## Red, White \& Blue Beaded Coasters Free Crochet Pattern



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MATERIALS:Size 10 crochet thread in White, size 7 hook, 244 size E seed beads in Blue or Red for ea coaster made, large eye beading needle and needle to take crochet thread.

GAUGE: $4 \mathrm{hdc}=1 \backslash 2^{\prime \prime}, 4$ rows hdc $=3 \backslash 4 "$
FINISHED SIZE: 3-1 14 " diameter

## BEADED TOP OF COASTER:

With large eye beading needle thread on the 244 beads, remove needle.
$\mathrm{Ch}-3 \mathrm{sl}$ st to form a ring.
RND 1: 8 (slide bead, ch-1) 4 times, sl st in ring, * rep bet ** 6 times, do not turn. ( 6 lps )
RND 2: Sl st into next lp, ch-1, * (slide bead, ch-1) 4 times, sl st same lp, rep bet () 4 times, sl st next lp, * rep bet ** 5 times, rep bet () 4 times, sl st same lp, rep bet () 4 times, sl st bottom of beg sl st, do not turn. ( 10 lps )
RND 3: * (slide bead, ch-1) 5 times, sl st next lp, * rep bet ** around, do not turn. (10 lps)
RND 4: *(slide bead, ch-1,) 6 times, sl st next lp, * rep bet ** around, do not turn. (10 lps)
RND 5: *(slide bead, ch-1) 7 times, sl st next $\mathrm{lp}, *$ rep bet ** around, fasten off.

## COASTER BACKING:

With White thread and 7 hook ch-3, sl st to form a ring.
RND 1: Ch-1, work 8 hdc in ring, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. ( 8 sts)
RND 2-4: ( 2 hdc next st, hdc next st) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (12 sts)(18 sts)(27 sts)
RND 5: ( 2 hdc next st, hdc next 2 sts ) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. ( 36 sts)
RND 6: ( 2 hdc next st, hdc next 3 sts ) around sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. ( 45 sts )
RND 7: ( 2 hdc next st, hdc next 4 sts) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. ( 54 sts)
RND 8: ( 2 hdc next st, hdc next 8 sts) around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. ( 60 sts)
RND 9: * sc next st, hdc next, (dc, trc) next, (trc, dc) next, hdc next, sc next, * rep bet ** around, sl st top beg sc, fasten off. (72 sts)
With needle and crochet thread sew the beaded top to the coaster backing.
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Abbreviations Used In This Pattern

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\mathrm{Ch}=\text { Chain } \\
\mathrm{St}=\text { Stitch } \\
\mathrm{Sl} \mathrm{St}=\text { Slip Stitch } \\
\mathrm{Sc}=\text { Single Crochet } \\
\text { Hdc = Half Double Crochet } \\
\mathrm{Dc}=\text { Double Crochet } \\
\mathrm{Trc}=\text { Treble Crochet } \\
\mathrm{Lp}=\text { Loop } \\
\mathrm{Sp}=\text { Space } \\
\mathrm{Rnd}=\text { Round } \\
\text { Beg }=\text { Beginning } \\
\text { Rep }=\text { Repeat } \\
\text { Bet }=\text { Between } \\
\text { Tog }=\text { Together }
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