

Medley Merino Chic Scarf

Get your hands on this happy combination of soft merino wool and crochet this colorful scarf. The pretty striped stitch pattern is perfectly finished with a crab stitch edge.





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What you will need:

Red Heart* Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™: 2 balls 5316 Linen A, and 1 ball each 5327 Mai Tai B, 5693 Poolside C, 5687 VIP D, 5254 Sunset E, and 5681 Suite F

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

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 2 repeats and 9 rows = 4" (10 cm) in Scarf pattern, after blocking. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

BUY YARN



RED HEART* Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™, Art. R170 100% Merino Wool available 3.5 oz (100 g), 186 yd (170 m) balls Scarf measures 11 x 81" (28 x 206 cm)

SPECIAL STITCHES

Dc5tog (double crochet 5 together)

= [Yo, pull up a loop in indicated st or space, yo and draw through 2 loops] 5 times, yo and draw through all 6 loops on hook.

SPECIAL TECHNIQUE

Crab Stitch: Sc in last st of previous row or rnd, * sc in next st to the RIGHT of last st worked; rep from * to end of row or round (reversing normal direction of work).

NOTES

- To change color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete stitch. Proceed with new color.
- Carry A along side of scarf when it is not in use. For all other colors, cut yarn after changing to next color, and reattach it the next time it is called for.

SCARF

With **A**, ch 44 (multiple of 8 plus 4). **Row 1 (right side):** Skip 3 ch (counts as 1 dc), 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, skip 3 ch, sc in next ch, * skip next 3 ch, 5 dc in next ch, skip next 3 ch, sc in next ch; repeat from * to last 4 ch, skip next 3 ch, 3 dc in last ch, turn.

Change to **B**.

Row 2: Ch 1, * sc in first dc, ch 3, dc5tog over next 5 sts, ch 3, sc in next dc; repeat from * to end, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc here and throughout), 2 dc in first sc, sc in next dc5tog, * 5 dc in next sc, sc in next dc5tog; repeat from * to last sc, 3 dc in last sc, turn.

Change to **A**, and repeat Rows 2 and 3 alternately, working 2 rows each in the following color sequence:

[A, C, A, D, A, E, A, F, A, B] 4 times, [A, C] twice, [A, B, A, F, A, E, A, D, A, C] 4 times. A. B.

Work 1 more row with **A** - 180 total rows in scarf.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Border

With right side facing and join **A** with a slip st anywhere along edge.

Round 1: Work in sc evenly around, placing 3 sc in each corner st, join with slip st in first sc.

Round 2: Ch 1, work in Crab st around, join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Weave in all loose ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C etc; ch = chain; dc = double crochet; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch (es); yo = yarn over; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.

See next page for stitch diagram and alternate photo





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