# GRANNY (HEART) TOTE



Gauge: 4 rnds and 4 shells = 4" [10 cm]		
Materials	Abbreviations	
<ul> <li>H/8-5.00 mm</li> </ul>	Ch – Chain	
Needle	• Dc – Double	
<ul> <li>Scissors</li> </ul>	Crochet	
<ul> <li>Medium (worsted</li> </ul>	• Sp(s) – Space(s)	
(4)) acrylic/wool	<ul> <li>St(s) – Stitch(es)</li> </ul>	
yarn:	Beg – Beginning	
○ A (Green)	Cor – Corner	
○ B (White)	<ul> <li>Slip Stitch – sl st</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>RS – Right side</li> </ul>	
	• Yo – Yarn Over	
	Dc dec – Double	
	crochet decrease	
	Sc – Single crochet	
	Tr - Treble crochet	

Hdc – Half Double crochet

#### **Special Stitches**

- Beg Shell: Ch 3, 2 dc in ch-sp (or st)
- Shell: 3 dc in ch-sp (or st)
- Cor Shell: 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc in ch-sp (or st)
- Beg Cor Shell: Beg shell, ch 2, shell in ch-sp (or st)
- dc dec: yo, insert your hook into the next stitch yo, Draw the yarn through the stitch, Yo, Draw the yarn through the first 2 loops on your hook.
- Joining shell: in Block seam dc in the ch-2 sp before the seam dc dec in same sp and in ch-2 sp dc in same ch-2 sp as last leg of dec.
- Hdc Spike: yo, insert hook rnd below, yo pull through st yo pull through all 3 loops.

#### Pattern Notes

- Weave in loose ends as work progresses.
- Join with sl st as indicated unless stated otherwise.
- Ch-3 at the beg of round counts as first dc unless stated otherwise.
- While working in "rows" even numbered rows are WS while, odd numbered rows are RS.

#### Color Scheme

Heart

HA (Make 9)

A is for the heart and B for Background

#### HB (*Make 9*)

B is for Heart and A is for Background

## Instructions

Front & Back

Heart Granny Square

#### Heart

Rnd 1: (RS) With first Color, ch 4, *join* (see pattern notes) in first ch to form a ring, *beg shell* (See Special Stitches) in ring, ch 2, [*shell* (See Special Stitches), ch 2 in ring] 3 times, join in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch-3, FO if new color is required. (4 shells, 4 ch-2 sp)

Rnd 2: (RS) sl st in next dc, ch 1 8 dc in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk next dc, (2 sc, ch 1, 2 sc) in next dc, ch 1, sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, 8 dc in last ch-2 sp, join, FO. (28 sts)

#### Background

Rnd 3: (RS) With next color, in BLO Join sc in next st, hdc in next st, dc in next st, tr in next st, ch 2, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next 4 sts, ch 2, sc in next 4 sts, hdc spike, sc in next 4 sts, ch 2, sc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, dc in next st, ch 2, tr in next st, dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next st, Join (28 sts, 4 ch-2 sps) Rnd 4: (RS) beg shell in same sl st sp, ch 1, cor shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk next 3 sts, shell in next st, cor shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, skell in next hdc spike st, ch 1, cor shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, sk next 2 sts, shell, ch 1, cor shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, join. (4 cor shells, 8 ch-1 sps, 4 shells)

Rnd 5: (RS) SI st in each of next 2 dc, sI st in next ch-1 sp, beg shell, ch 1, cor shell in next ch-2 sp [{ch 1, shell in next ch-1} to next ch-2 sp, cor shell in next ch-2 sp] rep 3 times, ch 1, shell in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, join in 3<sup>rd</sup> ch of beg ch-3, FO if new color is required. (4 cor shells, 8 shells, 12 ch-1 sp)

### Joining

Arrange squares following diagrams 1 & 2. With WS facing. Join with Whipstitch

НА	HB	НА
HB	НА	НВ
НА	HB	НА
- DIAGRAM 1		

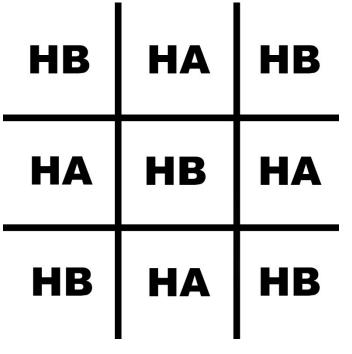


DIAGRAM 2

### Sides

Row 1: With A, ch 18, sc in  $2^{nd}$  ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn. (17 sts) Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. (17 sts) Rows 3 – 51: rep row 2. (17 sts) Row 52: Ch 1, in BLO, sc in each st across, turn. (17 sts) Rows 53 – 102: rep row 2. (17 sts) Row 103: in FLO, sc in each st across, turn. (17 sts) Rows 104 – 153: rep row 2. (17 sts) FO, weave ends in.

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# Joining

With front and side with loops visible

With B, join in the top ch-2 and corner of the first row sc in same row and sp, [(sc in the next 3 dc and rows, sc in next ch-1 sp and next row) 3 times, sc in next ch-2 sp and next row, sc in next ch-2 sp and row], rep steps in [] 2 more times, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp and in the last row before visible loops and in the row after the visible loops, turn rep [] 3 times on the bottom, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, turn rep [] 3 times on the bottom, sc in next ch-2 sp, FO.

With back and side with loops visible

With B, join in the top ch-2 and corner of the first row sc in same row and sp, [(sc in the next 3 dc and rows, sc in next ch-1 sp and next row) 3 times, sc in next ch-2 sp and next row, sc in next ch-2 sp and row], rep steps in [] 2 more times, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp and in the last row before visible loops and in the row after the visible loops, turn rep [] 3 times on the bottom, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, turn rep [] 3 times on the bottom, sc in next ch-2 sp, FO.

# Straps

Make 2

Row 1: With A, ch 7, dc in  $3^{rd}$  ch from hook, dc in each st across, turn. (5 sts) Row 2: In BLO, ch 2 dc in each st across, turn. (5 sts) Rows 3 – 41: Ch 2, dc in each st across, turn. (5 sts) Row 42: In BLO, dc in each st across, FO. (5 sts)

#### Joining

In the remaining loops from row 2 and 42

For joining with the background colour of the top left and right corners of the top of the bag (see figure 1.1 or 1.2 depending on which colour you are starting with) Join in the first ch-1 sp after the corner shell, sc in same sp and loop, sc in the next 3 dc and loops, sc in last ch-1 sp and loop, FO. Join in the ch-1 sp before the second shell of third heart granny square, sc in same sp and loop, sc in next 3 dc and loop, SC in next ch-1 sp and loop, FO.



Figure 1.1



Figure 1.2

Rep for other side

Cut 4, 15 in, 2 of each color.

Sk first st insert hook, sk next st, insert into next st pull the 15 in strand of yarn, through both sts and make a bow tie, if you used A to join strap and front use a B strand, and vice versa.