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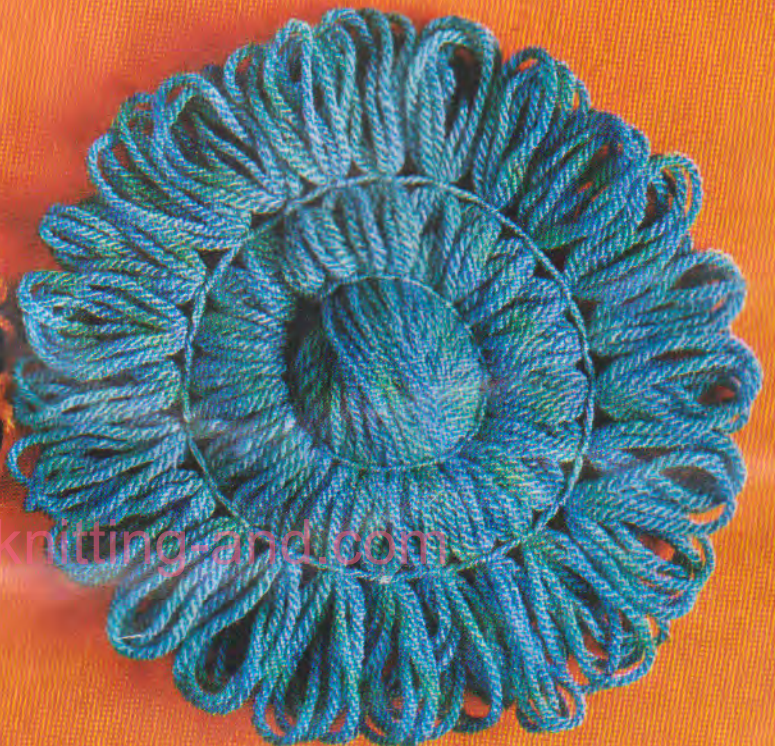
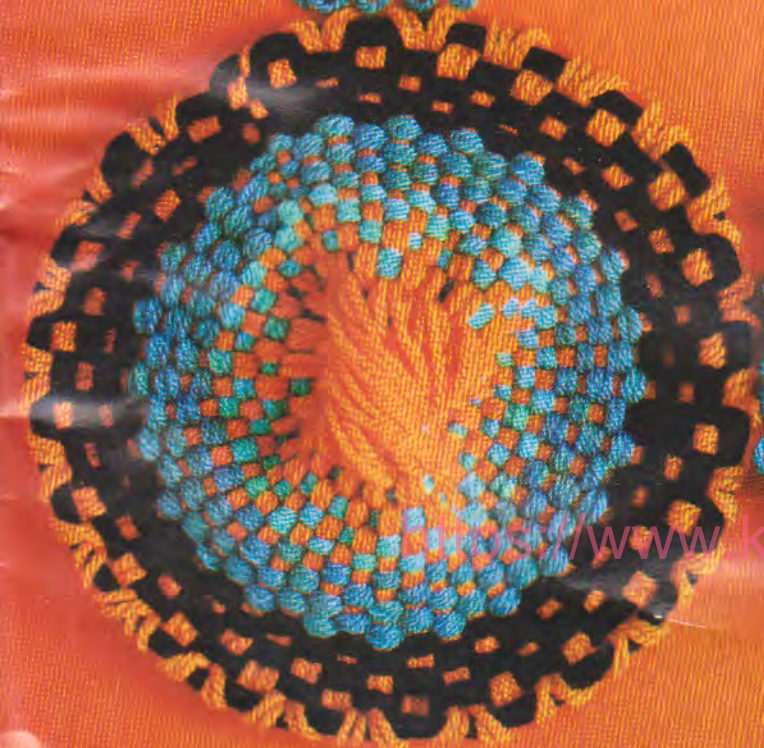
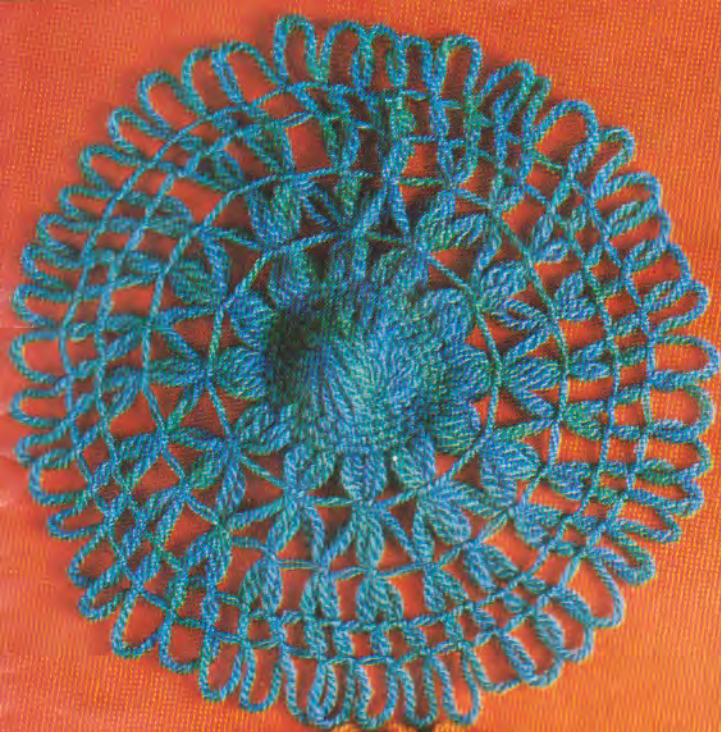
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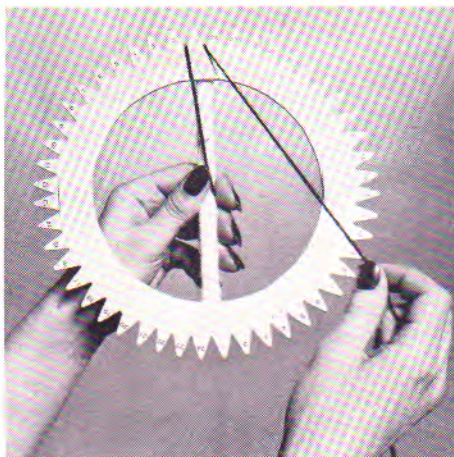
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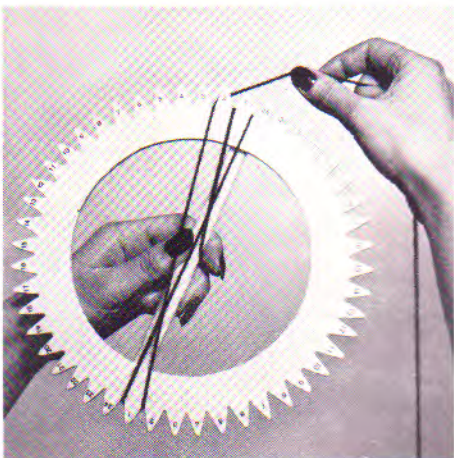
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working instructions

