CROCHETED BALL

Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"STAR" BLEND YARN, Article 75
1 skein National Blue
1 skein White
Kapok for filling
Steel crochet hook No. 0

With White ch 45, sl st in 2nd st from hook, 1 sl st in each of the next 5 sts of ch, 1 sc in each of the next 32 sts of ch, 1 sl st in each of the remaining 6 sts, ch 1, turn.

Next Row: Working in back loop of sts throughout, sl st in each of the next 6 sts, 1 sc in each of the next 32 sc, 1 sl st in each of the remaining 6 sts, drop White. With National Blue ch 1, turn and repeat last 2 rows, alternating colors until there are 46 stripes.

Sew ball together.

CIRCLE: With National Blue ch 4, join to form a ring, ch 1 and work 6 sc in ring, join.

Next Round: Ch 1, working through both loops of sts, 2 sc in each sc, join, drop Blue.

Next 2 Rounds: With White, ch 1, * 2 sc in next sc, 1 sc in next sc, repeat from * all around, cut White.

Next Round: With National Blue, work 1 sc in each sc, join, cut yarn. Work another circle. Gather one end of ball to fit circle, sew in position. Fill with foam rubber or kapok and finish opposite end to correspond.
COWBOY BOOTIES

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Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"DAWN" BABY YARN
or
"DAWN" INFANTS WOOL
1 Ball White or color desired and
"STAR" PEARL COTTON, Article 90
1 Ball Blue

Steel crochet hook No. 2

SOLES: With White ch 18, 2 s d c in 3rd st from hook
(s d c: yarn over hook, insert in st, pull loop through, yarn
over and work off all loops at one time), 1 s d c in each
of the next 14 sts of ch, 6 s d c in end st of ch, working
on other side of ch, work 1 s d c in each of next 14 sts,
3 s d c in same space with 1st 3 s d c, join in 1st s d c.

2nd Row: Ch 2 (counts as 1 s d c), s d c in same space,
2 s d c in next st, 1 s d c in next st, 2 s d c in next st,
1 s d c in each of the next 14 sts, 2 s d c in next st, 1 s d c
in st, 2 s d c in each of the next 2 sts, 1 s d c in next
st, 2 s d c in next st, 1 s d c in each of the next 14
sts, 2 s d c in next st, 1 s d c in next st, join.

3rd Row: Ch 1, s d c in each of next 6 sts, skip
1st st, s d c in each of next 10 sts, skip next st, sl st in
next st, join.

4th Row: Ch 2, 1 s d c in each of next 6 sts, join.

5th Row: Ch 1, working in back loop of sts only, 1 d c in
each st, join.

6th Row: Ch 3, working through both loops, 1 d c in
each st, join, cut yarn.

INSTEP: Fold work in half and mark center st for toe.
At back yarn in center st from center 3 toe, ch 2 (counts as
1 s d c), 1 s d c in each of next 10 sts, join.

Next Row: Skip the sl st, 1 s d c in each of next 10 sts,
skip 1 st, sl st in next st, ch 2, turn. Repeat last 8 rows
5 times, cut yarn.

TOP OF BOOTS—BASE ROW: Attach yarn in center back
st, ch 3 (counts as 1 d c), 1 d c in each of next 14 sts,
1 s c in each of next 11 sts of instep, 1 d c in each
remaining st (41 sts), join.

1st Row: Ch 1, 1 d c in 3rd st from hook, 1 d c in each
remaining st of ch, skip 1 st of base row, sl st in each
of the next 3 sts, turn.

2nd Row: Working in back loop of st, work 1 d c in each st to
within last 2 sts, 2 d c in next st, 1 d c in
next st, ch 1, turn.

3rd Row: D c in next st, 1 d c in each remaining d c,
skip next st of base row, sl st in each of next 3 sts, turn.
Repeat 2nd row once (16 sts).

Work 1 row even.

