

AFGHAN PATTERNS



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Afghan Patterns



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CABLE AND BOBBLES

Crocheted as one solid color, this afghan showcases a cabled and bobble-stitched design. Try double stranding—this will build up the blanket faster. And work the tails of the yarn into the pom-poms to keep the edges looking tidy.

Skill Level: Intermediate

Finished Measurements:

54" X 48"

Abbreviations:

BO - bind off

bptr - back post treble crochet

ch - chain

dc - double crochet

fptr - front post treble crochet

hk - hook

lp(s) - loop(s)

rep - repeat

sk - skip

st(s) - stitch(es)

yo - yarn over

Special Stitch:

Bobble: *yo, insert hk into st, yo, pull up lp, yo, pull through 2 lps on hk, rep from * 5 times, yo, pull through all lps on hk

Gauge: 12 sts and 6 rows = 4"

Materials:

- I Love This Yarn[®], 7 oz (199 g) skeins of 355 yds (325 m):
 - Rosy Cheeks - 12 skeins
- US size K 10-½ (6 mm) crochet hook
- Yarn needle

Instructions:

Ch 136.

Row 1: Dc in second ch from hk and each ch across, ch 2, turn.

Row 2: Dc in first 2 sts, fptr in next 2 sts, *dc in next 5 sts, bobble in next st, dc in next 5 sts, sk 3 sts, fptr in next 3 sts, fptr in 3 sk sts (working behind sts just completed), sk 3 sts, fptr in next 3 sts, fptr in 3 sk sts (working in front of sts just completed), rep from * 5 times, dc in next 5 sts, bobble in next st, dc in

next 5 sts, fptr in next 2 sts, dc in last 2 sts, ch 2, turn.

Row 3: Dc in first 2 sts, bptr in next 2 sts, *dc in next 11 sts, bptr in next 12 sts, rep from * 5 times, dc in next 11 sts, bptr in next 2 sts, dc in last 2 sts, ch 2, turn.

Row 4: Dc in first 2 sts, fptr in next 2 sts, *dc in next 5 sts, bobble in next st, dc in next 5 sts, fptr in next 12 sts, rep from * 5 times, dc in next 5 sts, bobble

in next st, dc in next 5 sts, fptr in next 2 sts, dc in last 2 sts, ch 2, turn.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Rows 6-77: Rep rows 2-5.

Fasten off, and weave in ends.

Finishing:

Make four 3 ½" pompoms and attach at corners.

BOLD STRIPES

This pattern only has one stitch to learn, making it an ideal project for a novice knitter. Tie on tassels and pompoms to add texture to the blanket — these easy-to-craft details will contrast the stripes nicely, elevating this project from simple to sophisticated.

Skill Level: Easy

Abbreviations:

BO - bind off

CO - cast on

k - knit

st(s) - stitch(es)

Measurements: Approx. 46" x 45"

Materials:

- I Love This Yarn[®], 7 oz (199 g) skeins of 355 yds (325 m):
 - Black (A) – 6 skeins
 - White (B) – 4 skeins
- US size 10 (6 mm) knitting needles
- Yarn needle
- Pompom maker
- Stitch counter

Gauge: 8 sts and 12 rows = 2"

Instructions:

Use two strands of yarn for all rows.

With two strands of A held together, CO 150 sts.

Rows 1-16: K all sts.

Rows 17-20: With B, k all sts.

Rows 21-22: With A, k all sts.

Rows 23-34: With B, k all sts.

Rows 35-54: With A, k all sts.

Rows 55-62: With B, k all sts.

Rows 63-64: With A, k all sts.

Rows 65-66: With B, k all sts.

Rows 67-120: With A, k all sts.

Rows 121-132: With B, k all sts.



Rows 133-136: With A, k all sts.

Rows 137-140: With B, k all sts.

Rows 141-160: With A, k all sts.

Rows 161-212: With B, k all sts.

Rows 213-228: With A, k all sts.

Rows 229-240: With B, k all sts.

Rows 241-242: With A, k all sts.

Rows 243-246: With B, k all sts.

Rows 247-260: With A, k all sts.

Rows 261-268: With B, k all sts.

Rows 269-270: With A, k all sts.

Rows 271-272: With B, k all sts.

Rows 273-284: With A, k all sts.

