



February Mandala by Ella



*In my series 12 Months & 12 Mandalas by Ella
this is the second Mandala, February*

*Thank you for crocheting my Design, I hope you had fun along the way. For me it is
important to enjoy every round and that it is fun.
Crocheting should be a way to relax, a form of meditation.*

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Yarn: Catona from Scheepjes

Yarn consumption is approx 85gram

Crochet Hook 3

Size 33cm

description of stitches & other info:

Ch= chain

Sl st = Slip stitch

sc = Single crochet

Hdc = Half double crochet

Dc = Double crochet

Rel St F = Relief Stolpe fram

BP Hdc = Back post half double crochet

FP Sc = Front Post Single crochet

Puff= 9 loops total

Pop = 4dc together in same stitch

_ = Repeat as the pattern says

_ = Repeat around work

(_) = Total of st in the round

End all rounds with 1 sl st in 1st stitch

If you use same yarn in all rounds you crochet sl st to stitch you should start the round in

Start with 5 ch which ends into a loop with 1 sl st in 1st ch.

R1. 12 dc are crocheted around the loop. Cut the yarn!

R2. Crochet sc in the back loop only on all dc and sc in the space between dc.
(24sc)

V3. In each sc, crochet the following: *1 sc - 1 ch*.
(24sc, 24ch)

R4. Start around Ch1 with 1 puff, 3ch, *skip sc, ch, sc. around next ch1 crochet 1 puff, 3ch* Cut the yarn!
(12 puff, 12 ch3)



R5. *This round crochet in R3.*
Start in a "empty" ch1 with 3 dc tog. 3 ch, * skip the puff, **keep in mind that the 3 ch from R4 is behind the 3dc tog.** 3 dc tog in next "empty" ch1 from R3, 3 ch * Cut the yarn!
(12 x 3 dc tog, 12 x 3 ch)



R6. The round is crocheted around Ch3 from R4 behind the work.

Start around ch3 from R4 with 4dc, * 1 Fp dc on puff, **remember that ch3 from previous round should be behind Fp dc.** 4 dc around next ch3 *

Cut the yarn!

(12x4dc, 12 Fp dc)



Always start the following rounds in the 1st stitch on the round.

R7. Crochet sc in back loop only on all stitches. Cut the yarn!

(60sc)

R8. Repeat R7. Cut the yarn!!

(60sc)

R9. Repeat R7. Cut the yarn!!

(60sc)

R10. *Crochet 2 sc, in 3rd stitch crochet 2 sc * Cut the yarn!

(80sc)

R11. Repeat R7. Cut the yarn!!

(80sc)

R12. Crochet 4 sc, in 5th sc crochet 2 sc * Put a marker in the 1st sc on round.
We start in that stitch on R15. Cut the yarn!!
(96sc)



R13. This round you crochet around 3dc tog from round 5.
1 Fp sc around 3 dc tog, 8ch
(12 Fp sc, 12xch8)

R14. Crochet sl st on the mid of ch8. 1sc, 8ch, *1sc on the mid of next Ch8, 8ch*
(12 sc, 12x8ch)

R15. Now we continue to crochet on R12, start in stitch you put marker in on R12.

Please note that no stitches are skipped on this row and the crochet is crocheted in the back loop only.

4 sc, 1dc around ch8 from R14, * 8 sc, 1dc around ch8 from R14 * Finish with 4 sc after crocheting 1 dc around last ch8 on row. Cut the yarn!

(96sc, 12dc)



R16. The round is worked in the back loop only on sc.

Start in 1st sc of 8 between 2 dc. 4 sc, in 5th sc crochet 2 sc, 3 sc, 1 Fp hdc on dc * 4 sc, 2 sc in next stitch, 3 sc, 1 Fp hdc on dc *.

