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MUG RUG

MOSAIC CROCHET



Size: one size based on motif

Materials:

- I used worsted weight yarn in two colors, approximately 20 yards of each
- Hook US G/4.0 mm
- Yarn needle for weaving in ends

Gauge: not important for this pattern

Abbreviations (US Terms):

ch: chain

dc: double crochet

sc: single crochet

st(s): stitch(es)



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Color	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Row
Color 1																		17
Color 2						X						X						16
Color 1			X				X				X				X			15
Color 2		X		X				X		X				X		X		14
Color 1					X				X				X					13
Color 2						X						X						12
Color 1			X				X				X				X			11
Color 2		X		X				X		X				X		X		10
Color 1			X				X				X					X		9
Color 2						X						X						8
Color 1					X				X				X					7
Color 2		X		X				X		X				X		X		6
Color 1			X				X				X					X		5
Color 2						X						X						4
Color 1					X				X				X					3
Color 2																		2
Color 1																		1

17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Stitches

Start

*All stitches are worked in BLO except the Beginning and End stitches (the ones shaded in grey), which are worked in both loops.

*All rows are worked from the right side, reading from right to left (there is no turning) and you will fasten off at end of each row leaving a yarn tail at the beginning and end for the fringe.

Each box = 1 stitch

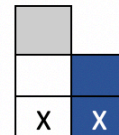
Each row = 1 row

Alternate each row between Color 1 and Color 2

Work sc through both loops for beginning and end stitch

Boxes without X = sc in back loop

Boxes ***with*** X = dc in front loop of stitch two rows below



This pattern is worked in mosaic crochet. Here are a few basics for this method:

- Every row is worked in back loop only except for the first and last stitch of each row, or if otherwise noted.
- Each row is worked from the front (you will not turn) and will be fastened off at the end.
- You will start and end each row leaving a tail of 3-4", which will become the fringe.
- Each row is worked in just one color; you will alternate colors for each row.
- When you see an "X" in a square in the chart, you will work a double crochet in the front loop of the stitch two rows down. When a square is blank, simply work a sc in the back loop of the previous row.
- The design will show on the front of the work, the back will be striped.

Row 1: Starting with Color 1, ch 18, working in the back bump, sc in 2nd ch from hook and each remaining ch to end, fasten off. (17 sts total)

Rows 2 to 16: Change color for each row. Join new color in the first stitch of the previous row, ch1, sc in both loops of first st, work next sts as indicated per chart to end, sc in both loops of last st. Fasten off.

Last Row: With Color 1, sc in each st to end. Fasten off.

Finishing:

Working with two rows at a time (example Rows 1 & 2, then Rows 3 & 4, etc), tie the strands in a knot. Lay them flat and trim evenly for a neat fringe.

Tip, even though this is a small piece, I still found that blocking made it look much better and the fringe lay flatter.