

'Colour Wheel' Rug

crocheted in Drops Eskimo



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'Colour Wheel' crocheted Drops rug made using two strands of Drops Eskimo.

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MEASUREMENTS:

Diametre: Approx. 94cm

MATERIALS:

- **Drops Eskimo** (100% Wool, super chunky yarn, available in 50g balls):
 - 500 g colour no 01, off white
 - 150 g colour no 37, sapphire
 - 150 g colour no 54, medium purple
 - 150 g colour no 35, lime
 - 150 g colour no 26, hot pink
 - 100 g colour no 05, petrol
- **An 8mm crochet hook** (or size needed to get 8 dcltr in width with 2 strands = 10 cm)

PATTERN INFO:

CROCHET INFO:

Replace first dc at beg of every dc round with 1 ch. Finish every round with 1 sl st in ch from beg of round.

Replace first tr at beg of every tr round with 3 ch. Finish round with 1 sl st in 3rd ch at beg of round.

COLOUR CHANGE:

Crochet last sl st on the last round with the colours of next round to get a nice colour change.

CROCHET TOG:

Work 2 tr into 1 tr: Work 1 tr but wait with last pull through (= 2 strands on hook), then work next tr but on last pull through, pull yarn through all sts on hook.

PATTERN:

See diagrams A.1 to A.4.

STRIPE COLOURS:

Work with 2 strands of each colour.

A.1:

ROUND 1: Petrol

ROUND 2: Sapphire

A.2:

ROUND 1-2: Off white

ROUND 3: Medium purple

ROUND 4: Lime

A.3:

ROUND 1-2: Off white

ROUND 3: Hot pink

ROUND 4: Medium purple

ROUND 5-7: Off white

ROUND 8: Sapphire

ROUND 9: Petrol

ROUND 10: Lime

A.4:

ROUND 1-2: Off white

ROUND 3: Hot pink

ROUND 4: Medium purple

ROUND 5-6: Off white

ROUND 7-8: Sapphire

INSTRUCTIONS:

Crochet 4 ch on hook size 8 mm with 2 strands petrol and form a ring with 1 sl st in first ch. **READ STRIPE COLOURS.** Work either according to diagram or pattern, i.e. work as follows:

Work according to diagram:

Read **CROCHET INFO** and **COLOUR CHANGE!** Work A.1 the entire round (= 1 repetition in total), A.2 (= 6 repetitions in total), A.3 (= 12 repetitions in total), finish with A.4 (= 18 repetitions).

Work A.1 as follows:

ROUND 1: READ COLOUR CHANGE. Work 5 ch (= 1 dtr and 1 ch), * 1 dtr in ch-ring, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* 10 more times, finish with 1 sl st in 4th ch from beg of round = 12 dtr and 12 ch.

ROUND 2: 2 ch (= 1 dc and 1 ch), 2 dc in next ch, 1 ch, 2 dc in next ch *, repeat from *-* 9 more times, work 1 ch, 1 dc in next ch, finish with 1 sl st in 1st ch from beg of round = 24 dc and 12 ch. **REMEMBER THE CROCHET TENSION!**

Work A.2 as follows:

ROUND 1: READ CROCHET INFO! Work * 3 tr in first ch, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 12 tr-groups and 12 ch.

ROUND 2: * 1 tr in each of the next 3 tr, 1 tr in next ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 48 tr.

ROUND 3: * 1 dc in each of the first 3 tr, 2 dc in next tr *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 60 dc.

ROUND 4: work 2 tr into 1 tr in first dc – **READ CROCHET TOG**, 3 ch, * skip 1 dc, work 2 tr into 1 tr in next dc, 3 ch, skip 2 dc, work 2 tr into 1 tr in next dc, 3 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 24 tr-groups and 24 ch-spaces.

Work A.3 as follows:

ROUND 1: Work 3 dc in every ch-space the entire round = 72 dc.

ROUND 2: * 1 tr in each of the first 3 dc, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 72 tr and 24 ch-spaces.

ROUND 3: * 3 ch, 2 dc in first ch-space *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 24 ch-spaces and 48 dc.

ROUND 4: * 4 tr in first ch-space, 2 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 24 tr-groups and 24 ch-spaces.

ROUND 5: * 5 ch, 1 dc in first ch-space *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 24 ch-spaces and 24 dc.

ROUND 6: * 5 dc in first ch-space, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 120 dc and 24 ch.

ROUND 7: * work 2 tr into 1 tr in first dc, 2 ch, skip 1 dc, work 2 tr into 1 tr in next dc, 2 ch, skip 1 dc, work 2 tr into 1 tr in next dc, 2 ch, skip 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 72 tr-groups and 72 ch-spaces.

ROUND 8: * 2 ch, 1 dc in first ch-space *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 72 dc and 72 ch-spaces.

ROUND 9: * 2 tr in first ch-space, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 72 tr-groups and 24 ch-spaces.

ROUND 10: * 4 tr in first ch, 2 ch, skip 2 tr + 1 ch + 2 tr *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 36 tr-groups and 36 ch-spaces.

Work A.4 as follows:

ROUND 1: Work * 5 ch, 1 dc in first ch-space *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 36 ch-spaces and 36 dc.

ROUND 2: * 5 dc in first ch-space, 1 ch *,

repeat from *-* the entire round = 180 dc and 36 ch.

ROUND 3: * work 2 tr into 1 tr in first dc, 1 ch, skip 1 dc, work 2 tr into 1 tr in next dc, 1 ch, work 2 tr into 1 tr in next dc, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 108 tr and 108 ch-spaces.

