Ripple Afghan

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Afghan measures approximately 49¹/₂" wide x 64" long.

RED HEART® "Super Saver®", Art. E300 (8 ounce/452 yard solid and 6 ounce/348 yard multicolor skeins): 21 Ounces **CA**, 8 ounces **CB**, 12 ounces **CC**, 9 ounces **CD**.

Afghan: 316 Soft White **CA**, 334 Buff **CB**, 382 Country Blue **CC**, 303 Painted Desert Print **CD**.

Inset 1: 316 Soft White **CA**, 661 Frosty Green **CB**, 358 Lavender **CC**, 310 Monet Print **CD**.

Inset 2: 381 Light Blue **CA**, 387 Soft Navy **CB**, 311 White **CC**, 385 Royal **CD**.

Crochet Hook: 6.5mm [US K-10.5]. Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 1 pattern repeat = 5¹/₂"; 8 rows = 5". **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS:

Dc2tog: Yo and draw up a lp in next st, yo and draw through 2 lps, skip next 2 sts, yo and draw up a lp in next st, yo and draw through 2 lps, yo and draw through 3 lps remaining on hook.

PST (Puff Stitch): [Yo and draw up a lp] 4 times all in same dc, yo and draw through 8 lps, yo and draw through 2 lps remaining on hook.

TO CHANGE COLOR IN DC: With current color, yo and draw up a lp in last st, yo and draw through 2 lps, with next color to be used yo and draw through 2 lps remaining on hook.

AFGHAN

With **CA**, ch 175.
Row 1 (Right Side): Dc in 5th ch from hook, dc in next 7 ch, * (dc, ch 2, dc) all in next ch, dc in next 7 ch **, dc2tog, dc in next 7 ch; rep from * to last 3 ch, end at **; dc in next ch, skip next ch, dc in last ch; turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, skip next dc, sc in next 8 dc, * 3 sc in ch-2 sp, sc in next 8 dc **, skip dc2tog, sc in next 8 dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, end at **; skip next dc, sc in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, skip first 2 sc, dc in next 8 sc, * (dc, ch 2, dc) all in next sc, dc in next 7 sc **, dc2tog, dc in next 7 sc; rep from * to last 3 sc, end at **; dc in next sc, skip next sc, dc in last sc changing to **CB**; turn.

Row 4 (Puff St Row): With **CB**, ch 3, skip first 2 dc, * [PST in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc] 4 times, (PST, ch 2, PST) all in ch-2 sp, [ch 1, skip next dc, PST in next dc] 4 times **, skip dc2tog; rep from * to last 2 sts, end at **; skip next dc, dc in top of ch-3 changing to **CA**; turn.

Row 5: With **CA**, ch 3, skip first PST, [dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next PST] 4 times, * (dc, ch 2, dc) all in ch-2 sp, [dc in next PST, dc in ch-1 sp] 3 times, dc in next PST **, dc2tog over next two ch-1 sps skipping the two PST below, dc in next PST, [dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next PST] 3 times; rep from * to last 3 sts, end at **; dc in next ch-1 sp, skip next PST, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 6: Rep Row 2.

Row 7: Rep Row 3, changing to **CC**.

Row 8: With **CC**, rep Row 4, changing to **CD**.

Rows 9, 10, 11: With **CD** rep Rows 5, 6, 7.

Row 12: With **CC**, rep Row 4, changing to **CA**.

Rows 13, 14, 15: Rep Rows 5, 6, 7, changing to **CB**.

Rep Rows 4-15 seven more times, then rep Rows 4-7 once more; do not fasten off at end of last row.

FINISHING-Edging: With **CA** and right side still facing, work 1 round sc evenly around entire afghan, working more or fewer sc as necessary at corners and inner and outer points of ripple to keep work flat; join with a sl st in first sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS: CA, **CB**, **CC**, **CD** = Colors A, B, C, D; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **lp(s)** = loop (s); **mm** = millimeters; **rep** = repeat; **sc** = single crochet; **sl** = slip; **sp(s)** = space (s); **st(s)** = stitch (es); **tog** = together; **yo** = yarn over; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

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