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Attach the beginning of the ball of wool to the centre of the bar beneath the loom and hold firmly in position. Without stretching it, guide the wool up to and from left to right around point 1 which should be at the top of the loom (1).

Take the wool down to the opposite side and place it from left to right around point 1 at the bottom of the loom. Take it up to and around point 2 at the top. The wool lies in the shape of a figure 8 (2).

Take it down to and around the opposite point 2, then up to and around point 3 at the top and down to and around the opposite point 3. Continue in this way around all the points of the loom working in an anti-clockwise direction.

When all the points of the loom have been covered in this way leave a length of wool of about 5 inches and cut. Thread end of wool into a needle and take it through the centre of all the threads to the underside of the loom. Knot beginning and end of wool firmly close to the centre and cut.

This forms the foundation for a motif.

N.B. The wrong side of the motif is facing you while you work on the loom.

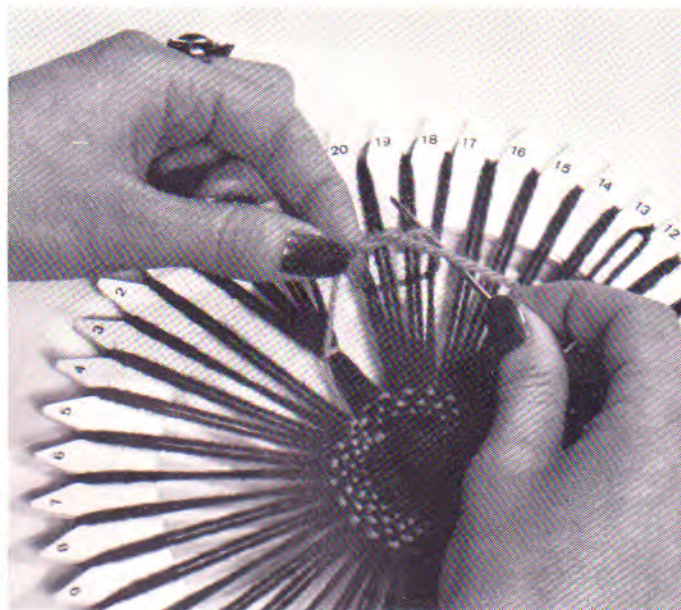
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Two simple stitch-types are used for the designs in the motifs : the knot-stitch and the weaving-stitch.

