1001 Nights

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ABBREVIATIONS

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It took us a while to prepare this pattern, so we are asking you to tag our page when you're sharing work you've made based on this squares.

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Help with translation: **Amanda**

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Links

- Blanket planner: www.sishomemade.pl/blanket-planner

- Videotutorial - Blanket planner: www.yt.sishomemade.pl/blanket-planner

- Videotutorial - how to join blanket elements: www.yt.sishomemade.pl/blanket-joining

Abbreviations - squares (US terms)

🟥	magic ring	🟦• 🟪•	front post treble crochet (Fptr) - made 2 rows below
⬜	repeat	V	2 front post treble crochet togehter (Fptr2tog)
⬜⬛	single crochet (sc) - made one row below into the back loop	—	line indicating into which stitch we are making the diagonal treble crochets or front post treble crochets
X	double crochet (dc) - made 2 rows below into the front loop	+	half double crochet (hdc) - always worked one row below into the third loop
X	diagonal double crochet - made 2 rows below into the front loop	X	2 or 5 double crochets made in the same loop 2 rows below on the corner or in the stitch marked with the symbol ↓
XX	treble crochet (tr) - made 2 rows below into the front loop	X̲	if you make more than 1 double crochet in one loop, the X's are underlined

Abbreviations - Triangles (US terms)

■ (red)	magic ring	· (blue)	back/front post treble crochet - made 2 rows below front post on the right side (Fptr) back post on the wrong side (Bptr)
▭ (white/grey)	single crochet (sc) - done one row below on the right side into the back loop on the wrong side into the front loop	V (blue)	2 treble crochets/ back or front post treble crochet togehter front post on the right side back post on the wrong side
+	half double crochet (hdc) - always worked one row below into the third loop	└	line indicating which stitch we are making the diagonal treble crochets/back or front post treble crochets
WS	wrong side	RS	right side
X	double crochet (dc) - made 2 rows below on the right side into the front loop on the wrong side into the back loop	X (yellow)	double crochets (2 or 5) made in the same loop 2 rows below on the corner or in the stitch marked with the symbol ↓
X (blue)	diagonal double crochet - made 2 rows below on the right side into the front loop on the wrong side into the back loop	X (green)	double crochets made in the same loop 2 rows below on the edge
XX (blue)	treble crochet (tr) - made 2 rows below on the right side into the front loop on the wrong side into the back loop	X̲	if you make more than 1 double crochet in one loop, the X's are underlined

Abbreviations - Corner (US terms)

+	single crochet (sc) - done one row below on the right side in the back loop on the wrong side in the front loop	⊤ (treble)	treble crochet - done 2 rows below on the right side in the front loop on the wrong side in the back loop
⊤ (double)	double crochet (dc) - always work 2 rows below on the right side in the front loop on the wrong side in the back loop	(front post treble)	front post treble crochet - always work 2 rows below on the stitch indicated by a dot
8	2 chain stitches	(back post treble)	back post treble crochet - 2 rows below on the stitch indicated by a dot
●	a dot indicating connected stitches	(2 front post treble)	2 front post treble crochets together
A	2 double crochets together	(2 back post treble)	2 back post treble crochets together
A (triple)	3 double crochets together		

Front loop:

Back loop:

Third loop:

+ - half double crochet is easier to do if you first insert the hook into the back and third loops and stretch them a little. If you don't want to do half double crochets into the third loop (1), you can replace them with single crochets into the back loop (2).
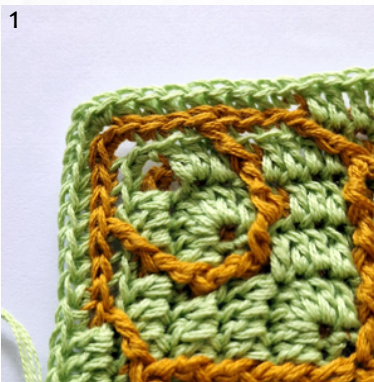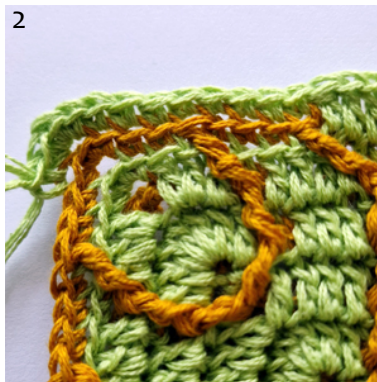
· - front post treble crochet on right side (1), back post on wrong side (2):
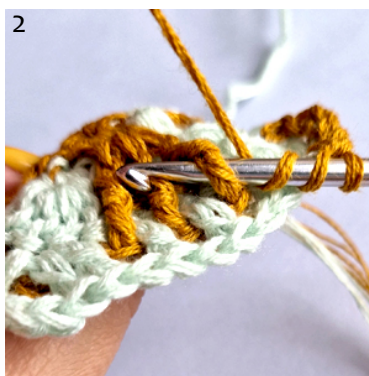
V - 2 stitches together are 2 front/back post treble crochets together by default. If in some square it is different and we combine double crochet and front/back post double or treble crochet, an additional note is placed next to the diagram. If you are doing front/back post treble crochet on this stitch in next rows, insert the hook behind both parts of it.

Sewing

Before you start, choose how to join the elements! It depends on which row you finish the square and how you will make the corners of our blanket.

1. Sewing with a needle - make each element up to row 22.

Start sewing from half double crochet at the corner. Fold the squares as in the picture below. Insert the needle into the middle loop from the bottom on the first square, then from the top on the second.

Go back to the first square and insert the needle into the same loop as in the photo below. Pull the thread through and do the same in the other square.

Tighten the thread slightly every few loops.
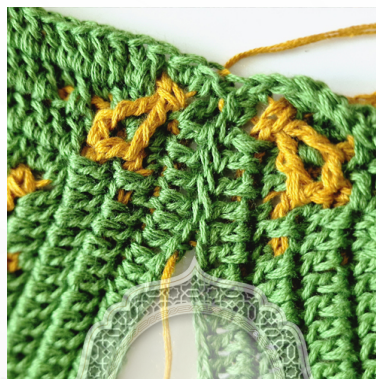
2. Sewing with slip stitches or single crochets (extra seam visible) - make each element up to row 22.

Make a loop on the crochet hook and insert it into the half double crochet at the corner of the first square. Put the thread between the edges and insert the hook into half double crochet at the corner of the second square.

Yarn over and pull through 3 loops on the crochet hook if you are joining the squares with slip stitches. If you prefer single crochet: (yarn over and pull through 2 loops on the hook) *2. Then insert crochet hook into the next loop in the first square and grab the yarn, insert crochet hook into the next loop in the second square and grab the yarn. Yarn over and pull through 3 loops if you're doing slip stitch or 2 times 2 loops if you're doing single crochet.

Squares joined together by single crochets.   Squares joined together by slip stitches.
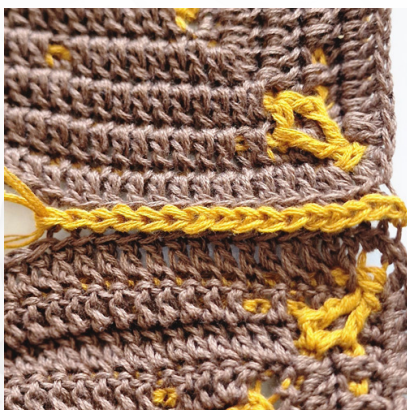
3. Joining the next element when making the last row

Start with the square in the upper right corner and work it all the way to the end. (R. 1 - 22). Then make a corner on it and go to to the next element - see the diagram below:
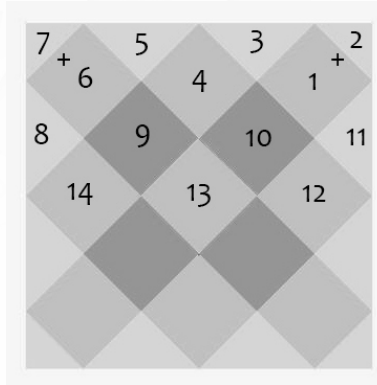
Work row 22 in each piece of blanket leaving one full side unworked.

