

Cat Granny Square Blanket - Full Tutorial

Introduction

This tutorial will guide you through creating a full Cat Granny Square Blanket, perfect for beginners and cat lovers alike. You will learn how to make individual cat squares, how to join them properly, and how to add a border to finish your blanket beautifully.

Materials Needed

- Worsted or Aran weight yarn:
 - * 10 squares in cream
 - * 12 squares in gray
 - * 8 squares in pink
- Crochet hook size 4mm or 5mm
- Yarn needle
- Scissors
- Stitch markers (optional)

Making the Cat Squares

1. Begin with a magic ring.
2. Round 1: Ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc, ch 3. Repeat (3 dc, ch 3) three more times. Sl st to join.
3. Round 2: In any corner space, make 1 sc, ch 1, 1 tr, ch 1, 1 sc. This forms the ears.
4. Repeat for the opposite corner. Finish and weave in ends.
5. Use black yarn and a yarn needle to embroider the eyes with small vertical stitches and a small 'V' for the nose.

Joining the Squares

1. Arrange the 30 squares using the diagram layout: 5 columns by 6 rows.
2. Use single crochet or slip stitch to join squares together, working through the back loops only for a cleaner finish.

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3. Join all rows horizontally, then vertically.
4. Ensure all cats are facing in the same direction or follow a playful layout as desired.
5. Weave in all loose ends after joining.

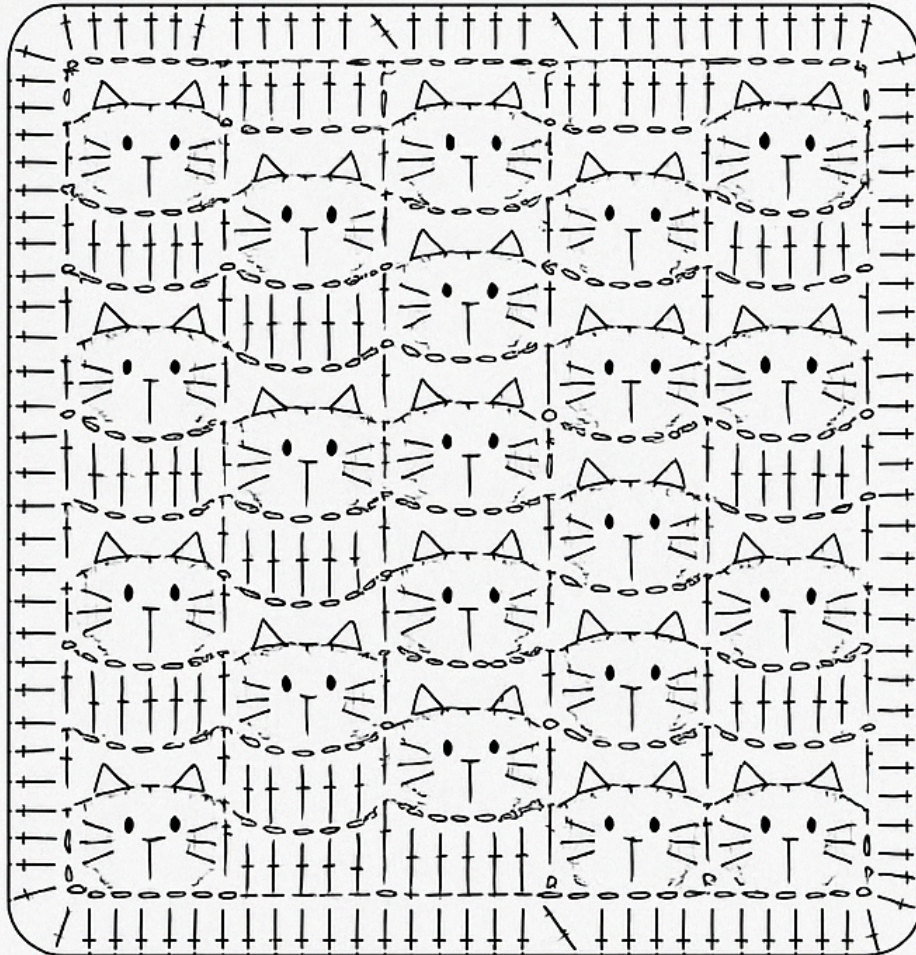
Adding the Border

1. Attach gray yarn in any corner space.
2. Round 1: Ch 3, *dc in each stitch, in corner space (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc)*. Repeat around.
3. Join with sl st to starting ch-3.
4. Optional: Add a second or third round for a thicker border using the same pattern.
5. Fasten off and weave in ends for a clean finish.

Finishing Tips

- Block the entire blanket to ensure a flat and neat shape.
- Wash gently by hand if needed and lay flat to dry.
- Use soft yarn for baby blankets or cotton yarn for home décor.
- Consider adding a label or tag for gifting.
- Store folded to preserve shape and detail.

CAT GRANNY SQUARE BLANKET



KEY

- ch: chain
- X sc; sc
- T dc: double
- sl. sl st: stitch

JOINING

Arrange squares using by diagram

SQUARES

Cet 10 Cream cat granny squares; 12 Gray cat granny sq; 8 Pink cat

JOINING

Arrange squares by side diagram

Round 1: Arrang squares round accom diagram; corner: sp, sc, t sc, sc. st sh, sc, 2 nc corner sps; Work d ch slp st end

JOINING

Arrange squares by side diagram

BORDER

Round 1: Join gray yarn in any corner sp, ch, sc, ch, t dc, 1 sc, 2 nc, corner sp. 2 sc ch, t, sip stitch at end of side Work 2 ch. slp st in corner sps; 2 sc, Work 2 ch, slp stit in corner sps; Slip stitch at end of side, Round 2: chs in corner sp chs 1 slp st on scs