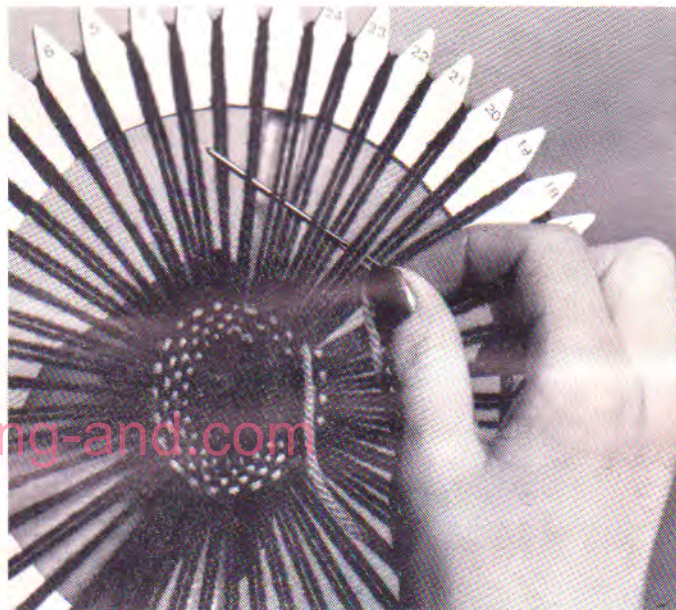
The Knot Stitch

Pass the needle from right to left under the group of threads to be knotted together. Hold the loop with the fingers of the left hand, insert needle through loop and pull yarn to form a tight knot (4 and 5). At the end of round join to first knot to complete round.

The Weaving Stitch

Working from right to left and starting at point 1, pass the needle over and under the threads stretched on the loom until one round of darning stitches has been completed. Unless otherwise stated, work the second round by passing the needle first under then again over and under the threads. Repeat these 2 rows as often as necessary (6).

When the design in a motif has been completed unfasten the centre bar and fold the loom. Slip the loops one by one off the points.



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rug



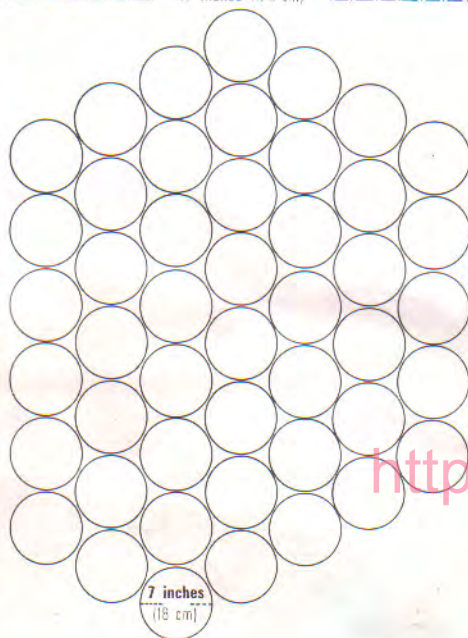
shawl

photograph
on back cover

diagram for shawl



47 inches (120 cm)



Materials :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
17 balls colour 1 (col 1) Bracken
5 balls colour 2 (col 2) Cornflower
10 balls colour 3 (col 3) Aztec
7 balls colour 4 (col 4) Black
1 Fiorella Loom
1 Tapestry needle
1 Crochet hook 4.00 (8).

Stitch Types :

Weaving Stitch.

Measurements :

1 motif = 7 inches in diameter (18 cm).
Size of rug : 47 by 59 inches (120 by 150 cm).

