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MATERIALS — D·M·C PEARL, Art. 116D, size 8.

4 balls of Maroon No. 815 or Navy No. 823 or Red No. 498 or Brown No. 898 or Grey No. 318 or Yellow No. 745 or Skipper Blue No. 796 or any other desired D·M·C Color

Steel Crochet Hook, Size 10.

GAUGE:

8 Shells = $2\frac{1}{8}$ inches 7 rows = 1 inch

* = STAR Abbreviations, see page 15.

NOTE: Work stitches tightly so that finished Tie will be firm. Keep to gauge.

Ch 37, 3 dc in 5th ch from hook, * skip 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch 2, 3 dc in same ch as last sc; rpt from STAR 6 times, sc in last ch (8 Shells; $2\frac{1}{8}$ ins.). **Row 2**—Ch 4, turn, 3 dc in first sc, * sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, 3 dc in ch-2 sp just used; rpt from STAR 6 times, sc in last sp. Rpt row 2 until 16 ins. (about

112 rows) from beginning.

FINISHING—Next row—Dec. row—

Work 3 Shells ending with 3 dc of 3rd Shell, draw up a loop in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, yo, draw thru all 3 loops on hook (a dec. made), ch 2, 3 dc in last ch-2 sp just used, sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, 3 dc in sp just used, complete row as before (7 Shells in row). Work on 7 Shells for $1\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Work a dec. row decreasing a Shell at approx. center as before (6 Shells). Work for $1\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Work a dec. row (5 Shells). Work for $2\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Work a dec. row (4 Shells).

Work for $2\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Work a dec. row (3 Shells). Work for $9\frac{1}{2}$ ins. not stretched (for Neckband). **Inc. row—**Work 1 Shell ending with 1 sc in first sp, ch 2, 3 dc in same sp, sc in 2nd dc of next Shell, ch 2, 3 dc in same dc just used, sc in next ch-2 sp, finish row in usual manner (4 Shells). Work for $4\frac{1}{2}$ ins. Work an inc. row (5 Shells). Work for $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins. Work an inc. row (6 Shells). Work for 8 ins. Fasten off. Darn in all ends neatly. Pin Tie to shape and steam. With ribbon line entire Tie or just Neckband as desired.