6th Row: 1 d c in each st to within last 3 sts of row,
decrease in next 2 sts to decrease * yarn over hook, insert
in next st, pull through and work off 2 loops, repeat from
once, yarn over and pull through all loops at one time,
1 d c in last st, ch 3, turn.

7th Row: Decrease in next 2 sts, 1 d c in each remaining
st, skip next st of base row, sl st in each of next 3 sts,
turn. Repeat last 2 rows until 12 sts remain. Work 2 rows
even. Work other side to correspond. Saw back seam. With
Blue work a row of 3 c s all around top of bootie.

SPUR LEATHER: With Blue ch 46, 1 s d c in 3rd st from
hook, 1 s d c in each of next 15 sts of ch, 1 d c in each
of the next 12 sts, 1 s d c in each remaining st of ch,
1 s c in side of st formed and work on opposite side of
st. Work 1 s c in each of next 16 sts, 1 s d c in each
of the next 12 sts, 1 s c in each remaining st, cut thread.

ROWEL: With Blue ch 6, join to form a ring, ch 3, 3 d c
in ring, ch 3, sl st in top of d c just made for picot,
4 d c in ring, picot, repeat from * 3 times, join in 3rd st
of ch, cut thread.

FINISHING: Tack Spur Leather to bootie across front of
instep. Join ends at back seams and fasten. Tack Rowel to
joining of Spur Leather ends.

HAT

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Materials Required: AMERICAN THREAD COMPANY
"DAWN" KNITTING WORSTED
1 oz. White
1 oz. each Scarlet, Amber, National Blue and Golf Green

Plastic crochet hook No. 5

Gauge: 4 s c = 1 inch.

Side Section: With White ch 2, 8 s c in 2nd st from hook,
join in 1st s c.

2nd Round: Ch 1 and work 2 s c in each s c, join.

3rd Round: Working in s c, increase 1 st in every other
st, drop White.

When changing color always complete last half of st with
next color.

4th Round: Attach Green, increase in every 3rd s c, join,
cut Green.

5th Round: With White, increase in every 4th s c, join,
drop White.

6th Round: Attach Amber, increase in every 5th s c, join,
cut Amber.

7th Round: Attach Blue, 1 s c in each s c, join, cut Blue.

8th Round: Attach Scarlet, increase in every 6th s c, join,
cut Scarlet.

9th Round: With White, increase in every 14th st, join,
cut White (60 s c).

Work another section in same manner.

Center Section: With Green, ch 34, s c in 2nd st from hook,
1 s c in each remaining st of ch (right side of work),
ch 1, turn.

2nd Row: 2 s c in 1st s c (front of center section), 1 s c in
each remaining s c, cut Green.

3rd Row: Attach Scarlet, 1 s c in each s c, ch 1, turn.

4th Row: Work same as 2nd row, cut Scarlet.

5th to 10th Rows: Attach White and work even in s c,
cut White.

11th Row: Attach Blue, 1 s c in each s c, ch 1, turn.

12th Row: S c in 1st s c, skip next s c, s c in next 2 s c
(a decrease), 1 s c in each remaining s c, cut Blue.

13th and 14th Rows: Attach Amber and work same as 11th
and 12th rows. With right side of work toward you, attach
White in 1st s c of long side, s c in same space, 1 s c in
each s c across side, 3 s c in corner, 1 s c in base of end
st of each row across short side, 3 s c in corner, work other
2 sides to correspond, join, cut White. With wrong sides
facing, working through both sections, attach Green at
lower edge of back section, work a row of s c along edge of
both sections, 1 s c in each remaining s c of side section,
join, cut yarn. Crochet other side section to center section
in same manner.

Tassel: Cut 2 — 4 inch strands each of Blue, Scarlet,
Amber and Green, tie in center, fold in half and tie about
1/4 inch from top, trim ends. Using 2 strands of White,
crochet a ch about 10 inches long, cut yarn and sew to side
of Hat. Attach tassel to other end of ch. Work another ch
and tassel in same manner and sew to opposite side of Hat.