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*Blanket*  
Extra Thick

# Finger Crochet Pumpkin

Skill Level: Beginner

Crafting Time: Varies



## SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- **Bernat® Blanket Extra Thick™**  
(21.2 oz/600 g; 72 yds/66 m)  
Pumpkin (62086) 1 ball or 55 yds/51 m
- Approx. ¼" [6 mm] diameter x 4" [10 cm] long  
stick or dowel for stem.
- Polyfil stuffing.

## GAUGE:

2 single crochet (sc) and 2 rows = 4" [10 cm] using  
Finger Crochet technique.

## MEASUREMENTS:

Approximately (approx) 11" [28 cm] diameter x  
8" [20.5 cm] tall, excluding stem.

## NOTES:

- Finger crochet technique is used.
- No hook required.
- Work stitches to fit thumb and first finger -  
making sure to not pull stitches tight.

## ABBREVIATIONS:

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat

RS = Right side

Sl st(s) = Slip stitch(es)

Sl stbl = Slip stitch through back loop only

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

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## INSTRUCTIONS:

Chain (ch) 11.

**1st row:** (Right side [RS]). Using pointer finger and thumb: *(Pull working yarn up through back loop of first ch and loop on your finger - Slip stitch through back loop (Sl stbl) made) in 2nd ch from last loop. 1 sl stbl in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 10 slip stitches (sl sts).*

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sl stbl in each stitch (st) across. Turn.

Repeat (rep) 2nd row until work from beginning (beg) measures approx. 26" [66 cm]. **Do not** fasten off.

**Joining row:** Fold work in half, Wrong side (WS) together (tog), so first and last rows meet. *Working through both thicknesses, in back loops of last row and remaining (rem) loops of foundation ch: Ch 1. 1 sl st in each st across. Fasten off.*

Weave yarn through sts at end of rows on one edge of Pumpkin, pull tight to close bottom and secure on WS.

Stuff Pumpkin.

Weave yarn through sts at end of rows on rem (top) edge of Pumpkin. Insert 4" [10 cm] long stick in opening, leaving 3" [7.5 cm] outside for stem.

Pull yarn tight to close opening around stick and tie off. Pull yarn tails inside Pumpkin.