



Whispers from the Past

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Part 4

UK terms used throughout

Abbreviations

St, sts	Stitch, stitches	Dc	Single crochet	Quad tr	Quadruple treble crochet
R	Round	Htr	Half treble crochet	Bl	Back Loop
Ch	Chain	Tr	Treble crochet	Fp	Front Post
Sl-st	Slip stitch	Dtr	Double treble crochet	Bp	Back Post
		Trtr	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, especially for beginners.

Reference to photos is [P] with the relevant photo number

* * 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.

Hint: corner chain spaces are not included in any stitch count.

Working around whole piece your work is now a rectangle, please note instructions are now for Short side and long side.

All rounds will now have a long side count and a Short side count.



Round	<i>Pretty Pastels</i>	<i>Paint Box</i>	<i>Brown Sugar</i>	<i>Purely Patriotic</i>
1	Duck Egg	Violet	Dk Brown	Cream
2	Cream	Saffron	Parchment	Cream
3, 4	Soft Peach	Pomegranate	Gold	Pomegranate
5	Cream	Saffron	Parchment	Cream
6,7	Soft Peach	Bluebell	Copper	Pomegranate
8	Cream	Saffron	Parchment	Cream
9, 10	Duck Egg	Aspen	Cream	Cream

Hint: take

care not to skip the 1st st after any of the ch-2 corner spaces.

1. Join with a standing htr in last st of any long side, [P1]

***Short side:** in ch-2 corner space (2 htr, ch 2, 2 htr), (htr in next 20 sts, htr in next 2 ch-2 corner spaces [P3]) 4 times, htr in next 20 sts.

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (2 htr, ch 2, 2 htr), htr in next 20 sts, htr in next 2 ch-2 corner spaces, htr in next 110 sts, htr in next 2 ch-2 spaces, htr in next 20 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last htr.

Join to standing htr, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 112 htr. Long side: 158 htr.



2. Join with a standing dc in last st of any long side, [P1]

***Short side:** in ch-2 corner space (dc, ch 2, dc) [P2], dc in next 112 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (dc, ch 2, dc), dc in next 158 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last dc.

Join to standing dc, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 114 dc. Long side: 160 dc.



3. Join with a standing tr in ch-2 corner space at beginning of any Short side, [P1]

(tr, ch 2, 2 tr) in same space, [P2]

*Short side: (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, tr in next 6 sts) 14 times, ch 2, skip next 2 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), ch 2, skip next st,

(tr in next 6 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 sts) 19 times, tr in next 6 sts, ch 2, skip next st, in ch-2 Short side corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr). *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last Short side corner group.

Join to standing tr with a sl-st.

Stitch count: Short side: 88 tr, 15 ch-2 spaces.

Long side: 124 tr, 21 ch-2 spaces.



4. Ch 2 and fpdtr around same st [P1,2], fpdtr around next st,

*Short side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), fpdtr around next 2 sts,

(ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 6 sts) 14 times, ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 2 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), fpdtr around next 2 sts, (ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 6 sts) 20 times, ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 2 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last 2 fpdtr.

Join to 1st fpdtr, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 4 tr, 88 fpdtr, 15 ch-2 spaces.

Long side: 4 tr, 124 fpdtr, 21 ch-2 spaces.



5. Join with a standing dc in last tr of any long side, [P1]

***Short side:** in ch-2 corner space (working in front of [R3,4] **quadtr** in ch-2 space R2 [P2], dc in ch-2 space R4 [P3], **quadtr** in ch-2 space R2),

dc in next 4 sts, [P4]

(working in front of [R3,4] trtr in next 2 skipped sts R2, dc in next 6 sts) 14 times,

working in front of [R3,4] trtr in next 2 skipped sts R2,

dc in next 4 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (working in front of [R3,4] **quadtr** in ch-2 space R2, dc in ch-2 space R4, **quadtr** in ch-2 space R2),

dc in next 4 sts,

working in front of [R3,4] trtr in ch-2 space R2 to left of tr already there [*to right if left handed*], [P5]

trtr in next skipped st R2,

(dc in next 6 sts, working in front of [R3,4] trtr in next 2 skipped sts R2,) 19 times,

