



**BERNAT® HANDICRAFTER COTTON
OVAL RUG
(TO CROCHET)**

MEASUREMENT

Approx 30 x 40 ins [76 x 101.5 cm].

MATERIALS

Bernat® Handicrafter Cotton (50 g/1.75 oz)

Main Color (MC): (Blue) **13 balls**

Contrast A: (Yellow) **4 balls**

Contrast B: (Green) **9 balls**

Size 10 mm (U.S. N or 15) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

GAUGE

7 dc and 4 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] with 3 strands of yarn.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Always work dc in sp between 2 dc of previous rnd.

Stripe Pat

Work 10 rnds with MC.

Work 2 rnds with B.

Work 2 rnds with MC.

Work 2 rnds with A.

Work 2 rnds with MC.

Work 1 rnds with B.

These 19 rnds form Stripe Pat.

With 3 strands of MC, ch 20.

1st rnd: (RS). 1 dc in 4th ch from hook. 1 dc in each of next 15 ch. 5 dc in last ch. **Do not** turn. Working into opposite side of ch, 1 dc in each of next 15 ch. 3 dc in last ch. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 40 dc.

1st rnd of Stripe Pat is complete.

2nd rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 15 sps. (2 dc in next sp) 4 times. 1 dc in each of next 16 sps. (2 dc in next sp) 4 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 48 dc.

3rd rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 15 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next sp) 3 times. 2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in each of next 17 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next sp) 4 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

4th rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 15 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 2 sps) 3 times. 2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in each of next 18 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 2 sps) 4 times. 2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in each of next 2 sps. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

5th rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 15 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 3 sps) 3 times. 2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in each of next 19 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 3 sps) 4 times. 2 dc in next sp. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

6th rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 15 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 4 sps) 3 times. 2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in each of next 20 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 4 sps) 4 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

7th rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 15 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 5 sps) 3 times. 2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in each of next 21 sps. (2 dc in next sp. 1 dc in next 5 sps) 4 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, **AT SAME TIME** inc 8 sts each rnd as established, until 19 rnds of Stripe Pat are complete. 184 dc.

Next rnd: With B, ch 1. Work 1 sc in each sp around. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

ABBREVIATIONS

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