



Geo Cushions

(Intermediate Crochet)

MEASUREMENT

Size (approx) 50 x 50 cms/20 x 20 ins

SEAN SHEEP CHUNKY TEXAS YARN

9 x 100g balls for Circular Cushion 11 x 100g balls for Square Cushion 7 x 100g balls for Triangle Cushion

HOOK

A 10mm (US N/P 15) (UK 000) Crochet Hook.

MATERIALS

A Yarn Needle; Polyester Filling.

TENSION/GAUGE

Note - Correct tension/gauge is not essential for these cushions.

ABBREVIATIONS

Note - Instructions are in UK/ Australian terminology.

ch - chain, beg - begin/ning, cont - continue, dc - double crochet, dec - decrease, inc - increase, patt - pattern, rep - repeat, sp - space, st - stitch, tr - treble.

HOW TO MAKE A MAGIC RING

Step 1 - Begin by wrapping the yarn twice around your fingers.

Step 2 - Put your crochet hook through the center of the loops.

Step 3 - Pull the yarn (that comes from the ball) through the center of the loops and make 1ch.

CREATE

Circular Cushion (back and front - both alike) Using 10mm (US N/P 15), (UK 000) Hook, make a Magic Ring, 1ch.

Note - Do not join, but work in continuous rounds, placing a marker at beg of round and moving it at the completion of each round.

1st round - 6dc in ring.

2nd round - 2dc in each dc to end = 12dc.

3rd round - * 2dc in next st, 1dc in next st, rep from * to end = 18dc.

4th round - * 2dc in next st, 1dc in each of next 2dc, rep from * to end = 24dc

5th round - * 2dc in next st, 1dc in each of next 3dc, rep from * to end = 24dc

Cont inc in this manner, working an extra dc between each inc until there are 90dc.

Next round - 1dc in each of next 7dc, * 2dc in next st, 1dc in each of next 14dc, rep from * to last 8dc, 2dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 7dc = 96dc

Next round - 1dc in each of next 8dc, * 2dc in next st, 1dc in each of next 15dc, rep from * to last 8dc, 2dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 7dc = 102dc

Next round - 1dc in each dc to end, sl st in next dc. Fasten off.

Square Cushion (back and front - both alike) Using 10mm Hook, make 37ch.

1st row - Miss 1ch, 1dc in each ch to end = 36dc. **2nd row** - 1ch, 1dc in each dc to end.

Rep last row until work measures approx 50 cms/20 ins from beg. Fasten off.

Triangle Cushion (back and front - both alike) Using 10mm (US N/P 15), (UK 000) Hook, make a Magic Ring, 1ch.

Note - Do not join, but work in continuous rounds, placing a marker at beg of round and moving it at the completion of each round.

1st round - 6dc in ring.

2nd round - 2dc in each dc to end = 12dc.

3rd round - 1dc in each of next 2dc, (3dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 3dc) twice, 3dc in next dc, 1dc in next dc = 18dc

4th round - 1dc in each of next 3dc, (3dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 5dc) twice, 3dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 2dc = 24dc.

5th round - 1dc in each of next 4dc, (3dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 7dc) twice, 3dc in next dc, 1dc in each of next 3dc = 30dc.

Cont inc in this manner, working 2 extra dc between each inc, until diameter measures approx 50 cms/20 ins at longest point. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Using yarn needle, darn in ends. Join front and back pieces together, leaving an opening for filling. Fill firmly with polyester filling and close opening.