

# Blitzen Stocking



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## Materials



- o Yarn: Deborah Norville Everyday Worsted  
Colors used: Snow White, Peonia, Kiwi, and Orchard in Checkered Stocking (left pic)  
Snow White, Kiwi, and Azure in Horizontal Wave (right pic)
- o Hook: Boye I/9-5.50mm

### 1 pattern, 3 looks!

This is one pattern that will surely become a favorite! In this one pattern you will get 3 unique looks! Make a checkered stocking, a horizontal wave, or a vertical stripe stocking... or make all 3!



### Sizing

- These measurements are approximated, and actual subjects may vary.
- Gauge: I hook 14 dc = 4"  
6 rows = 4"
- This pattern comes in the following sizes:

Size	Length	Circumference
One Size	12.5"	10"

### Pattern Key

- Ch: Chain
- Sc: Single crochet
- Hdc: Half double crochet
- Dc: Double crochet
- St(s): Stitch(es)
- Slst: Slip stitch
- Sc2tog: Single crochet 2 together
- Sc3tog: Single crochet 3 together
- Dc3tog: Double crochet 3 together
- Sk: Skip
- BLO: Back loop only
- \* \*: Repeat instructions between symbols until indicated
- [ ]: Repeat instructions all in one stitch

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**Special Pattern Notes:** Beginning chain 1 does not count as a stitch. Always work the first stitch into joining stitch unless noted. Join to first stitch of each round unless noted.

When working in skipped stitches, you will work in front of the double crochets just made. You will need to work over slip stitches when working those rounds.

You can either work in front of the ch 3 or over the chain 3. By working over, you may have some color show through. Toe, heel and edging will be color A. You'll want to alternate three or more colors for round for a Checkered Stocking. Change color every 2 rounds for a Horizontal Wave Stocking. Alternating between 2 colors every round, you will have vertical stripes.

### **Pattern Instructions**

**Toe** With I hook and Color A, Magic Circle

Round 1: Ch 1, 12 hdc in circle, join (12 sts)

Round 2: Ch 1, hdc in same, 2 hdc in next, \*hdc next, 2 hdc in next\* repeat around, join (18 sts)

Round 3: Ch 1, hdc in same and next, 2 hdc in next, \*hdc next 2, 2 hdc in next\* repeat around, join (24 sts)

Round 4: Ch 1, hdc in same and next 2, 2 hdc in next, \*hdc next 3, 2 hdc in next\* repeat around, join (30 sts)

Round 5: Ch 1, hdc in same and next 3, 2 hdc in next, \*hdc next 4, 2 hdc in next\* repeat around, join (36 sts)

Finish off and weave in ends. Change to next color and continue to Round 6. (See notes for color changing suggestions.)

Round 6: Ch 2, dc in same and next 2, ch 3, sk 3, \*dc next 3, ch 3, sk 3\* repeat around, join (18 dc)

Round 7: Ch 4, sk joining dc and next 2, dc in next 3 unworked sts in row below, \*ch 3, sk 3, dc in next 3 unworked sts in row below\* repeat around, join to 1st ch (18 dc)

Round 8: Ch 1, dc in same and next 2 in row below, ch 3, sk 3, \*dc next 3 in row below, ch 3, sk 3\* repeat around, join (18 dc)

Repeat Round 7 and 8 four more times. Join color A.

### **Heel**

Row 1: Ch 1, sc in same and next 2, \*dc next 3 in row below, sc in next 3\* repeat once more (15 sts)

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in same and next 2, hdc next 3, dc next 3, hdc next 3, sc next 3 (15 sts)

Row 3: Turn, sk same, sc next 2, hdc next 3, dc3tog, hdc next 3, sc next 2 (11 sts)

Row 4: Turn, sk same, sc next 2, hdc next, dc next 3, hdc next, sc next 2 (9 sts)

Row 5: Turn, sk same, sc2tog, sc3tog, sc2tog (3 sts)

Finish off and weave in ends. Continue to Upper Part of Small stocking.

### **Upper Part of Stocking**

Join next color in sequence in first row end of row 1 of heel with right side facing.

Round 1: Ch 4, sk same and next 2 row ends, dc in 3rd and 4th row end of heel, dc in first st in row 5 of heel, ch 3, sk next 2 sts and next row end, dc in 4th row end of heel, dc in 4rd row skipped st, dc in 3rd row end of heel, ch 3, sk 3, working back on 7 and 8: dc next 3 in row below, \*ch 3, sk 3, dc next 3 in row below\* repeat around, join to first ch (18 dc)

Round 2: Ch 1, dc in joining in row below, dc next 2 row ends in row below, ch 3, sk 3, dc next 2 sts in row below of row 5 of heel, dc row end of row 5 of heel, ch 3, sk 3, dc in row 3 end in row below, dc in skipped st of row 2 in row below, dc in row end of row 1 in row below, ch 3, sk 3, \*dc next 3 in row below, ch 3, sk 3\* repeat around, join (18 dc)

Round 3: Ch 4 (last 3 chs count as ch 3), sk joining dc and next 2, \*dc in next 3 unworked sts in row below, ch 3, sk 3\* repeat around, join to 1st ch (18 dc)

Round 4: Ch 1, dc in same and next 2 in row below, ch 3, sk 3, \*dc next 3 in row below, ch 3, sk 3\* repeat around, join (18 dc)

Repeat Round 3 and 4 (ending on Round 4) until length measures 7" from last row of heel.

Round 5: Ch 4, sk same dc and next 2, \*sc in next 3 unworked sts in row below, ch 3, sk 3\* repeat around, join to 1st ch (18 sc)

Join beginning color yarn and cut other colors. Join Color A.

Round 6: Ch 1, hdc in joining and next 2 in row below, sc next 3, \*hdc next 3 in row below, sc next 3 in row below\* repeat around, join (36 sts)

Round 7: Ch 1, hdc in same and next 8, ch 11, starting in 2nd ch slst next 10, hdc next st, slst to tip just made and pull tight, hdc remaining sts, join (36 sts)

Round 8: Ch 1, turn, working in BLO hdc same and each st around, join (36 sts)

Round 9-12: Ch 1, hdc in same and each st around, join (36 sts)

Finish off and weave in ends. Fold over at Round 5.