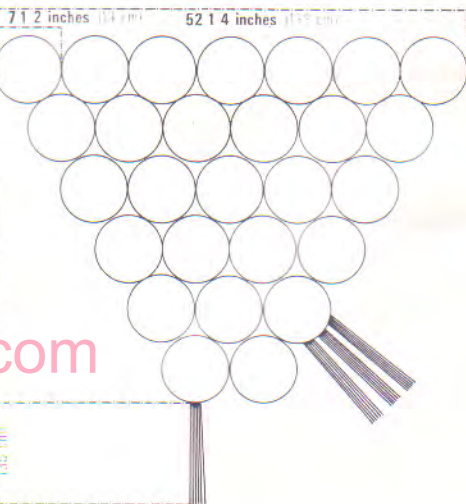
First Motif :

With col 1 cover all points of the loom once. Without cutting the wool, cover all points again. Cut wool, take end of wool through the centre to the underside and knot beginning and end of wool together. Use wool double for the weaving stitch.

Col 2, starting at point 1, work 5 rounds in weaving stitch over and under 2 threads at a time. Cut and sew end of wool to centre of motif on wrong side. Continue with 5 rounds in col 3, 5 rounds in col 4, and finish with 5 rounds in col 5.

Remove the motif from the loom.

Make 47 motifs in all and sew them together as shown in the diagram.



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Materials for shawl :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
12 balls Black
1 Fiorella Loom
1 Tapestry needle
1 Crochet hook 4.00 (8).
The shawl is made up of 27 motifs.

First motif :

Cover all points of the loom once, cut wool, take end through the centre to the underside and knot beginning and end of wool together.

Thread the needle with a 3 1/4 yds (3 mtr) length of wool. Knot the wool to the wrong side of work in the centre. Bring wool to front of work at point 1. Work from right to left.

1st Round : Weave over 2 and under 2 threads to end.

2nd Round : Weave over 1 and under 1 thread, then as 1st round ending with over 2 threads.

3rd Round : Weave under 1 over 1 and under 2 threads, then as 1st round. Repeat last 2 rounds once more.

Bring needle and wool out to wrong side of work and fasten with a few stitches to the centre. Do not cut.

Knotted Stitch :

1st Round : Bring wool and needle to right side of work at point 1. Lay the loom flat and hold wool with the left hand (4). Work in a clockwise direction. Pass the needle at point 21 under the 4 groups of 2 threads and bring it out again at point 1. Hold the wool approximately 5/8 inches (1 1/2 cm) from last weaving row and knot. Pass needle at point 17 under the next 4 groups of 2 threads and bring it out again at point 21. Hold the wool as before and knot. Continue in this way to end of round. Join to first knot.

2nd Round : Bring needle out at point 24, pass at point 22 from right to left under the next 2 groups of 2 threads and bring it out at point 24. Hold the wool approximately 5/8 inches (1 1/2 cm) from last round and knot. Pass needle at point 20 under next 2 groups of threads, bring it out at point 22 and knot. Continue in this way to end of round. Join to first knot.

3rd and 4th Rounds : Bring needle out at point 24, pass at point 23 from right to left under the next group of 2 threads, bring it out at point 24 and knot. Pass needle at point 22 under the next group of 2 threads, bring it out at point 23 and knot. Continue in this way to end. Join at end of each round to first knot of round.

Slip the motif off the loom and sew end of wool to wrong side into centre.

Crochet Edging :

* 1 dc into loop, 1 ch ; repeat from * to end, 1 ss into first dc.

To Make Up :

Arrange motifs as shown in diagram and sew together. Work one row of dc along motifs at top of shawl with 5 ch between motifs. For the fringes cut wool into lengths of 27 1/2 inches (70 cm) and knot 3 lengths at a time around the sides.

shoulder bag and hat

Materials for Shoulder Bag :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
5 balls Main Colour (MC)
2 balls Contrast Colour (CC)
1 Fiorella Loom
1 Crochet Hook No. 4.50 (7)
1 Tapestry needle
Piece of interlining or Vilene 12 by 24 inches
(30 by 60 cm)
Piece of lining 12 by 24 inches (30 by 60 cm)
1 large button.

Stitch Types :

knot-stitch and double crochet (see instructions for bedspread).

First side of Bag :

Make one motif on the loom as for the Hat and slip off loom. With crochet hook, using MC double, attach wool to any loop (of 8 strands of wool) * 1 dc into loop, 2 loose ch ; repeat from * to end, 1 ss into 1st dc. 72 sts.

