

## October Square

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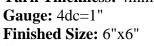
This granny square is fun and easy to make. The popcorns represent pumpkins and are made with 6 treble crochets in one stitch instead of the traditional 4 or 5 dc.

## **Materials Needed**

Worsted weight acrylic yarn in the following colors, tan, orange, brown and black. Size H/8 or 5mm aluminum crochet hook Yarn needle for weaving in ends.

**Yarn Thickness:** 4mm

**Skill Level:** Beginner to intermediate



## **Treble Crochet Popcorn.**

(**Trpop**): Work 6 trebles in same stitch. Drop loop from hook, insert hook from front to back in the top of the first tr of group, pull dropped loop through stitch.

## Instructions

**RND 1:** With tan, ch4, join w/slst to first ch to form ring. Ch1. 12hdc in ring. Join w/slst to top of first hdc.

**RND 2:** Ch1. 2hdc in same st as slst. 2hdc in each hdc around. Join w/slst to top of first hdc. (24hdc) Fasten off tan.

**RND 3:** Join orange to same st as slst. Ch3. Trpop in next st. Dc in next hdc. \*Dc in next hdc. Trpop in next st. Dc in next st. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3. Fasten off orange.

**RND 4:** Join brown in same st as slst. Ch3, 2dc in same st. 3dc in next dc. Ch2. 3dc in each of the next 2dc. \*3dc in each of the next 2dc. Ch2. 3dc in each of the next 2 dc. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3. Fasten off brown.

**RND 5:** Join tan in same st as slst. Ch3. Dc in each of the next 5 dc. 2dc, ch2, 2dc in next ch2 corner sp. Dc in each of the next 6 dc. \*Dc in each of the next 6 dc. 2dc, ch2, 2dc in next ch2 corner sp. Dc in each of the next 6 dc. Rep from \* around. Join w/sls to top of ch3. Fasten off tan.

**RND 6:** Join black to same st as slst. Ch3, dc in each of the next 7 dc. (2dc, ch2, 2dc in next ch2 corner sp. Dc in each of the next 8 dc.) \*Dc in each of the next 8dc. Rep bet () once. Rep from \* around. Join w/slst to top of ch3. Fasten off black and weave all ends into back of work.



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