dc in next 6 sts,

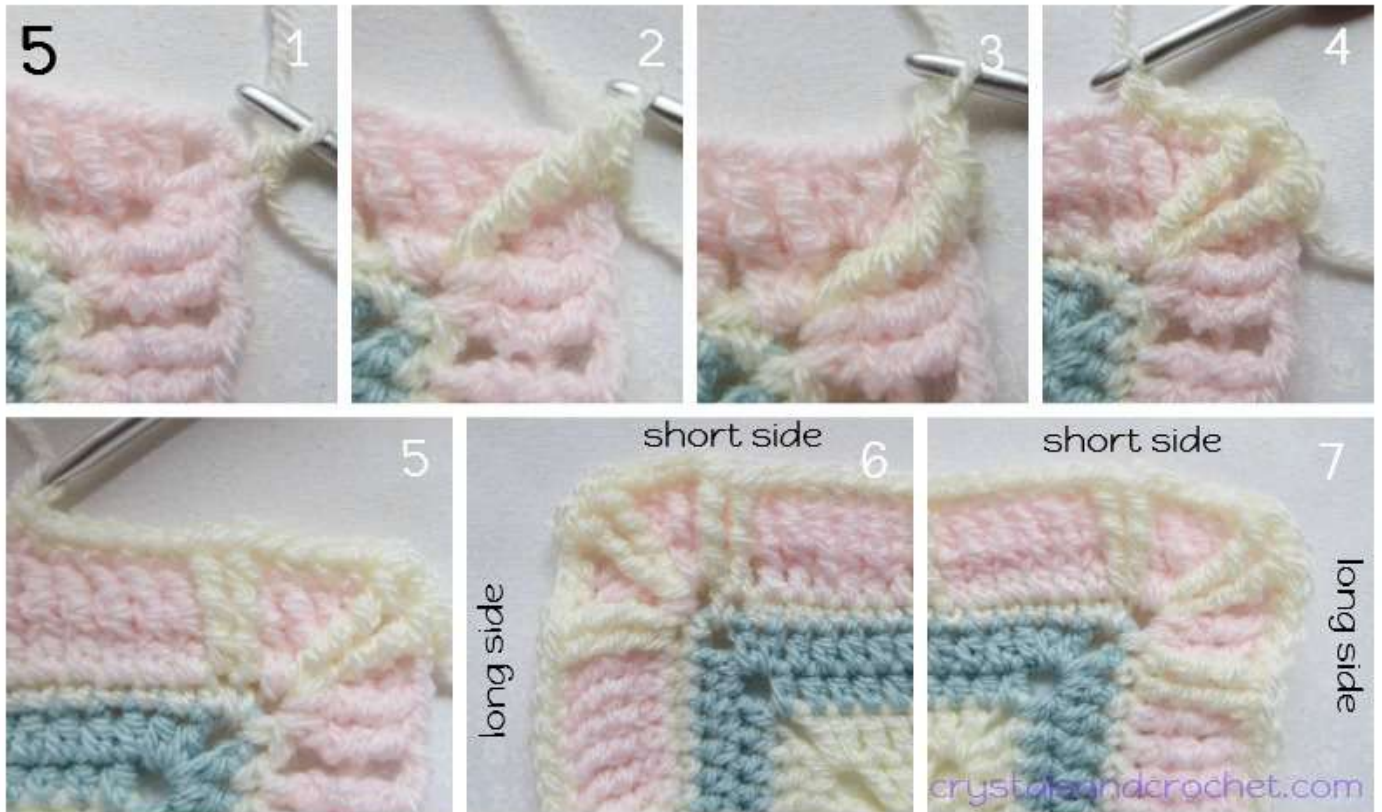
working in front of [R3,4] trtr in next skipped st R2, trtr in ch-2 space R2 before tr already there, dc in next 4 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last dc.

Join to standing dc, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 93 dc, 30 trtr, 2 quadtr.

Long side: 129 dc, 42 trtr, 2 quadtr.



Hint: in this round the 3rd and 4th tr of each group of 6 tr will fall in the 2 trtr R5.

