

# Mandala Madness

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US terms used throughout.

## Part 4

### Abbreviations

St, sts	Stitch, stitches	Hdc	Half double crochet	Fl	Front loop only
R	Round	Dc	Double crochet	Bl	Back loop only
Ch	Chain	Tr	Treble crochet	Fp	Front post
Sl-st	Slip stitch	Dtr	Double treble crochet	Bp	Back post
Sc	Single crochet	Ttr	Triple treble crochet		



*Hints: Are typed in italics and coloured purple, they are to help and guide you and hopefully make life a little easier.*

\* Repeat instructions between asterisks the amount of times specified. This is normally a repeat for a complete side and will consist of multiple instructions.

() - Repeat instructions between parentheses the amount of times specified. This is a lower level repeat.

### Special Stitches

**Popcorn:** Make 5 dc in same st, remove hook from loop and insert from front to back of 1st dc and then into dropped loop and pull through. Ch 1 to close. This closing chain is not counted in any chains you are asked to make after the popcorn. To make a starting popcorn, simply start with a standing dc or ch 3 as your 1st st.

Merino Soft



Colour Crafter



Stonewashed XL



Round 30	Warhol 640	Heerenveen 1203	Green Agate 855
Round 31	De Goya 648	Apeldoorn 1435	Green Agate 855
Round 32	Warhol 640	Heerenveen 1203	Amazonite 853
Round 33	Warhol 640	Heerenveen 1203	Amazonite 853
Round 34	De Goya 648	Apeldoorn 1435	Lilac Quartz 858

**30.** Join with a standing sc in the sc **before** any ch-1 point space,  
 \*ch 1, skip ch-1 point space, sc in next st, hdc in next 6 sts, skip next 3 sts [*2sc + flsc*],  
 (make 3 dc in the skipped st behind the ruffle st [*R28*], skip next 2 sts) 5 times,  
 make 3 dc in last skipped st behind the last ruffle st [*R28*],  
 skip next 3 sts [*flsc + 2 sc*], hdc in next 6 sts, sc in next st.\*  
 Repeat from \* to \* 7 more times, omit last sc.  
 Join to standing sc, fasten off, and secure ends.  
 Stitch Count: Per repeat: 2 sc, 12 hdc, 18 dc.  
 Total: 16 sc, 96 hdc, 144 dc.

**31.** Join with a standing sc in the sc before any ch-1 point space,  
 \*ch 1, skip ch-1 point space, sc in next st, hdc in next 6 sts, dc in next 7 sts,  
 tr in next 2 sts, 2 tr in next st, tr in next st, dc in next 7 sts, hdc in next 6 sts, sc in next  
 st.\*  
 Repeat from \* to \* 7 more times, omit last sc.  
 Join to standing sc, fasten off, and secure ends.  
 Stitch Count: Per repeat: 2 sc, 12 hdc, 14 dc, 5 tr.  
 Total: 16 sc, 96 hdc, 112 dc, 40 tr.

Hint: Please pay close attention to the spacing of the sc's.

32. Join with a standing **bpdc** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> tr of any side [*centre tr above ruffle sts*],  
(ch 1, **bpdc**) around same st, [*new point space made*]

\***bpdc** in next 9 sts, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st, (sc in next st, 2 sc in next st) twice,  
sc in ch-1 space, (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) twice, sc in next st, skip next 2 sts ,  
**bpdc** in next 9 sts, in next st (**bpdc**, ch 1, **bpdc**) [*new point space made*].\*

Repeat from \* to \* 7 more times, omit last point group.

Join to standing **bpdc** with a sl-st.

Stitch Count: Per repeat: 15 sc, 20 **bpdc**.

Total: 120 sc, 160 **bpdc**.

Hint: Place a marker in 1st and last **bpdc** of each repeat and leave in place until R35.

33. Ch 1 and **fpdc** around 1<sup>st</sup> standing **bpdc**, ch 1,

\***fpdc** around next 11 sts, **fphdc** around next 2 sts, **fpdc** around next 9 sts,  
**fphdc** around next 2 sts, **fpdc** around next 11 sts, ch 1.\*

Repeat from \* to \* 7 more times, omit last **fpdc** and ch-1.

Join to 1<sup>st</sup> **fpdc**, fasten off and secure ends.

Stitch Count: 9 **fpdc**, 4 **fphdc**, 22 **fpdc**.

Total: 72 **fpdc**, 32 **fphdc**, 176 **fpdc**.

Hint: the section with **fpdc** will curl forward at this point.

Hint: Please remember each popcorn is closed with a ch-1, and is not included in pattern instructions, refer to special stitches for more information.

34. Join with a beginning popcorn in any ch-1 point space, [*not forgetting to close with a ch-1*]

\*(ch 1, skip next st, make a popcorn in next st) 6 times, ch 1, skip next st, hdc in next 2 sts, sc in next 5 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, (ch 1, skip next st, make a popcorn in next st) 6 times, ch 1, skip next st, popcorn in ch-1 space.\*

Repeat from \* to \* 7 more times, omit last popcorn.

Join to beginning popcorn, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch Count: Per repeat: 5 sc, 4 hdc, 13 popcorn, 14 ch-1 spaces.

Total: 40 dc, 32 hdc, 104 popcorn, 112 ch-1 spaces.

Now sit back and admire your work, you have finished part 4.

See you next week.