



MATERIALS

Caron® Tea Cakes™ (8.5 oz/240 g; 204 yds/186 m)
English Breakfast (20001) **1 ball**

Size U.S. K/10½ (6.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 20" [51 cm] square pillow form.



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly)

Ch = Chain(s)

Dc = Double crochet

Popcorn = Work 5 dc into same stitch or space. Drop loop from hook. Insert hook from front to back into first dc of 5 dc group. Pull dropped loop through st. Ch 1 to secure popcorn.

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

Rnd = Round

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp = Space

MEASUREMENT

Approx. 20" [51 cm] square

GAUGE

10 dc and 6½ rows = 4" [10 cm]

INSTRUCTIONS

Ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring. See diagram on page 2.

1st rnd: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 3 dc in ring. Ch 1. (4 dc in ring. Ch 1) 3 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

2nd rnd: Sl st in each of next 3 dc and next ch-1 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (3 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in same ch-1 sp as last sl st. *(4 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Rep from * twice more. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

3rd rnd: Sl st in each of next 3 dc and next ch-1 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in same ch-1 sp as last sl st. Skip 1 dc. *1 dc in each dc to next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before next ch-1 sp. Skip 1 dc. (2 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * twice more. 1 dc in each dc to next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before next ch-1 sp. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

4th rnd: Sl st in next dc and next popcorn. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in same sp as last sl st. *Skip 1 dc. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before

next popcorn. Skip 1 dc. (2 dc. Popcorn. 2 dc) in top of popcorn. Rep from * twice more. Skip 1 dc. 1 dc in each dc to 1 dc before next popcorn. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.
Rep 4th rnd until piece measures 14" [35.5 cm] square.

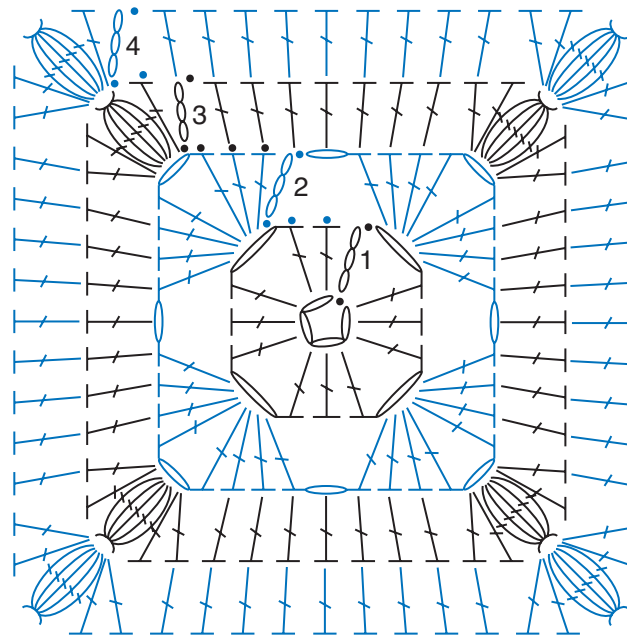
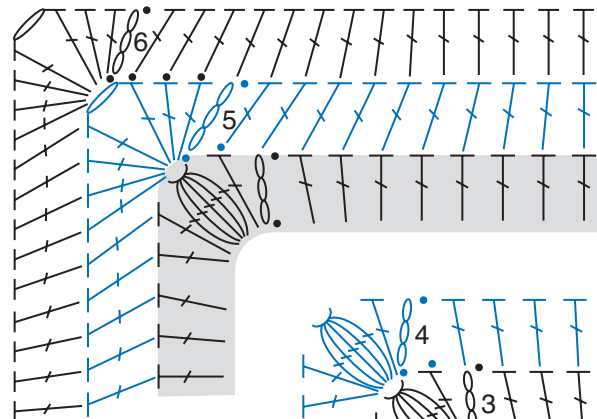
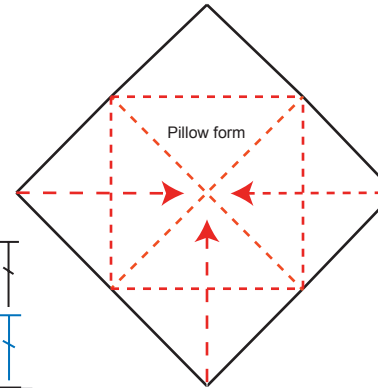
Next rnd: Sl st in next dc and next popcorn. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (3 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in same sp as last sl st. *1 dc in each dc across to next popcorn. (4 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in top of next popcorn. Rep from * twice more. 1 dc in each dc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

Next rnd: Sl st in each of next 3 dc and next ch-1 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc). (3 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in same sp as last sl st. *1 dc in each dc across to next ch-1 sp. (4 dc. Ch 1. 4 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * twice more. 1 dc in each dc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.
Rep 6th rnd until piece measures 28" [71 cm] square. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Fold 3 corners to meet in center, as shown in diagram, to form a square. Sew seams, leaving 4th corner open to insert pillow form. Insert pillow form. Sew rem seam.

Assembly diagram



STITCH KEY

- = chain (ch)
- = slip stitch (sl st)
- ⌋ = double crochet (dc)
- ⌋⌋⌋ = popcorn