2nd Round : work loosely * 2 dc into 2 ch space, 1 dc on next dc ; repeat from * to end, ss into first dc.

3rd, 4th and 5th Rounds : 1 dc on each dc of previous rounds.

6th Round : dc, increase by working 2 dc into every 24th dc. 75 sts.

7th Round : dc, increase by working 2 dc into every 18th dc. 79 sts.

Fasten off.

Work second side of bag in the same way.

To Make Up :

Line each side with the interlining. Crochet the two sides together with one row of dc, leaving an opening of about 12 inches (30 cm). Using 4 strands of wool crochet 2 chains in MC and 1 chain in CC, each about 40 inches (1 mtr) long. Plait them loosely together and sew the ends to each side of the opening. Cover a large button with a circle of dc in MC and sew it on one side of bag in the centre of the opening. With 2 strands of wool in MC make a chain about 4 inches (10 cm) long and sew in a loop to the other side. Cut two circles for the lining and sew together leaving an opening as for bag. Stitch lining to inside of bag around the opening.



Materials for the Hat :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
4 balls Main Colour (MC)
1 ball Contrast Colour (CC)
1 Crochet hook 4.50 (7)
1 Fiorella Loom
1 Tapestry needle

Stitch Types :

Same as for Bag and Bedspread

The Motif :

Using CC cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7, etc) 8 times. Cut and knot ends underneath centre.

With 2 strands of CC, work 1st Round of knot-stitches 3/4 inches (2 cm) from centre. Do not cut. Work second round of knot-stitches 3/4 inches (2 cm) from previous round. Slip motif off loom and sew any loose ends to underside of centre.

With crochet hook, using MC double, attach wool to any loop (8 strands of wool) * 1 dc into loop, 1 ch ; repeat from * to end, 1 ss into first dc. 48 sts.

2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Rounds : 1 dc into every dc of previous rounds, increasing evenly by 2 sts in every round. 56 sts.

Continue in dc without further increases until hat measures 12 1/2 inches (32 cm). Fasten off. Fold border back twice for brim.

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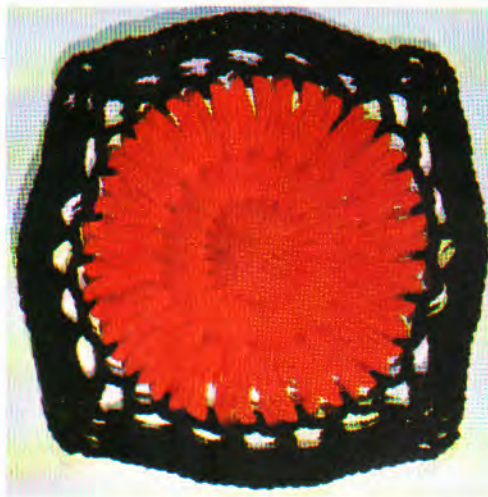
bed
spread

Materials for bedspread :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
20 balls Colour 1 (col 1)
25 balls Colour 2 (col 2)
1 Crochet Hook No. 4.00 (8)
1 Fiorella Loom
1 Tapestry needle.

Stitch Types :

2 rounds of knot-stitch.
Double crochet (dc) : insert hook into 1st of the chain, thread over hook and pull through, thread over hook and pull through both loops on hook ss slip stitch, st. stitch.



Trebles (tr) : Thread over hook, insert hook into 1st of the chain, thread over hook and pull through, thread over hook and pull through 2 loops on hook, thread over hook and pull through remaining 2 loops on hook.

Measurements :

1 Square = 8 1/4 inches (21 cm).
Size approximately 75 inches (189 cm) by 50 inches (126 cm).

The bedspread is made up of 54 squares.

First Motif :

With col 2 cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7, etc) 6 times. Cut and knot ends underneath centre.

Thread the needle with approximately 2 1/4 yds (2 mtr) of col 2, sew end of wool to wrong side of work in centre with a few sts, then bring it out to right side of work at point 1. Lay the loom flat and hold wool with the left hand. Pass the needle at point 23 under 2 groups of 6 threads and bring it out again at point 1. Hold the loop with the left hand insert needle into loop to form a knot about 3/4 inches (2 cm) from the centre. Pass the needle at point 21 under 2 groups of 6 threads and bring it out at point 23. Hold loop as before and form a knot. Continue in this way to end of round.

