CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS
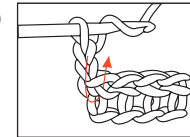
Approx = Approximate(ly)	**Rep** = Repeat
Beg = Begin(ning)	**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)
Ch = Chain(s)	**Sc** = Single crochet
Hdc = Half double crochet	**Sl st** = Slip stitch
Hdc3bl = Half double crochet through 3rd loop at back of work	**Sp(s)** = Space(s)
	St(s) = Stitch(es)
	Tog = Together
	WS = Wrong side

WS of work is shown. Arrow indicates horizontal bar to work into.

MEASUREMENT
Approx 20" [51 cm] diameter.

GAUGE
15 sc and 16 rows = 4" [10cm].

INSTRUCTIONS
Note: Pillow is worked in a spiral. There are no ch worked at beg of rnd unless otherwise indicated; simply work directly into the next st (noting marker to indicate end of rnd will move up each rnd).

FRONT
**Ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring. See diagram on page 3.
Set-up: (3 sc. 1 hdc. Place marker in last hdc for end of rnd. 6 hdc) all in ring. 1 hdc in each sc to marked st (end of rnd). 10 sts.

1st rnd: 2 hdc3bl in each hdc to end of rnd. 20 hd3bl.
2nd rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. 1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. Rep from * to end of rnd. 30 hdc3bl.
3rd rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) twice. Rep from * around. 40 hdc3bl.

MATERIALS

Lily® Sugar'n Cream® (2.5 oz/70.9 g; 120 yds/109 m)
Soft Ecru (01004)
or Country Green (01222)
or Light Blue (00026) **4 balls or 475 yds/434 m**

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stitch marker. 18" [46 cm] round pillow form. 10" [25.5 cm] length of ½" [1.5 cm] wide faux leather strapping for handle.

4th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 3 times. Rep from * around. 50 hdc3bl.
5th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 4 times. Rep from * around. 60 hdc3bl.
6th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 5 times. Rep from * around. 70 hdc3bl.
7th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 6 times. Rep from * around. 80 hdc3bl.
8th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 7 times. Rep from * around. 90 hdc3bl.
9th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 8 times. Rep from * around. 100 hdc3bl.
10th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 9 times. Rep from * around. 110 hdc3bl.
11th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 10 times. Rep from * around. 120 hdc3bl.
12th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 11 times. Rep from * around. 130 hdc3bl.
13th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 12 times. Rep from * around. 140 hdc3bl.

14th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 13 times. Rep from * around. 150 hdc3bl.
15th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 14 times. Rep from * around. 160 hdc3bl.
16th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 15 times. Rep from * around. 170 hdc3bl.
17th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 16 times. Rep from * around. 180 hdc3bl.
18th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 17 times. Rep from * around. 190 hdc3bl.
19th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 18 times. Rep from * around. 200 hdc3bl.
20th rnd: *2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 19 times. Rep from * to last 20 sts. 2 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl. (1 hdc3bl in next hdc3bl) 16 times. 1 sc in each of next 3 hdc3bl. Join with sl st to first hdc3bl. 210 sts.**