ATTENTION! - The exceptions are The Thieves of Baghdad (can be rotated horizontally or vertically). In these squares, before joining, check which side of the square they should be turned and leave this one unworked. After joining the elements, complete the row according to the diagram.

Start joining at the corner. Make another square/triangle up to 1 half double crochet at the corner. Assemble the elements as in the picture below.

Make the next half double crochet halfway (3 loops on the hook). Put the yarn between the edges and insert the hook into the back or front loop of the middle half double crochet on the previous element. Yarn over and pull through the 4 loops on the hook.

Do the same with the third half double crochet, connecting it to the third half double crochet from the previous piece of the blanket. Then go to double crochets. Skip 1 loop and make a double crochet in the next stitch. Put the yarn between the edges, yarn over and pull it through the 3 loops on the hook. In this way, join the edge up to the half double crochet on the corner. Finish the row as shown in the pattern and cut the yarn.

The picture below shows the difference: 1 - hook inserted into the back loop, 2 - into the front loop.
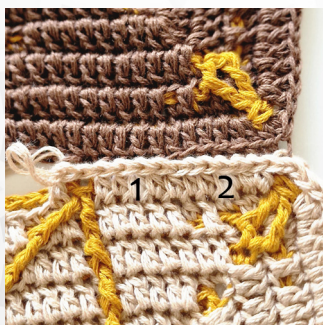
Corner types:

3 sc in the same corner loop one row below
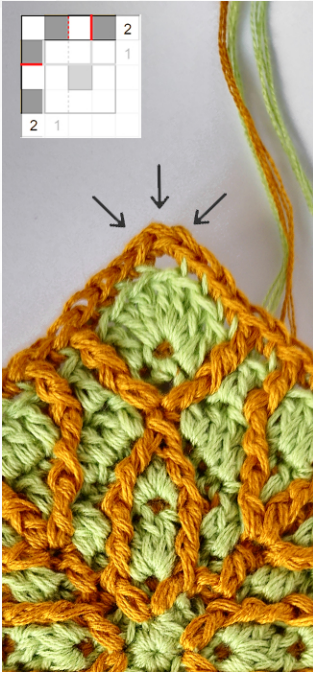
3 hdc in the same corner loop one row below
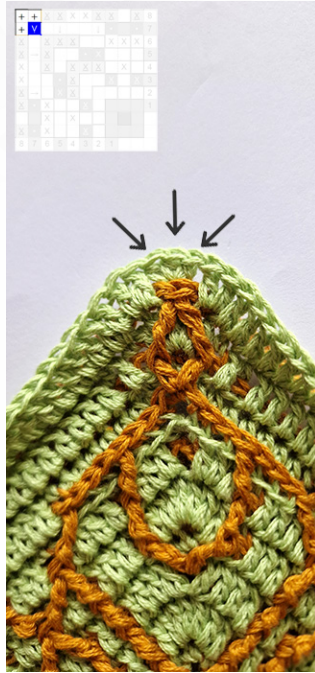
5 dc in the same corner loop two rows below (skip 3 sts)

1 sc in the corner loop one row below,
1 Fptr2tog onto double crochets 2 rows below,
1 sc in the same corner loop one row below

1 dc in the corner loop two rows below, 3 sc in 1 corner loop one row below, 1 dc in the corner loop two rows below
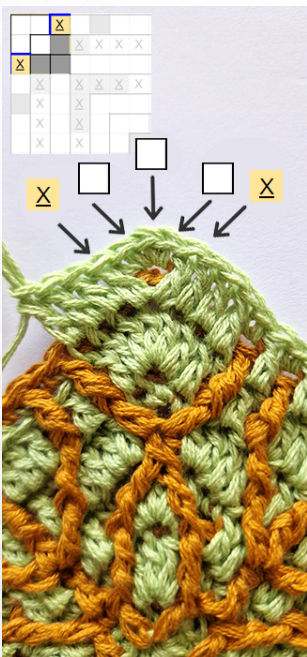
3 dc in the same corner loop two rows below (skip 1 st)
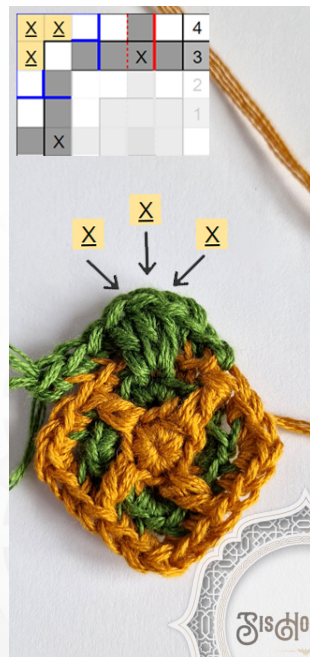
1 sc in the corner loop one row below, 1 dc into the corner two rows below, 1 sc in the corner loop one row below