2nd Round : Bring needle and wool to right side of work at point 2, hold wool with the left hand. Pass the

needle at point 24 under 2 groups of 6 threads and bring it out again at point 2. Hold the loop with the left hand, insert needle into loop to form a knot about 3/4 inches (2 cm) from first round. Pass the needle at point 22 under 2 groups of 6 threads and bring it out again at point 24. Hold loop as before and form a knot. Continue in this way to end of round.

Slip motif off loom and sew all loose ends to wrong side of work in the centre.

Crochet Edging :

Work in col 1.

1st Round : Attach wool to any loop of 6 strands * 1 dc into loop, 4 ch ; repeat from * to end, 1 ss into first dc. 24 ch spaces.

2nd Round : 1 ss into each of next 2 ch * 4 ch, 1 dc into next ch space ; repeat from * to end, 4 ch, 1 dc into 2nd ss at beginning of round.

3rd Round : * (4 dc into next ch space) 4 times, into next ch space 2 tr, 3 ch, 2 tr, into next ch space 4 dc ; repeat from * to end of round, 1 ss into 1st dc.

4th Round : 2 ch * 1 tr into each stitch of previous round up to 3 ch space at corner, into 3 ch space 2 tr, 3 ch, 2 tr ; rep from * to last 6 sts, 1 tr into each st, 1 ss into 2nd ch at beginning of round.

Fasten off.

Make 53 more squares in this way.

To Make Up :

Join squares to form 6 strips of 9 squares each using a flat seam, then join the strips in the same way.

cushion

Materials :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
4 balls Colour 1 (col 1)
5 balls Colour 2 (col 2)
1 Crochet Hook No. 4.00 (8)
1 Fiorella Loom
1 Tapestry Needle
Piece of cotton fabric 18 by 36 inches (45 by 90 cm)
Piece of lining 18 by 36 inches (45 by 90 cm)
Foam Filling.

Size of cushion :

16 1/2 by 16 1/2 inches (42 by 42 cm).

Cushion Pad : 17 by 17 inches (43 by 43 cm).

Each side of the cushion is made up of 4 squares. Make 4 motifs with crochet edging as for bedspread. Make 4 motifs as for bedspread with centre in col 1 and edging in col 2.

To Make Up :

For each side of cushion-cover sew 4 squares together and stitch lining to inside. Sew outer edges together, leaving one side open. Machine-sew pad-cover of cotton, stuff and sew shut up pad. Insert pad into cover and sew last side of cushion-cover.



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pin-cushion and sewing -case

Materials for Sewing-Case :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
 1 ball white
 1 ball red
 a few yards
 Cardboard 6 1/2 by 12 1/2 inches (16 by 32 cm)
 Piece of red felt 6 by 47 inches (15 by 120 cm)
 Small piece yellow felt.
 1 Fiorella Loom
 1 Tapestry needle
 Pins, needles, thread, thimble etc.

Stitch Types :

3 rounds of knot-stitch (see " Butterfly ").

The Motif :

With white, cover all points of the loom twice. Cut and knot ends underneath the centre.

With red, work 3 rounds of knot-stitch, the first round 1 inch (2 1/2 cm) from centre, the second 3/4 inches (2 cm) from 1st round, and the third 3/8 inches (1 cm) from second round.

To Make Up :

From the red felt cut : 3 circles 5 7/8 inches (15 cm) in diameter, 4 circles 5 1/4 inches (13 1/2 cm) in diameter, and 1 strip 1 1/8 inches by 5 1/2 inches (3 cm by 14 cm).

From the yellow felt cut : 2 circles 2 3/8 inches (6 cm) in diameter. Cut 2 cardboard circles 5 7/8 inches (15 cm) in diameter.

Make 2 lengths of twisted cord of 8 inches (20 cm) each. For the base of the sewing-case, place 1 cardboard circle between 2 larger red felt-circles and stitch together round the outer edge. Attach one of the cords to outside.

Sew the strip of felt to one of the smaller red circles to hold thread, thimble etc. Back this with another red circle and stitch all round.

Sew the two yellow circles for needles, pins etc. to the centre of another smaller red circle, back with another red circle of the same size and stitch all round.

Place cardboard between the last larger red circle and the motif and stitch together. Attach second cord to outside.

