



CROCHET
SKILL LEVEL
INTERMEDIATE



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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®:

3 skeins 400 Grey Heather **A**, 1 skein each 385 Royal Blue **B**, 316 Soft White **C**, 358 Lavender **D**, 322 Pale Yellow **E**, 672 Spring Green **F** and 505 Aruba Sea **G**

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook:

6mm [US J-10] and 5.5mm [US I-9]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: Hexagon = 8" [20.5 cm] across; each side of Hexagon = 4" [10 cm] using larger hook. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300 available in solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); prints, multis and heathers 5 oz (141 g), 236 yd (215 m), flecks 5 oz (141g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins

SHOP KIT

Flowers in Bloom Throw

Bring a bit of spring into your studio or office with this flower-inspired throw. The hexagons crochet up separately, making this a great travel project.

Throw measures 44" [112 cm] x 56" [142 cm].

NOTES

Throw is made from 53 Hexagon motifs in varying color patterns. Hexagons are worked in joined rounds with right side facing throughout. First Hexagon is at the upper left hand corner. Hexagons are added in rows from top to bottom. Rows are added from left to right. There are 6 color variations of Hexagons. First Hexagon is worked through Round 8. Remaining Hexagons are worked the same using different colors through Round 7 then joined to previous Hexagon on Round 8 following an assembly diagram. Round 7 and 8 on all Hexagons are all worked with **A**.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Beg Cluster: Ch 3, [yarn over, insert hook in same stitch, yarn over and pull up loop, yarn over, draw through 2 loops] 2 times, yarn over, draw through all loops on hook.

Cluster: [Yarn over, insert hook in same stitch, yarn over and pull up loop, yarn over, draw through 2 loops] 3 times, yarn over, draw through all loops on hook.

sc2tog: [Draw up a loop in next st] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

Shell: Work 5 dc in same stitch.

Small Shell: Work 3 dc in same stitch.

THROW HEXAGON 1

(Make 9 total worked through Round 6)

With **D**, ch 3, slip st in first ch to join.

Round 1: Ch 1, work 6 sc in ring, slip st in first sc to join – 6 sc.

Round 2: Work Beg Cluster in first sc, [ch 3, Cluster in next sc] 5 times, ch 3, slip st in top of Beg Cluster – 6 Clusters. Fasten off.

Round 3: With **G**, slip st in any ch-3 space, ch 1, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-3

space, *ch 1, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in next ch-3 space; repeat from * around, ch 1, slip st in first sc.

Round 4: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *skip next sc, Shell in next ch-2 space, skip next sc, sc in next sc, slip st in next ch-1 space**, sc in next sc; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first sc.

Round 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *sc in next 2 dc, 3 sc in next dc, sc in next 2 dc, sc in next sc, slip st in next slip st**, sc in next sc; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Round 6: With **B**, slip st in sc to left of any slip st, ch 1, sc in same sc,*ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, skip next sc, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next sc, [ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next sc] twice, skip next slip st**, sc in next sc; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

HEXAGON 2

(Make 9 total worked through Round 6)

Working as for Hexagon 1, work Rounds 1-2 with **E**, Rounds 3-5 with **B** and Round 6 with **F**.

HEXAGON 3

(Make 9 total worked through Round 6)

Working as for Hexagon 1, work Rounds 1-2 with **G**, Rounds 3-5 with **D** and Round 6 with **C**.

HEXAGON 4

(Make 9 total worked through Round 6)

Working as for Hexagon 1, work Rounds 1-2 with **C**, Rounds 3-5 with **F** and Round 6 with **D**.

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HEXAGON 5

(Make 9 total worked through Round 6)

Working as for Hexagon 1, work Rounds 1-2 with **B**, Rounds 3-5 with **C** and Round 6 with **G**.

HEXAGON 6

(Make 8 total worked through Round 6)

Working as for Hexagon 1, work Rounds 1-2 with **F**, Rounds 3-5 with **E** and Round 6 with **B**.

ASSEMBLY

Hexagons are joined to previous Hexagon in 7 vertical rows beginning at top left side corner. Rows alternate with having 8 or 7 Hexagons in each row. First row of Hexagons are joined along one opposite side. First Hexagons of Second, Fourth and Sixth Rows are joined along two sides with Hexagons of previous row. Remaining Hexagons of row are joined along one side to previous Hexagon of working row and two sides of Hexagons of previous row. First Hexagon of Third, Fifth and Seventh Rows are joined along one side with Hexagons of previous row. Remaining Hexagons of row joined along one side to previous Hexagon of working row and two sides of Hexagons of previous row. Follow diagram for placement.

First Row

First Hexagon

Round 7: With **A** and working on Hexagon 1, slip st in any corner ch-2 space, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same ch-2 space,*ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, skip next sc, hdc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, skip next 2 sc, hdc in next

ch-1 space, ch 1, skip next sc, sc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, skip next sc**, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 space; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first sc – 6 sts across each side between corner ch-2 spaces.