BO, and weave in ends.

These afghans use
I Love This Yarn![®], a soft
100% acrylic yarn ideal
for beginners & experts alike.

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and detailed instructions,
visit hobbylobby.com.

Finishing:

With A, make seven 2" pompoms and fourteen 4 ½" tassels. With B, make five 2" pompoms. Attach as shown.



STITCH SAMPLER

Looking to experiment with lots of different stitches? This blanket is a curated collection of unique crochet patterns. It features the braided stitch, basket weave stitch, and other richly textured designs. And since each pattern is one square, it's a great project to stop and start again.

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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CROCHETED GRANNY SQUARES AFGHAN

Skill Level: Advanced

Abbreviations:

bpdc - back post double crochet
bpdc2tog - back post double crochet two together
bpdc3tog - back post double crochet three together
ch - chain
dc - double crochet
ea - each
fpdc - front post double crochet
hdc - half double crochet
hk - hook
lp(s) - loop(s)
rep - repeat
sc - single crochet
sk - skip
sl - slip
sl st - slipstitch
st(s) - stitch(es)
tr - treble crochet
tr2tog - treble crochet two together
tcc - treble crochet cluster
yo - yarn over

Measurements: Approx. 50" x 42"

Materials:

- I Love This Yarn, 7 oz (199 g) skein of 355 yds (325 m):
 - Ivory (A) – 4 skeins
 - Light Gray (B) – 1 skein
 - Glacier (C) – 1 skein
 - Rosy Cheeks (D) – 1 skein
 - Sungold (E) – 4 skeins
 - Sea Blue (F) – 1 skein
 - Stonewash (G) – 1 skein
- US size 1/9 (95.5 mm) crochet hook
- Yarn needle

Gauge: 5 sts and 6 rows = 2 ½"

SPECIAL STITCH: Treble Crochet Cluster (tcc):

*yo 2 times, insert hk in same st, yo, pull through 2 lps 2 times, rep from * 5 times, yo, pull through all 6 lps

SQUARE EDGE:

Row 1: Find center of any side of square and *distribute 12 sc, corner (sc, ch 2, sc) in same st; this is half of the side. Distribute 11 sc in next half of square, rep from * 4 times, sl st to first st. Each side has 25 sc.

Row 2: *Sc in next 13 sts, corner (sc, ch 2, sc) in same st, sc in next 12 sts, rep from * 4 times, sl st to first st. Each side has 27 sc.

Row 3(a): *Dc in next 14 sts, corner (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same st, dc in next 13 sts, rep from * 4 times, sl st to first dc. Each side has 31 dc.

Row 3(b): (make tc, inserting hk in row 1) [*dc, tc in next st, rep from * 7 times, corner (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same st, **tc in next st, dc in next st, rep from ** 6 times, tc in next st], repeat [] 4 times, sl st to first st.

*ROUND EDGE:

Row 9: *Sc in next 4 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, corner (dc, ch 2, dc) in same st, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 4 sts, rep from * all around, sl st to first st.

Row 10: *Sc in next 5 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, dc in next 3 sts, corner (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same st, dc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, sc in next 5 sts, rep from * all around, sl st to first st.

Row 11: *Dc in next 13 sts, corner (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same st, dc in next 13 sts, rep from * all around, sl st to first st.

Finishing: Sew squares together and with A, add 2 rows of sc all around the blanket.

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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SMALL SQUARES Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, dc in next 28 chs, hdc in next ch, turn.

Row 2: Hdc, fpdc in next 2 sts, *bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, bpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 3: Hdc, bpdc in next 2 sts, *fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, fpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Rows 4-23: Rep rows 2-3.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color F in row 2 and row 3(b).



CHEVRON Instructions:

With A, ch 30.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next ch, dc in next 25 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next st, *bpdc in next 5 sts, fpdc in next st, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, *fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 3 times, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, *bpdc in next st, fpdc in next 5 sts, rep from * 3 times, bpdc in next st, fpdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Rows 5-23: Repeat rows 2-4.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color G in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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SQUARES Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, dc in next 28 chs, hdc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in first st, fpdc in next 4 sts, *bpdc in next 5 sts, fpdc in next 5 sts, rep from * 2 times, bpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in last st, turn.

Row 3: Rep row 2.

