

# Flashy Geometric Crochet Square: A Step by Step Pattern

## Materials:

- **Yarn:** Worsted weight yarn in two contrasting colors. I used Alize Cotton Gold, but you can use your faves!
  - **Color A** (shown as green in the video)
  - **Color B** (shown as cream in the video)
- **Hook:** 2.75 mm crochet hook.
- **Scissors:** For cutting yarn at the end.
- **Tapestry needle:** For weaving in ends.

## Finished Size:

- **One square** measures **9 cm**.
- **Adjusting Size:** You can increase or decrease the number of rows to change the square size.

## Stitches Used (US Terms):

- **ch** = chain
- **dc** = double crochet
- **sl st** = slip stitch
- **magic ring** = adjustable loop to start
- **rnd:** round

## Pattern Notes:

- The pattern is written in US crochet terms.
- This pattern creates a single square.
- The ch 3 at the beginning of each round counts as a dc.
- You'll be changing colors throughout the pattern. To make a clean color change, drop the old color before finishing the last yarn over of the last stitch in that color. Then, pick up the new color and complete the stitch.

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## Instructions:

### Round 1 (Color A):

1. Make a magic ring.
2. Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc).
3. 2 dc in ring.
4. Ch 2.
5. 3 dc in ring.
6. Repeat steps 4 and 5 twice more.
7. Ch 2.
8. Sl st in the top of the beginning ch 3 join round. (12 dc, 3 ch-2 spaces)

### **Round 2 (Color A and Color B):**

1. Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc).
2. Work 1 dc in same stitch as ch 3.
3. **Change Color B.** Work 1 dc in same stitch, carrying Color A yarn along the back of the work.
4. Work 2 dc in each of the next 2 dc. (You'll be working over both Color A and B yarns).
5. **Change Color A.** Work the last dc of the 2 dc group with only Color A.
6. (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 space, working all stitches with Color B.
7. **Change Color A.** Work the last dc of the 2 dc group with only Color A.
8. Work 3 dc in each of the next 3 dc (working over both yarns, ending the last dc with Color A).
9. Repeat steps 6-8 twice more.
10. **Change Color B.** Work 1 dc in the next dc.
11. Sl st in the top of the beginning ch 3 join round. (24 dc, 4 ch-2 spaces)

### **Round 3 (Color A and Color B):**

1. Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc).
2. Work 1 dc in same stitch as ch 3.
3. **Change Color B.** Work 1 dc in same stitch, carrying Color A yarn along the back of the work.
4. Work 2 dc in each of the next 2 dc. (You'll be working over both Color A and B yarns).
5. **Change Color A.** Work the last dc of the 2 dc group with only Color A.
6. (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next ch-2 space, working all stitches with Color A.
7. **Change Color B.** Work the last dc of the 2 dc group with only Color B.
8. Work 2 dc in each of the next 2 dc (working over both yarns, ending the last dc with Color B).
9. **Change Color A.** Work the last dc of the 2 dc group with only Color A.
10. Work 3 dc in each of the next 3 dc (working over both yarns, ending the last dc with Color A).
11. Repeat steps 6-10 twice more.
12. **Change Color B.** Work 1 dc in the next dc.
13. Sl st in the top of the beginning ch 3 join round. (36 dc, 5 ch-2 spaces)

### **Important Note for Continuing the Pattern:**

- After Round 3, the color pattern repeats.
- Look at the row below decide which color make the stitches in the next row. Carry the unused yarn along the back of your work.
- Always switch the corner color in each row. For example:
  - Round 2 corners: Color B
  - Round 3 corners: Color A
  - Round 4 corners: Color B
  - Round 5 corners: Color A, and so on.

#### **Round 4 - 5 (and beyond):**

Follow the logic described above continue working in the round, changing colors as needed maintain the geometric pattern. Each round will increase the stitch count by 12 dc and add one more ch-2 space.

#### **Round 6 (Color A only):**

1. Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc).
2. Work 1 dc in each stitch around, working (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in each ch-2 space.
3. Sl st in the top of the beginning ch 3 join round.
4. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for weaving in ends.

#### **Adapting the Pattern:**

- **Increasing Rows (Larger Square):** Continue working rounds following the established pattern until your square reaches your desired size.
- **Decreasing Rows (Smaller Square):** You can make a smaller square by stopping after Round 3 or 4. You can also modify Round 6 make it a decrease round by working fewer stitches along the edges.

#### **Finishing:**

Weave in all loose ends securely. Block the square if desired achieve a neat, even shape.

**Enjoy your beautiful geometric crochet square!** You can now use it create a variety of projects, or join multiple squares make blankets, bags, or anything your creative heart desires.