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EXPERIENCED

crochet

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What you will need:

RED HEART* Super Saver*: 3 skeins each 347 Light Periwinkle A and 5851 Denim B, 2 skeins 3945 Blue Suede C, and 1 skein 726 Coral D

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 6mm [US J-10]

GAUGE: Rows 1-7 of Narrow Section = 2½" [6.5 cm] square; Full Block = 12" [30.5 cm] square. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

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RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300
available in solid color 7

oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); prints, multis and heathers 5 oz (141 g), 236 yd (215 m), flecks 5 oz (141g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins



Graphic Crochet Throw

Here's a throw that is at home in most any room. We show it in a traditional sitting room but it would be just as at home in a casual bedroom or on modern first apartment sofa. There are just twenty blocks in two color

Throw measures 49" [124.5 cm] wide x 61" [155 cm] long.

NOTES

Blocks are worked in sections working in rows. Narrow Section is worked from lower edge to top edge. Vertical Stripe is worked along one long edge. Wider Section is worked in rows, joining to Narrow Section along Vertical Stripe every row. Work 20 Blocks; 10 with **A** and **B** and 10 with **A** and **C**. Rounds 1-3 of Border are worked around each Block. Then Blocks are joined together on Round 4. Throw is made up of 5 rows with 4 Blocks in each row, alternating colors and direction.

PATTERN STITCH

Row 1 (Right Side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in first sc, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from * to end of row.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc and ch-1 space across.

Repeat Rows 2-3 for pattern st.

THROW

Block (Make 10 with **A** and **B** and 10 with **A** and **C**)

With **B** or **C**, ch 8.

Narrow Section

Row 1 (Right Side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – 7 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in first sc, *ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from * to end of row – 4 sc and 3 ch-1 spaces.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, sc in each sc and ch-1 space across – 7 sc.

Rows 4-7: Repeat Rows 2-3 two more times. At end of Row 7, fasten off.

Row 8 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **A** with a slip st in first st, ch 1, sc in each sc across – 7 sc.

Rows 9-10: Ch 1, turn, repeat Rows 2-3. Fasten off.

Row 11 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **B** or **C** with a slip st in first st, ch 1, sc in each sc across – 7 sc.

Rows 12-31: Repeat Rows 2-3. Fasten off.

Vertical Stripe

Row 1 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **A** with a slip st in first st of Row 1, working along side edge, sc in edge of same row and each row across – 31 sc.

Rows 2-3: Repeat Rows 2-3 of pattern st. Fasten off.

Wide Section

With right side facing, join **B** or **C** with a slip st in first st of Row 3 of Vertical Stripe, ch 25. **Row 1 (Right Side):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 22 ch, (last ch counts as a slip st), slip st in same sc on Vertical Stripe as join – 23 sc.

Row 2: Work Row 2 of pattern st. **Row 3:** Work Row 3 of pattern st to last sc, skip next sc of Vertical Stripe, slip st in next sc of Vertical Stripe.

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Rows 4-7: Repeat Rows 2-3, joining Wide Section to Vertical Stripe on every right side row. Fasten off.

Row 8 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **A** with a slip st in first st of last row, ch 1, sc in each sc across, slip st in next sc of Vertical Stripe.

Rows 9-10: Repeat Rows 2-3 of pattern st, joining to Vertical Stripe at end of Row 10. Fasten off.

Row 11 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **B** or **C** with a slip st in first st, ch 1, sc in each sc across, slip st in next sc of Vertical Stripe.

Rows 12-31: Repeat Rows 2-3, joining to Vertical Stripe at end of every right side row. Fasten off.

Border

Round 1 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **A** with a slip st in any corner, ch 1, [sc 32 sts evenly spaced along edge to next corner, ch 2, turn to work along next side edge] 4 times, slip st in first sc to join – 32 sc along each side edge and 4 ch-2 spaces.

Round 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *[ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next sc] across to last sc before ch-2 space, ch 1, skip next sc, (sc, ch 2, sc) in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * around, slip st in first sc – 18 sc and 17 ch-1 spaces on each side.

Round 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc and ch-1 space around, working (sc, ch 2, sc) in each corner ch-2 space – 37 sc on each side.

Following photo, arrange 20 Blocks in 5 rows of 4 Blocks each. Alternate placement of **B** and **C** Blocks, keeping Narrow Section

on left side on one row and on right side on following row to alternate direction of Blocks.

Blocks of first row will be joined along one side starting at lower right hand corner and working from right to left. Once first row of Blocks have been joined, remaining rows of Blocks will be joined above previous row along one or two sides until all Blocks have been joined together.

First Row

Round 4 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **D** in top right corner ch-2 space with a slip st, *[ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * around, slip st in first slip st to join – 19 ch-2 spaces on each side. Fasten off.

Second-Fourth Blocks One Side Join

Round 4 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **D** in top right hand corner ch-2 space with a slip st, *[ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * once more, [ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in corner ch-4 space, ch 2, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-4 space of previous Block, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of working Block, [ch 1, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-2 space of

previous Block, ch 1, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] across to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 1, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-2 space of previous Block, ch 1, skip next sc, slip st in corner ch-4 space, ch 2, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-4 space of previous Block, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of working Block, slip st in first slip st to join. Fasten off.

Second Row Fifth Block

One Side Join

Round 4 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **D** in lower right hand corner ch-2 space with a slip st, *[ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * once more, [ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in corner ch-4 space, ch 2, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding joined corner space of previous Block, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of working Block, [ch 1, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-2 space of previous Block, ch 1, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] across to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in corner ch-4 space, ch 2, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-4 space of previous Block, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of working Block, slip st in first slip st to join. Fasten off.

Sixth-Eighth Blocks

Two Side Join

Round 4 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **D** in top right hand corner ch-2 space with a slip st, [ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) in corner ch-2 space, [ch 2, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc, *slip st in corner ch-4 space, ch 2, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding joined corner space of previous Block, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of working Block, [ch 1, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-2 space of previous Block, ch 1, skip next sc, slip st in next sc] across to last sc before corner ch-2 space, ch 1, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-2 space of previous Block, ch 1, skip next sc; repeat from * once more, slip st in corner ch-4 space, ch 2, drop loop from hook and pull through corresponding ch-4 space of previous Block, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of working Block, slip st in first slip st to join. Fasten off.

Third-Fifth Rows

Work as for Second Row.

Outer Border

Note: Corner spaces on each side of joining seam count as ch-2 spaces.

Round 1 (Right Side): With right side facing, join **D** in any ch-2 space with a slip st, [ch 2, slip st in next ch-2 space] around, working (ch 2, slip st, ch 2, slip st) in each corner ch-4 space, slip st in first slip st.

Round 2: [Ch 2, slip st in next ch-2 space] around, working (ch 2, slip st, ch 3, slip st) in each corner ch-2 space, slip st in first slip st. Fasten off.

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FINISHING

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

A, B, C = Color A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **cm** = centimeters; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.