21st rnd: Ch 1. *Working in back loops only,* 1 sc in first st. 1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc. 210 sts.
22nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each of next 5 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each of next 15 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each sc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to first sc.
23rd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. 1 sc in each sc and ch to end of rnd. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.
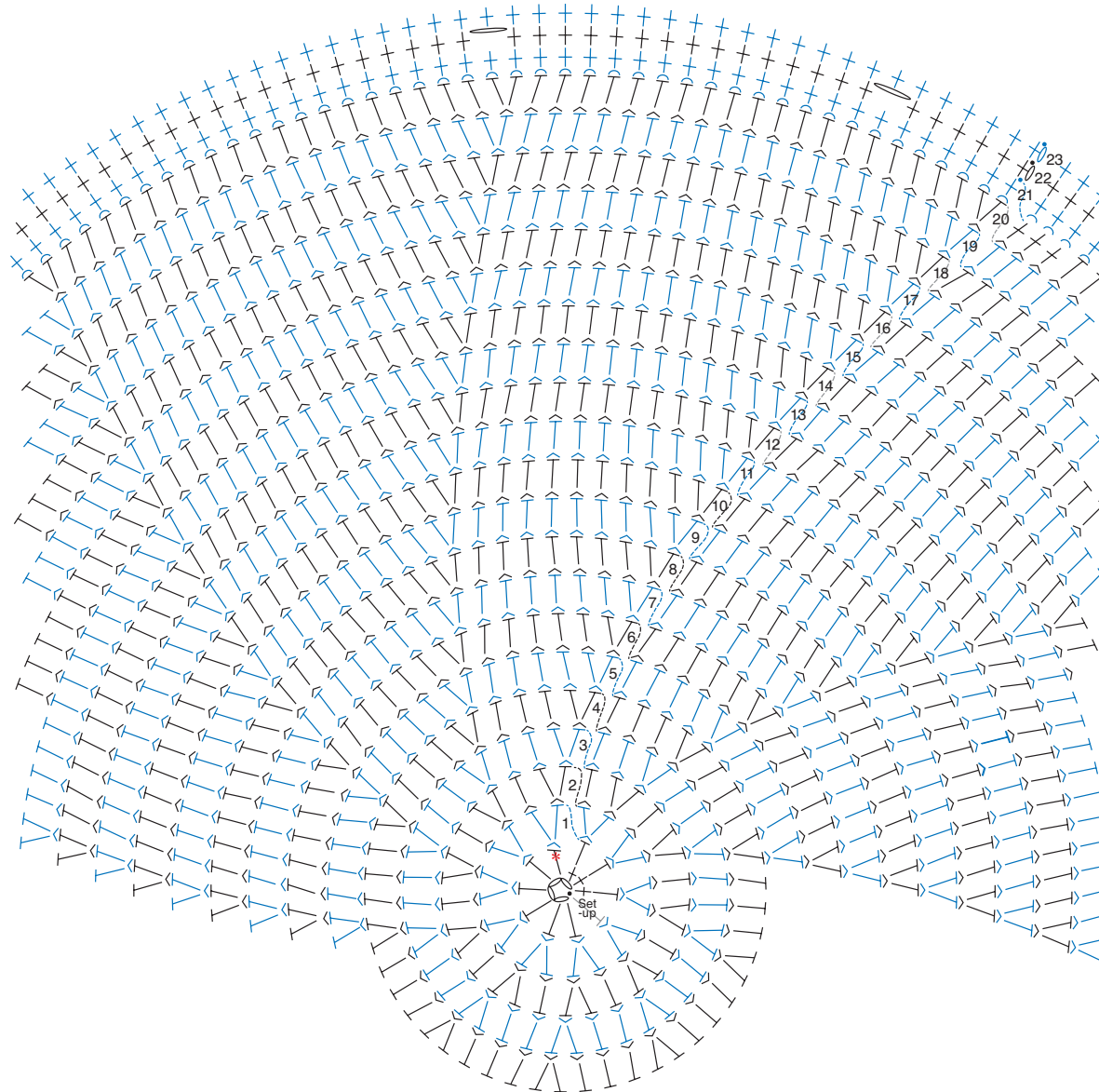
BACK
Work from ** to ** as given for Front. Fasten off.

FINISHING
Thread faux leather strap through holes made with ch sps in 22nd rnd of Pillow Front; tie knots in both ends to secure Straps.
Sew Back and Front tog, inserting pillow form when seam is halfway complete.

STITCH KEY

⬭ = chain (ch)

• = slip stitch (sl st)

+ = single crochet (sc)

T = half double crochet (hdc)

⌢ = worked in back loop only

⌣ = worked in 3rd loop on
   back of hdc

✳ = marker