Place these 4 circles on top of one another and sew them together at one point opposite the cords.

Materials for Mushroom (Pin-cushion) :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
 1 ball white
 1 ball red
 Cardboard 2 1/2 by 4 inches (6 by 10 cm) dark green felt to cover cardboard
 1 Fiorella loom
 1 Tapestry Needle
 2 knitting needles no. 11
 Cottonwool and Adhesive.

Stitch Types :

Knot stitch (see Bedsread).

Stocking Stitch = Knit one row, Purl one row.

The Motif (Top of Mushroom) :

With red, cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7 etc) 6 times. Cut and knot underneath centre. With white, work 3 rounds of knot-stitch, the first round 1 inch (2 1/2 cm) from the centre, the second round 3/4 inches (2 cm) from the first round, and the third round on the reverse side of the loom as third round of " Flower ". Slip motif off loom.

Stem of Mushroom :

With white and no. 11 needles cast on 40 stitches and work in stocking-stitch until strip measures 4 inches (10 cm). Cast off.

To Make Up :

Glue felt to cardboard. Sew sides of knitted strip together to form a tube. Gather cast-on edge and tie. Stuff with cottonwool, then gather cast-off edge and tie. Glue base of stem to cardboard. Sew the motif to top of stem.



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flower

Materials :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
 1 ball yellow
 Cardboard 13 by 16 inches (33 by 41 cm)
 Piece of green felt 16 by 20 inches (40 by 50 cm)
 Yellow and dark green felt.
 1 Picture-ring for hanging
 1 Fiorella Loom
 1 Tapestry needle
 Adhesive.

Stitch Types :

Knot-stitch.

The Motif :

Cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7 etc) 4 times. Cut and knot ends of wool underneath centre.

Thread needle with approximately 40 inches (1 mtr) of wool.

1st Round : Work knot-stitch 1 inch (2.5 cm) from centre.

2nd Round : Turn loom so that wrong side is facing, work knot-stitch through each group of 4 threads at points. Slip motif off loom.

To Make Up :

Glue felt to cardboard and around all sides to back. Cut a strip 2 by 8 inches (5 by 20 cm) for the stem and 5 leaves from the dark green felt (see photograph). From the yellow felt cut out 13 circles 2 1/8 inches (5 cm) in diameter. Glue the stem and leaves to the background, then glue on the motif (flower-centre) 2 3/8 inches (6 cm) from the top of the picture as shown. Glue the yellow circle for petals evenly around the motif.

Attach picture ring to back at the top.



mobile (using oddments of wool)

Materials :

Approximately 1/2 oz (15 grm) each of the following colours : Geranium — White — Bracken — Cornflower — Willow — Gorse — Heather — Rambler — Aztec — Bark

— Black — White

7 Cardboard strips 5/8 by 17 3/4 inches (1 1/2 by 45 cm)

Nylon thread and drawing pins

2 square wooden rods 20 inches (50 cm) long.

1 screw ring.

Stitch Type :

Knot-Stitch.

Motif :

Cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7 etc) 4 times. Cut wool and knot ends underneath the centre.

Work 2 rounds of knot-stitch as given for Bedsread. Slip off loom.

Make 14 motifs in different colours.

How to Assemble :

Join the rods to form a cross. Bend the cardboard strips and make 7 rings. Cover each ring with 2 motifs of different colours by knot-stitching the loop at the outer edges of 2 motifs together.

Cut different lengths of nylon thread, attach to each cardboard-ring pinning the other end of the threads with drawing pins to the underside of the rod. Screw ring to centre of rods.

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Sun

Materials :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
 1 ball yellow
 Cardboard 12 1/4 by 16 1/4 inches (31 by 41 cm)
 Piece of turquoise felt 16 by 20 inches (40 by 50 cm)
 Small pieces yellow and red felt
 1 picture-ring for hanging
 1 Fiorella Loom
 1 Tapestry needle
 Adhesive

Stitch Type :

Knot-Stitch (see Bedspread).

Motif :

Cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7 etc) 4 times. Cut wool and knot ends underneath the centre.

Thread needle with 40 inches (1 mtr) of wool.

1st Round : knot-stitch 1 inch (2 1/2 cm) from centre.

2nd Round : knot-stitch 1 3/4 inches (4 1/2 cm) from 1st round.

Slip off loom.