ROUND 4: * 1 dc in first ch, 1 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 108 dc and 108 ch.

ROUND 5: * 1 tr in first dc, 2 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 108 tr and 108 ch-spaces.

ROUND 6: * 1 tr + 2 ch + 1 tr in first ch-space, 2 ch, * 1 tr in next ch-space, 2 ch *, repeat from *-* 4 more times **, repeat from ** ** the entire round = 126 tr and 126 ch-spaces.

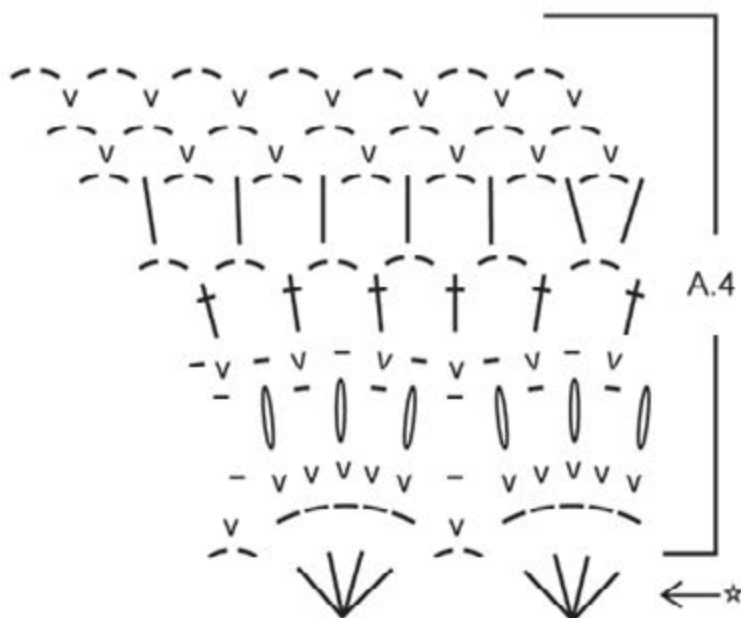
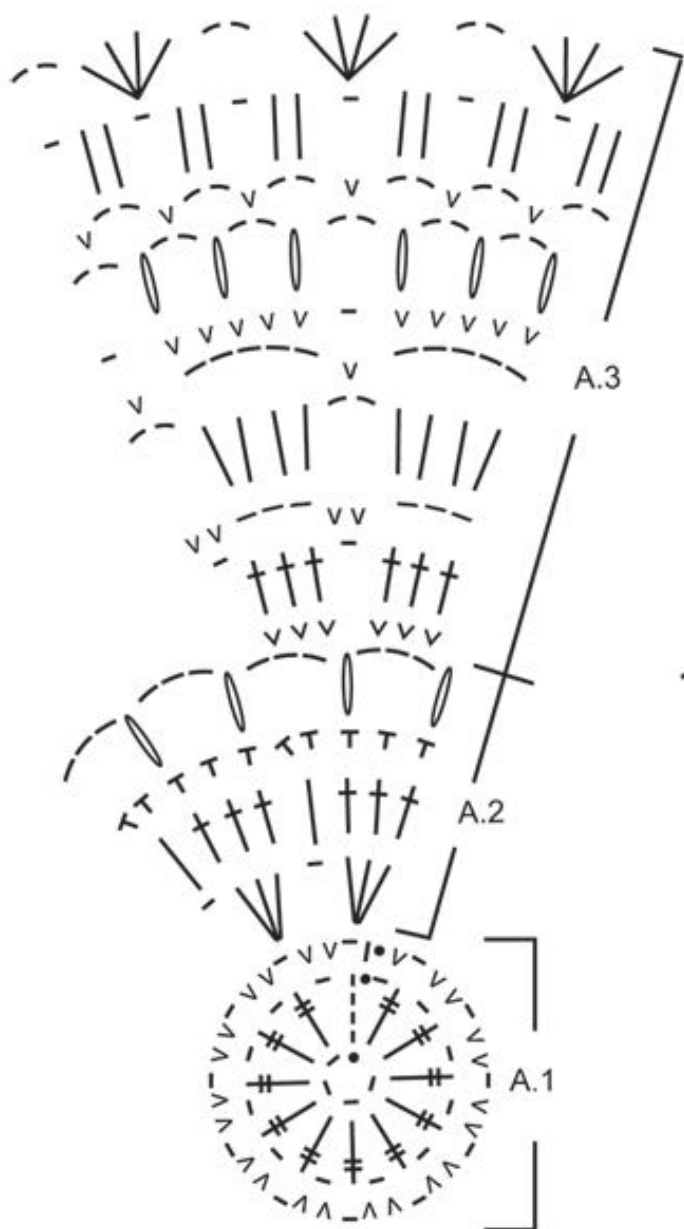
ROUND 7: * 1 dc in first ch-space, 2 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 126 dc and 126 ch-spaces.

ROUND 8: * 1 dc in first ch-space, 2 ch *, repeat from *-* the entire round = 126 dc and 126 ch-spaces.

Fasten off. Carpet measures approx. 97 cm in diameter.

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DIAGRAMS:



- = ch
- v = dc around st
- T = dc in st
- | = tr around st
- † = tr in st
- ‡ = dtr around st
- O = Work 2 tr into 1 tr: Work 1 tr but wait with last pull through (= 2 strands on hook), then work next tr in same st but on last pull through, pull yarn through all sts on hook.
- = 1 sl st in 4th/1st ch at beg of round
- ←★ = shows last round on A.3

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