Crochet Along

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Outer Square

Ross Blanket – Part 3

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Part 3 – Outer Square (make 8)
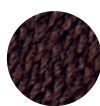

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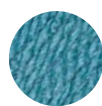
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1029 Copper	1001 White	1064 Mocha	1002 Black	
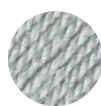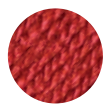
EQUIPMENT
4.5mm crochet hook
Tapestry needle
Stitch markers

MEASUREMENT
20cm 8in square

ABBREVIATIONS

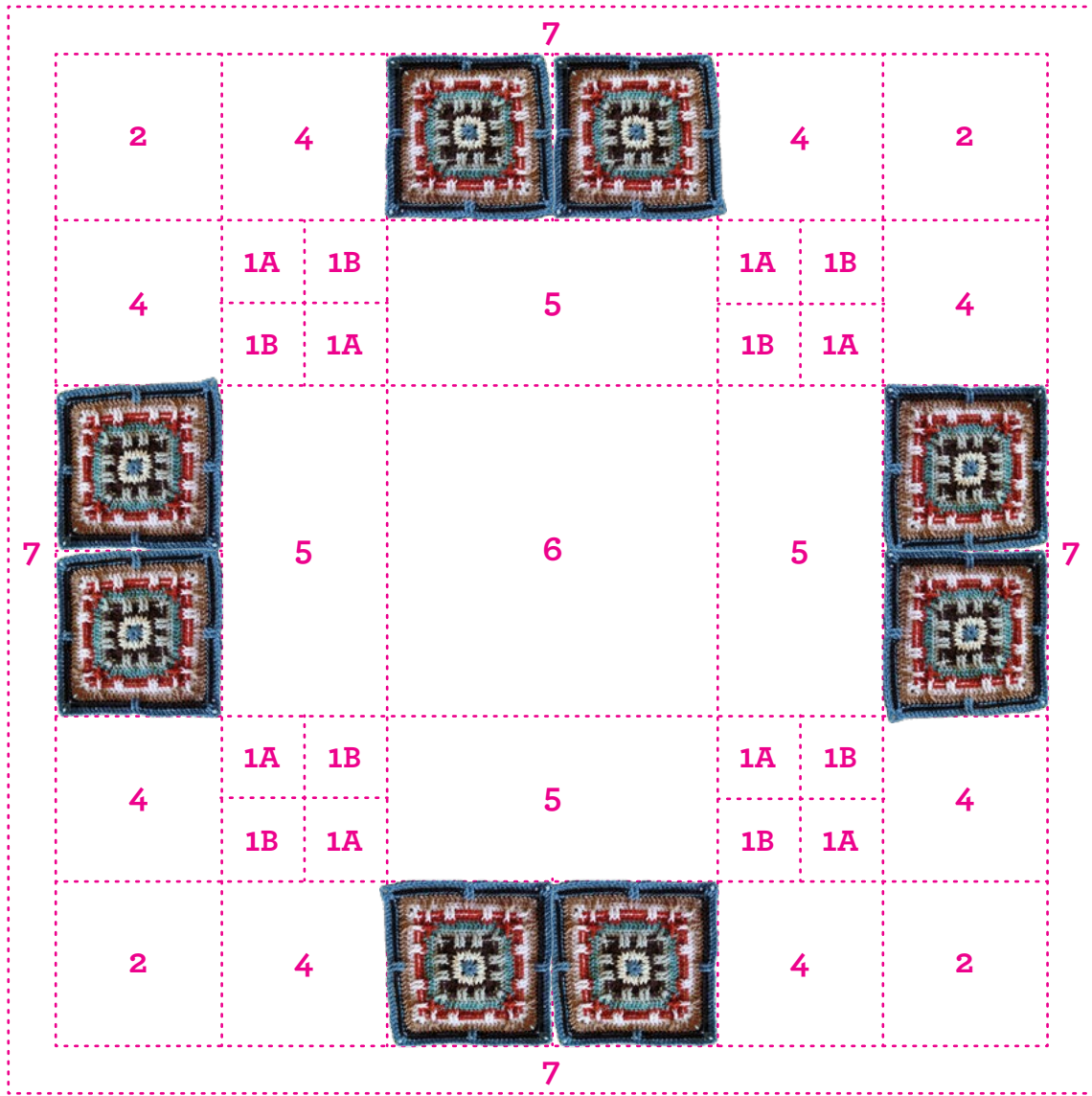|			
sl st	slip stitch	**fptr**	front post treble
ch	chain	**fpdtr**	front post double treble
dc	double crochet		
htr	half treble	**fptr2tog**	work front post treble decrease across two stitches
tr	treble		
dtr	treble crochet		
bphtr	back post half treble	**fpdtr2tog**	work front post double treble decrease across two stitches
bpdtr	back post double treble		

NOTES:
Fastening off and dealing with yarn ends
In terms of fastening off, Catherine always uses the invisible join technique as she explains in her introduction. Catherine then sews the ends with a needle.

