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## Hexagon Apron

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy
YARN WEIGHT: DK, Light Worsted
SIZE AND MATERIALS: Each Hexagon is approx 5" x 5" (tip to tip)

| Yarn | Hex 1 (make 13) | Hex 2 (make 12) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | \#5026 (Orchid) | \#5029 (Watermelon) |
| B | $\# 5025$ (Heliotrope) | \#5028 (Strawberry) |
| C | $\# 5027$ (Violet) | \#5030 (Cranberry) |
| D | $\# 5016$ (Indigo) | \#5016 (Indigo) |

Featured Yarn: Patina by Zitron, 55\% Merino, 45\% Rayon; 120 yds / 50 g ball. Shown in and uses one (1) ball each of the above colors.
Optional Yarn: Simplicity by HiKoo, 55\% Merino Superwash, 28\%
Acrylic, 17\% Nylon; 117 yds / 50g hank.

## addi Needles:

US F ( 4 mm ) crochet hook, or size needed to obtain gauge

## Additional Notions:

Two D-rings; 3 yards ribbon (cut in half); tapestry needle.
All yarn and needles distributed by skacel collection, Inc.
GAUGE: See schematic
To save time, check your gauge and read all instructions thoroughly before beginning.

## INSTRUCTIONS:

Notes: 1) This apron is a bit of a retro throwback! It is intended for use as a hosting apron, the apron you don just before you greet your guests and after all the messy work is done. For a more functional apron, choose a machine washable yarn like Simplicity by HiKoo. 2) Size may be easily adjusted with a change in hook size, but please be aware that additional yarn may be required.

With A, ch 6 , join with a slip stitch to form ring.
Rnd 1: With A, ch 3, dc2tog into ring (counts as dc3tog), [chain 3, dc3tog into ring] 5 times, ch 1,1 hdc into top of first cluster.
Rnd 2: With B, ch 3, dc2tog into space just made by hdc (counts as dc3tog), *ch 3, work [dc3tog, ch 3, dc3tog] into next space: repeat from * 4 more times, ch 3, dc3tog into last space, ch 1, 1 hdc into top of first cluster.
Rnd 3: With A, ch 3, dc2tog into arch formed by hdc (counts as dc3tog), *ch 3, work [dc3tog, ch 3, dc3tog] into next space **, ch 3, dc3tog into next sp; repeat from * 4 more times and from * to ** once, ch 1,1 hdc into top of first cluster.
Rnd 4: With C, ch 3 (counts as 1 dc ), dc into space just made by hdc, 3 dc into next space, *[dc3tog, ch 3, dc3tog] into next space, 3dc in next 2 spaces*.; repeat from * to * 5 more times, [dc3tog, ch3, dc3tog] into next space, 1 dc in next space and join with slip stitch to ch 3 .
Rnd 5: With D, ch 1, sc into same space, *sc in top of each dc and dc3tog to ch 3 space, 3 sc into ch 3 space*; repeat from * to * around, ending with a slip stitch to first sc. (66 sc sts)
Fasten off. Weave in ends.
Work a total of 25 hexagons ( 13 of Hex $1 \& 12$ of Hex 2).
Using the chart and photo for placement, arrange hexagons and join them together with D using a whipstitch.

## FINISHING:

Sew D-rings to top two hexagons. Thread one half of ribbon through D-rings and tie behind neck. Use remaining ribbon as a waist tie.

## ABBREVIATIONS:

approx approximately
ch chain
dc double crochet
dc2tog double crochet 2 together: *yo, pull up a loop in indicated stitch, 3 loops on hook, yo, pull through 2 loops*; repeat from * to* once more, yo, pull through all 3 loops on hook.
dc3tog double crochet 3 together: *yo, pull up a loop in indicated stitch, 3 loops on hook, yo, pull through 2 loops*; repeat from * to * two times, yo, pull through all 4 loops on hook.

## hdc

half double crochet: yo, pull up a loop in next stitch, yo, draw through all three loops on hook.

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