Row 4: Hdc in next st, bpdc in next 4 sts, *fpdc in next 5 sts, bpdc in next 5 sts, rep from * 2 times, fpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in last st, turn.

Row 5: Rep row 4.

Rows 6-23: Rep rows 2-5.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color F in row 2 and row 3(b).



PINK BUBBLES Instructions:

With A, ch 28.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk and each ch across, turn.

Row 2: Hdc, *with D, tcc in next st, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 3 times, with D, tcc in next st, with A, hdc in next st, turn.

Rows 3-5: Hdc in next 27 sts, turn.

Row 6: Hdc, *tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, with D, tcc in next st, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 3 times, tcc in next st, hdc in next st, turn.

Rows 7-9: Hdc in next 27 sts, turn.

Rows 10-23: Rep rows 2-9.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using row 3(a).

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GLACIER BUBBLES Instructions:

With A, ch 28.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk and each ch across, turn.

Rows 2-3: Hdc across, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 3 sts, *with C, tcc in next st, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 6 times, turn.

Rows 5-7: Rep row 2.

Row 8: Hdc in next 3 sts, * tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 6 times, turn.

Rows 9-23: Rep rows 2-8.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using row 3(a).



TWISTED Instructions:

With A, ch 30.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, *hdc in next 3 chs, dc in next 3 chs, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 4 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 4 sts, *sk 1 st, fpdc in next 2 sts, fptc in sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 4 sts, *bpdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times. Hdc in next st, turn.

Rows 4-23: Rep rows 2-3.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color C in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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SINGLE LINE Instructions:

With A, ch 30.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next ch, dc in next 25 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next st, *bpdc in next 5 sts, fpdc in next st, rep from *4 times, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next st, *fpdc in next 5 sts, bpdc in next st, rep from *4 times, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next st, bpdc in next 5 sts, rep from *3 times, fpdc in next st, bpdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 5: Hdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, *bpdc in next st, fpdc in next 5 sts, rep from *3 times, bpdc in next st, fpdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Rows 6-23: Repeat rows 2-5.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color E in row 2 and row 3(b).



DIAGONAL Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next ch, dc in next 26 chs, hdc in next 2 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 2 sts, *fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, rep from *3 times, fpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 2 sts, *bpdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next 4 sts, rep from *3 times, bpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 4: Rep row 3.

Row 5: Rep row 2.

Rows 6-23: Rep rows 2-5. Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color D in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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BLUE LINE Instructions:

With A, ch 32.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, dc in next 29 chs, hdc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Hdc, fpdc in next st, *bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next st, rep from * 7 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 3: Hdc, fpdc in next 2 sts, *bpdc in next st, fpdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 6 times, bpdc in next st, fpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 4: With G, rep row 2.

Rows 5-19: With A, rep row 3 and row 2.

Row 20: With G, rep row 2.

Rows 21-23: With A, rep row 3 and row 2.

Continue with square edge, using row 3(a).



CENTER FLOWER Instructions:

With A, ch 3, sl st to make a ring.

Row 1: 12 dc into ring, sl st to first st.

Row 2: 2 dc in ea st around, sl st to first st.

Row 3: *Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 4: *With A, hdc in next 2 sts, with G, tcc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 5: With A, *dc in next 2 sts, 2 dc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 6: *Dc in next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 7: *Dc in next st, fpdc in same st, dc in next st, fpdc in next st, dc in next st, fpdc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 8: Dc in next 5 sts, 2 dc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Continue with Round Edge instructions.

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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PINK CIRCLE Instructions:

With A, ch 3, sl st to make a ring.

Row 1: 12 dc into ring, sl st to first st.

Row 2: 2 bpdC in ea st around, sl st to first st.

Row 3: *BpdC in next st, 2 bpdC in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 4: *BpdC in next 2 sts, 2 bpdC in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 5: With D, bpdC in next 48 sts around, sl st to first st.

Row 6: With A, *2bpdC in same st, bpdC in next 3 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 7: *Sc in next 2 sts, tc in next st, inserting in D edge and sk 1 st in row 6, sc in next 2 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 8: *2dc in same st, dc in next st, tcc in next st, dc in next 2 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 9: *Dc in same st, dc in next 5 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Continue with round edge instructions in row 9.

