Stitch of the Week  
Pattern #241

Checkered Double Crochet Stitch Pattern

To follow along with this stitch pattern go to Creative Grandma youtube channel.

Note: When working any stitch pattern use recommended hook size from the yarn label you are using for best results.

Stitch pattern is a multiple of 4.

This pattern is written for changing colors each row.

To make a sample swatch, ch 36.

Row 1: Dc in the 4th ch from hook, *ch 2, skip next 2 ch, dc in each of next 2 ch *, rep from * to * across. Fasten off, turn.

Row 2: Insert hook in beg dc, pull new color through st, ch 1, sc in each of first 2 dc, working over the next ch-2 sp of Row 1, dc in each of next 2 ch in foundation ch, *ch 2, skip next 2 dc, working over the next ch-2 sp of Row 1, dc in each of next 2 ch in foundation ch *, rep from * to * across to within last 2 dc, sc in each of last 2 dc. Fasten off, turn.

Row 3: Insert hook in beg sc, pull new color through st, ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, *ch 2, skip next 2 dc, working over the next ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc 2 rows below *, rep from * to * across to within last 4 sts, ch 2, skip next 2 dc, sc in each of last 2 sc. Fasten off, turn.

Row 4: Insert hook in beg sc, pull new color through st, ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, working over the next ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc 2 rows below, *ch 2, skip next 2 dc, working over the next ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc 2 rows below *, rep from * to * across to within last 2 sc, sc in each of last 2 sc. Fasten off, turn.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 for pattern.

When you get to the length desired, end pattern with Row 4, then do the Finishing Row as your last row of your project.
Finishing Row:

Insert hook into first sc, pull new color through, ch 1, sc in each of first 4 sts, * working over the next ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 2 dc 2 rows below, sc in each of next 2 dc*, rep from * to * across to within last 2 sc, sc in each of last 2 sc. Fasten off.