

FOLKY RUG

Design: Lankava Oy, Molla Mills

Finished size: appr. 100 x 180 cm

Yarn: Paulina Chunky Twine (80 % recycled CO, 20 % PES, 1 kg = appr. 180-190 m), 5 kg in natural white (52) and 3 kg in black (70).

Hook: 10 mm (US N/P-15), or according to personal gauge

US crochet terms used throughout. Abbreviations: st(s) = stitch(es), ch = chain, dc = double crochet

Flat tapestry crochet: This rug is worked flat with dcs using two colors. Follow the chart and crochet sts around the color not in use. Always change the color so that you make the last yarn over of the previous st with the new color. At each edge, do not crochet the yarn inside the edge st, but leave it waiting, turn, and then work it again inside the 2nd st from the edge. This will make the rug edges neater.

Instructions: Ch 73 with unbleached for the starting chain.

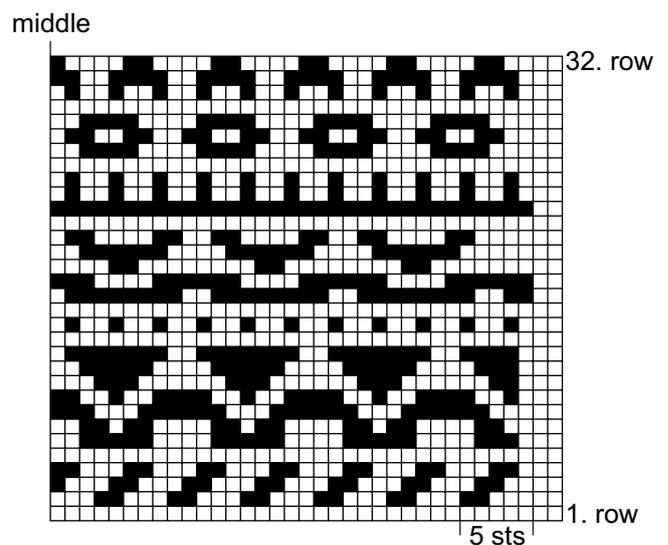
Row 1 (right side): Dc in the 4th ch from hook, dc in next 68 sts (carrying the black twine inside sts), leave the black to back of work, dc 1 = 70 dc. Turn work. Pull the black twine a bit to make sure it's the same tension as the work.

Row 2 (wrong side): Ch 3, dc in next st, (crochet around the black twine again starting from the next st)*dc in next 3 sts with unbleached, dc in next 2 sts with black*, repeat *-* till 5 sts remain before the edge, dc in next 5 sts with unbleached. You have now worked row 2 of the chart.

Following rows: Continue to work according to the chart. Remember not to crochet the black twine inside the edge sts. Always turn with a ch 3, which isn't counted as dc. Mirror the chart in the middle, except for rows 2.-4. work the 5-st repeat. Crochet rows 1.-32. twice and end with row 1.

Finishing: Weave in yarn ends. Secure the ends with couple of stitches to the back of work, to make sure they won't fray in wash.

 = 1 dc in natural white
 = 1 dc in black



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