

Sampler Granny Square Baby Afghan

Supplies:

5 skeins Caron Simply Soft Yarn

1 skein color A

1 skein color B

1 skein color C

1 skein color D

1 skein color D (OR contrasting color) for border

Size I (9) crochet hook

Tapestry needle

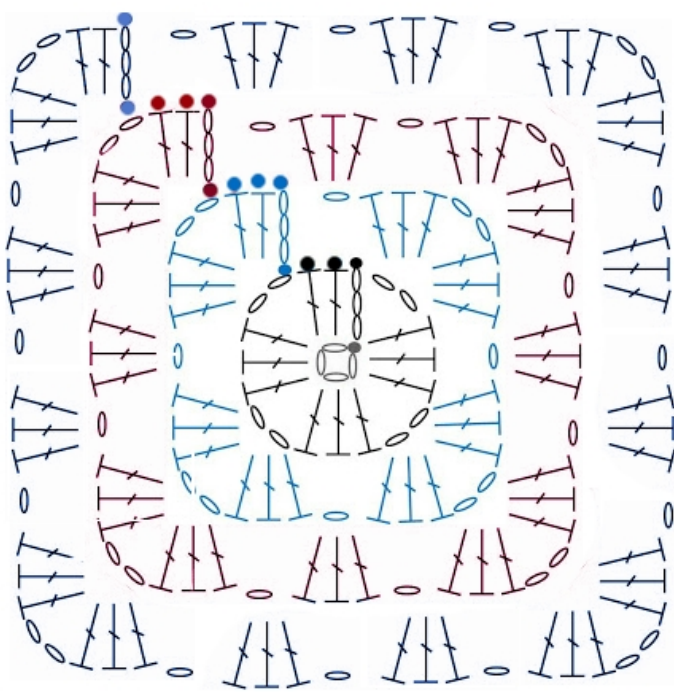
Gauge: Finished square is 4 to 4 ¼" square

Special Stitches:

Puff Stitch

*YO, insert hook into st, YO, pull through, repeat from * 2 times (7 loops on hook), YO, pull through all 7 loops, ch 1 to close stitch.

NOTE: Join new color with a sl st into the next available ch sp unless otherwise noted in the pattern.



Square 1
Plain Jane Granny

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Plain Jane Granny

Ch 4, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc into ring, *ch 2, 3 dc into ring, repeat from * 3 times, ch 2, sl st in top of ch-3 to join, sl st in each of next 2 dc. (12 dc, 4 ch-2 sp)

Rnd 2: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in ch-2 sp, ch 2, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp, *ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3dc) in next ch-2 sp, repeat from * 3 times, ch 1, sl st in top of ch-3 to join, sl st in each of next 2 dc. (24 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 4 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 3: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in ch-2 sp, ch2, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp, *ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, repeat

from * 3 times, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sl st in top of ch-3 to join, sl st in each of next 2 dc. (36 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 8 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 4: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in ch-2 sp, ch 2, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp, *[ch1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 2 times, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, repeat from * 3 times, [ch1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 2 times, ch 1, sl st in top of ch-3 to join. Fasten off. (48 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 12 ch-1 sp)

Square 2:

Triple Threat Granny

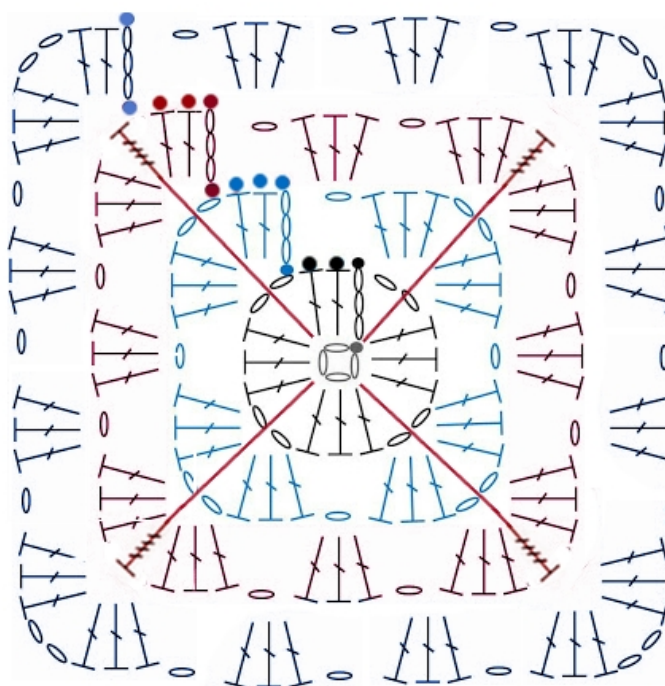
Ch 4, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Same as for Plain Jane Granny.

