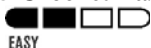


## SB708-005 Crochet Easy Afghan



EASY

Finished afghan measures approximately 50" x 64".

**RED HEART® "Light & Lofty®":** 40 Ounces No. 9316 Puff.

**Crochet Hook:** 11.5mm [US P-16].

Yarn needle.

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**GAUGE:** 8 sts = 5"; 8 rows = 6" in pattern. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

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Ch 78.

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across; turn – 77 sc.

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

**Row 3:** Ch 1, sc in first sc, \* ch 2, skip next sc, dc in next sc, ch 2, skip next sc, sc in next sc; rep from \* across; turn.

**Row 4:** Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), sc in first dc, \* ch 1, dc in next sc \*\*, ch 1, sc in next dc; rep from \* across, end at \*\*; turn.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, \* sc in dc, sc in sp, sc in sc, sc in sp; rep from \* to last st; sc in 3rd ch of ch-4; turn.

**Row 6:** Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn.

Rep Rows 2-6 for pattern until 61" from beginning, end by working Row 6. Do not fasten off.

**EDGING-Rnd 1 (Right Side):** Ch 1, 3 sc in first sc, sc in each st to last sc; 3 sc in last sc; sc evenly down long side edge; 3 sc at corner, sc across beginning edge, 3 sc in corner, sc evenly up long side edge; join with a sl st to first sc; TURN.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around and work 3 sc in each corner sc; join; TURN.

**Rnd 3:** \* Ch 2, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, skip next sc, sl st in next 2 sc; rep from \* around adjusting as necessary at corners and at end of rnd; join. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

*Designed by Michele Thompson.*

**ABBREVIATIONS:** ch = chain; dc = double crochet; mm = millimeters; rep = repeat; rnd = round; sc = single crochet; sl = slip; sp = space; st(s) = stitch(es); \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.

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