

Pentagon Star Motif

A crochet pattern Merrian Holland

US CROCHET TERMINOLOGY



Tools & Materials

4ply/Fingering yarn in 2 colours.

Yardage per motif:

Approx 4g/15m/17yds

Yarn Examples

[Posh Jeannie Sock](#)

[Viking Of Norway Nordlys](#)

[Malabrigo Sock](#)

Hook 3mm / C

Tapestry / wool needle

Key

beg – beginning

ch – chain

dc – double crochet

dtr – double treble crochet

esc – extended single crochet

hdc – half double treble

prev – previous

sc – single crochet

rnd(s) – round(s)

sk - skip

sl st – slip st

st(s) – stitch(es)

tr – treble crochet

Finished dimensions:

Approx –7cm/2.7" x 7.5cm/ 2.9"

Finished size & yardage will vary depending on hook size, yarn thickness & your personal gauge.

Supporting YouTube Video

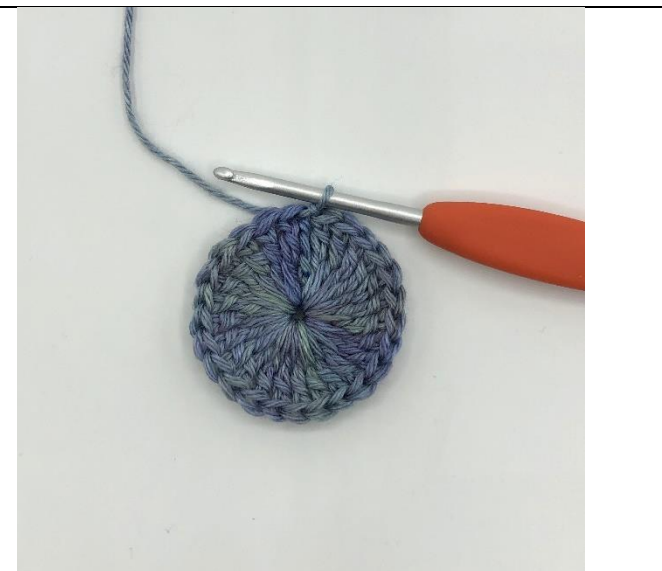
I highly recommend watching the video that accompanies this pattern as there are several quite specific ways of making this motif that are important for achieving the desired effect.



<https://youtu.be/IHs9658-F70> or search for Mezzacraft to find my channel.

Written Instructions

Round 1: **With Colour A**, ch4, join to form a ring; ch4 (does NOT count as a stitch), make 25tr in the ring; join with sl in 1st tr made. **(25st)**



Round 2: (ch7, working into the back ridge of the ch; sk 1ch & make the following sts into the rem 7chs - 1sc, 1esc, 1hdc, 1dc, 1tr, 1dtr; sk 4ts & sl st in 5th st) 5 times, replacing the final sl st join with a sewn bind off in the 1st ch of your beg ch7. **(5 star points)**



Round 3: All stitches in this round are worked into the back loop only. With Colour B, join yarn in bl of 1st sc of any star point as follows: hold the tail end of the yarn at the back, insert the hook into the stitch and pull up a loop, ch1; (1sc in the same st, 1esc into the next st, 1hdc into next, 1dc into each of the next 2sts, tr2tog across the next st and the sl st join, 1dc into each of the next 3sts, 1hdc into next, 1esc into next, 1sc into next, 1sc into the tip (this was your turning ch from the ch7) 5 times; finish with a sewn bind off, leaving approx. 20cm tail if you are sewing the motifs together.



TIP 1: When you come to do the tr2tog across the last sl st join of the prev rnd, make the 2nd tr through the sl st join of rnd 1 for extra security.

TIP 2: When working into the back loops of the longer stitches from Round 2, catch the back “purl bump or ridge” of the stitch to make the piece more stable and neater looking.

Press motif with a damp cloth & hot iron.



Thank you for trying out my pattern!

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