## YARNSMITHS



80


Crochet Intermediate

Approx Size
42 cm (16.5ins)

## Flora Cushion

Materials and
Measurements

| Measurement (approx) |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 42 | cm |
| 16.5 |  |
| Yarnsmiths Snug as a Bug |  |
| Colour A |  |
| I |  |
| Colour B |  |
| Balls |  |
| 6.5mm Crochet Hook <br> Stitch Marker |  |
| Photographed using Shades: <br> Colour A - 2A090 Duckling <br> Colour B - 2AI70 Grape |  |

Please note that the limitations of the printing process mean the actual colour will not always precisely match the colours in the photograph.

## IMPORTANT

Use only the Yarnsmiths yarn specified. We cannot accept responsibility for an imperfect garment if any other brand is used. It is essential to work to the tension stated. The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

## TENSION

It is important to check your tension before commencing the project.

9 Htr and 6 rows $=4 "(10 \mathrm{~cm})$

## ABBREVIATIONS (UK)

Beg - Beginning; Ch - Chain(s);
Dc - Double Crochet; Htr - Half Treble Crochet; Htr2tog - Yarn
over hook and draw up a loop in next stitch (twice). Yarn over hook and draw through all loops remaining on hook;
Rem - Remain(ing); Rep - Repeat;
Rnd(s) - Round (s); RS - Right
Side; SI st - Slip Stitch;
St(s) - Stitch(es); Tog - Together;
WS - Wrong Side; Yoh - Yarn over hook.

## FRONT AND BACK

(Make 2 pieces alike)
Note: Join with sl st to first htr at end of each rnd and use a stitch marker to mark the start of the round.

## Flower Centre

With Colour A, ch 4, join with a sl st to form a ring.
Ist Round: Chl, 8htr in centre of ring. Join.
2nd Round: Chl, 2htr in each htr around. Join. (16htr)
3rd Round: As 2nd rnd. (32htr)
4th Round: ChI, *2htr in next htr, Ihtr in each of next 3 htr. Rep from * around Join. (40htr)
5th Round: Break Colour A and join Colour B by working Colour A to last 2 loops on hook and draw Colour B through last 2 loops, then proceed in Colour B.
Ch I, *2htr in next htr, Ihtr in each of next 5 htr. Rep from * around. Join. (56htr)
6th Round: Ch I, *2htr in next htr, Ihtr in each of next 13 htr. Rep from * around. Join. (60htr)

## PETALS

Note: Petals are worked back and forth in rows.
First Petal
** Ist Row: RS. ChI, I htr in each of next 10 htr. Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.
2nd and 3rd Rows: ChI, Ihtr in each htr to end of row.Turn.
4th Row: Ch I, Htr2tog, Ihtr in each htr to last 2 htr, Htr2tog. Turn. (8 sts)
5th and 6th rows: Rep last row
twice more. (4 sts)
Fasten off. **

## Second Petal

Join colour B with sl st to next unworked htr of 7th Rnd of Flower Centre.
Work from ** to ** as given for First Petal.

## Third to Sixth Petals

Work as given for Second Petal 4 times more.

## FINISHING

## Joining front and back

With WS of Front and Back tog and Petals aligned, join colour B with sl st to first st of any Petal. Ist Round: Chl. Working through both pieces, *Idc in each of 4 sts along top edge of Petal, Idc before next Petal. 6dc up side of next Petal. Rep from * around, stuffing as you go. Join with sl st to first dc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

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