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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BLUE CIRCLE Instructions:

With A, ch 3, sl st to make a ring.

Row 1: 12 dc into ring, sl st to first st.

Row 2: 2 bpdC in ea st around, sl st to first st.

Row 3: *With F, sc in next 2 sts, tr, inserting in row 1 edge, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 4: With A, *bpdC in next 2 sts, fpdc in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 5: *2 dc in same st, dc in next 2 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 6: *Sc in next 2 sts, tc2tog connecting to before and after fpdc in row 4, sc in next 2 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 7: *Dc in next 2 sts, fptc around previous row tr2tog, dc in next 2 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 8: *2 dc in same st, dc in next 4 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 9: With B, *fpdc in next st, bpdC in next st, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Row 10: *Sc in same st, sc in next 5 sts, rep from * around, sl st to first st.

Continue with Round Edge instructions in row 9.

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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TRIANGLES Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next 2 chs, dc in next 24 chs, hdc in next 3 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next 5 sts, bpdc in next st, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 5: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 6: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next st, bpdc in next 5 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 7: Hdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 24 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Rows 8-23: Rep rows 2-7.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color G in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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TWO BRAIDS Instructions:

With A, ch 30.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next 4 chs, dc in next 3 chs, 3 dc in next ch, 3 dc in next ch, hdc in next 4 chs, dc in next ch, hdc in next 4 chs, dc in next 3 chs, 3 dc in each of next 2 chs, hdc in next 5 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 5 sts, braid (sk 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in 3 sk sts, working behind sts just completed, fpdc in next 3 sts), hdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next st, hdc in next 4 sts, rep braid, hdc in next 5 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 5 sts, bpdc in next 9 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next st, hdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 9 sts, hdc in next 5 sts, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 5 sts, braid (fpdc in next 3 sts, sk 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in 3 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, hdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next st, hdc in next 4 sts, rep braid, hdc in next 5 sts, turn.

Rows 5: Rep row 3.

Rows 6-22: Rep rows 2-5.

Row 23: Hdc in next 5 sts, bpdc3tog in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next st, hdc in next 4 sts, bpdc3tog in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, hdc in next 5sts.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color D in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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FOUR BRAIDS Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next 3 chs, *dc in next 2 chs, 2 dc in next ch, 2 dc in next ch, hdc in next 2 chs, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 2 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 4 sts, *braid (sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in 2 sk sts, working behind sts just completed, fpdc in next 2 sts), hdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 4 sts, *bpcdc in next 6 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 2 sts.

Row 4: Hdc in next 4 sts, *braid (fpdc in next 2 sts, sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in 2 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed), hdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 2 sts, turn.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Rows 6-22: Rep rows 2-5.

Row 23: Hdc in next 4 sts, *bpcdc2tog, bpcdc2tog, bpcdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 2 sts.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color G in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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BUBBLES Instructions:

With A, ch, 28.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk and each ch across, turn.

Row 2: Hdc, *tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 6 times, tcc in next st, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 27 sts, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 3 sts, *tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 5 times, tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Row 6: Hdc, tcc in next st, hdc in next 23 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 3.

Row 8: Hdc in next 3 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next 19 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 9: Rep row 3.

Row 10: Hdc, tcc in next st, hdc in next 7 sts, *tcc in next st, hdc in next st, rep from * 4 times, tcc in next st, hdc in next 7 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 11: Rep row 3.

Row 12: Hdc in next 3 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next 6 sts, *tcc in next st, hdc in next st, rep from * 3 times, tcc in next st, hdc in next 6 sts, tcc in next st, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 13: Rep row 3.

Row 14: Rep row 10.

Row 15: Rep row 3.

Row 16: Rep row 8.

Row 17: Rep row 3.

Row 18: Rep row 6.

Row 19: Rep row 3.

Row 20: Rep row 4.

Row 21: Rep row 3.

Row 22: Rep row 2.

Row 23: Rep row 3.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color C in row 2 and row 3(b).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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FOUR CABLES Instructions:

With A, ch 30.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next 3 chs, *dc in next 2 chs, with F, 2 dc in next ch, with A, hdc in next 3 chs, rep from * 4 times, hdc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 4 sts, * with F, bpdc in next 2 sts, with A, bpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 4 sts, *sk 2 sts, with F, fpdc in next 2 sts, with A, fpdc in 2 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 4 sts, *bpdc in next 2 sts, with F, bpdc in next 2 sts, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 5: Hdc in next 4 sts, *with F, fpdc in next 2 sts, with A, fpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 6: Rep row 4.

