CROCHET PATTERN

Desert Dunes
Blanket

Design: Willow Crochet | Hobbii Design

MATERIALS
5 skeins of Amigo Chunky color 22
1 skein of Amigo Chunky color 28
2 skeins of Amigo Chunky color 35
6 skeins of Amigo Chunky color 36
1 skein of Amigo Chunky color 37
4 skeins of Amigo Chunky color 39
2 skeins of Amigo Chunky color 40

Crochet hook 6 mm (US J/10)

Tapestry needle
Scissor

YARN QUALITY
⑤ Amigo Chunky, Hobbii
100 % Acrylic
100 g / 3.5 oz. = 100 m / 109 yds.

GAUGE
10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") = 9 sts x 7 rows

ABBREVIATIONS
ch = chain
hdc = half double crochet
fhdc = foundation half double crochet
WS = wrong side
RS = right side

SIZE
One size

MEASUREMENTS
Width: 127 cm / 50"
Length: 152 cm / 60"

PATTERN INFORMATION
A graphgan style blanket with a beautiful desert scene made using simple half double crochets allowing the landscape scenery to really stand out.

TECHNIQUES VIDEOS
How To Change Colors On A Graphgan | Step-By-Step Crochet Tutorial

HASHTAGS FOR SOCIAL MEDIA
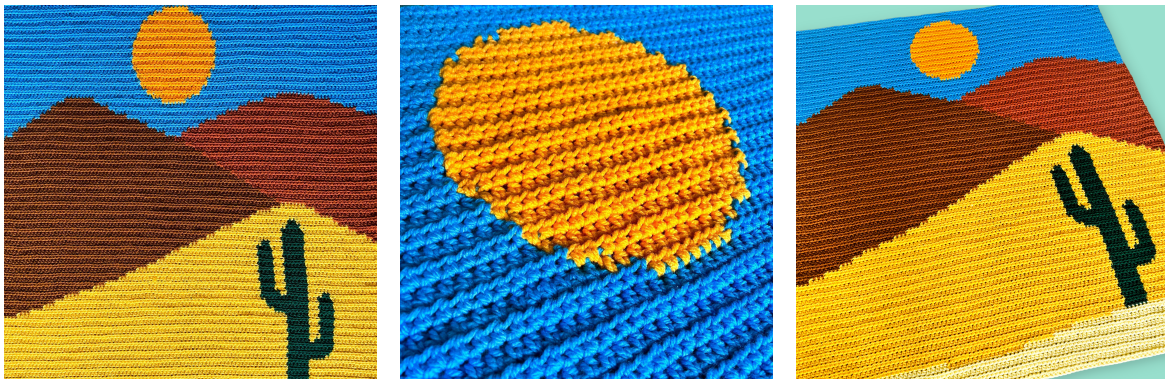#hobbiidesign #hobbiidesertdunes

QUESTIONS
If you have any questions regarding this pattern, please feel free to email us at
support@hobbii.com
Please make sure to include the pattern's name and number.

Happy Crafting!

Pattern

INFO & TIPS
Beginning of the blanket

This blanket is made using chains, half double crochets and foundation half double crochets. To begin the blanket use yarn color 35 and make 113 foundation half double crochets (this is your first row). Then, chain 1 (this does not count as a stitch) and turn. For every following row, you will work 1 HDC into every stitch, when you reach the end of the row, ch 1 and turn. You will work the entire blanket this way changing colours as instructed by the chart or written pattern.

READING THE WRITTEN PATTERN

Here is an example of one row from a written pattern:

Row 10 [WS]: C84, B6, C6, A17

Legend
A: Green
B: Blue
C: Red

Each letter in the row corresponds with a color of yarn shown in the legend above. The number after the letter tells you how many stitches you need to do in that color. Therefore, for the example row, you would be doing 84 stitches in Red, 6 stitches in Blue, 6 stitches in Red and 17 stitches in Green.