6. Join with a standing tr in corner dc at beginning of any Short side, (ch 2, tr) in same st, [P1,2]

*Short side: tr in next st, (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, tr in next 6 sts) 15 times, ch 2, skip next 2 sts, tr in next st,

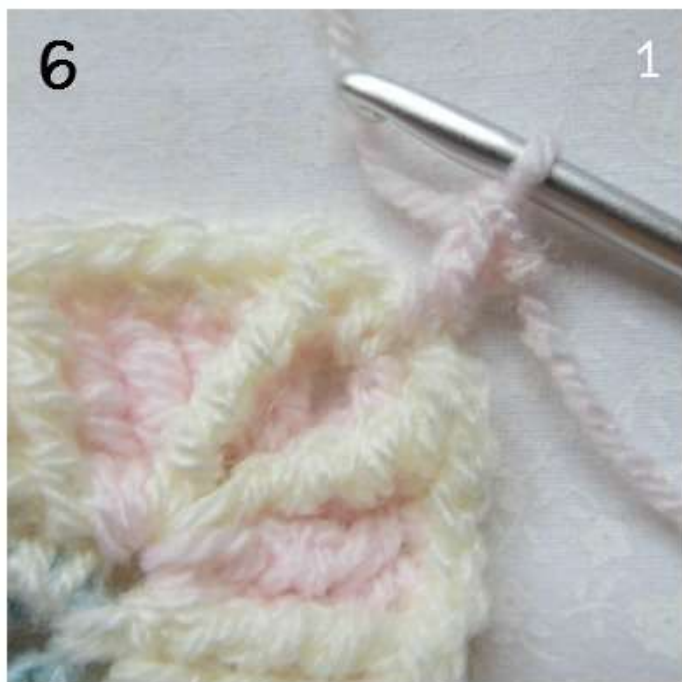
Long side: in corner dc (tr, ch 2, tr), tr in next st, (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, tr in next 6 sts) 21 times, ch 2, skip next 2 sts, tr in next st, in ch-2 Short side corner space (tr, ch 2, tr). *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last Short side corner group.

Join to standing tr with a sl-st.

Stitch count: Short side: 94 tr, 16 ch-2 spaces.

Long side: 130 tr, 22 ch-2 spaces.



7. Ch 2 and fpdtr around same st, [P1,2]

*Short side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), fpdtr around next 2 sts, (ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 6 sts) 15 times, ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 2 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), fpdtr around next 2 sts, (ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 6 sts) 21 times, ch 2, skip ch-2 space, fpdtr around next 2 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last fpdtr.

Join to 1st fpdtr, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 4 tr, 94 fpdtr, 15 ch-2 spaces.

Long side: 4 tr, 130 fpdtr, 21 ch-2 spaces.



8. Join with a standing dc in last tr of any long side,

***Short side:** in ch-2 corner space (working in front of [R6,7], quadtr in corner dc R5, dc in ch-2 space R7, quadtr in corner dc R5) [P2], dc in next 4 sts, (working in front of [R6,7], trtr in next 2 skipped sts R5, dc in next 6 sts) 15 times, working in front of [R6,7], trtr in next 2 skipped sts R5, dc in next 4 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (working in front of [R6,7], quadtr in corner dc R5, dc in ch-2 space R6, quadtr in corner dc R5), dc in next 4 sts, working in front of [R6,7], trtr in ch-2 space R5 to left of tr already there [*to right if left handed*], trtr in next skipped st R5, (dc in next 6 sts, working in front of [R6,7], trtr in next 2 skipped sts R5,) 21 times, dc in next 6 sts, working in front of [R6,7], trtr in next skipped st R5, trtr in ch-2 space R5 before dc already there, dc in next 4 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last dc.

Join to standing dc, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 99 dc, 32 trtr, 2 quadtr.

Long side: 135 dc, 44 trtr, 2 quadr.



9. Join with a standing tr in last st of any long side, [*quadr*][P1]

**Short side*: in corner dc (tr, ch 2, tr), tr in next 132 sts,

Long side: in corner dc (tr, ch 2, tr), tr in next 180 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last tr.

Join to standing tr with a sl-st.

Stitch count: *Short side*: 134 tr.

Long side: 182 tr.



10. Ch 3 [*counts as tr*], tr in next st,

*Short side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), tr in next 134 sts,

Long side: in ch-2 corner space (2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr), tr in next 182 sts. *

Repeat from * to * twice, omit last 2 tr.

Join to top of ch-3, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: Short side: 138 tr.

Long side: 186 tr.



End part 4

Approx. size:

Double knit with 4mm hook – short side 30 ½ inches/77.5cm – long side 41 inches/104cm

Aran with 5.5mm hook – 40 inches/101.5cm – long side 54 inches/137cm

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