

Sunburst Granny Square: A Step-by-Step Tutorial



The Sunburst Granny Square Pattern is a beautiful and versatile crochet design that can be used in a variety of projects, from blankets and afghans to scarves and cushion covers. Its vibrant, radiating design is reminiscent of a sunburst, making it a perfect choice for adding a burst of color and warmth to your crochet creations.

In this tutorial, we will guide you through the process of creating your very own Sunburst Granny Square.



Sunburst Granny Square Project Ideas

The Sunburst Granny Square is a versatile motif that can be used in various crochet projects. Here are some project ideas to spark your creativity:

Blankets and Afghans: Create a cozy and eye-catching blanket by stitching together multiple Sunburst Granny Squares. You can mix and match colors to suit your decor.

Pillows and Cushion Covers: Add a touch of radiance to your living space by crafting decorative pillows or cushion covers using Sunburst Granny Squares.

Bags and Totes: Design stylish and unique bags or totes featuring Sunburst Granny Squares. They make for great gifts or personal fashion statements.

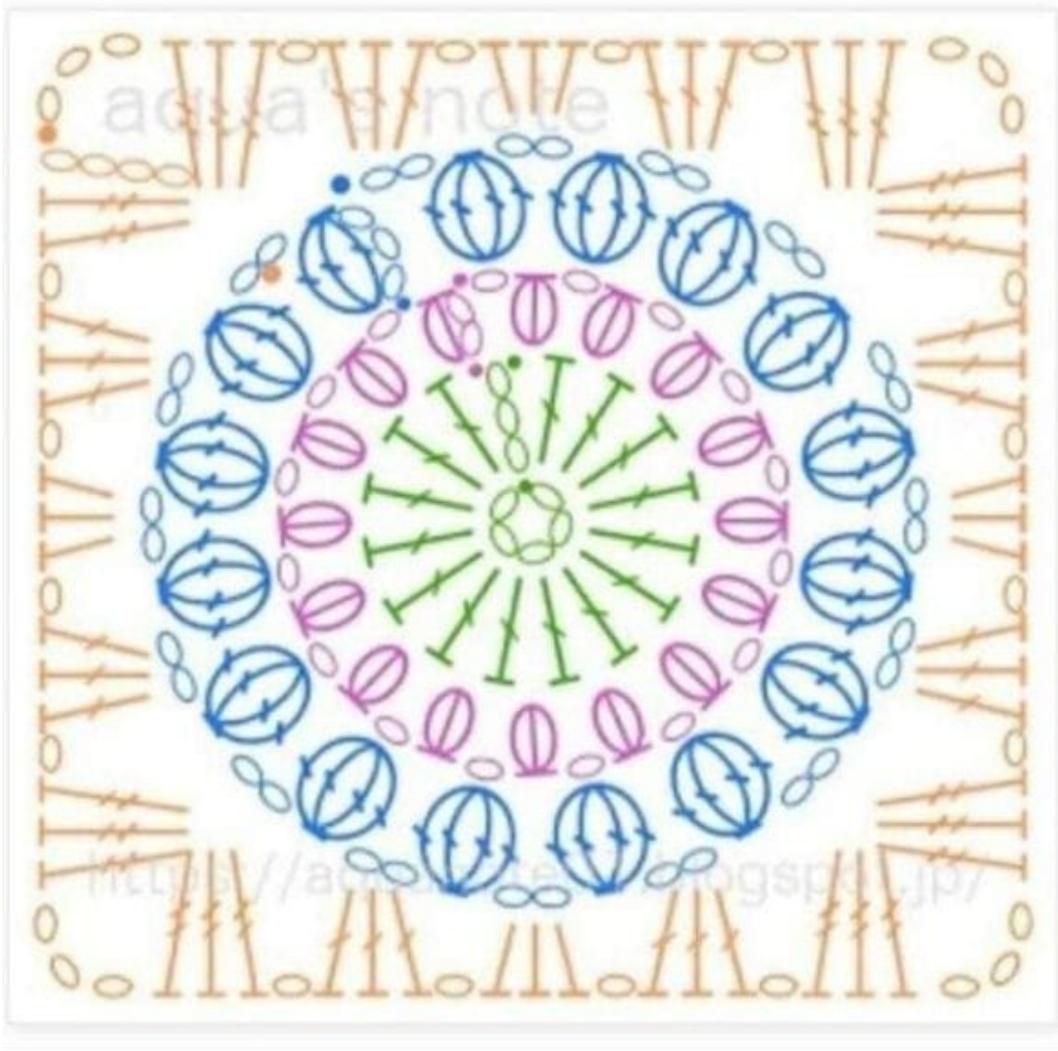
Materials You'll Need:

Crochet yarn in your choice of colors.

Crochet hook size appropriate for your yarn (usually stated on the yarn label).

Scissors.

Yarn needle for weaving in ends.



Sunburst Granny Square diagram

Tutorial

To begin crafting your sunburst granny square, initiate it with a magical ring or by chaining four and then connecting with a slip stitch to create a ring.



Form the Center Ring

Round 1: Commence by chaining two, which counts as the first double crochet. Proceed to double crochet fifteen times into the center of the ring. To complete the round, employ a slip stitch to connect to the top of the initial chain. (Total: 16 stitches)



Create the First Round

Round 2: Begin with a chain of two. Now, perform a puff stitch into the double crochet, followed by a chain of one. Repeat the puff stitch and chain one sequence fifteen more times. Seal the round by using a slip stitch to connect to the top of the first puff stitch. (Total: 16 puff stitches, 32 stitches in total)

For the puff stitch: Yarn over, insert the hook under the top of the double crochet, yarn over again, and pull through. Repeat this sequence three times (resulting in seven loops on your hook, as seen in the top left panel). Finally, yarn over and pull through all seven loops (as depicted in the top right panel). Conclude the puff stitch with a chain (shown in the bottom left panel).

Round 3: Initiate with a chain of two and turn, signifying the first double crochet. Execute a

double crochet two together (dc2tog) in the chain located between the puff stitches. Then, proceed with a chain of one. Repeat the pattern of double crochet three together (dc3tog) in the next chain, followed by another chain of one, fifteen times. Seal the round by joining the first stitch with a slip stitch. (Total: 16 dc3tog clusters) For reference, view the bottom right panel for an illustration of an incomplete dc3tog.

If you intend to change colors, finish off and secure the ends by weaving them in.



Create the Sunburst Design

Round 4: To introduce the border color, attach it to the circle at any of the chains between the dc3tog stitches. Begin with a chain of two, which acts as the first double crochet. Proceed to place two double crochets into the same chain. In the subsequent two chain spaces, work three double crochets each. In the next chain space, execute a triple crochet (tr) three times, followed by a chain of two, and then three more triple crochets in the same space.

This constitutes your first corner. Continue the pattern by placing three double crochets in the next three chain spaces, and in the next chain space, execute a triple crochet three times, followed by a chain of two, and then three more triple crochets in the same space. Repeat this sequence three more times. Finally, connect to the top of the starting chain with a slip stitch. Finish off and neatly weave in the ends using a tapestry needle.

Should you wish to expand your square beyond four rounds, simply continue following the

pattern established in Round 4. In each subsequent round, the number of sets of three double crochets along each side will increase by one. For instance, in Round 5, there would be four sets of three double crochets along each side. I hope this clarifies the instructions for you!



Sunburst Granny Square

Congratulations! You've just created a beautiful Sunburst Granny Square. You can make as many of these squares as you like in various colors and sizes to create stunning crochet projects like blankets, shawls, or even colorful wall art. Experiment with different color combinations and enjoy the creative process as you bring your own sunshine into your crochet work.

Video Tutorial

Dear crocheter friend, if you learn faster by watching this pattern on video, we recommend the tutorial from the Blossom Crochet channel. you can see the video here below.



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