



# Checkers Board Game

Designed by Judy Hice

**Board measures 22 X 22".**

**RED HEART® "Super Saver®":** 1 skein 319 Cherry Red **A**, 2 skeins 312 Black **B**.

**Crochet Hook:** 6 mm [US J-10].

**GAUGE:** 8 sts = 2.5", 14 rows = 4" **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge given.

## GAME

### Strip 1 (make 4)

With **A** ch 9.

**Row 1 (right side):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook, and in each ch across; turn – 8 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn.

Repeat Row 2 until there are 8 rows, change to **B** repeat row 2 with **B** until there are 8 rows, change to **A**, change colors every 8 rows until there are 8 blocks.

### Strip 2 (make 4)

With **B** ch 9.

**Row 1 (right side):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook, and in each ch across; turn – 8 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn.

Repeat Row 2 until there are 8 rows, change to **A** repeat row 2 with **A** until there are 8 rows, change to **B**, change colors every 8 rows until there are 8 blocks.

Sew strips together alternately, sc in each st and row end around working 3 sc in each corner.

## BACK

With **B**, ch 65. Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across.

**Row 2:** ch 1, sc in each sc across; turn.

Repeat row 2 until there are 32 rows.

**Next Row:** ch 1, sc in first 16 sts, ch 32, skip next 32 sts, sc in last 16 sts; turn.

**Next Row:** ch 1, sc in first 16 sts, sc in each of next 32 ch, sc in last 16 sts; turn.

Repeat row 2 for 30 more rows. Sc in each st and row end around working 3 sc in each corner for same number of sts as board.

## FINISHING

Holding front and back pieces with wrong sides together, and working through all 4 loops, sc in each st around working 3 sc in each corner for two rnds.

### CHECKERS (make 12 with A and 12 with B)

Ch 4, work 13 dc in 1st ch, join with a slip st to top of beginning ch-4, Fasten off. Weave in ends.



### RED HEART® "Super Saver®":

Art. E300 available in Solid 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); Multi, Fleck and Print 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m) skeins.

**ABBREVIATIONS:** **ch** = chain; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **\*** = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated; **[ ]** = work directions given in brackets the number of times specified.