(108sc, 12 Fpvhdc)

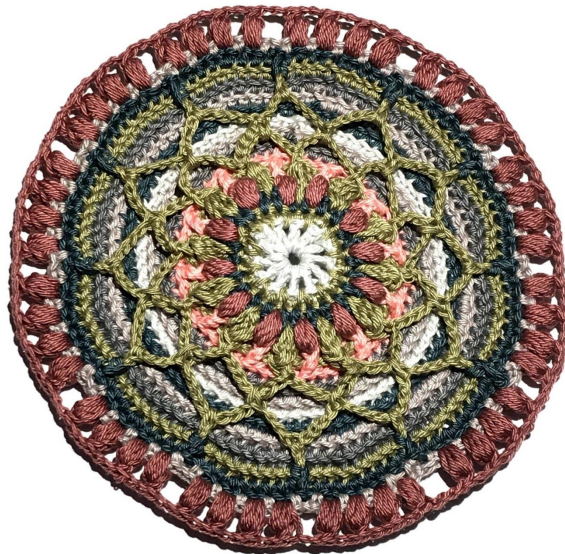
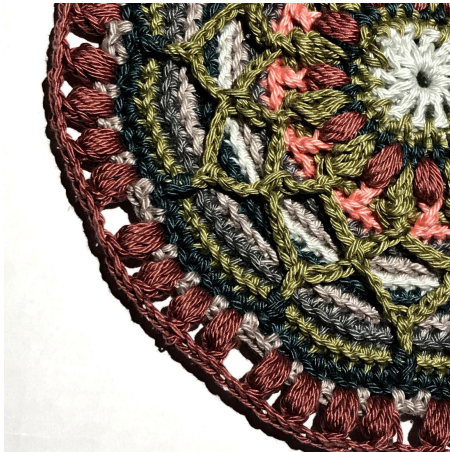
R17. Start in 1st sc after Fp hdc.

* 1 sc, 1 ch, skip 1 stitch *

Note that when crocheting it should always be ch over Fp hdc.

(60sc, 60xch1)

R18. Start in ch that is immediately after ch that crocheted over Fp hdc.
 ** 1puff, 2ch, skip sc ** a total of 4 times. Skip ch crocheted over Fp hdc and
 1st sc. * Cut the yarn!
 (48 puff, 48x2ch)

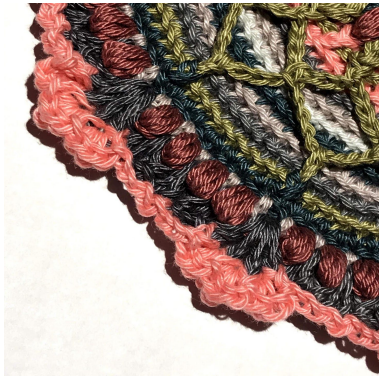


R19. The round is crocheted in R17 and on puff from R18.
 Start around ch that were crocheted over Fp hdc, with the following: *
 dc-ch-dc-ch-dc-ch-dc. 1 Fp hdc around puff, ** 2 dc in sc between 2 puffs, 1 Fp
 hdc around puff ** is repeated 2 more times. Around Ch over Fp hdc you
 crochet the following: * Remove yarn!
 (12xdc-ch-dc-ch-dc-ch-dc, 48 Fp hdc, 72dc)



V20. Start around 1st ch with 3hdc, * Fp sc on dc, 3hdc around next ch, 1 Fp sc on dc, 3hdc around last ch, 1 Fp sc around dc. 3 ch, skip 4 stitches. 1 sl st, 1 ch, 1 sl st in next stitch. 3 ch, skip 4 stitches, Fp sc on 1st dc, 3hdc around ch * Cut the yarn!

