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What you will need:

RED HEART® It's A Wrap™:
1 ball 9252 Action

Susan Bates® Steel Crochet Hooks: 2.2mm [US 2] and 2.75mm [US C-2]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 8 pattern repeats = 4″ [10 cm], **Note:** One pattern repeat consists of one 3-dc group (sm-shell) and the following ch-1 space; 12 rows = 4″ [10 cm] in sm-shell pattern worked in Rows 1-6 of shawl, with larger hook. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

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SUPER FINE

RED HEART® It's A Wrap™, Art. E864 available in 7 oz (200 g), 1,100 yd (1,006 m) balls

SHOP KIT

Changing Colors Shawl

Starting at the lower edge and working to the top edge, this shawl is amazing to watch grow as you crochet away! The lightweight yarn changes colors as you form the rows of pretty shell patterns.

Shawl measures about 62″ [157.5 cm] wide and 24″ [61 cm] long.

Notes
1. Shawl is worked back and forth in rows of 3 different lacy shell patterns: Small Shell pattern, Open Shell pattern, and Large Shell pattern.
2. Work begins at lower edge of shawl. Stitches are increased in each row to shape shawl.
3. An edging is worked in joined rounds all the way around the outer edge.

Special Stitches
lg-shell (large shell) = 7 dc in indicated stitch or space.
sm-shell (small shell) = 3 dc in indicated stitch or space.
V-st (V-stitch) = (Dc, ch 1, dc) in indicated stitch or space.
sc-shell (single crochet shell) = 3 sc in indicated stitch or space.

SHAWL
With larger hook, ch 84.
Small Shell Pattern
Row 1 (wrong side): Work sm-shell in 5th ch from hook (4 skipped ch count as first tr), *skip next 2 ch, sm-shell in next ch; repeat from * to last ch, tr in last ch—27 sm-shells and 2 tr.
Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as tr here and throughout), turn, sm-shell in first dc of first sm-shell, sm-shell in each space between sm-shells across, sm-shell in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—28 sm-shells and 2 tr.

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Row 3: Ch 4, turn, sm-shell in first dc of first sm-shell, *ch 1, sm-shell in next space between sm-shells; repeat from * to last sm-shell, ch 1, sm-shell in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—29 sm-shells, 28 ch-1 spaces, and 2 tr.

Rows 4–6: Ch 4, turn, sm-shell in first dc of first sm-shell, *ch 1, sm-shell in next ch-1 space; repeat from * to last sm-shell, ch 1, sm-shell in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—32 sm-shells, 31 ch-1 spaces, and 2 tr in Row 6.

Open Shell Pattern

Row 7 (wrong side): Ch 4, turn, (dc, ch 3, dc) in first dc of first sm-shell, *ch 3, dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * to last sm-shell, ch 3, (dc, ch 3, dc) in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—35 dc, 34 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr.

Row 8: Ch 4, turn, sm-shell in next dc, *ch 1, sm-shell in next dc; repeat from * to beginning ch, tr in top of beginning ch-4—35 sm-shells, 34 ch-1 spaces, and 2 tr.

Row 9: Ch 4, turn, (dc, ch 3, dc) in first dc of first sm-shell, *ch 3, dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * to last sm-shell, ch 3, (dc, ch 3, dc) in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—38 dc, 37 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr.

Rows 10–17: Repeat Rows 8 and 9 four more times—50 dc, 49 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr in Row 17—50 dc, 49 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr.

Large Shell Pattern

Row 18 (right side): Ch 4, turn, V-st in next dc, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 space, *ch 3, V-st in next ch-3 space, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 space; repeat from * to last dc, ch 3, V-st in last dc, tr in top of beginning ch-4—26 V-sts, 25 sc, 50 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr.

Row 19: Ch 2 (counts as hdc here and throughout), turn, (sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-1 space of first V-st, *ch 6, (sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-1 space of next V-st; repeat from * to beginning ch, hdc in top of beginning ch-4—26 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups, 25 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc.

Row 20: Ch 4, turn, 4 dc in ch-3 space of first (sc, ch 3, sc) group, ch 1, sc in next ch-6 space, *ch 1, lg-shell in ch-3 space of next (sc, ch 3, sc) group, ch 1, sc in next ch-6 space; repeat from * to last (sc, ch 3, sc) group, ch 1, 4 dc in ch-3 space of last (sc, ch 3, sc) group, tr in top of beginning ch-2—24 lg-shells, 25 sc, 50 ch-1 spaces, two 4-dc groups, and 2 tr.

Row 21: Ch 2, turn, sc-shell in next dc, *ch 6, sc-shell in center dc of next lg-shell; repeat from * to last 4-dc group, ch 6, sc-shell in last dc of 4-dc group, hdc in top of beginning ch-4—26 sc-shells, 25 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc.

Row 22: Ch 4, turn, dc in first hdc, ch 3, V-st in center sc of next sc-shell, *ch 3, sc in next ch-6 space, ch 3, V-st in center sc of next sc-shell; repeat from * to beginning ch, ch 3, (dc, tr) in top of beginning ch-2—26 V-sts, 25 sc, 52 ch-3 spaces, and 2 (dc, tr) groups.

Row 23: Ch 2, turn, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next dc, *ch 6, (sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-1 space of next V-st; repeat from * to last ch-3 space, ch 6, (sc, ch 3, sc) in last dc, hdc in top of beginning ch-4—28 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups, 27 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc.