Row 7: Hdc in next 4 sts, *sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, with F, fpdc in 2 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 8: Rep row 2.

Row 9: Hdc in next 4 sts, *fpdc in next 2 sts, with F, fpdc in next 2 sts, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 10: Rep row 2.

Rows 11-22: Rep rows 3-10.

Row 23: Hdc in next 4 sts, *sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, with F, fpdc2tog in 2 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, with A, hdc in next 3 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next st, turn.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using row 3(a).

CROCHETED SQUARES AFGHAN

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DIAMONDS Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, hdc in next 2 chs, *2 dc in next ch, dc in next 4 chs, 2 dc in next ch, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 chs, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, *bpdc in next 4 sts, sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in 2 sk sts, (working in front of sts just completed,) rep from * 3 times, bpdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next 3 sts, *bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next 3 sts, *sk 2 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in 2 sk sts, (working in front of sts just completed,) sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in 2 sk sts, (working behind sts just completed,) rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 5: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 6: Hdc in next 3 sts, *bpdc in next 2 sts, sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sk sts, (working behind sts just completed,) bpdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 5.

Row 8: Hdc in next 3 sts, *sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 2 sk sts, (working behind sts just completed,) sk 2 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sk sts, (working in front of sts just completed,) rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 9: Rep row 3.

Rows 10-22: Rep rows 2-9.

Row 23: Hdc in next 3 sts, *fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc2tog in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, rep from * 4 times, hdc in next 3 sts.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using color E in row 2 and row 3(b).

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BRAID GREY Instructions:

With A, ch 31.

Row 1: Hdc in second ch from hk, dc in next 4 chs, with B, 3 dc in next ch, with A, dc in next 6 chs, 2 dc in next ch, dc in next 4 chs, 2 dc in next ch, dc in next 6 chs, with B, 3 dc in next ch, with A, dc in next 4 chs, hdc in next ch, turn.

Row 2: Hdc in next st, bpdc in next 4 sts, sk 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, with B, fpdc in 3 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, with A, bpdc in next 3 sts, sk 2 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in 2 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, sk 2, fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in 2 sk sts, working behind sts just completed, bpdc in next 3 sts, sk 3 sts, with B, fpdc in next 3 sts, with A, fpdc in next 3 sk sts, working behind sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 3: Hdc in next st, fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, with B, bpdc in next 3 sts, with A, fpdc in next 5 sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next 5 sts, with B, bpdc in next 3 sts, with A, bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 4: Hdc in next st, bpdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, with B, fpdc in next 3 sts, with A, bpdc in next 5 sts, fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 5 sts, with B, fpdc in next 3 sts, with A, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Row 6: Hdc in next st, bpdc in next 4 sts, sk 3 sts, with B, fpdc in next 3 sts, with A, fpdc in 3 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, bpdc in next 3 sts, sk 2 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in 2 sk sts, working behind sts just completed, sk 2, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in 2 sk sts, working in front of sts just completed, bpdc in next 3 sts, sk 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, with B, fpdc in 3 sk sts, working behind sts, with A, bpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 7: Hdc in next st, fpdc in next 4 sts, with B, bpdc in next 3 sts, with A, bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, with B, bpdc in next 3 sts, with A, fpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 8: Hdc in next st, bpdc in next 4 sts, with B, fpdc in next 3 sts, with A, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 4 sts, fpdc in next 2 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, with B, fpdc in next 3 sts, with A, bpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st, turn.

Row 9: Rep row 7.

Rows 10-22: Rep rows 2-9.

Row 23: Hdc in next st, fpdc in next 4 sts, with B, bpdc3tog, with A, bpdc in next 3 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 4 sts, bpdc in next 2 sts, fpdc in next 3 sts, bpdc in next 3 sts, with B, bpdc3tog, with A, fpdc in next 4 sts, hdc in next st.

Continue with Square Edge instructions, using row 3(a).

FINISHING: Sew squares together and with A, add 2 rows of sc all around the blanket.