

**Design:** Nina Schaffrin, Lanade

**Proposed yarns:** DROPS Big Delight, 3 balls at 100 grams in color 07, sunset

DROPS Big Delight, 2 balls at 100 grams in color 01, rose garden DROPS Nepal, 12 balls at 50 grams in color 8910, raspberry rose DROPS Nepal, 4 balls at 50 grams in color 2923, goldenrod

**Materials:** Crochet hook 5.5 mm (US I/9)

**Finished size:**  $100 \times 150$  cm at  $6 \times 10$  squares

Boho Granny is a colorful crochet blanket with floral designs. The pattern is suitable for beginners and quick to crochet. You'll need only 60 squares for a toasty blanket using DROPS Nepal and Big Delight measuring about  $100 \times 150$  cm. These yarns can also be lightly felted in the washing machine to get an even cozier blanket.

But you can use any gauge you like, though you may have to adapt the number of squares accordingly. Try a *stash busting* blanket by using *DROPS Fabel* in color *111 mustard* for the inner circle, a color of your choice for the border and all your odds and ends of fingering weight yarn for the petals!



# Techniques:

The following pattern uses US crochet terms.

#### Chain stitch:

Without inserting hook into any other stitch yarn over and pull yarn through loop already on hook.

## Work into chain space:

Insert hook into gap under the "bridge" created by chain stitches in the previous round, yarn over and continue working stitch as indicated.

## Slip stitch:

Insert hook where indicated, pull yarn through stitch and loop already on hook.

#### Single crochet:

Insert hook where indicated, pull yarn through. 2 loops on hook Yarn over, pull through both loops.

## Half double crochet:

Yarn over, insert hook where indicated, pull yarn through. 3 loops on hook Yarn over, pull through all 3 loops.

## Double crochet:

#### Treble crochet:

Yarn over twice, insert hook into stitch under chain stitches, pull yarn through. 4 loops on hook Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. 3 loops on hook remain Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. 2 loops on hook remain Yarn over, pull through both loops.

#### Cluster stitch:

Yarn over, insert hook where indicated, pull yarn through.

3 loops on hook Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops.

2 loops on hook remain Yarn over, insert hook into same stitch as before, pull yarn through.

3 loops on hook Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops.

3 loops on hook remain Yarn over, insert hook into same stitch as before, pull yarn through.

5 loops on hook Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops.

4 loops on hook remain Yarn over, pull through all 4 loops.

## Cluster stitch at beginning of round:

Work 3 chain stitches.

Yarn over, insert hook into stitch under chain stitches, pull yarn through.

Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops.

Yarn over, insert hook into same stitch as before, pull yarn through.

Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops.

Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops.

Yarn over, pull through all 3 loops.

#### Treble cluster stitch:

Yarn over twice, insert hook where indicated, pull yarn through. • • • • • • • • • • 4 loops on hook
Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. 3 loops on hook remain
Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. 2 loops on hook remain
Yarn over twice, insert hook into same stitch as before, pull yarn through. ••••• 5 loops on hook
Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. ••••••• 4 loops on hook remain
Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. 3 loops on hook remain
Yarn over twice, insert hook into same stitch as before, pull yarn through. ••••• 6 loops on hook
Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. • • • • • • • • • 5 loops on hook remain
Yarn over, pull yarn through first two loops. 4 loops on hook remain
Yarn over, pull through all 4 loops.

# Treble cluster stitch at beginning of round:

#### Directions:

## **Setup round:**

Using *DROPS Nepal* in *goldenrod* work 5 chain stitches and close to round with a slip stitch into first chain stitch. Alternatively work a magic circle, *you'll find a nice DROPS tutorial at http://vimeo.com/6820426* 

- Round 1:
- Chain 3 (counts as 1 double crochet). Work 15 double crochets into middle of chain ring. Close with slip stitch into third chain stitch from beginning of round. Break yarn.
- Round 2:
- With *DROPS Big Delight* work cluster stitch at beginning of round (see techniques). Chain 1. \*Cluster stitch, chain 1\* 15 times. Close round with slip stitch into chain space between first and second cluster stitch.
- Round 3:
- Work treble cluster stitch at beginning of round (see techniques). Chain 2. \*Treble cluster stitch, chain 2\* 15 times. Work all treble cluster stitches into chain spaces of Round 2. Close round with slip stitch into chain space between first and second treble cluster. Break yarn.
- Round 4:
- With *DROPS Nepal* in *raspberry rose* chain 4 (counts as 1 treble crochet). 2 treble crochets into next chain space. Chain 2. 3 treble crochets into same chain space.
- \*3 double crochets into next chain space. 3 half double crochets into next chain space. 3 double crochets into next chain space. 3 treble crochets, chain 2, 3 treble crochets into next chain space.\*\* Repeat from \* to \*\* 2 more times.
- 3 double crochets into next chain space. 3 half double crochets into next chain space. 3 double crochets into next chain space. Close round with slip stitch into  $4^{th}$  chain at beginning of round. Cut yarn. You're done!



# Assembly:

The blanket consists of 6×10 squares.

Take up two squares back to back. Using *DROPS Nepal* in *raspberry rose* work single crochet into chain space of the right corner of the square facing you. Chain 3. Single crochet into chain space of the right corner of second square.

\*Chain 2, skip 2 stitches of first square, single crochet into third stitch, chain 3, skip 2 stitches of second square, single crochet into third stitch.\*\*

Repeat from \* to \*\* 4 more times, but at the last repeat work single crochets into the chain spaces at the left corner of squares. Add following 4 rows in the same manner. Connect next squares by repeating all steps until your blanket is 10 squares wide. Work horizontal rows in the same kind.

#### Edge:

Connect DROPS Nepal in raspberry rose at any point at the border.

#### Round 1:

Chain 3 (counts as 1 double crochet), work double crochets around the whole edge and double crochet, chain 2, double crochet into chain spaces at the four corners.

At the connections between squares work 1 double crochet into chain space of square's corner, 3 double crochets into chain space of connection between squares, 1 double crochet into chain space of next square's corner, then continue working 1 double crochet into every following stitch. Close round with slip stitch into third chain stitch of beginning of round.

# Round 2:

Chain 2 (counts as 1 half double crochet). Work half double crochets around whole border. Half double crochet, chain 2, half double crochet into chain spaces at the four corners. Close round with slip stitch into second chain stitch of beginning of round.

If desired soak and block blanket, let dry, cuddle up!

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