Rows 24–31: Repeat Rows 20–23 twice—32 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups, 31 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc in Row 31.

Rows 32–34: Repeat Rows 20–22—32 V-sts, 31 sc, 64 ch-3 spaces, and 2 (dc, tr) groups in Row 34.

Small Shell Pattern

Change to smaller hook.

Row 35 (wrong side): Ch 4, turn, sm-shell in next dc, ch 2, sm-shell in ch-1 space of next V-st, *ch 2, sm-shell in next sc, ch 2, sm-shell in ch-1 space of next V-st; repeat from * to last ch-3 space, ch 2, sm-shell in last dc, tr in top of beginning ch-4—65 sm-shells, 64 ch-2 spaces, and 2 tr.

Rows 36–38: Ch 4, turn, sm-shell in first dc of first sm-shell, *ch 2, sm-shell in next ch-2 space; repeat from * to last sm-shell, ch 2, sm-shell in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—68 sm-shells, 67 ch-2 spaces, and 2 tr in Row 38

Open Shell Pattern

Row 39 (wrong side): Ch 4, turn, (dc, ch 4, dc) in first dc of first sm-shell, *ch 4, dc in next ch-2 space; repeat from * to last sm-shell, ch 4, (dc, ch 4, dc) in last dc of last sm-shell, tr in top of beginning ch-4—71 dc, 70 ch-4 spaces, and 2 tr.

Row 40: Ch 4, turn, sm-shell in next dc, *ch 2, sm-shell in next dc; repeat from * to beginning ch, tr in top of beginning ch-4—71 sm-shells, 70 ch-2 spaces, and 2 tr.

Rows 41–46: Repeat Rows 39 and 40 three times—80 sm-shells, 79 ch-2 spaces, and 2 tr in Row 46.

Row 47: Repeat Row 39—83 dc, 82 ch-4 spaces, and 2 tr.

Large Shell Pattern

Change to larger hook.

Row 48 (right side): Ch 4, turn, V-st in next dc, *ch 3, sc in next ch-4 space, ch 3, V-st in next ch-4 space; repeat from * to beginning ch, tr in top of beginning ch-4—42 V-sts, 41 sc, 82 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr.

Rows 49–53: Repeat Rows 19–23—44 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups, 43 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc in Row 53.

Rows 54–69: Repeat Rows 20–23 four times—52 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups, 51 ch-6 spaces and 2 hdc in Row 69.

Rows 70–72: Repeat Rows 20–22—52 V-sts, 51 sc, 104 ch-3 spaces, and 2 (dc, tr) groups in Row 72.

Small Shell Pattern

Change to smaller hook.

Rows 73 and 74: Repeat Rows 35 and 36—106 sm-shells, 105 ch-2 spaces, and 2 tr in Row 74.

Open Shell Pattern
Rows 75 and 76: Repeat Rows 39 and 40—109 sm-shells, 108 ch-2 spaces, and 2 tr..
Row 77: Repeat Row 39—112 dc, 111 ch-4 spaces, and 2 tr.

Large Shell Pattern
Change to larger hook.
Row 78 (right side): Ch 4, turn, V-st in next dc, ch 3, sc in next ch-4 space, *ch 3, V-st in next ch-4 space, ch 3, sc in next ch-4 space; repeat from * to last dc, ch 3, V-st in last dc, tr in top of beginning ch-4—57 V-sts, 56 sc, 112 ch-3 spaces, and 2 tr.
Rows 79–83: Repeat Rows 19-23—59 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups, 58 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc in Row 83.
Rows 84 and 85: Repeat Rows 20 and 21—59 sc-shells, 58 ch-6 spaces, and 2 hdc.
Do not fasten off.

FINISHING
Edging
Round 1 (right side): Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), turn, dc in first hdc (first V-st made), ch 3, V-st in center sc of next sc-shell, *ch 3, sc in next ch-6 space, ch 3, V-st in center sc of next sc-shell; repeat from * to beginning ch, ch 3, V-st in top of beginning ch-2; working as evenly spaced as possible along side edge, [ch 3, sc in edge, ch 3, V-st in edge] 29 times; working as evenly spaced as possible across lower edge, [ch 3, sc in edge, ch 3, V-st in edge] 14 times; working as evenly spaced as possible along remaining side edge, ch 3, sc in edge, [ch 3, V-st in edge, ch 3, sc in edge] 28 times, ch 3; join with slip st in 3rd ch of beginning ch-4—131 V-sts, 131 sc, and 262 ch-3 spaces.

Round 2: Ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-1 space of first V-st, *ch 6, (sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-1 space of next V-st; repeat from * around, ch 6; join with slip st in first sc—131 (sc, ch 3, sc) groups and 131 ch-6 spaces.

Round 3: Ch 3 (counts as dc), 6 dc in ch-3 space of first (sc, ch 3, sc) group, ch 1, sc in next ch-6 space, *ch 1, lg-shell in ch-3 space of next (sc, ch 3, sc) group, ch 1, sc in next ch-6 space; repeat from * around, ch 1; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3—131 lg-shells, 131 sc, and 262 ch-1 spaces.
Fasten off.
Weave in ends. Block shawl to measurements.

ABBREVIATIONS
ch = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tr** = treble (triple) crochet; **()** = work directions in parentheses into same st; **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; ***** = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.