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Double Design - #25 & 26
Tulips/Parallelograms

Side 1 (RS): Color A creates the background; Color B creates the tulips.
Side 2 (WS): Color A creates the centers; Color B creates the outlines.

This interlocking pattern works evenly over a multiple of 2 + 1 A-colored boxes.

With A, work a foundation ch that is a multiple of 4 sts + 6.
Foundation Row A: With A, work row 1 of filet mesh, set aside.
With B, work a foundation ch that is two chains shorter than the length of the A-colored foundation chain.
Foundation Row B: With B, work row 1 of filet mesh, set aside.

Place the A-colored layer on top of the B-colored layer, with the working yarn of both pieces at the same edge (right edge if you are right-handed, left edge if you are left handed).

<u>Front Shell = 5 dcif in same in same dc</u>

Drop Color B to back
Row 1A (RS): With A, ch 4 (counts as first dc, and ch-1 sp), dcif in next dc, *ch 1, dcif in next dc; repeat from * across.
Row 1B (RS): With B, ch 4, Front Shell in next dc, *dcib in next dc, Front Shell in next dc; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, dcib in last dc.

Turn the entire piece.

Drop Color B to front
Row 2A (WS): With A, ch 4, dcif in next dc, *ch 1, dcif in next dc; repeat from * across.
Row 2B (WS): With B, ch 4, dcib in 3rd dc of shell, *ch 1, dcif in next dc, ch 1, dcib in 3rd dc of shell; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, dcif in last dc.

Turn the entire piece.

Drop Color B to back
Row 3A (RS): With A, ch 4, dcif in next dc, *ch 1, dcif in next dc; repeat from * across.
Row 3B (RS): With B, ch 4, dcib in next dc, *Front Shell in next dc, dcib in next dc; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, dcib in last dc.

Turn the entire piece.

Drop Color B to front
Row 4A (WS): With A, ch 4, dcif in next dc, *ch 1, dcif in next dc; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, dcib in last dc.
Row 4B (WS): With B, ch 4, dcif in next dc, *ch 1, dcib in 3rd dc of next shell, ch1, dcif in next dc; repeat from * across to last dc, ch 1, dcif in last dc.

Turn the entire piece.

Repeat Rows 1 - 4 until piece is desired length, ending with Row 2.

Turn the entire piece

Row 5A (RS): With A, ch 4, dcif in next dc, *ch 1, dcif in next dc; repeat from * across.
Row 5B (RS): With B, ch 4, dcib in next dc, *ch 1, dcib in next dc; repeat from * across.

Tip: Great Edging Row 1

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