

# Alphabet Pillow Blocks

## Letter "X"

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A Woven and Spun Creation



\*this letter was stitched together without flipping right side out\*

### Materials

Worsted Weight Yarn

Size I Crochet hook ( a smaller hook will produce a tighter stitch and smaller letter)

Polyester Fiber Fill

Stitch Markers

Special Stitch Information: Double Foundation Chain - - chain 2, work one single crochet in the first chain made. Insert the hook under the left-handed thread of the last single crochet made, work another single crochet. Repeat step 2 as required. (this stitch will be done later in the project)

This letter is worked from the bottom up in 4 sections.

Make 2

### Section 1

You will be working the first part of the x stem from bottom up

Ch 20

Row 1 sc in first ch from hook and in each ch to end ch 1, turn throughout (19 sc)

Row 2 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. 2 sc in last 2 sc (22 sc )

Row 3 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (24 sc )

Row 4 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc )  
Row 5 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (28 sc )  
Row 6-8 sc in each sc to end (28 sc)  
Row 9 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to end. (27 sc)  
Row 10 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc. (25 sc)  
Row 11 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 3 sc. dec over last 3 sc (22 sc)  
Row 12 Dec over first 3 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (19 sc)  
Row 13 sc in each sc to last 3 sc. dec over last 3 sc (17 sc)  
Row 14 dec over first 3 sc. sc in each to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (16 sc)  
Row 15 sc in each sc to last 3 sc. dec over last 3 sc (14 sc)  
Row 16 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (14 sc)  
Row 17 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (14 sc)  
Row 18 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc. (14 sc)  
Row 19 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (13 sc)  
Row 20 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (13 sc)  
Row 21 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (13 sc)  
Row 22 sc in each sc across to last stitch. Special stitch for 27 stitches (40 sc)  
Place a marker in the last sc on Row 22

## Section 2

You will now be working down the opposite side of the Foundation Row just made

Row 1 sc in next 26 stitches (26 sc)  
Row 2 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc)  
Row 3 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (26 sc)  
Row 4 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (27 sc)  
Row 5 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc. (27 sc)  
Row 6 dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to end (26 sc)  
Row 7 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (26 sc)  
Row 8 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (27 sc)  
Row 9 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. dec over last 2 sc (27 sc)  
Row 10 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. 2 sc in last 2 sc (29 sc)  
Row 11 2 sc in first sc. sc each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc. (31 sc)  
Row 12 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (32 sc)  
Row 13 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (33 sc)  
Row 14 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to end (34 sc)  
Row 15-17 sc in each sc across (34 sc)  
Row 18 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (32 sc)  
Row 19 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (30 sc)  
Row 20 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 3 sc. Dec over last 3 sc (27 sc)  
Row 21 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (25 sc)  
Finish off

### Section 3

Return to marked stitch

You will now continue working up the letter at row 22

Row 23 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (38 sc)

Row 24 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (36 sc)

Row 25 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (34 sc)

Row 26 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (32 sc)

Row 27 sc in each sc across (32 sc)

Row 28 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (30 sc)

Row 29 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (28 sc)

Row 30 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (27 sc)

Row 31 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (26 sc)

Row 32 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (26 sc)

Row 33 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc)

Row 34 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc across (27 sc)

Row 35 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc across (26 sc)

Row 36 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (26 sc)

Row 37 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc across to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc)

Row 38 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc across (27 sc)

Row 39 sc in each sc across (27 sc)

Row 40 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc across (28 sc)

Row 41 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (30 sc)

Row 42 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (32 sc)

Row 43 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc across (33 sc)

Row 44 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (35 sc)

Row 45 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (37 sc)

Row 46 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc across (38 sc)

PM in first stitch of row 46

Row 47 2 sc in first sc. sc in next 10 sc (12 sc)

Row 48 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (12 sc)

Row 49 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (12 sc)

Row 50 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (13 sc)

Row 51 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (13 sc)

Row 52 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (13 sc)

Row 53 2 sc in first 2 sc. sc in each sc across (15 sc)

Row 54 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc across. Special Stitch for 6 stitches (22 sc)

Row 55 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (24 sc)

Row 56 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc)

Row 57 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (27 sc)

Row 58-59 sc in each sc across (27 sc)

Row 60 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (25 sc)

Row 61 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (23 sc)

Row 62 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (21 sc)

Row 63 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 3 sc. Dec over last 3 sc (18 sc)

Finish off

Return to stitch marker placed on row 46

Section 4

Row 47 sc in first sc and in next 25 sc (26 sc)

Row 48 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc)

Row 49 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (26 sc)

Row 50 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (26 sc)

Row 51 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to end (27 sc)

Row 52 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. 2 sc in last 2 sc (28 sc)

Row 53 3 sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc. sc in each sc across (31 sc)

Row 54 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (33 sc)

Row 55 2 sc in first sc. sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (35 sc)

Row 56 sc in each sc across (35 sc)

Row 57 sc in each sc to last sc. 2 sc in last sc (36 sc)

Row 58 sc in each sc across. (36 sc)

Row 59 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc across (35 sc)

Row 60 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (33 sc)

Row 61 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (31 sc)

Row 62 Dec over first 2 sc. sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Dec over last 2 sc (29 sc)

Row 63 Dec over first 3 sc. sc in each sc to last 3 sc. Dec over last 3 sc (25 sc)

Finish off

Instructions for an "invisible seam"

When done with both letters, lay one on top of the other. You will be working the "wrong sides" so if you want one color for the front and a different one for the back, place the back color on top of the front color. Slip stitch or whip stitch around. Leave a small opening to stuff fiberfill. Stuff firmly. Close opening.

For the seam shown above,

Lay x's on top of each other and slip stitch around leaving a small opening for the stuffing. Once firmly stuffed, close opening.

Enjoy.