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Geometric Mosaic Throw Pattern

Finished Size & Skill Level

- About 49 in (124 cm) wide x 54 in (137 cm) long, including the border
- **Skill level:** Intermediate - chain, single crochet, double crochet, reading a stitch repeat
- **Time:** about 60-70 hours, a relaxing multi-week project

Materials

- **Color A (light, e.g. warm cream):** worsted-weight (#4) yarn, approx 1,500 yds (1,372 m)
- **Color B (dark contrast, e.g. deep teal):** worsted-weight (#4) yarn, approx 1,400 yds (1,280 m)
- **5 mm (US H-8) crochet hook**
- Yarn needle, scissors, row counter, 2 stitch markers

Gauge

14 stitches x 15 rows = 4 in (10 cm) in mosaic pattern. Make a 20-row swatch first: it teaches you the mosaic double crochet and confirms your size. If your swatch is wider than 4 in, go down a hook size; if narrower, go up.

Abbreviations (US Terms)

- **ch** = chain | **sc** = single crochet (UK: dc)
- **dc** = double crochet (UK: tr) | **st(s)** = stitch(es)
- **BLO** = back loop only | **FLO** = front loop only
- **mdc** = mosaic double crochet: yo, insert hook in the FLO of the stitch **2 rows below** (skipping the stitch directly behind it), yo, pull up a loop, and complete as a normal dc
- **Edge st** = sc worked through both loops (first and last stitch of every row)

All sc inside the repeat are worked in the BLO. The right side always faces you: cut the yarn at the end of every row and rejoin the next color at the start.

Foundation

With Color A: Ch 171.

Foundation row: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across. (170 sc) Cut A.

Stitch count: 2 edge stitches + 7 repeats of 24 stitches = 170 sts.

Mosaic Body

Work the 24-row repeat below, alternating colors every row: odd rows in Color B, even rows in Color A. Each row is: Edge st, [24-stitch repeat] 7 times, Edge st. Cut the yarn at the end of every row. Work the full 24-row repeat **8 times** (192 rows).

Row 1 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 11, mdc 2, sc 11] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 2 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 10, mdc, sc 2, mdc, sc 10] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 3 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 9, mdc, sc 4, mdc, sc 9] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 4 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 8, mdc, sc 6, mdc, sc 8] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 5 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 7, mdc, sc 8, mdc, sc 7] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 6 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 6, mdc, sc 10, mdc, sc 6] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 7 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 5, mdc, sc 12, mdc, sc 5] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 8 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 4, mdc, sc 14, mdc, sc 4] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 9 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 3, mdc, sc 16, mdc, sc 3] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 10 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 2, mdc, sc 18, mdc, sc 2] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 11 (Color B): Edge st. [sc, mdc, sc 20, mdc, sc] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 12 (Color A): Edge st. [mdc, sc 22, mdc] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 13 (Color B): Edge st. [mdc, sc 22, mdc] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 14 (Color A): Edge st. [sc, mdc, sc 20, mdc, sc] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 15 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 2, mdc, sc 18, mdc, sc 2] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 16 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 3, mdc, sc 16, mdc, sc 3] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 17 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 4, mdc, sc 14, mdc, sc 4] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 18 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 5, mdc, sc 12, mdc, sc 5] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 19 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 6, mdc, sc 10, mdc, sc 6] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 20 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 7, mdc, sc 8, mdc, sc 7] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 21 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 8, mdc, sc 6, mdc, sc 8] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 22 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 9, mdc, sc 4, mdc, sc 9] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Row 23 (Color B): Edge st. [sc 10, mdc, sc 2, mdc, sc 10] 7 times. Edge st. Cut B.

Row 24 (Color A): Edge st. [sc 11, mdc 2, sc 11] 7 times. Edge st. Cut A.

Mark each completed repeat on your row counter. The zigzag bands emerge after 2-3 repeats.

Border

The border is worked with Color A and covers every row-end tail as you go.

Round 1: Join A in any corner. Ch 1, 3 sc in corner, sc evenly along each edge with 3 sc in each corner. Join with sl st to first sc.

Rounds 2-3: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in the center sc of each corner. Join.

Fasten off and weave in the final tails.

Finishing

- Lay the throw flat and gently block: mist with water, shape to 49 x 54 in, and let dry fully.
- The mosaic texture relaxes beautifully after blocking, and the diamonds sharpen up.

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