

Simply Teal & White

By Carolyn Christmas

SIZE: 521/4" x 751/2".

MATERIALS: *Worsted-weight yam — 33 oz. teal and 27 oz. white; tapestry needle; G and H crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauges.

*This project was made by Carol Weiss using Coats & Clark's Red Heart® varn.

GAUGES: Strip is $4\frac{3}{4}$ " x $75\frac{1}{2}$ ". G hook, 4 dc sts = 1"; 5 dc rows = 3". H hook, 7 dc sts = 2"; 4 dc rows = 3".

SKILL LEVEL: ★ Easy

TEAL STRIP (make 6)

Row 1: With H hook and teal, ch 10, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in

each ch across, turn (8 dc).

Rows 2-97: Ch 3, dc in each st across, turn. Fasten off at end of last row

Rnd 98: For border, with right side facing you, working in sts and in ends of rows, with G hook and white, join with sl st in end of row 1, ch 3, 2 dc in same row, (3 dc in each of next 95 rows, 5 dc in next row), skip next st, dc in next 6 sts, skip last st, 5 dc in same row; repeat between (); working in starting ch on opposite side of row 1, skip first ch, dc in next 6 chs, skip last ch, 2 dc in same row as first st, join with sl st in top of ch-3, fasten off.

Rnd 99: With G hook and teal, join with sl st in first st, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same st, dc in each st around with (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in each corner st, join, fasten off.

WHITE STRIP (make 5)

Rows 1-97: With H hook and white, repeat same rows of Teal Strip (8 dc).

Rnd 98: With G hook and teal, repeat same rnd of Teal Strip.

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Alternating Teal and White Strips, starting with Teal Strip, sew **back lps** of sts between ch-1 sps on long sides of Strips tog.♥