Creative Grandma

Stitch of the Week # 82

Ripple Post Stitch

Skill Level: Intermediate

Note: Use hook size recommended on yarn label of the yarn you will be using.

Special Stitches:
Front Post Double Crochet (fpdc): yo, insert hook from front to back, then from back to front around post of stitch indicated, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.

Back Post Double Crochet (bpdc): yo, insert hook from back to front, then from front to back around post of stitch indicated, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.

Stitch Pattern has a multiple of 20 plus 6.

To make a sample Swatch, ch 46.

Row 1: Dc in 4\textsuperscript{th} ch from hook, dc in next ch, * skip next 2 ch, dc in next ch, ch 1, [skip next ch, dc in next ch, ch 1] twice, skip next ch, 2 dc in next ch, ch 2, 2 dc in next ch, [ch 1, skip next ch, dc in next ch] 3 times, skip next 2 ch, dc in each of next 2 ch *, rep from * to * across to last ch, dc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), * bpdc in next 2 sts, skip next dc, skip next ch - 1 sp, [dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next ch-1 sp] twice, dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc] twice, skip next ch-1 sp, skip next dc *, rep from * to * across to within last 3 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, dc in last st, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), * fpdc in next 2 sts, skip next dc, skip next ch-1 sp, [dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next ch-1 sp] twice, dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc] twice, skip next ch-1 sp, skip next dc *, rep from * to * across to within last 3 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, dc in last st, turn.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 for pattern.