If you would prefer to use the color chart to make your blanket, it can be found on the final page of the pattern.

Changing Colors

If you would prefer to watch a video tutorial, check out my video: **How To Change Colors On A Graphgan | Step-By-Step Crochet Tutorial**

For the purpose of this tutorial, I will be using green and yellow yarn and the stitch I am using is a half double crochet. In the first photo, I have made it to my final stitch using green yarn and I am ready to change to yellow. For the final green stitch, **DO NOT** complete the stitch. Instead, yarn over, insert your hook and pull up a loop (you should have three loops on your hook). Now, bring your green working yarn to the front of your work and drop it. You will now complete your stitch by yarning over and pulling through all three loops with the yellow yarn. You can then continue crocheting with the yellow yarn. Make sure to leave the green yarn at the front where you dropped it.

On your return row, once you reach the green stitches, the yarn you dropped on the first row will now be at the back of your work for you to pick up and work with. To change color, do the same thing as before - in your final yellow stitch yarn over, insert your hook and pull up a loop (you should have three loops on your hook). Bring your yellow yarn to the front, drop it and pick up the green yarn from the back of your work to complete your stitch.

If you need to change color after the point where you've dropped your working yarn, you will need to crochet over the loose stand, carrying it with you until you reach the point where you need to change colors. When you reach this point, gently pull on the strand to ensure no loops are visible on the back of your work - do not pull too tightly as this will cause the fabric to bunch up. You can then complete the color change.

If you need to change color before you reach the point where you have dropped your working yarn, you can still carry it over to change color. When you yarn over with the new color there will be a loose strand of yarn (shown in photos 2 & 3), make sure this is not too loose or too tight - it should sit close to your stitches. You will need to crochet over this strand as you continue crocheting to hide it.

If you need to use the same color twice in a row, for example, if I was to change back to green at the point indicated by the red arrow, I would need to add a new green bobbin. This means that

you don't have to carry the green yarn under the yellow stitches as this would be visible and your blocks of color would not be as neat.

LEGEND
A: Primrose (35)
B: Hunter Green (28)
C: Sunflower (36)
D: Cognac (39)
E: Rust (4)
F: Turquoise (22)
G: Egg Yolk (3)

Row 1: Make 113 foundation half double crochets in col. A (35). Then, chain 1 (this does not count as a stitch) and turn.
Row 2-5: A113
Row 6 [WS]: A39, C19, A55
Row 7 [RS]: A48, C51, A14
Row 8 [WS]: A8, C62, A43
Row 9 [RS]: A33, C80
Row 10 [WS]: C84, B6,C6,A17
Row 11 [RS]: C23, B6, C84
Row 12 [WS]: C84, B6, C23
Row 13 [RS]: C23, B6, C84
Row 14 [WS]: C84, B6, C23
Row 15 [RS]: C23, B6, C84
Row 16 [WS]: C84, B6, C23
Row 17 [RS]: C23, B6, C84
Row 18 [WS]: C84, B11, C18
Row 19 [RS]: C17, B12, C84
Row 20 [WS]: C84, B13, C16
Row 21 [RS]: C16, B13, C84
Row 22 [WS]: C84, B6, C2, B5, C16
Row 23 [RS]: C16, B4, C3, B6, C84
Row 24 [WS]: C84, B6, C3, B4, C16
Row 25 [RS]: C16, B4, C3, B6, C84
Row 26 [WS]: C84, B6, C3, B4, C16
Row 27 [RS]: C16, B4, C3, B6, C79, D5
Row 28 [WS]: D10, C74, B6, C3, B4, C16
Row 29 [RS]: C16, B4, C3, B10, C67, D13
Row 30 [WS]: D17, C62, B11, C3, B4, C16
Row 31 [RS]: C16, B4, C3, B12, C58, D20
Row 32 [WS]: D23, C54, B13, C3, B4, C16
Row 33 [RS]: C17, B2, C4, B6, C2, B5, C50, D27
Row 34 [WS]: D31, C46, B4, C3, B6, C23
Row 35 [RS]: C23, B6, C3, B4, C43, D34
Row 36 [WS]: D38, C39, B4, C3, B6, C23
Row 37 [RS]: C23, B6, C3, B4, C37, D40
Row 38 [WS]: D43, C34, B4, C3, B6, C23
Row 39 [RS]: C23, B6, C3, B4, C31, D46

