



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Ch = Chain(s)
Rep = Repeat
RS = Right side
Sc = Single crochet

Sc2(3)tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 (3) stitches (sc and ch-1 sp). Yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook

Sp(s) = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tog = Together
Yoh = Yarn over hook

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 48" x 55" [122 x 140 cm], excluding tassels.

GAUGES

12 sc and 13 rows = 4" [10 cm].
 Width of 1 Strip = approx 8" [20.5 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: When joining a new ball of yarn, match with color from previous ball of yarn. Excess of unused yarn will be used after for tassels.

STRIP (make 6)

Ch 2.

See diagram on page 2.

1st row: (RS). (1 sc. Ch 1. 1 sc) in 2nd ch from hook. Turn. 3 sts.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Ch 1. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in last sc. Turn. 5 sts.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Ch 1. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in last sc. Turn. 7 sts.

4th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Ch 1. *1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Rep from * to last ch-1 sp. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in last sc. Turn.

Rep last row until bottom of Strip measures 8" [20.5 cm], ending on a RS row.

MATERIALS

Red Heart® Super Saver® Stripes™ (5 oz/141 g; 236 yds/215 m) Cool Stripe (07003) **11 balls or 2500 yds/2270 m**

Size U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Piece of cardboard 7" [18 cm] for tassels.

Work straight as follows:

1st row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. Ch 1. *1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Rep from * to last 4 sts. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Sc2tog. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 1. Sc2tog. *Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last sc. Ch 1. 1 sc in last sc. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows until side edge measures 55" [140 cm], ending on a 2nd row.

Proceed as follows:

1st row: Ch 1. Sc2tog. *Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last 3 sts. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Sc2tog. Turn. 33 sts.

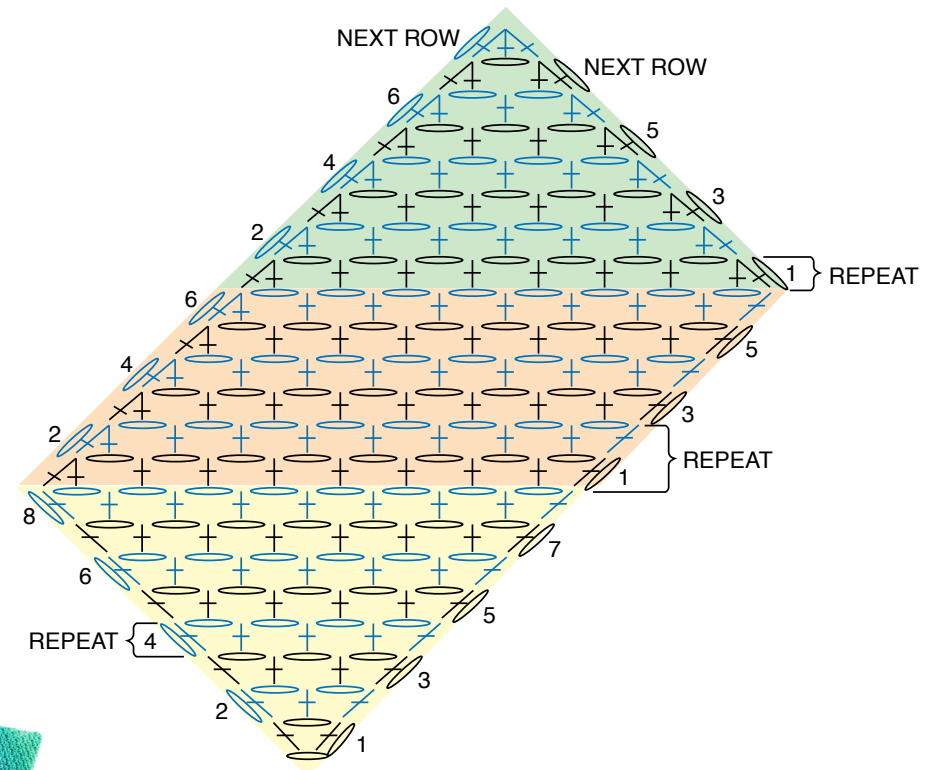
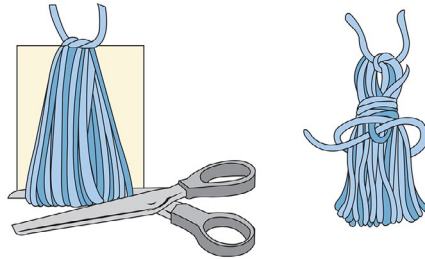
Rep last row until there are 5 sts.

Next row: Ch 1. Sc2tog. Ch 1. Skip next sc. Sc2tog. Turn. 3 sts.

Next row: Ch 1. Sc3tog. Fasten off.

Sew Strips tog, alternating direction of bias lines as shown.

Tassels: (Make 4). Wrap yarn around a 7" [18 cm] piece of cardboard 30 times. Tie securely at one end. Cut across other end. Wrap yarn 6 times around Tassel 1½" [4 cm] from tied end, and fasten securely. Attach Tassels at each corner of Blanket.



REDUCED SAMPLE OF STRIP PATTERN

STITCH KEY

- = chain (ch)
- ⊕ = single crochet (sc)
- ⋈ = single crochet 2 together (sc2tog)