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Bargello Blanket

I designed this blanket so that you have a blanket up to 40 colors, but still remains quite affordable. This is thanks to the little balls of Catona of 25 grams from Scheepjes.
I used one of every color in the picture except color 390, for that one you need 2 balls

I used hook size 2.5 for this pattern

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Tutorial

Chain 287

First row

dc in the 3th ch of your hook
dc in next 2 ch

A= (skip 2 ch, slst in next ch, 2 ch, dc in next 3 chain) 1x

B= (skip 2 ch, slst in next ch, 2 ch, dc in next 5 ch) 2x

C= (skip 2 ch, slst in next ch, 2 ch, dc in next 7 ch) 2x

2 x B

2 x A

D= (ch 2, slst in next ch, skip 2 chain, dc in next 3 chain)

E= (ch 2, slst in next ch, skip 2 chain, dc in next 5 chain)

F= (ch 2, slst in next ch, skip 2 chain, dc in next 7 chain)

2 x E

2 x D

1 x A

2 x B

2 x C

2 x B

2 x A

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B= (dc in next 5 dc, skip sc from previous row, skip first ch from previous row and slit in 2nd ch of the previous row, ch 2) 2x

C= (dc in next 7 dc, skip sc from previous row, skip first ch from previous row and slit in 2nd ch of the previous row, ch 2) 2x

2 x B

1 x A

D= (dc in next 3 dc from previous row, ch 2, slst in next ch from previous row, skip next ch from previous row, skip next slst from previous row) 2x

E= (dc in next 5 dc from previous row, ch 2, slst in next ch from previous row, skip next ch from previous row, skip next slst from previous row) 2x

F= (dc in next 7 dc from previous row, ch 2, slst in next ch from previous row, skip next ch from previous row, skip next slst from previous row) 2x

2 x E

1 x D

2 x A

2 x B

2 x C

2 x B

1 x A

2 x D

2 x E

2 x F

2 x E

1 x D

4 dc

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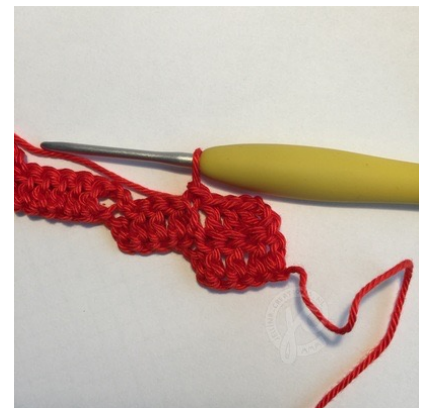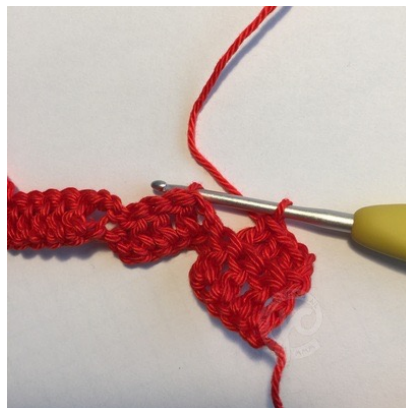## by jellina-creations

2 x D
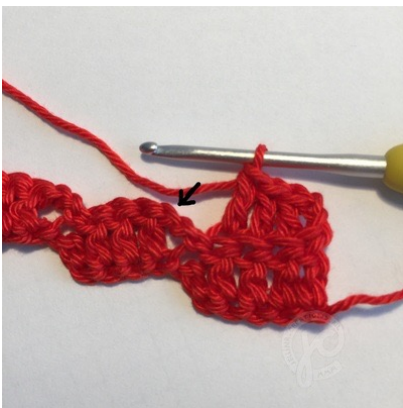
2 x E

2 x F

2 x E

2 x D

dc in last ch

second row

Important: from now on al stitches in de back loop!

chain 2 and skip first dc

A= (dc in next 3 dc, skip sc from previous row, skip first ch from previous row and slit in 2nd ch of the previous row, ch 2) 2x

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Cut the yarn long enough to tie-off

Attach the next color and repeat the second row.
Hold the color sequence as in the picture.
2 rows per color, so back and forth in the same color until you've had all colors.

You have enough yarn of all colors except the green/yellow ones to make one more stripe.
You will soon need the green / yellow colors to fill the 'gaps'.

Making straight

It's basically a matter of repeating,
only pay attention to which side to start.
Keep the blanket in front of you with the threads on the right side.
Attach a new thread and crochet up to the top of your Bargello. Not on the top, because we want to finally straighten the blanket.

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Turn your work and go with 4 slst to the next "block" (because the first block is the same height as your highest block, you won't need another row on top) and work now on the row as usual.

Attach the new color and place in a total of five times.

Your work now looks like the picture below.

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Now the middle part:

Make sure the threads are on the right side.
Attaches a new thread to the upper ch from the pink dc (see arrow)
Now you can continue the row as before.
Go back with 4 slst because you're already 'on height', work the rest of row off again as usual.
Do this as with all five colors.

The left side is almost the same as the middle section, the only difference is that you hold the right side straight like you in the 'normal' pattern would.

Now the bottom:
Here we have to fill two spaces.
Everything is the same as the middle piece of the upper side, except now we have to make sure the threads are on the left side.

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Now you have to get rid of the wires.
Not the most exciting part, but if you're done, you made yourself a beautiful blanket!

Have fun making this blanket!

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