Creative Grandma

Stitch of the Week # 88

Alternating Post Stitch

Skill Level: Beginner

Stitch Pattern has a multiple of 2 plus 5.

Special Stitches: Fpdc: yarn over, insert hook from front to back then from back to front around post of stitch indicated, yo, pull through stitch, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.

To make a sample swatch, ch 15.

Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook, (skipped beg 3 chs counts as first dc), dc in each ch across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc), *fpdc in next corresponding dc 2 rows below pulling fpdc up to current level of work, dc in next sc *, rep from * to * across to last 2 sc, fpdc in next corresponding dc 2 rows below, pulling fpdc up to current level of work, hdc in last sc, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch2 (counts as first hdc), * dc in next sc, * fpdc in next corresponding dc 2 rows below, pulling fpdc up to current level of work, dc in next sc *, rep from * to * across to last sc, hdc in last sc, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rep Rows 3-6 for pattern.

Color Changes

Change colors every 2 rows or in any odd numbered row.