

Tube Pillow Covers

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Materials

2 Tube pillows size 14 inches x 5 inches

4 ply worsted weight yarn

8 oz of each color

Size H crochet hook



Ends (Make 2) Measures 6" in diameter

With Main Color; ch 4, join with sl st to form a ring.

Round 1: Ch 3, (counts as 1st dc now and throughout)

11 dc in ring, join. (12 dcs) Mark as right side.

Round 2: Ch 3, dc in same sp, 2 dc in each dc around, join.

Round 3: Ch 3, dc in same sp, *dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc*, repeat from * to * around, join.

Round 4: Repeat round 3.

Round 5: Ch 3, dc in same sp, *dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in next dc*, repeat from * to * around. Finish off.

Pillow Middle

With main color: Ch 51

Row 1: (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook (**3 skipped chs count as first dc**) and in each ch across.

Row 2: Ch 2 (**Counts as first hdc, now and throughout**), turn; hdc in next dc and in each dc across.

*Cluster (uses one st), ch 3, *YO, insert hook in st indicate, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hoo; repeat from * once more, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook.*

*Decrease (uses next 3 hdc), *YO, insert hook in next hdc, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook; repeat form * 2 times more, YO and draw through all 4 loops on hook.*

*Ending Decrease: (uses last 2 hdc), *YO, insert hook in next hdc, YO and pull up loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hoo; repeat from * once more, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook.*

Row 3: With Contrasting color Ch 3 (**Counts as first dc, now and throughout**), turn; dc in same st, work Cluster in top of dc just made, skip next hdc, (decrease, work Cluster in tip of decrease just made) across to last 2 hdc, work ending decrease.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn; dc in same st, (skip next Cluster, 3 dc in next decrease) across to last Cluster, skip last Cluster and next dc, 2 dc in last dc.

Row 5: With Main Color ch 3, turn; dc in next dc and in each dc across.

Row 6: Ch 2, turn; hdc in next dc and in each dc across.

Repeat rows 3 through 6 eight more times

Repeat rows 3 and 4 once more.

Fold in half with right sides together and sc last row with first row to form a tube shape. Finish off.

Turn right side out. With contrasting color sc in each st on each end of tube. Slide onto pillow. Take each end and join around with reverse sc and finish off.

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