Rnd 2: Same as for Plain Jane Granny.

Rnd 3: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in ch-2 sp, trtr into center ring, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp, *ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, trtr into center ring, 3 dc in same ch-2 sp, repeat from * 3 times, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sl st in top of ch-3 to join, sl st in each of next 2 dc. (36 dc, 4 trtr, 8 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 4: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in trtr, ch 2, 3 dc in same trtr, *[ch1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 2 times, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next trtr, repeat from * 3 times, [ch1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp] 2 times, ch 1, sl st in top of ch-3 to join. Fasten off. (48 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 12 ch-1 sp)



Square 2
Triple Threat Granny

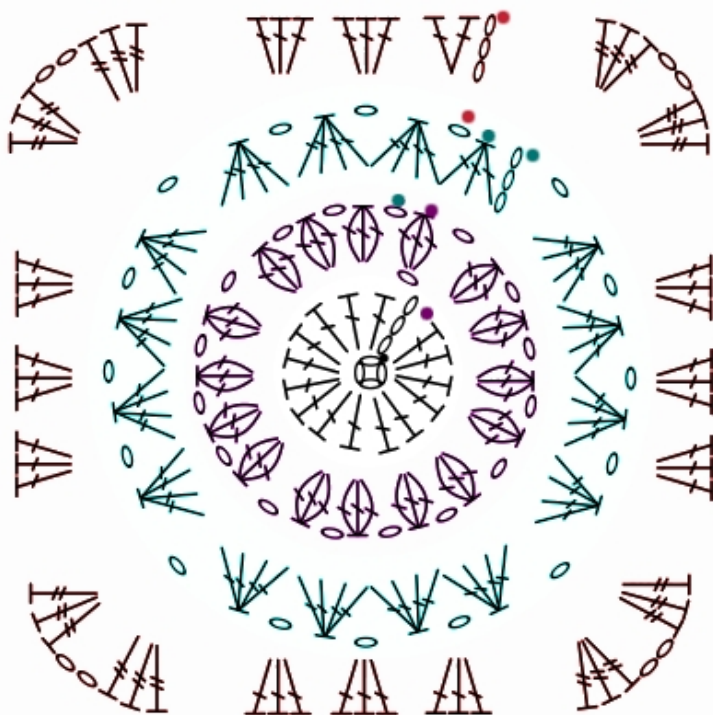
Square 3:

Puffy Granny

Ch 4, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: ch 3 (counts as first dc), 15 dc into ring, sl st with new color in top of ch-3 to join. (16 dc)

Rnd 2: With new color joined, ch 1, puff stitch in same st as join, ch 1*puff stitch, ch 1, repeat from * around, join with sl st in top of first puff. (16 puffs, 16 ch-1 sp)



Square 3
Puffy Granny

Rnd 3: Join new color, [ch 3, 3dctog (counts as first 4dctog)] in first ch-1 sp, ch 1, *4dctog in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, repeat from * around, join with sl st in top of first ch-3, sl st in next st. (16 4dctog, 16 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 4: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in same ch-1 sp, 3 dc in each of next 2 ch-1 sp, *(3 tr, ch 2, 3 tr) in next ch-1 sp, **3 dc in each of next 3 ch-1 sp, repeat from * three times, repeat from * to ** once, join with sl st in top of first ch-3. Fasten off. (24 tr, 36 dc, 4 ch-2 sp)

Square 4:

Four Leaf Clover Granny

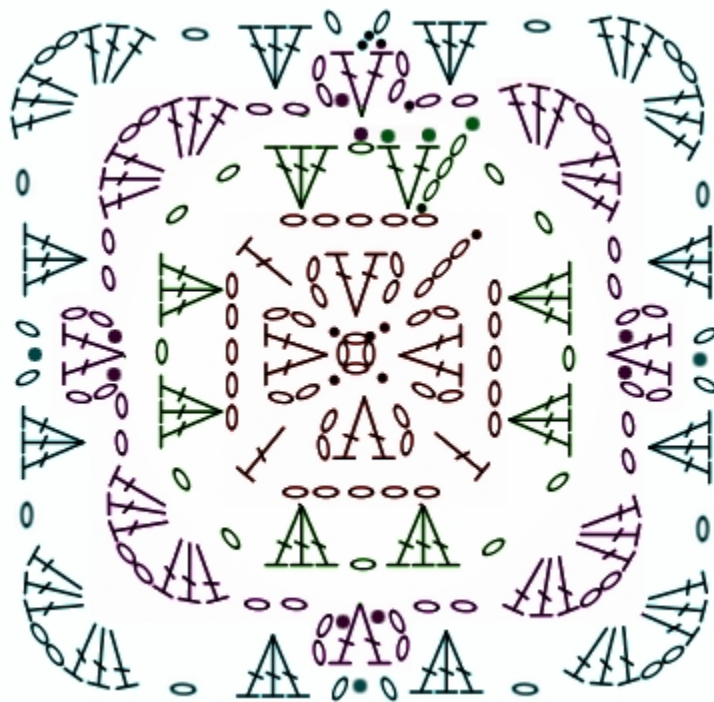
Ch 4, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: *Ch 2, 2 dc into ring, ch 2, sl st into ring (petal made), repeat from * 3 times. (4 petals)

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), *ch 5, sk next petal, dc into sl st, repeat from * 3 times, ch 5, join with sl st in top of first ch-3. (4 dc, 4 ch-5 sp)

Rnd 3: Join new color, ch 3 (counts as first dc), (2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in first ch-5 sp, *ch 2, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-5 sp, repeat from * 3 times, ch 2, join with sl st in top of first ch-3, sl st in each of next 2 dc. (24 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 4 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 4: Join new color, *ch 2, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 2, sl st



Square 4
Four Leaf Clover Granny

in same ch-1 sp (petal made), ch 2, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, repeat from * 3 times, sl st in next ch-1 sp to join, sl st in next dc. (4 petals, 24 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 8 ch-1 sp)

Rnd 5: Join new color with sl st between next 2 dc, *ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, sl st in between next 2 dc, rep from * 3 times, sl st in between next 2 dc to join. Fasten off. (48 dc, 4 ch-2 sp, 8 ch-1 sp)

Assembly:

Make 4 of each square in a rotating color pattern as shown. Weave in all ends. Using border color (Color D or contrasting color) sew together the squares in the following pattern.

Once assembled, attach color D (OR border color if different) with a slip stitch to any corner (hereafter corner will refer to the 4 corners as assembled, not any one square corner.)

Border:

Border Rnd 1: (Ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in first corner sp, *[ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp (on square 3 use middle dc of each 3dc cluster, on square 4 use the ch-1 sp, middle of petal, ch-1 sp),] to next corner sp, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner space**, repeat from * to ** 2 times, [ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp (on square 3 use middle dc of each 3dc cluster, on square 4 use the ch-1 sp, middle of petal, ch-1 sp),] to next corner sp, join with sl st in top of first ch-3.

Border Rnd 2: (Ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in first corner sp, *[ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp,] to next corner sp, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner space**, repeat from * to ** 2 times, [ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp,] to next corner sp, join with sl st in top of first ch-3.

Border Rnd 3: Repeat Rnd 2.

Border Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 2 sts, 3 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 3 sts, *sc in next ch 1 sp, sc in next 3 sts, repeat from * to next corner sp, 3 sc in next ch-2 sp,** rep from * to ** 2 times, *sc in next ch 1 sp, sc in next 3 sts, repeat from * to next corner sp, join with sl st in first sc.

BCDA 2	DABC 4	CDAB 4	ABCD 1
ABCD 3	CDAB 2	DABC 1	BCDA 3
DABC 3	BCDA 1	ABCD 2	CDAB 3
CDAB 1	ABCD 4	BCDA 4	DABC 2

Definitions

3dctog - 3 double crochet together

sl st - slip stitch

4dctog - 4 double crochet together

sp - space

Definitions

ch - chain

dc - double crochet

sc - single crochet

sk - skip

st - stitch

tr - treble crochet

trtr - triple treble

Symbol Legend



chain



triple treble



slip stitch



3dctog



double crochet



4dctog



treble crochet



puff stitch (pattern
stitch)