Row 40 [WS]: D49, C28, B4, C3, B6, C23
Row 41 [RS]: C23, B6, C3, B4, C26, D51
Row 42 [WS]: D53, C24, B4, C3, B6, C23
Row 43 [RS]: C23, B6, C3, B4, C22, D55
Row 44 [WS]: D58, C19, B4, C3, B6, C23
Row 45 [RS]: E2, C21, B6, C4, B2, C18, D60
Row 46 [WS]: D63, C21, B6, C19, E4
Row 47 [RS]: E6, C17, B6, C19, D65
Row 48 [WS]: D67, C17, B6, C15, E8
Row 49 [RS]: E11, C13, B4, C15, D70
Row 50 [WS]: D73, C13, B2, C12, E13
Row 51 [RS]: E15, C23, D75
Row 52 [WS]: D77, C18, E18
Row 53 [RS]: E20, C12, D81
Row 54 [WS]: D84, C7, E22
Row 55 [RS]: E31, D82
Row 56 [WS]: D80, E33
Row 57 [RS]: E35, D78
Row 58 [WS]: D76, E37
Row 59 [RS]: E39, D74
Row 60 [WS]: D72, E41
Row 61 [RS]: E43, D70
Row 62 [WS]: D68, E45
Row 63 [RS]: E47, D66
Row 64 [WS]: D64, E49
Row 65 [RS]: E51, D62
Row 66 [WS]: F2, D58, E53
Row 67 [RS]: E56, D53, F4
Row 68 [WS]: F6, D48, E59
Row 69 [RS]: E57, F5, D43, F8
Row 70 [WS]: F10, D39, F9, E55
Row 71 [RS]: E52, F15, D34, F12
Row 72 [WS]: F14, D30, F19, E50
Row 73 [RS]: F3, E43, F27, D24, F16
Row 74 [WS]: F18, D19, F33, E37, F6
Row 75 [RS]: F9, E31, F38, D16, F19
Row 76 [WS]: F21, D12, F43, E25, F12
Row 77 [RS]: F15, E19, F21, G7, F20, D8, F23
Row 78 [WS]: F49, G11, F22, E13, F18
Row 79 [RS]: F21, E7, F23, G15, F47
Row 80 [WS]: F46, G17, F50
Row 81 [RS]: F49, G19, F45
Row 82 [WS]: F45, G19, F49
Row 83 [RS]: F48, G21, F44
Row 84 [WS]: F44, G21, F48
Row 85 [RS]: F47, G23, F43
Row 86 [WS]: F43, G23, F47
Row 87 [RS]: F47, G23, F43

