



## MATERIALS

**Caron® Tea Cakes™** (8.5 oz/240 g; 204 yds/186 m)  
English Breakfast (20001) **1 ball**

Size U.S. K/10½ (6.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 20" [51 cm] square pillow form.



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximate(ly)

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Popcorn** = Work 5 dc into same stitch or space. Drop loop from hook. Insert hook from front to back into first dc of 5 dc group. Pull dropped loop through st. Ch 1 to secure popcorn.

**Rem** = Remain(ing)

**Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd** = Round

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**Sp** = Space

## MEASUREMENT

Approx. 20" [51 cm] square

## GAUGE

10 dc and 6½ rows = 4" [10 cm]

## INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring. See diagram on page 2.

**1st rnd:** Ch 3 (counts as dc). 3 dc in ring. Ch 1. (4 dc in ring. Ch 1) 3 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**2nd rnd:** Sl st in each of next 3 dc and next ch-1 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (3 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in same ch-1 sp as last sl st. \*(4 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Rep from \* twice more. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**3rd rnd:** Sl st in each of next 3 dc and next ch-1 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in same ch-1 sp as last sl st. Skip 1 dc. \*1 dc in each dc to next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before next ch-1 sp. Skip 1 dc. (2 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* twice more. 1 dc in each dc to next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before next ch-1 sp. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**4th rnd:** Sl st in next dc and next popcorn. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in same sp as last sl st. \*Skip 1 dc. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before

next popcorn. Skip 1 dc. (2 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in top of popcorn. Rep from \* twice more. Skip 1 dc. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before next popcorn. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.  
Rep 4th rnd until piece measures 14" [35.5 cm] square.

**Next rnd:** Sl st in next dc and next popcorn. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (3 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in same sp as last sl st. \*1 dc in each dc across to next popcorn. (4 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in top of next popcorn. Rep from \* twice more. 1 dc in each dc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

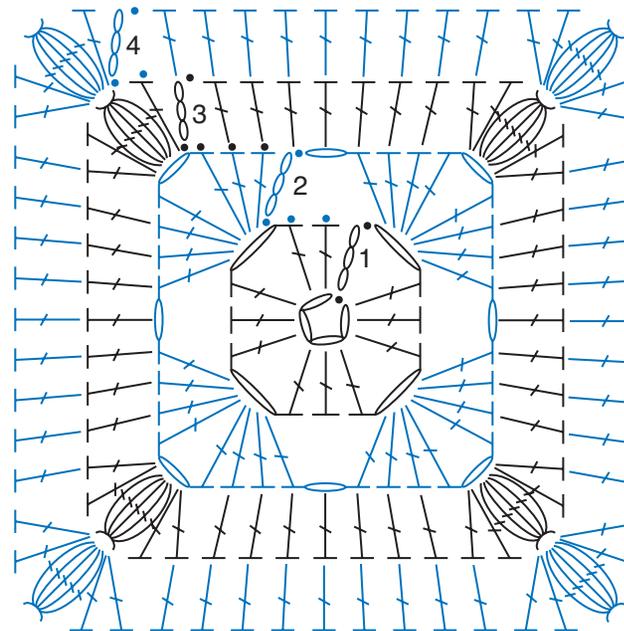
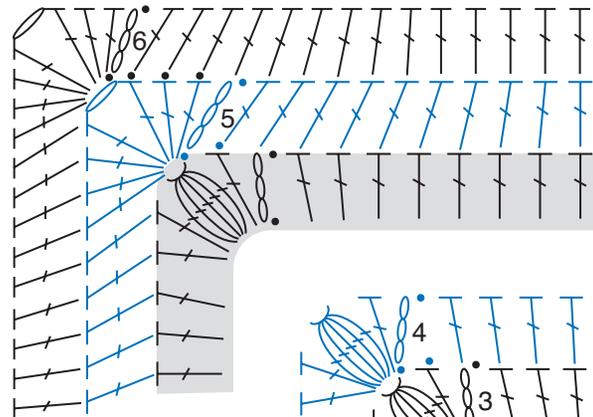
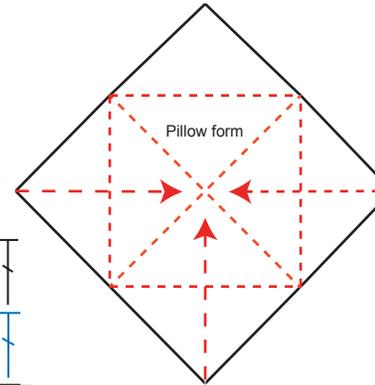
**Next rnd:** Sl st in each of next 3 dc and next ch-1 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (3 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in same sp as last sl st. \*1 dc in each dc across to next ch-1 sp. (4 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* twice more. 1 dc in each dc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

Rep 6th rnd until piece measures 28" [71 cm] square. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Fold 3 corners to meet in center, as shown in diagram, to form a square. Sew seams, leaving 4th corner open to insert pillow form. Insert pillow form. Sew rem seam.

## Assembly diagram



## STITCH KEY

-  = chain (ch)
-  = slip stitch (sl st)
-  = double crochet (dc)
-  = popcorn