(108hdc, 48 Fp sc, 24xch3, 12ch, 24sl st)

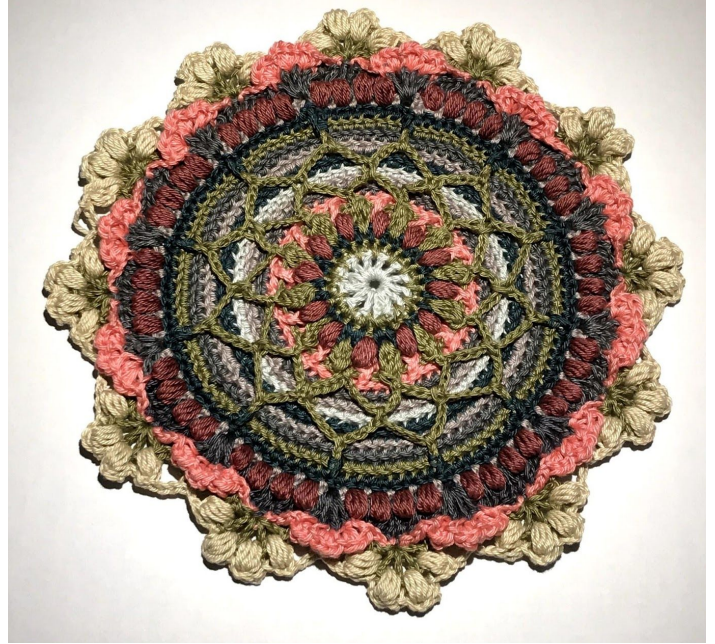


R21. Start around ch which were crocheted between 2 sl st on previous round with the following:

*dc-ch-dc-ch-dc-ch-dc-ch-dc. Sc in the back stitch on the next 2 stitches from R19. **Crochet behind ch3 from R20. 4ch, Note that the 4ch should be behind the work.** sc in next 2 stitches, **crochet behind ch3 from R20.** Around ch between sl st crochet the following: * Cut the yarn!

(12xdc-ch-dc-ch-dc-ch-dc-ch-dc, 12x4ch, 48sc)

R22. Start in the 1st ch with ** 1puff, 2ch, sl st in the back loop only on dc, 2ch
** Repeat 2 more times. 1 puff in last ch, 2 ch, skip last dc + ch2. 1 sc in the
middle about ch4 behind the work. 2 ch, skip 2 sc + 1st dc, 1 puff on ch, 2 ch,
sl st in back loop only on dc * Cut the yarn!
(48 puff, 96x2ch, 12sc, 36sl st)



R23. Start in sc, crocheted around ch4 on previous rounds with the following:
6 dc, ** 1 ch, 1 Bp sc on puff ** a total of 5 times. 1 ch, * 6 dc in sc,
** 1 ch, 1 Bp sc on puff ** a total of 5 times. 1ch * Cut the yarn!
(72dc, 48 Bp sc, 72ch)

R24. Start in 1st dc with 1 Bp hdc, ** 2 ch, 1 Bp hdc ** 4 times more. 4 ch, 1 Bp sc on Bp sc crocheted on 3rd puff, 4 ch, * 1 Bp hdc on 1st dc of 6. ** 2 ch, 1 Bp hdc ** another 4 times. 4 ch, 1 Bp sc on Bp sc which was worked on 3rd puff, 4 ch * Cut the yarn!

(12 Bp sc, 72 Bp hdc, 60xch2, 24xch4)



R25. Start around ch2 with ** 4 dc tog, 2ch, skip Bp hdc ** another 4 times. 4 dc around last ch2, skip Bp hdc, 1 sc on Bp sc, skip 1st Bp hdc * Cut the yarn!

(60x 4dc tog, 48 x ch2, 12 Bp sc)

R26. Start around ch2 with 5 dc, Fp sc around 4 dc tog, ** 5 dc around next ch2, Fp sc around 4 dc tog** 2 times more. 5dc around last ch2, skip 4 dc tog, 1 sc in sc, skip 4 dc tog, on the ch2 is worked 5 dc, Fp sc around 4 dc tog* Cut the yarn!

(48x 5dc, 36 Fp sc, 12 sc)



