

STITCH OF THE WEEK



#31 Easy Basket Weave Splash Stitch

Skill Level: Beginner

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

Stitch Multiple: Multiple of 8 plus 5.

Instructions are written changing colors every row with a main base color. You can adjust the colors to suit your style.

To make a sample swatch, using main base color, ch 37 or any chain with the multiple of 8 plus 5.

Multiple of $8 \times 4 = 32$ plus 5 = 37.

Row 1: With main base color, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across. Fasten off, turn.

Row 2: Join new color with sl st in FRONT lp of beg st, ch 1, sc in FRONT lp only of each st across. Fasten off, turn.

Row 3: Join Main base color with sl st in FRONT lp of beg st, dc in FRONT loop of each of first 4 sc 2 rows below (Row 1) pulling dc up to current level of work, * sc in BACK lp of each of next 4 sc of current row, dc in FRONT loop of each of next 4 sc 2 rows below (Row 1) pulling dc up to current level of work *, rep from * to * across. Fasten off, turn.

Row 4: Join new color with sl st in FRONT lp of beg st, ch 1, sc in FRONT lp of each st across. Fasten off, turn.

Row 5: Join Main base color with sl st in BACK lp of beg st, ch 1, sc in BACK lp of each of first 4 sts of current row, * dc in FRONT lp of next 4 sc 2 rows below (Row 3) pulling dc up to current level of work, sc in BACK lp of each of next 4 sc of current row *, rep from * to * across. Fasten off, turn.

Row 6: Join new color with sl st in FRONT lp of first st, ch 1, sc in FRONT lp of each st across. Fasten off, turn.

Rep Rows 3-6 for pattern.

To end pattern work to desired length, ending with Row 3, then work one row of sc working in both lps of each st across.