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Granny Update Throw

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RED HEART® "Super Saver®": 4 skeins each 0888 Delft Blue and 0316 Soft White/0313 Aran

Crochet hook: E-4 (3.5mm)
Yarn needle

Finished Measurements: Approx 40"/101.5cm x 60"/152.5cm

Gauge: Motif = 5½"/14cm bet points; 5¼"/13.5cm bet sides; side = 3"/7.5cm long. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the specified gauge.**

Special Abbreviations
triple treble crochet (trtr): Yo 4 times, insert hook in specified st, yo and draw up a lp, [yo and draw through 2 lps on hook] 5 times.
cluster (cl): [Yo, insert hook in specified st, yo and draw up a lp, yo and draw through 2 lps on hook] twice; yo and draw through all 3 lps.
invisible join: Work last st before joining, remove lp from hook and turn motif so wrong side is facing, insert hook in first st of round just made and into removed lp, draw lp through st to wrong side.

AFGHAN MOTIF (make 95)
With **A**, ch 3; join with sl st to form a ring.
Round 1 (right side): Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in ring, ch 1; *2 dc in ring, ch 1; repeat from * 4 times more – 12 dc and 6 ch-1 sps. Join with sl st in 3rd ch of beginning ch-3.
Round 2: *Ch 6, trtr in same ch as last sl st, (trtr, ch 6, sl st) in next dc, sc in next ch-1 sp**; sl st in next dc; repeat from *around, ending last repeat at ** – 12 trtr and 12 ch-6 lps. Join with sl st in joining sl st. Fasten off.
Round 3: With right side facing, join **B** with sl st in top of last trtr made on Round 2, ch 1, sc in same st as joining; *sc in first ch of next ch-6 lp, hdc in next ch of same ch-6 lp, dc in next ch of same ch-6 lp; dc in 4th ch of next ch-6 lp, hdc in next ch of same ch-6 lp, sc in next ch of same ch-6 lp**; sc in next 2 trtr; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at **; sc in next trtr – 48 sts. Join with sl st in first sc. Firmly pull into shape.
Round 4: Ch 2, dc in same st as joining (beginning cl made), ch 2, cl in same st as beginning cl (corner made); *[ch 1, sk next st, cl in next st] 3 times; ch 1, sk next st**; (cl, ch 2, cl) in next st (corner made); repeat from * around, ending last repeat at ** – 30 cl, 6 corner ch-2 sps and 24 ch-1 sps. Join with sl st in dc of beginning cl.
Round 5: Sl st in next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 sc in same ch-sp; *[ch 1, sk next cl, sc in next ch-1 sp] 4 times; ch 1, sk next cl**; 3 sc in next corner ch-2 sp; repeat from * around, ending last repeat at ** – 42 sc and 30 ch-1 sps. Join with invisible join in first sc. Fasten off. Firmly pull into shape.
Round 6: With right side facing, join **A** with sl st in center sc of 3 sc in any corner, ch 1, 3 sc in same st; *[ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp] 5 times; ch 1, sk next st**; 3 sc in next st (center sc of 3 sc in corner); repeat from * around, ending last repeat at ** – 48 sc and 36 ch-1 sps. Join with sl st in first sc.
Round 7: Sl st in next sc; ch 1, 3 sc in same st; *[ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp] 6 times; ch 1, sk next st**; 3 sc in next st (center sc of 3 sc in corner); repeat from * around, ending last repeat at ** – 54 sc and 42 ch-1 sps. Join with invisible join in first sc. Fasten off, leaving a 7"/18cm tail for joining motifs tog. Firmly pull into shape. joining

With wrong sides of 2 motifs tog, using yarn needle and 7"/18cm tail from one motif, whipstitch through both thicknesses in back lps only, starting at one corner and ending at next corner. Join motifs into 5 strips of 11 motifs and 4 strips of 10 motifs in same manner. Whipstitch strips tog in back lps only.

BLOCKING
Soak afghan in washing machine in lukewarm water for 5–10 minutes. DO NOT AGITATE. Spin dry on delicate cycle. Remove from washing machine and lay out on clean sheet. Pin to measurements and allow to dry thoroughly.

FRINGE
Attach 5 fringes evenly spaced across unjoined edge of motif at each end of 10 motif strips as follows: Cut 120 strands of **A**, each 6½"/16.5cm long. Hold 3 strands together and fold in half. Insert crochet hook from back to front in appropriate st or sp on Round 7 of motif and draw folded end through to back. Pull loose ends of strands through folded end and pull strands to tighten knot. Trim ends if desired.

FINISHING
Weave in all ends

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RED HEART® "Super Saver®",
Art. E300, 7oz/198g, 64yds/333m

Abbreviations: bet = between; **ch(s)** = chain(s); **cl** = cluster; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **lp(s)** = loop(s); **sc** = single crochet; **sk** = skip; **sl st** = slip stitch; **sp(s)** = space(s); **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tog** = together; **yo** = yarn over; ***** = Repeat directions following * as many times as indicated; **[ ]** = Work directions inside brackets as many times as indicated; **( )** = Work directions inside parentheses into stitch indicated.