

## 9 Pointed Star Round Ripple by Gene Saunders (a.k.a. CrochetDad)

You will need to decide what yarn and hook you will use. Sample done in 8 ply wool and a 4mm hook

### Abbreviations:

CH = Chain, SP = Space, SK = Skip, SL ST = Slip Stitch, DC = Double Crochet (US)

To Start:

CH 4 and join with a SL ST to form a loop.

### Row 1:

CH4 (to stand as 1DC and CH1) \*1DC into loop, CH1\*, Repeat \* to \* 7 times more. Join with a SL ST into 3rd CH.

### Row 2:

SL ST into first SP, CH3, 1DC into same SP, \*CH2, 2DC into next CH SP\*, Repeat \* to \* 7 times more, CH2, Join with a SL ST as before.

### Row 3:

SL ST into next DC and into next SP, CH3, 1DC, CH2, 2DC into the same SP, [2DC, CH2, 2DC] (Shell made) into each SP to end of the row. Join as before.

### Row 4:

SL ST into next DC, CH3, Shell into next SP, 1DC into next DC, \*SK next 2DC, 1DC into next DC, Shell into next SP, 1DC into next DC\* repeat \* to \* to end of row. Join as before.

Row 4 forms the pattern so repeat this row as many times as you need to, adding the extra DCs as they appear, on each side of the points **Note:**

Be sure to always SK the same two stitches and to do the Shell into every point on every row, unless you think it is getting a bit frilly, then you can do a round with just 1DC, CH2, 1DC into the point.

Every row starts with a SL ST which is the same as the SK stitches.

By row 7 you should have 4DC on each side of the Shell.

Have fun.



Approximately 9" across at this point.

**Some Examples with color changes:**