Squares:

- Only do the right side start from the center of the square.

- Count each grid as 1 stitch.

- The part between the bold red lines is repeated twice in Thief of Baghdad or four times in the other squares.

- Odd rows (1,3,5...etc.) marked in gray in the diagram are motif/ornament.

- The even rows (2,4,6... etc.) marked in white in the diagram are the background.

- The exceptions are the following squares: Cave of Wonders and Scheherazade - in these squares we make rows 1 and 2 in the background color and only from row 3 we start to change colors.

- The beginning of the row is the stitch between the bold red line and the red dashed line.

- The first row is always 8 single crochets in a magic ring (preferably double) and closed with a special slip stitch.

- Start each row with 1 chain stitch.

If in the diagram the first stitch is single crochet (e.g. as in rows 1-3 below), then the chain stitch is counted as the first single crochet.

If in the diagram the first stitch is double crochet (e.g. as in rows 4 and 6 below) or front post treble crochet, make a chain stitch and additionally double crochet/front post treble crochet.

Finish each row with a special slip stitch. If the row started with a chain stitch counted as a single crochet, skip the chain stitch and make a slip stitch by inserting the crochet hook in the next stitch.

If the row started with a chain stitch plus a double crochet/front post treble crochet, in addition to the chain stitch, skip the double crochet or front post treble crochet and make a slip stitch by inserting the crochet hook in the next stitch.

Special slip stitch - take the crochet hook out of the stitch, skip 1 stitch or stitch plus double crochet/front post treble crochet and insert the crochet hook into the next stitch from the back (under both loops). Grab one part of the pulled out loop (1) with a crochet hook and pull it through the loop (2). Then insert the hook from the front into both loops (3) and tighten. Yarn over the second color (4), and pull through. Yarn over and make a chain stitch (5.)

Finishing squares.

After making the last double crochet, cut the yarn and pull it out of the loop. Skip 1 chain stitch and 1 double crochet and insert the hook from the back into the next stitch, yarn over and pull through.

Then insert the hook into the back loop (or third and back loop) of the last double crochet, yarn over and pull through.

Table

Row	Square	Triangle	Corner
1	8 / 3	5 / 3	45
2	16 / 5	9 / 5	41
3	24 / 7	13 / 7	41
4	32 / 9	17 / 9	37
5	40 / 11	21 / 11	37
6	48 / 13	25 / 13	33
7	56 / 15	29 / 15	33
8	64 / 17	33 / 17	29
9	72 / 19	37 / 19	29
10	80 / 21	41 / 21	25
11	88 / 23	45 / 23	25
12	96 / 25	49 / 25	21
13	104 / 27	53 / 27	21
14	112 / 29	57 / 29	17
15	120 / 31	61 / 31	17
16	128 / 33	65 / 33	13
17	136 / 35	69 / 35	13
18	144 / 37	73 / 37	9
19	152 / 39	77 / 39	9
20	160 / 41	81 / 41	5
21	168 / 43	85 / 43	3
22	176 / 45	89 / 45	1

Square:

- the number of stitches in the table shows: the whole row / one side counting the stitches in the corners,
- 2 stitches together count as 1,
- the beginning of the row (1 ch or 1 ch + 1 dc/Fptr) count as 1,
- don't count slip stitch.

Triangle:

- the number of stitches in the table shows: the whole row / one side counting the stitch in the corner,
- 2 stitches together count as 1,
- don't count 2 chain stitches at the beginning of the row.

Corner:

- the number of stitches in the table shows the whole row,
- 2 or 3 stitches together count as 1,
- don't count 2 chain stitches at the beginning of the row.