



Interlocking Crochet™

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Double Design - #17 & 18 Shag/Yin & Yang



Side 1 (RS): Color A and B create the “shag fur”.

Side 2 (WS): Color A creates the yin row; Color B creates the yang row.

This interlocking pattern works evenly over a multiple of 2 A-colored boxes.

With A, work a foundation ch that is a multiple of 4 sts + 4.

Foundation Row A: With A, work row 1 of filet mesh, set aside.

With B, work a foundation ch that is two chains shorter than the length of the A-colored foundation chain.

Foundation Row B: With B, work row 1 of filet mesh, set aside.

Place the A-colored layer on top of the B-colored layer, with the working yarn of both pieces at the same edge (right edge if you are right-handed, left edge if you are left handed).

Back Fur Loop Stitch (BFLS) = Insert the hook in the top of dc, using your other hand, loop yarn over finger, pick up both threads of finger loop and draw through top of dc, yo draw through 3 loops on hook (fur loops form to the back).

Drop Color B to back

Row 1A (RS): With A, ch 4 (counts as first dc, and ch-1 sp), dcib in next dc, *ch 1, dcib in next dc; repeat from * across.

Row 1B (RS): With B, ch 4, dcib in next dc, *ch 1, dcib in next dc; repeat from * across.

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Turn the entire piece.

Drop Color B to back

Row 2A (WS): With A, ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 1, BFLS in next dc; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, sc in last dc.

Row 2B (WS): With B, ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 1, in next dc pull top 2 loops of dc through ch 1-space of previous A row, BFLS; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, sc in last dc (be sure to pull through ch-1 space of previous A row to make the last sc).

Turn the entire piece.

Drop Color B to back

Row 3A (RS): With A, ch 4, dcib in top of A-colored BFLS, *ch 1, dcib in top of A-colored BFLS; repeat from * across to last sc, ch 1, dcib in last sc.

Row 3B (RS): With B, ch 4, dcib in top of B-colored BFLS, *ch 1, dcib in top of B-colored BFLS; repeat from * across to last sc, ch 1, dcib in last sc.

Turn the entire piece.

Repeat Rows 2 and 3 until piece is desired length.

Row A (WS) only: With A, ch 4, dcib in next dc, *ch 1, dcib in next dc; repeat from * across.

TIP: Row 1 & 2 can be used as a fringe around a garment.

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