

The Mesh Stitch Granny Square

Crochet Pattern

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Materials	Stitch Legend
- Hook – 5.50 mm	Rnd – round
- <i>Yarn</i> – Medium weight 4	st(s) – stitch(es)
* 15 grams approx	st(s) – stitch(es) ch(s) – chains(s)
- Scissors	sl st — slip stitch
- Yarn needle	DC – double crochet
	* - repeat

Pattern

Begin with a slip knot on your hook and ch 5.

Round - 1

- Into the first ch sl st to join your chain into a ring
- then ch 4 (this will count a DC and a chain 1)
- now DC back into the ring and ch 1*
- * repeat (1 DC and ch1) into the ring until you have 12 sets



then sl st to the 3rd chain of your initial ch 4 to join your rnd.
 (You will have 24 stitches in total or 12 slices of a pie)



Rnd - 2

- sl st into the first space and ch 5 (this counts as a DC and ch 2), then place 1 DC back into that space (This creates the first corner of our square motif.)
- ch 1 and work 1 DC into the next space, then ch 1 again and insert 1 DC into the next space
- into the next space we will create our next corner: place 1 DC, ch 2, 1 DC into that space *repeat the last two lines 3 more times until you come back to your original ch 5
- slip st to the 3rd ch of the chain 5 to complete your round (You will have **32 sts** in total)

 You've now turned your circle into a square.



Round - 3

- sl st into the corner space and ch 5
- then go back into that corner space and place 1DC, ch 1, 1DC
- now ch 1 and place 1DC into the next space*
 *continue to (ch1, DC) into each space until you get to your next *corner* space
- into the corner space place 1DC, ch 1, 1DC, ch2, 1DC, ch1, 1DC
- Repeat the previous 2 lines until you come to your initial ch 5 in your first corner
- Here, place 1DC, ch 1 then sl st to the 3rd ch of the ch 5 and you have completed rnd 2.

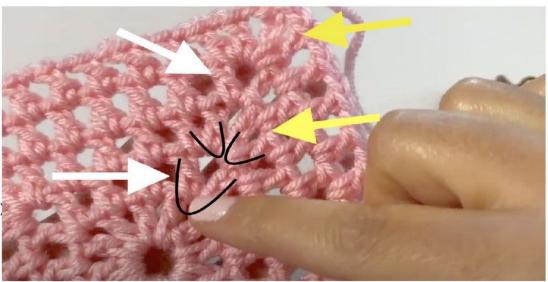
- You will now have 56 sts in total.



To increase the size of your square, continue to repeat Rnd 3 for as many rounds until you reach your desired size.

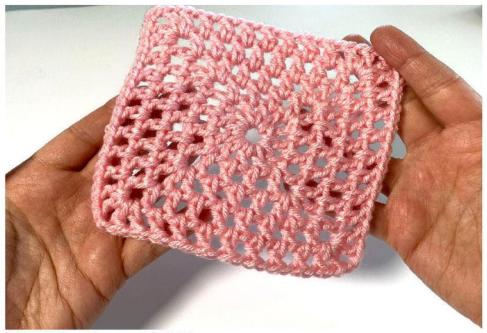
*NOTE: You may want to alternate the increase in your corner to every other round to help your work lay flat in a more uniform way. See photo below.

The white arrows are even numbered rounds that have only one increase in the corners. The yellow arrows are the odd numbered rounds that have two increases in the corners. The black V shapes indicate the increases. I completed 5 rounds for this pink square.



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