To Make Up :

Glue turquoise felt to the cardboard and the motif (sun) into the centre. Cut out 10 yellow and 10 red flames and arrange them around the sun as shown in the photograph.



Materials :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
 2 balls Geranium
 2 balls Bracken
 1 ball Rose
 A little yellow wool and 1 large button (black)
 Piece of turquoise felt 20 by 25 1/2 inches (50 by 65 cm)
 Small amount of green felt
 Cardboard 17 by 20 1/2 inches (43 by 52 cm)
 1 picture ring for hanging
 Large tube of Adhesive
 1 Fiorella Loom
 1 Tapestry Needle

Stitch Type :

Knot-stitch.

Motif :

Cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7 etc) 4 times. Cut wool and knot underneath the centre.

Continue for 5 Bracken motifs :

Work 2 rounds in knot-stitch as for Bedspread. Slip off loom.

Continue for 4 Geranium and 2 Rose motifs :

As Bracken motifs, but do not slip off loom. Work another round following instructions for 2nd round of "Flower".

To Make Up :

Glue the turquoise felt to the cardboard, cut the outer loops of 2 Bracken motifs for the dorsal fins and glue them down near the top of the picture, overlapping slightly (see photograph). Cut the third orange motif for the belly fin and the fourth for the tail. Glue them in position. Glue down the light- and dark-red motifs, overlapping each other, to form the body. Cut the outer loops of the fifth Bracken motif to form the oval head of the fish and glue down. Embroider a yellow eye and sew on the button.

Cut out some seaweed-shapes from the green felt and glue them to the lower part of the picture.



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butterfly

Materials :

Afghan wool : 25 g ball
 2 balls Yellow
 Cardboard 17 by 21 1/2 inches (43 by 52 cm)
 Piece of sky blue felt 12 by 25 1/2 inches (30 by 65 cm)
 Piece of royal blue felt 10 by 25 1/2 inches (25 by 65 cm)
 Piece of orange felt 16 by 20 inches (50 by 40 cm)
 Pieces of red and dark-blue felt 4 by 12 inches (10 by 30 cm) each
 1 Picture hanging ring
 1 Large tube Adhesive
 1 Fiorella Loom
 1 Tapestry Needle

Stitch Type :

Knot-Stitch (see Bedspread).

Motif :

Cover only the points with uneven numbers (1, 3, 5, 7 etc) 4 times.

1st Round : work knot-stitch 3/4 inches (2 cm) from centre.

2nd Round : work knot-stitch 5/8 inches (1 1/2 cm) from 1st round.

3rd Round : Bring out needle at point 1. Pass needle at point 23 under 2 groups of 4 threads each and bring it out again at point 1, make a knot 5/8 inches (1 1/2 cm) from 2nd round. Pass needle at point 21 under the next group of 4 threads each and bring it out again at point 23, make a knot. Continue in this way to end of round.

4th Round : Bring out needle at point 24. Pass needle at point 22 under 2 groups of 4 threads each and bring it out again at point 24. Make a knot 3/8 inches (1 cm) from 3rd round. Pass needle at point 20 under next 2 groups of 4 threads each and bring it out again at point 22, make a knot. Continue in this way to end of round.

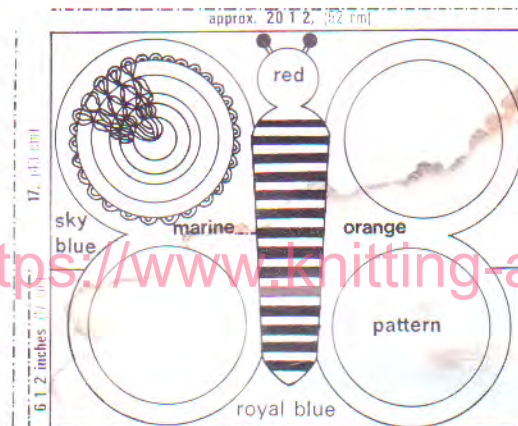
Slip motif off the loom. Make 3 more motifs.

To Make Up :

Glue sky- and royal blue felt to cardboard as shown in diagram. Following the diagram, cut out the following shapes in felt : wings in orange ; body, head and antennae in red ; stripes approximately 3/8 inches (1 cm) wide and 2 small circles in dark blue.

Glue down the wings, place the body into the centre and glue down, then glue the stripes on the body and one small blue circle on each antenna.

Glue the 4 motifs on the wings, 2 on each side.



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