

Little Popcorn Square

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Use any yarn; the weight of your yarn will determine the size of your square. My square with worsted weight and an I hook came out to about 4 inches across.

Notes:

Work over the ring on round 1 so that you can tighten the ring.

Popcorn = dc 4, take hook out of loop, insert in first dc and then back in loop, pull loop through first dc

Ch 8, ss to join



Round 1: ch 3, dc 3 into the ring, put hook into the top of the ch 3, then put back into the working loop, pull loop through (first popcorn made), ch 2, [popcorn, ch 2], repeat brackets until you have 8 popcorns, after last ch 2, ss in first popcorn, fasten off.

Round 2: join new color in any ch 2 space, ch 3, dc 3 into the space, put hook into the top of the ch 3, then put back into the working loop, pull loop through (first popcorn made), ch 2, popcorn in same space, ch 2, [(popcorn, ch 2) twice in next space] , repeat brackets until you have 16 popcorns, after last ch 2, ss in first popcorn, fasten off

Round 3: join new color in any ch 2 space, ch 1, (3 sc) in same space, [sc in popcorn, (2 sc, 1 hdc) in sp, dc in popcorn, (3 dc) in sp, dc in popcorn, (hdc, 2 sc) in sp, sc in popcorn, (3 sc) in sp], repeat brackets around, ending with the sc in popcorn, ss in first sc, fasten off.