

Solid Square Extended Written Pattern

US Terms

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Abbreviations :

ss = slip stitch

ch = chain

st ch = starting chain - takes the place of a dc

sts = stitches

sc = single crochet

dc = double crochet

Make a ring by ch 4 then, joining the last ch to the first with a ss or make a magic circle

Round 1

ch 3 (st ch), 1 dc, ch 2, 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc, ch 2, join with ss to 3rd ch of st ch

{2 x dc along each side, 4 x 2 ch corner spaces}



Round 2

ch 3 (st ch), dc in 2 ch space- half of last corner complete

You work the next stitches along the sides into the sts of the previous round.

(Be careful you don't miss the first st - the spot you want is the same one you joined with a ss in the last round)



dc in next 2 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, first side and corner complete



dc in next 2 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, second side and corner complete



dc in next 2 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, third side and corner complete



dc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in same 2 ch space as first sts, ch 2, join with ss to 3rd ch of st ch. Fourth side and corner, and round complete.

{6 dc along each side, 4 x 2 ch spaces}



Round 3

ch 3 (st ch) - half of last corner complete

1 dc in 2 ch space, dc in next 6 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, first side and corner complete



dc in next 6 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, second side and corner complete



dc in next 6 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, third side and corner complete



dc in next 6 sts, 2 dc in same 2 ch space as first sts, ch 2, join with ss to 3rd ch of st ch. Fourth side and corner complete.

{10 dc along each side, 4 x 2 ch spaces}



Round 4

ch 3 (st ch), 1 dc in 2 ch space, half last corner made

dc in next 10 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, first side and corner made

dc in next 10 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, second side and corner made

dc in next 10 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, third side and corner made

dc in next 10 sts, 2 dc in same 2 ch space as first corner, ch 2, join with ss to 3rd ch of st ch. Fourth side and last corner made. Round complete.

{14 dc along each side, 4 x 2 ch spaces}



Rounds 5

ch 3 (st ch), 1 dc in 2 ch space, half of last corner made

dc in next 14 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, first side and corner made

dc in next 14 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, second side and corner made

dc in next 14 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, third side and corner made

dc in next 14 sts, 2 dc in same 2 ch space as first sts, ch 2, join with ss to 3rd ch of st ch. Fourth side and last corner made. Round complete.

{18 dc along each side, 4 x 2 ch spaces}



Round 6

ch 3 (st ch), 1 dc in 2 ch space, half of last corner made

dc in next 18 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, first side and corner made

dc in next 18 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, second side and corner made

dc in next 18 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in 2 ch space, third side and corner made

dc in next 18 sts, 2 dc in same 2 ch space as first sts, ch 2, join with ss to 3rd ch of st ch. Fourth side and last corner completed. Round complete

{22 dc along each side, 4 x 2 ch spaces}



Rounds 7 to ?

Depending how big you need your square, continue as for round 6. You will have 4 extra dc along each side each round you do.

Border Round

Ch 1, sc in 2 ch space,

sc in each st along the side, 3 sc in 2 ch space, first side and corner made

sc in each st along the side, 3 sc in 2 ch space, second side and corner made

sc in each st along the side, 3 sc in 2 ch space, third side and corner made

sc in each st along the side, 3 sc in 2 ch space, 2 sc in same 2 ch space as first sc, join with ss to first sc. Fourth side and last corner complete. Round complete. Fasten of yarn and weave in ends.

{same number as your last round of dc x sc along each side, 3 sc in each corner}

