

CY1798

COTTON DROPS THROW

## MEASUREMENTS

Approximately $36 \times 36$ in ( $92 \times 92 \mathrm{~cm}$ ) square

## MATERIALS

Cygnet Cotton Drops $2 \times 200 \mathrm{~g}$ balls each of Linen White 5666, Merigold 5777, Thunder Grey 5333 and Light Ocean 5444 (A, B, C and D)

Size 15 mm (S-25) crochet hook

## TENSION

8 dc is approx. 10 cm (4 in)

## ABBREVIATIONS

ch chain st slip st(s) stitch(es) rs right side dc double crochet beg beginning rnd(s) round(s) sk skip
rept repeat $\mathbf{s p}(\mathbf{s})$ space(es) hdc half double crochet $\quad$ RS right side sc single crochet tr teble

## STITCH EXPLANATION

Cl (3 double crochet cluster] yarn over, insert hook in indicated st, yarn over and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook ( 2 loops on hook), (yarn over, insert hook in same st, yarn over and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook) 2 times, (4 loops on hook) yarn over and draw through all loops on hook.

## NOTES

1. Throw is worked in joined rounds with RS always facing.
2. Colour is changed frequently to form stripes.
3. To change yarn colour, fasten off old colour and join new colour as instructed.

## THROW

With $A, c h 5$, join with a sl st in first ch to make a ring.
Rnd 1: (RS) with A, ch3, (counts as dc), work 15 more dc in ring. Join with a sl st in top of beg ch - you will have 16 dc in this rnd. Do not fasten off.

Rnd 2: with A, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st as joining, 2 dc in each st around, join with a sl st in top of beg ch -32 dc . Fasten off.

Rnd 3: From RS, join in B with a sl st in any st, ch 5 (counts as dc, ch2) dc in same st, * sk next st, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next st, rept from * to last st, join with a sl st in $3^{\text {rd }}$ ch of beg ch -32 dc and 16 ch -1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: From RS, join C with sl st in any ch -1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch- 2 sp, * ch1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, rept from * around, ch 1, join with a sl st in top of beg ch - 163 -dc groups and 16 ch-1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: From RS, join D with sl st in middle dc of any 3-dc group, ch 5 (counts as dc, ch2), sk next st, Cl in next ch-1 sp, * ch2, dc in middle dc of next 3-dc group, ch 2 ,, Cl in next ch-1 sp, rept from * around, ch 2 , join with a sl st in $3^{\text {rd }}$ ch of beg ch -16 clusters, 16 dc and 32 ch -2 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 6: From RS, join A with sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch-sp, 3 dc in each ch2 sp around, join with a sl st in top of beg ch -96 dc . Fasten off.

Rnd 7: From RS, join B with sl st in any dc, ch3 (counts as dc), dc in same st, * sk next st, 2 dc in next st, rept from * to last st, sk to last st, join with sl st in top of beg ch- 96 dc. Fasten off.

Rnd 8: From RS, join D with sl st in first dc of any 2-dc group, ch 5 (counts as dc, ch 2), dc in same st as joining, * sk next 2 sts, (dc, ch2, dc) in next st, rept from * to last 2 sts, sk to last 2 sts, join with a sl st in $3^{\text {rd }}$ ch of beg ch- 64 dc and $32 \mathrm{ch}-2 \mathrm{sps}$. Fasten off.

Rnd 9: From RS, join C with sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch- 2 sp,* ch 1, 3 dc in next ch -2 sp, rept from around, ch-1 , join with a sl st in top of beg ch -32 dc groups and 32 ch 1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 10: With D, rept rnd 5 - 32 clusters, 32 dc and 64 ch- 2 sps. Fasten off.
Rnd 11: From RS, join B with sl st in any ch-2 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in same ch- $2 \mathrm{sp}, 2 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch -2 sp, ( 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp) 6 times, 2 dc in each of next $2 \mathrm{ch}-2 \mathrm{sps}$, * ( 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp) 7 times, 2 dc in each of next 2 ch- 2 sps, rept from * around, join with a sl st in top of beg ch -156 dc. Fasten off.

Rnd 12: With C, rep Rnd 7. Fasten off.
Rnd 13: With A, rep Rnd 8 - 104 dc and 52 ch-2 sps. Fasten off.
Rnd 14: From RS, join D with sc in any sp between (dc, ch 2, dc) groups, * ch 3, sc in next sp between (dc, ch 2, dc) groups, rept from * around, ch 3, sk last (dc, ch 2, dc) group, join with a sl st in first sc 52 sc and 52 ch- 3 sps. Do NOT fasten off.

