



Soft Squares Throw

Designed by Katherine Eng

Throw measures 144 cm (57") square.

RED HEART® "Soft Touch™": Art N388, 4 Balls each 2950 Seafoam **A** and 4601 Off White **B**, and 2 balls 9440 Light Grey Heather **C**.

Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9].

TENSION: Square = 14 cm (5.75"). **CHECK YOUR TENSION. Use any size hook to obtain the tension.**

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NOTE: After the first square, all others are joined while working Rnd 5.

FIRST SQUARE: With **A**, ch 5; join with a slip st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 3, 15 dc in ring; join with a slip st in top of ch-3.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st as joining, [ch 3, sc in next dc] 15 times; hdc in first sc to join and form last space.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc over hdc, [ch 4, sc in next ch-3 space] 15 times; ch 1, hdc in first sc to join and form last space.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc over hdc, * 7 dc in next space, sc in next space **, [ch 2, sc in next space] twice; repeat from * to last space, end at **; ch 2, sc in last space, ch 2; join with a slip st in first sc.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in first sc, * ch 2, skip 2 dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next dc, (sc, ch 4, sc) all in next dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next dc, ch 2, skip 2 dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next sc, sc in next ch-2 space, ch 2, sc in next ch-2 space **, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next sc; repeat from * around, end at **; join in first sc. Fasten off.

You will be making 39 more squares with **A**, 40 with **B**, and 20 with **C**, all joined following diagram for placement by working Rnd 5 as follows:

Next Square-Joining Rnd 5: Ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in first sc, ch 2, skip 2 dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next dc, sc in next dc; ch 2, drop loop from hook, insert hook in corresponding ch-4 loop of completed square and into loop again, draw loop through, ch 2, sc in same dc – corner joined; sc in next dc; ch 1, drop loop, insert hook into corresponding ch-2 of completed square and into loop again, draw loop through, ch 1, sc in same st – ch-2 space joined; ch 2, skip 2 dc, sc in next sc, join next ch-2 space, sc in next ch-2 space; ch 1, drop loop, insert hook into



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corresponding ch-2 of completed square and into loop again, draw loop through, ch 1 – centre ch-2 space joined; sc in next ch-2 space, sc in next sc, join next ch-2 space, ch 2, skip 2 dc, sc in next dc, join next ch-2 space, sc in next dc, join next corner – one side joined; * (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next dc, ch 2, skip 2 dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next sc, sc in next ch-2 space, ch 2, sc in next ch-2 space **, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next sc, ch 2, skip 2 dc, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in next dc, (sc, ch 4, sc) all in next dc; repeat from * around, end at **; join. Fasten off.

Continue to make and join squares following the diagram. Weave in ends.



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ABBREVIATIONS: **A, B, C** = colour A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **rnd** = round; **sc** = single crochet; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1	11	21	31	41	51	61	71	81	91		
2	12	22	32	42	52	62	72	82	92		
3	13	23	33	43	53	63	73	83	93		
4	14	24	34	44	54	64	74	84	94		
5	15	25	35	45	55	65	75	85	95		
6	16	26	36	46	56	66	76	86	96		
7	17	27	37	47	57	67	77	87	97		
8	18	28	38	48	58	68	78	88	98		
9	19	29	39	49	59	69	79	89	99		
10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100		