

# pansy patch pillows

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## Skill Level

Easy

## Finished Size

16" x 16" (41cm x 41cm)

## Materials

- Willow Yarns™ Meadow 4  
(100% cotton; 50g/115yd)
- 731937-0001 White (4 balls): A
- 731937-0007 Brush (1 ball): B
- 731937-0008 Leaf (1 ball): C
- 731937-0009 Spruce (1 ball): D
- 731937-0010 Peacock (1 ball): E
- 731937-0014 Lady Slipper (1 ball): F
- 731937-0015 Wisteria (1 ball): G
- 731937-0016 Phlox (1 ball): H
- US size G-6 (4mm) hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn needle
- Three 16" (41cm) pillow forms with plain white pillow covers

## Gauge

Rnds 1-4 = 4½" (11.4cm) in pat  
Save time, check your gauge.

## Stitch Guide

**sh (shell):** (Ch 1, dc, ch 1, dc, ch 1) in center ch-1 sp from previous shell.

## Small, Medium, and Large Motif

### All Sizes

Ch 4, sl st to form a ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 5 (counts as dc, ch 2 throughout), (dc in ring, ch 1, dc in ring, ch 2) 3 times, dc in ring, ch 1, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnd 2:** Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*(dc, ch 1, dc) in ch-1 sp, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more.

Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnd 3:** Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next dc, sk next 2 dc, sh in ch-1 sp, sk next 2 dc, dc in next dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnd 4:** Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 3 dc, sh in next sh, dc in next 3 dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

Fasten off here for Small Motif.

### Medium and Large Motif

**Rnds 5 (6):** Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 5 (7) dc, sh in next sh,

dc in next 5 (7) dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

Fasten off here for Medium Motif.

### Large Motif

**Rnds 7 (8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13):** Sl st in ch-2 sp,

ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 9 (11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21) dc, sh in next sh, dc in next 9 (11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21) dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more.

Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnd 14:** Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 23 dc, dc in each sp and dc of sh (5 dc over sh), dc in next 23 dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnds 15 (16):** Sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 55 (59) dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more.

Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

Fasten off.

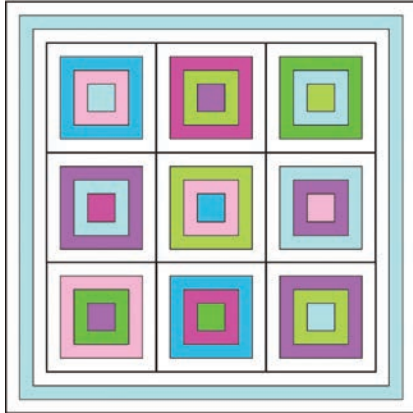
## Pattern Note

For removable pillow covers, leave 12" (30cm) open on one edge and sew in zipper.

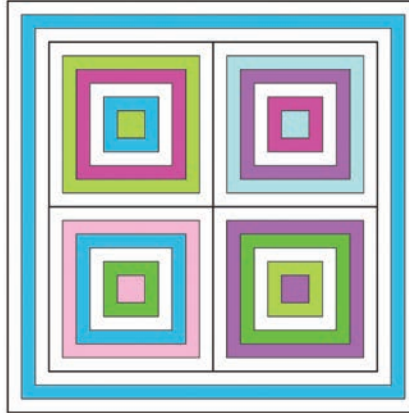
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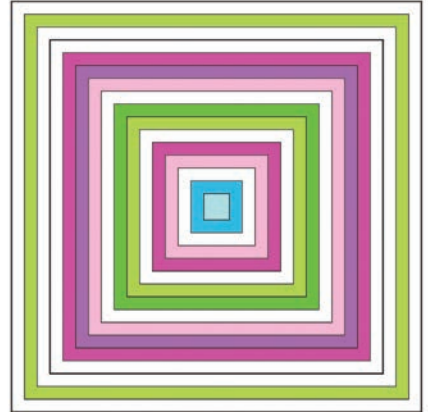
## 9 Patch Pillow Top



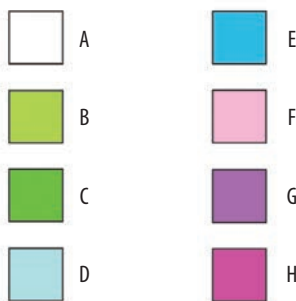
## 4 Patch Pillow Top



## 1 Patch Pillow Top



### Legend



### Instructions

#### 9 Patch Pillow Top

Make 9 small motifs, changing colors every rnd according to schematic. Whipstitch motifs tog through back lps only.

#### Border

Attach A in any ch-2 corner sp.

**Rnd 1:** With A, sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*work 51 dc across side, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnds 2 (3):** With D (A), sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 55 (59) dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join. Fasten off.

#### 4 Patch Pillow Top

Make 4 medium motifs, changing colors every rnd according to schematic. Whipstitch motifs tog through back lps only.

### Border

Attach A in any ch-2 corner sp.

**Rnd 1:** With A, sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*work 51 dc across side, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join.

**Rnds 2 (3):** With E (A), sl st in ch-2 sp, ch 5, 2 dc in same sp, \*dc in next 55 (59) dc, \*\*(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp; rep from \* twice more. Rep from \* to \*\* once more, dc in first ch-2 sp, sl st in third ch of beg ch 5 to join. Fasten off.

#### 1 Patch Pillow Top

Make 1 large motif, changing colors every rnd according to schematic (Rnds 13 and 14 will both be in A). Fasten off.

#### Pillow Back (all pillows)

With A, make 1 large motif for each pillow.

#### Finishing

Weave in ends. With A, sc pillow top to pillow back, inserting pillow before closing final side.

## PROJECT TIP

### Weaving in the Ends

*As you switch colors or begin new skeins, leave a tail of yarn that is about 8" long. This will make weaving in the ends easier when you have finished the piece. Using a yarn needle, weave the yarn tails in and out of a row of stitches on the back of the piece. If the woven ends seem to be slipping, try weaving them in a diagonal line instead of straight up or across.*