Round 8: (Slip st, ch 4, slip st) all in next corner ch-2 space, *[ch 2, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space] across to next ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc**, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) all in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first slip st – 6 ch-2 spaces on each side between corner ch-4 spaces.
Fasten off.

Second-Eighth Hexagons

One-Side Join (Join new Hexagon along opposite edge of previous join)

Following assembly diagram, repeat Round 7 as for First Hexagon.

Round 8: (Slip st, ch 2, slip st in corresponding ch-4 space of previous Hexagon, ch 2, slip st) all in next corner ch-2 space of working Hexagon, [ch 1, slip st in ch-1 space of previous Hexagon, ch 1, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space of working Hexagon] across to next ch-2 space, ch 1, slip st in ch-1 space of previous Hexagon, ch 1, skip next st, (slip st, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of previous Hexagon, ch 2, slip st) all in corner ch-2 space of working Hexagon, *[ch 2, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space] across to next ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc**, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) all in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first slip st.
Fasten off.

Second, Fourth And Sixth Rows

First Hexagon of Row

Fit first Hexagon of row along two adjacent sides of previous row.

Two-Side Join (Join new Hexagon along two corresponding edges of previous Hexagons)

Following assembly diagram, repeat Round 7 as for First Hexagon.

Round 8: [(Slip st, ch 2, slip st in corresponding ch-4 space of previous Hexagon, ch 2, slip st) all in next corner ch-2 space of working Hexagon, [ch 1, slip st in ch-1 space of previous Hexagon, ch 1, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space of working Hexagon] across to next ch-2 space, ch 1, slip st in ch-1 space of previous Hexagon, ch 1, skip next st, (slip st, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of previous Hexagon, ch 2, slip st) all in corner ch-2 space of working Hexagon] twice, *[ch 2, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space] across to next ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc**, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first slip st.
Fasten off.

Remaining 6 Hexagons of Row

Fit Hexagon along three adjacent sides of previous Hexagon and previous row.

Three Side Join (Join new Hexagon along corresponding edges of previous Hexagons)

Following assembly diagram, repeat Round 7 as for First Hexagon.

Round 8: [(Slip st, ch 2, slip st in corresponding ch-4 space of previous Hexagon, ch 2, slip st) all in next corner ch-2 space of working Hexagon, [ch 1, slip st in ch-1 space of previous

Hexagon, ch 1, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space of working Hexagon] across to next ch-2 space, ch 1, slip st in ch-1 space of previous Hexagon, ch 1, skip next st, (slip st, ch 2, slip st in ch-4 space of previous Hexagon, ch 2, slip st) all in corner ch-2 space of working Hexagon] 3 times, *[ch 2, skip next st, slip st in next ch-1 space] across to next ch-2 space, ch 2, skip next sc**, (slip st, ch 4, slip st) in corner ch-2 space; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **, slip st in first slip st.
Fasten off.

Third, Fifth And Seventh Rows

First Hexagon of Row

Fit first Hexagon of row along one adjacent side of previous row.

Following assembly diagram, repeat Round 7 as for First Hexagon.
Work Round 8 of One-Side Join as for Second Hexagon to join to corresponding side of first Hexagon of previous row.

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Next 6 Hexagons of Row

Fit Hexagon along three adjacent sides of previous Hexagon and previous row.

Following assembly diagram, repeat

Round 7 as for First Hexagon.

Work Round 8 of Three-Side Join as for Second Row to join to corresponding Hexagons of previous row.

Last Hexagon of Row

Following assembly diagram, repeat Round 7 as for First Hexagon.

Work Round 8 of Two-Side Join as for first Hexagon of Second Hexagon to corresponding sides of previous Hexagon of row and corresponding Hexagon of previous row.

FINISHING

Border

Round 1: With right side facing and larger hook, join **A** with a slip st in top left hand corner ch-4 space (marked on assembly diagram), ch 1, *[work (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch- 4 space, sc in next ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next 2 ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next ch-2 space] twice, [sc2tog over joined corner ch-4 sp of working Hexagon and ch-4 sp of next Hexagon, sc in next ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next 2 ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next ch-2 space, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch- 4 space, sc in next ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next 2 ch-2 space, Small Shell in

next ch-2 space, sc in next ch-2 space] 7 times, ([work (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch- 4 space, sc in next ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next 2 ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next ch-2 space] twice, [sc2tog over joined corner ch-4 sp of working Hexagon and ch-4 sp of next Hexagon, sc in next ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next 2 ch-2 space, Small Shell in next ch-2 space, sc in next ch-2 space] twice) three times; repeat from * once more, slip st in first sc.

Round 2: Change to smaller hook, sc in each sc, skipping sc2tog, and work (sc, ch 2, sc) in each ch-2 space and center dc of each Small Shell around, slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

A, B, C = Color A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **cm** = centimeters; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tog** = together; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; **()** = work directions in parenthesis the number of times specified; *** or **** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.

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