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		7		
2	4		4	2
4	1A 1B / 1B 1A	5	1A 1B / 1B 1A	4
7	5	6	5	7
4	1A 1B / 1B 1A	5	1A 1B / 1B 1A	4
2	4	7	4	2

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METHOD

Round 1: With denim, in a magic circle 3ch (counts as one tr), tr, then (3ch, 2tr) three times. 3ch, and join with invisible join to beginning 3ch. Pull the beginning yarn end tight to close the circle. Break off yarn. (8 tr, 4 3ch. *20 stitches in total*)

Round 2: With cream, begin with standing tr in any 3ch space. (tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same space. *fptr around next two tr, then (2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in 3ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (2tr, 2ch, 2tr). Join with invisible join to beginning tr. Break off yarn. (16 tr, 8 fptr, 4 2ch. *32 stitches in total*)

Round 3: With dark brown, begin with standing tr in any 2ch corner space. (tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same space. *fptr around next two stitches, tr in next two stitches, then fptr around next two stitches. (2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (2tr, 2ch, 2tr). Join with sl st to beginning tr. (24 tr, 16 fptr, 4 2ch. *48 stitches in total*)

Round 4: 1ch, dc in the same stitch and next stitch. *(dc, 2ch, dc) in 2ch space, then dc in next 10 stitches**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final two dc. Join with invisible join to beginning dc. Break off yarn. (48 dc, 4 2ch. *56 stitches in total*)

Round 5: With silver, begin with standing tr in any 2ch corner space. (2ch, tr) in same space. *bptr in next three stitches. fpdtr around the next two fptr from round three, and miss next two stitches. bptr in next two stitches, then fpdtr around the next two fptr from round three. Miss next two stitches, then bptr in next three stitches. (tr, 2ch, tr) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (tr, 2ch, tr). Join with invisible join to beginning tr. Break off yarn. (32 bptr, 16 fpdtr, 8 tr, 4 2ch. *64 stitches in total*)

Round 6: With storm blue, begin with standing tr in any 2ch corner space. (tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same space. *fptr around next stitch, then tr in next 12 stitches. fptr around next stitch, then (2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (2tr, 2ch, 2tr). Join with invisible join to beginning tr. Break off yarn. (64 tr, 8 fptr, 4 2ch. *80 stitches in total*)

Round 7: With copper, begin with standing dc in any fptr before 2ch corner space. Dc in next stitch. *fpdtr around fptr after 2ch corner of round six. Miss next stitch, then (dc, 2ch, dc) in 2ch corner space. Fpdtr around fptr before 2ch corner of round six, and miss next stitch. Dc in next three stitches, fptr around next two stitches, then dc in next six stitches. Fptr around next two stitches, then dc in next three stitches**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final two dc. Join with sl st to beginning dc. (56 dc, 8 fpdtr, 16 fptr, 4 2ch. *88 stitches in total*)

Make sure you start in the right stitch.

This is what your corner should look like.

Round 8: 1ch, dc in same stitch and next three stitches. *in 2ch corner space (dc, 2ch, dc), then dc in next 20 stitches**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final four dc. Join with invisible join to beginning dc. Break off yarn. (88 dc, 4 2ch. *96 stitches in total*)

Round 9: With white, begin with standing tr in any 2ch corner space. (2ch, tr) in same space. *bptr in next two stitches, then fpdtr around fpdtr from round seven, and miss next stitch. Bptr in next three stitches, then fpdtr around the next two fpdtr from round seven, and miss next two stitches. Bptr in next six stitches, then fpdtr around the next two fpdtr from round seven, and miss next two stitches. Bptr in next three stitches, then fpdtr around fpdtr from round seven, and miss next stitch. Bptr in next two stitches, then (tr, 2ch, tr) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (tr, 2ch, tr). Join with invisible join to beginning tr. Break off yarn. (64 bptr, 24 fpdtr, 8 tr, 4 2ch. *104 stitches in total*)

Round 10: With mocha, begin with standing tr in any 2ch corner space. (tr, 2ch, 2tr) in same space. *tr in next two stitches, then fpdtr around fpdtr from round nine. Miss next stitch, tr in next stitch, then fpdtr around the same fpdtr from round nine. Miss next stitch, then tr in next six stitches. Fptr around next two stitches, then tr in next six stitches. Fpdtr around fpdtr from round nine. Miss next stitch, tr in next stitch, then fpdtr around the same fpdtr from round nine. Miss next stitch, then tr in next two. Then (2tr, 2ch, 2tr) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (2tr, 2ch, 2tr). Join with invisible join to beginning tr. Break off yarn. (88 tr, 16 fpdtr, 8 fptr, 4 2ch. *120 stitches in total*)

Round 11: With black, begin with standing dc in any 2ch corner space. (2ch, dc) in same space. *dc in next 28 stitches, then (dc, 2ch, dc) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (dc, 2ch, dc). Join with invisible join to beginning dc. Break off yarn. (120 dc, 4 2ch. *128 stitches in total*)

This is what your fpdtr around the fptr from round 10 should look like.

Round 12: With denim, begin with standing tr in any 2ch corner space. (2ch, tr) in same space. *bptr in next 14 stitches, then fpdtr around the two fptr from round 10. Miss next two stitches, bptr in next 14 stitches, then (tr, 2ch, tr) in corner 2ch space**. Repeat from * to ** three times, omitting final (tr, 2ch, tr). Join with invisible join to beginning tr. Break off yarn. (112 bptr, 8 fpdtr, 8 tr, 4 2ch. *136 stitches in total*)

Sew in all ends.