omitting last **Shell**, join with sl st to first dc of beginning **Shell** – 12 Shells.

**Rnd 7:** Ch 2 (counts as 1 dc), work (2 hdc, 3 sc, 2 hdc) across each **Shell**, work 1 dc in each sc on side edges of Motif and work 3 dc in each sc in corner of Motif, join to 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch-3.

## FINISHING

Fasten off, weave in ends. With MC, **Sl St Seam** the Motifs together, 6 Motifs wide and 7 Motifs long.

## Border

Join CC in top right corner with a sl st.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, work 156 sc across top edge, 4 sc in next corner, 180 sc down left side, 4 sc in next corner, 156 sc across bottom edge, 4 sc in next corner, 180 up right side and 4 sc in last corner, join with a sl st to beg sc.

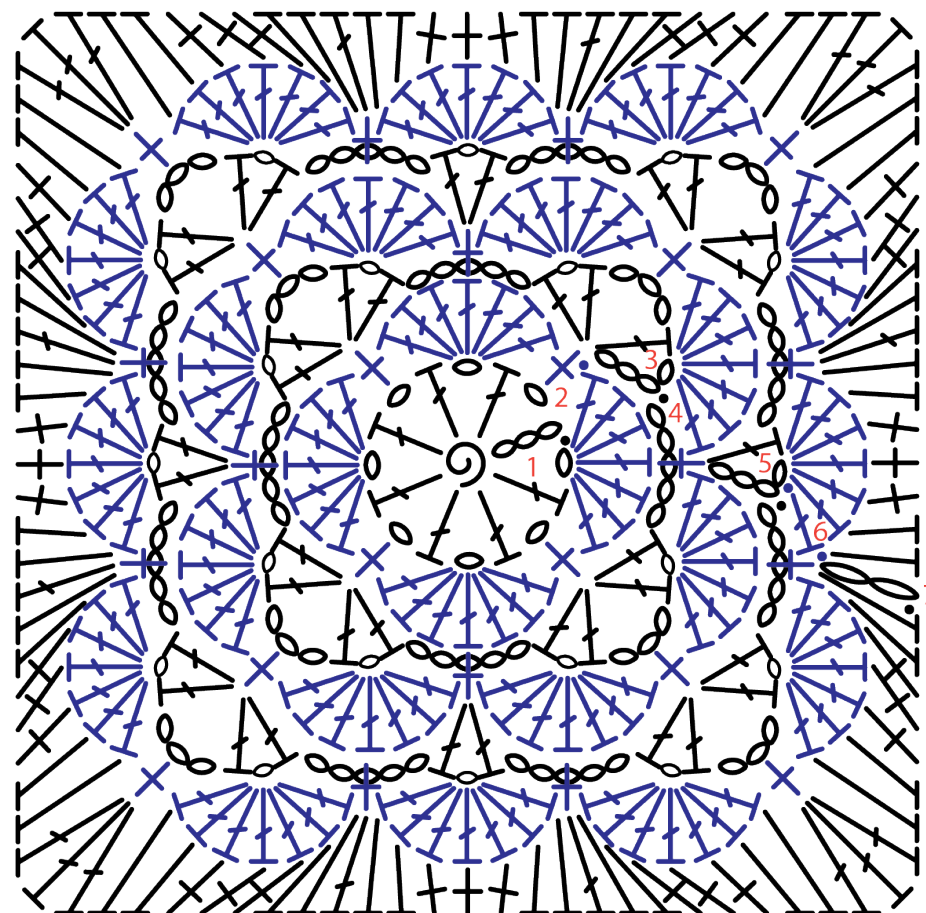
**Rnd 2:** Join MC with a sc 2 sts to the left of top right corner st, \*(sk 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk 2 sts, sc in next st) to 1 st bef next corner st, sk 1 st, 5 dc in corner st, sk 1 st, sc in next st; rep from \* around, omitting last sc, join with a sl st to first sc.

## Abbreviations

**beg** begin(ning)  
**CC** contrast color

<b>ch</b>	chain
<b>dc</b>	double crochet
<b>hdc</b>	half double crochet
<b>MC</b>	main color
<b>rem</b>	remain(ing)
<b>rep</b>	repeat
<b>rnd(s)</b>	round(s)
<b>RS</b>	right side
<b>sc</b>	single crochet
<b>sk</b>	skip
<b>sl st</b>	slip stitch
<b>sp(s)</b>	space(es)
<b>st(s)</b>	stitch(es)
<b>yo</b>	yarn over

Chart



## Stitch Key

•	Slip Stitch	T	Half Double Crochet	⊗	Magic Ring
o	Chain	T	Double Crochet		
+	Single Crochet				