

# GRANNY SQUARE IN BLOOM

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Flowers and granny squares are the perfect combination. In this pattern I combine them into one easy to do square, with three dimensional flower petals and popcorn stitches to add interest and texture.

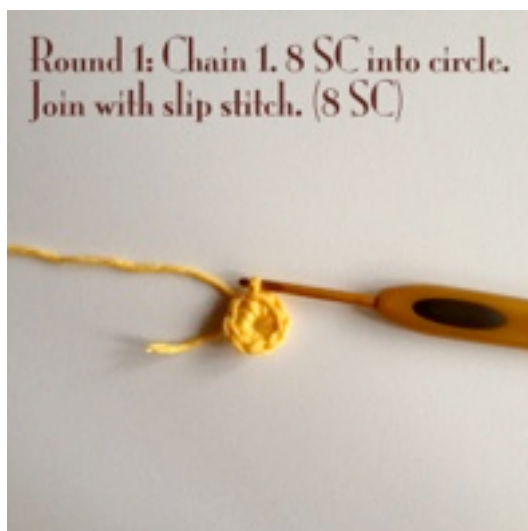


Written in US crochet terms.

Chain 5 and slip stitch  
into the first chain to form a circle.



Round 1: Chain 1, 8 SC into circle.  
Join with slip stitch. (8 SC)



Round 2: Chain 1, 2 SC in each  
SC around. Join with slip stitch  
and fasten off. (16 SC)



Round 3: Join colour B. Chain 3  
(count as DC.)



Make Popcorn stitch: 4 DC  
in SC.



Pull up yarn and  
remove hook.



Insert hook in first DC.



Insert hook into loop from 4th DC and pull yarn tight.



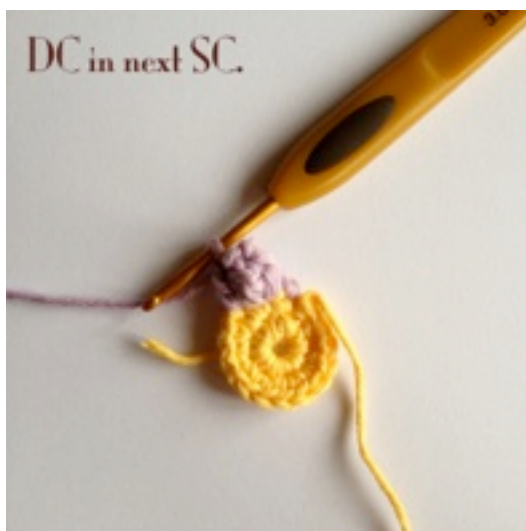
Pull yarn through.  
Popcorn made.



Popcorn stitch seen from above.



DC in next SC.



Continue working \*Popcorn, 1 DC\* around. Join with slip stitch to top of chain 3 and fasten off.



Round 4: Join colour C to top of Popcorn stitch.



Chain 1.



2 SC in same stitch.



Make long SC. Insert hook in same stitch of round 2 where DC of round 3 was inserted.



Pull up and yarn over.



Pull hook through.



Long SC completed.



2SC in top of Popcorn stitch.



Continue working \*Long SC, 2SC\*  
around (24 SC). Fasten off.





Round 5: Join colour D to Long SC.  
Chain 3 (count as first DC)



8DC in Long SC.  
(9DC shell made)



Skip 2 SC. 9 DC shell in next  
Long SC.



Continue working 9DC shell in each Long SC around. Join with slip stitch to 3rd chain of starting chain. Fasten off.

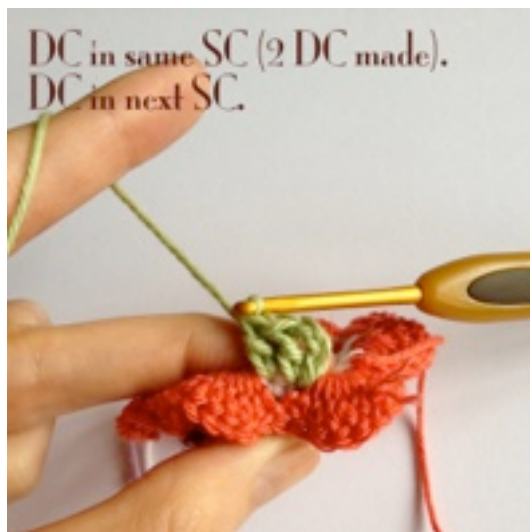


Round 6: Join colour E to SC of round 4.



Chain 3. Count as DC.





Continue working  
\*2DC, 1DC, 2 Chain\* around.



Join with slip stitch to 3rd chain  
of starting chain.



Round 6 seen from back.



Round 7: Chain 4 (count as DC,  
1 chain.)



\*3DC, 2 chain, 3DC\* corner shell  
in 2 chain space of round 6.



1 Chain, 3 DC shell in 2 chain  
space of round 6.



Continue working \* corner shell,  
1 chain, shell, 1 chain \* around.  
In last 2 chain space 2DC.



Join with slip stitch to 3rd chain of  
starting chain. Round 7 completed.



Round 8 Continue making shells in  
chain 1 space and corner shells  
in corner spaces, each shell seperated  
with 1 chain.



Round 8 completed.



Ganny Square In Bloom seen from back.

