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DIAMOND CROCHET BLANKET

Skill Level: Intermediate

Crafting Time: Varies



SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- Big Twist® Plush Yarn: Sage (2 skeins)
- Big Twist® Plush Yarn: Dusty Rose (2 skeins)
- Big Twist® Plush Yarn: Lt Grey (2 skeins)
- Big Twist® Plush Yarn: Coconut (2 skeins)
- Crochet Hook: 10.00mm/US N (or size needed to meet gauge)
- Scissors

NOTE:

To make the shell stitch, work 5 dc into the same stitch.

GAUGE:

 $1 \frac{1}{2} \text{ shells x } 2 \text{ rows} = 4$ "

ABBREVIATIONS:

Ch = Chain(s)

Dc = Double crochet

Rep = Repeat

Sc = Single crochet

Shell = Shell Stitch

Sk = Skip

St(s) = Stitch(es)

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With Sage yarn.

Ch 85.

Row 1: Ch 1, sc in first ch, *sk 2 ch, shell, sk 2 ch, sc, repeat from * to end of row.

Turn.

(84 sts)

Tie off Sage yarn.

Attach Coconut yarn.

Row 2: Ch 3, 2 dc in first sc, *sk 2 sts, sc, sk 2 sts, shell, repeat from * to last 6 sts or row, sk 2 sts, sc, sk 2 sts, 3 dc in last st.

Turn.

Tie off Coconut yarn.

Attach Lt Grey yarn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, *sk 2 sts, shell, sk 2 sts, sc, repeat from * to end of row.

Turn.

Tie off Lt Grey yarn.

Rows 4-48: Repeat rows 2 and 3, changing colors each row.

Work color repeat as Dusty Rose, Sage, Coconut, Lt Grey.

Row 49: Ch 1, sc in first st, *ch 2, sk 2 sts, sc, repeat from* to end of row.

Tie off yarn.

Weave in ends.

Attach Sage yarn to top of last st.

Edge round 1:

Ch 1, sc in first st, *2 sc in ch space, sc, repeat from * to end of row, work 2 more sc in last st of row, rotate blanket, work sc along the edge of blanket making 2 sc in the side of each dc and one sc in the side of each sc, rotate blanket, work 2 more sc in corner, repeat from * across next edge of blanket, work 2 more sc in last st of row, again rotate blanket, work sc along the edge of blanket making 2 sc in the side of each dc and one sc in the side of each sc, 2 more sc in last st, sl st to first sc. Turn.

Edge round 2:

Ch 1, sc in each st around, working 3 sc in each corner st, sl st into first st of round. Turn.

Edge rows 3-4: Repeat Edge round 2.