BERNAT® CROCHET GRANITE STITCH FLOOR CUSHION | CROCHET

MATERIALS

Bernat® Blanket™ (10.5 oz/300 g; 220 yds/201 m)
Main Color (MC) Coal (10040) — **2 balls or 390 yds/355 m**
Contrast A Marrakesh (10814) — **2 balls or 375 yds/342 m**

Size U.S. K/10½ (6.5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** 30" [76 cm] square pillow form. Five - 1" [2.5 cm] buttons.

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly)
Beg = Begin(ning)
Ch = Chain(s)
Pat = Pattern
Rem = Remain(ing)
Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side
Sc = Single crochet
Sl st = Slip stitch
Sp = Space
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side

CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

MEASUREMENT
Approx 30" [76 cm] square.

GAUGE
10 sts and 7 rows = 4" [10 cm] in pat.

INSTRUCTIONS
Note: Pillow is worked in the round (rnd). Carry colors when not in use loosely up inside of work. To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook. Draw new color through last 2 loops and proceed.

With MC, chain (ch) 148. Join with slip stitch (sl st) to first ch to form a ring, being careful not to twist chain.
1st round (rnd): Ch 1. 1 single crochet (sc) in same space (sp) as last sl st. *Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Repeat (Rep) from * to last ch. Ch 1. Skip last ch. Join A with sl st in first sc. 148 sts.
2nd rnd: With A, sl st in next ch-1 space (sp). Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp. *Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last sc. Ch 1. Skip last sc. Join MC with sl st in first sc.

3rd rnd: With MC, sl st in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp. *Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last sc. Ch 1. Skip last sc. Join MC with sl st in first sc. Rep last 2 rnds for pattern (pat) until piece measures approx 30" [76 cm] from beginning (beg), ending on 3rd rnd of pat (MC). Join A. Break MC.

Closure Flap: Work back and forth in rows as follows:
1st row: [Right Side (RS)]. With A, sl st in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp. *Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * 35 times more. Join MC. Break A. **Turn**. Leave remaining (rem) 75 sts unworked.
2nd row: [Wrong Side (WS)]. With MC, ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in last sc. Join A. Break MC. Turn.
3rd row: With A, ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last 2 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in last sc. Join MC. Break A. Turn.

4th row: With MC, ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Rep from * to last 2 sts. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in last sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING
Turn cushion cover WS out. With WS facing, lay flat with closure flap centered along one side of top edge. Sew bottom seam.
Turn cushion cover RS out. Insert pillow form. Fold closure flap to inside. Sew on buttons evenly spaced using holes in pat stitch for buttonholes. Buttons should be inside the cushion so they are not visible.