Cygnet DK

CY1662 Festive Bobble Blanket

Measurements		
Approx. 87 x 81cm (34 x 31 inches)		
Materials		
Cygnet DK **Red 1206, White 208, Apple 6711, Emerald 377, Cranberry 298, Cherry 1252**	100g	6 balls
Hooks 4.00mm and 4.5mm		

Abbreviations

bob	bobble stitch	ss	slip stitch
ch	chain	tr	treble crochet
dc	double crochet	htr	half treble
dtr	double treble		

Bobble Stitch (**bob**) – *Yarn over and insert hook into stitch, yarn over, draw through 2 loops on hook*, repeat from * to * 4 times more all into the same stitch. You will now have 6 loops on your hook. Yarn over and pull through all 6 loops. Bobble stitch made.
(Note: Bobbles are worked from the wrong side of the blanket so that they stand out on the right side.)

Foundation Row: Using Cherry
With the 4.5mm hook ch 131 (128 + 3 for turning ch).

Row 1: (right side) Switch to the 4.00mm hook which will now be used throughout and tr In 4th ch from hook and into every stitch along until the end. Ch1 (pull this ch fairly tight) and turn.

Row2: (wrong side) dc into the first 3 stitches, *make a bob in the next stitch, then dc into the next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 3 stitches left, dc into these remaining 3 stitches (one of which is the turning ch of the row below), ch2, turn (this ch2 always counts as the first dc on the next row).

Row 3: Tr in every stitch until the end, ch1 (pull tightly) turn.

Row 4: Dc into first 7 stitches, *make bob in next stitch, then dc into next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 7 stitches left, dc into these remaining 7 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 5: Tr in every stitch until the end, **change colour to Apple** ch1 (pull tightly) turn.

Row 6: Dc into first 3 stitches, *make a bob into the next stitch, then dc into the next 7 stitches*

Repeat from * to * until just 3 stitches left, dc into these remaining 3 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 7: Tr in every stitch until the end. Ch1 (pull tightly), turn.

Row 8: Dc into first 7 stitches, *make a bob into the next stitch, then dc into the next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 7 stitches remaining, dc into these remaining 7 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 9: Tr in every stitch until the end. Ch1 (pull tightly), turn.

Row 10: Dc into first 3 stitches, *make a bob in the next stitch, dc into the next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 3 stitches remaining, dc into these remaining 3 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 11: Change to White Tr in every stitch until the end, ch1 (pull tightly), turn.

Row 12: Dc into first 7 stitches, *make a bob into the next stitch, dc into the next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 7 stitches remaining, dc into these remaining 7 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 13: Tr in every stitch until the end. Ch1 (pull tightly), turn.

Row 14: Dc into first 3 stitches, *make a bob into the next stitch, dc into the next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 3 stitches remaining, dc into these remaining 3 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 15: Tr in every stitch until the end. Ch1 (pull tightly), turn.

Row 16: Dc into first 7 stitches, *make a bob into next stitch, dc into next 7 stitches* Repeat from * to * until just 7 stitches remaining, dc into these remaining 7 stitches. Ch2, turn.

Row 17: Tr in every stitch until the end, **change to Red** ch1 (pull tightly), turn.
Rows 6 – 17 form the bobble pattern.

Repeat these rows changing colours at rows 11 and 17 as stated commencing with **Emerald**

The stripe order is as follows and is repeated ending with **Emerald**
• Cherry • Apple • White • Red • Emerald
Repeat these rows for 87 cm. (approx. 119 rows)

Fasten off and darn in the ends.

BORDER Using Cranberry

Round 1: Join anywhere along the edge and ch1, dc in same stitch then work dcs evenly around the edge of the blanket, working 3 dcs into the corners. Ss to your first dc.

Round 2: Ch1, dc in same stitch and in every stitch around, working 3 dcs into the corners.
Ss to your first dc.

Round 3: Ch1, htr in same stitch and in every stitch around, working 3htrs into the corners.
Ss to your first htr.

Round 4: Ch1, dc in same stitch and in every stitch around, working 3 dcs into the corners.
Ss to your first dc

Round 5: SS all the way around to reinforce the edge.
Fasten off and weave in loose ends.