Row 88 [WS]: F43, G23, F47
Row 89 [RS]: F47, G23, F43
Row 90 [WS]: F43, G23, F47
Row 91 [RS]: F47, G23, F43
Row 92 [WS]: F44, G21, F48
Row 93 [RS]: F48, G21, F44
Row 94 [WS]: F45, G19, F49
Row 95 [RS]: F49, G19, F45
Row 96 [WS]: F46, G17, F50
Row 97 [RS]: F51, G15, F47
Row 98 [WS]: F49, G11, F53
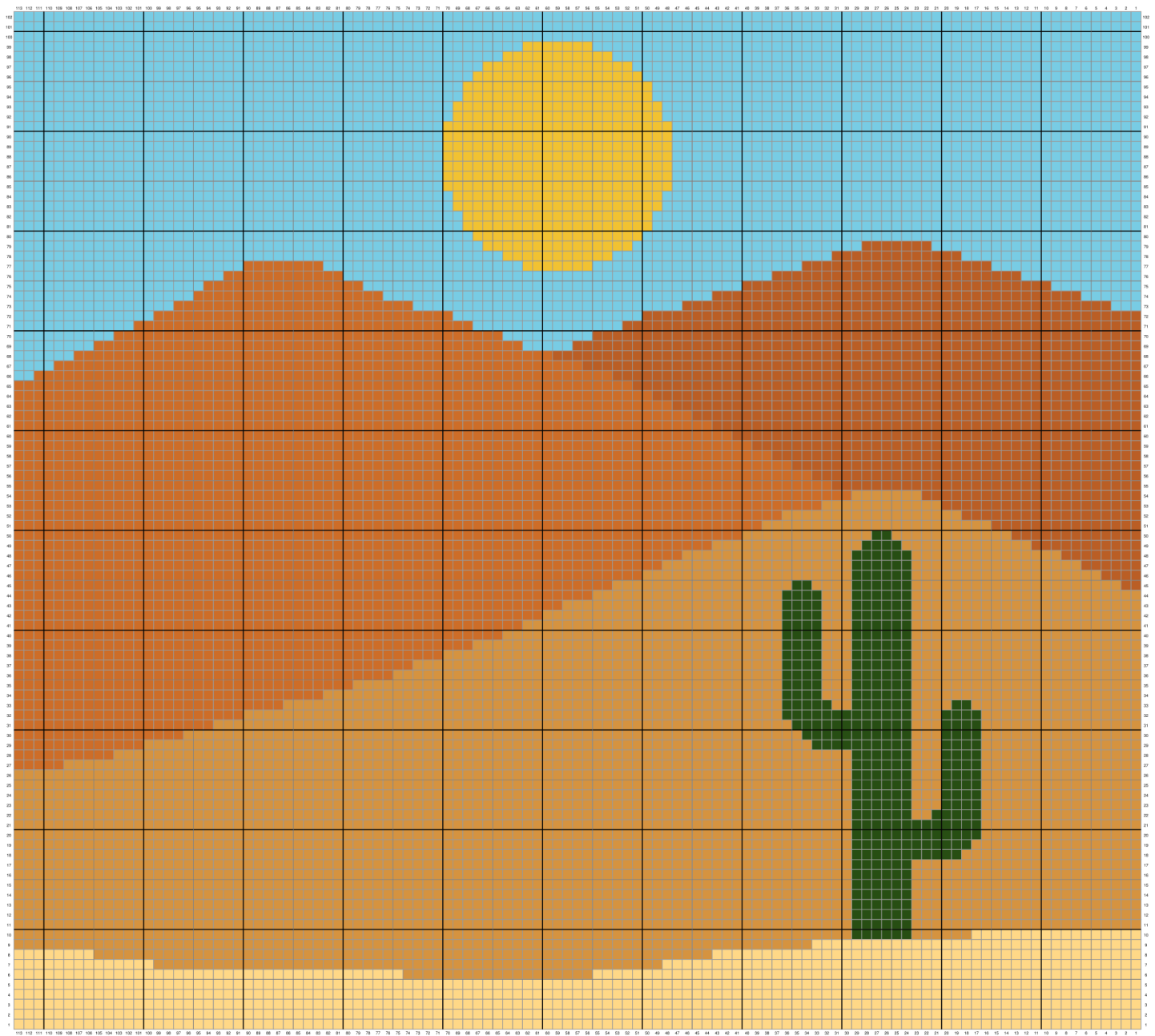**Row 99 [RS]:** F55, G7, F51
Row 100-102 [WS]: F113

FINISHING

Fasten off your working yarn and weave in all ends.

Enjoy!
Lauren

COLOR CHART

- Egg Yolk (37)
- Turquoise (22)
- Rust (4)
- Cognac (39)
- Sunflower (36)
- Hunter Green (28)
- Primrose (35)