Rnd 15: with $D$, sl st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1 , beg in same ch- 3 sp , * 4 sc in each of next 2 ch $-3 \mathrm{sps}, 4 \mathrm{hdc}$ in each of next $2 \mathrm{ch}-3 \mathrm{sps}, 4 \mathrm{dc}$ in each of next $2 \mathrm{ch}-3 \mathrm{sps}$, ( $2 \mathrm{tr}, \mathrm{ch} 2,2 \mathrm{tr}$ ) in next ch -3 sp (corner made), 4 dc in each of next 2 ch -3 sps, 4 hdc in each of next 2 ch $-3 \mathrm{sps}, 4 \mathrm{sc}$ in each of next $2 \mathrm{ch}-3 \mathrm{sps}$, rept from * around, join with sl st in first sc - $16 \mathrm{tr}, 64 \mathrm{dc}, 64 \mathrm{hdc}, 64 \mathrm{sc}$ and 4 corner ch- 2 sps ( 52 sts along each of 4 sides between corner ch- 2 sps). Fasten off.

Rnd 16: From RS, join B with sl st in any corner ch- 2 sp, ch 6 (counts as tr,ch 2) 2 tr in same ch- 2 sp , * tr in next 2 sts, dc in next 8 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, sc in next 16 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, dc in next 8 sts, tr in next 2 sts, ( 2 tr, ch $2,2 \mathrm{tr}$ ) in corner ch- 2 sp, rep from * twice more, tr in next 2 sts, dc in next 8 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, sc in next 16 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, dc in next 8 sts, tr in next 2 sts, tr in first ch -2 sp again, join with a sl st in $4^{\text {th }}$ ch of beg ch -224 sts and 4 corner ch- 2 sps ( 56 sts along each of 4 sides between corner ch -2 sps ). Do NOT fasten off.

Rnd 17: With B, sl st in first corner ch- 2 sp, ch 6 (counts as tr, ch 2), 2 tr in same ch-2 sp, * tr in next 4 sts, dc in next 8 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, sc in next 16 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, dc in next 8 sts, tr in next 4 sts, ( 2 tr , ch $2,2 \mathrm{tr}$ ) in corner ch-2 sp, rept from * 2 more times, tr in next 4 sts, dc in next 8 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, sc in next 16 sts, hdc in next 8 sts, dc in next 8 sts, tr in next 4 sts, tr in first ch 2 sp again, join with a sl st in $4^{\text {th }}$ ch of beg ch -60 sts along each of 4 sides between corner ch- 2 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 18: From RS, join C with sc in any corner ch-2 sp, ch1, sc in same ch-2 sp, * sc in each st to next corner ch-2 sp, (sc, ch1, sc) in corner ch-2 sp, rept from * 2 more times, sc in each st to end of rnd, join with a sl st in first sc - 62 sts along each of 4 sides between corner ch- 1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 19: From RS, join $D$ with sl st in any corner ch- 1 sp, ch 5 (counts as dc, ch2) 2 dc in same ch- 1 sp , * dc in next 2 sts, (ch 1, sk next st, dc in next 2 sts) to next corner ch-1 sp, ( $2 \mathrm{dc}, \mathrm{ch} 2,2 \mathrm{dc}$ ) in corner ch1 sp , rept from * 2 more times, dc in next 2 sts, (ch 1 , sk next st, dc in next 2 sts) to first ch- 1 sp , dc in first ch- 1 sp again, join with a sl st in $3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{ch}$ of beg ch -46 dc and $20 \mathrm{ch}-1$ sps along each of 4 sides between corner ch-2 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 20: From RS, join A with sc in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same ch-2 sp, * sc in next 4 sts, sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch 2 , sk, next 2 sts, sc in next ch -1 sp ) to 4 sts before next corner ch- 2 sp , sc in next 4 sts, ( $\mathrm{sc}, \mathrm{ch}, 1, \mathrm{sc}$ ) in corner ch-2 sp, rept from * t2 more times, sc in next 4 sts , sc in next ch-1 sp, (ch $2, \mathrm{sk}$ next 2 sts, sc in next ch- 1 sp ) to last 4 sts, sc in last 4 sts, join with sl st in first sc -30 sc and 19 ch- 2 sps along each of 4 sides between corner ch-1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 21: From RS, join B with sl st in any corner ch-1 sp, ch 1, (sc, ch 1, sc) in same ch-1sp, * work 1 sc in each sc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to next corner ch-1 sp, (sc ch 1, sc) in corner ch-1 sp, rept from * 2 more times, work 1 sc in each sc and 2 sc in each ch-2 sp to end of rnd, join with a sl st in first sc - 70 sts along each of sides between corner ch -1 sps. Fasten off. Weave in ends.


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