

Blackwatch Throw

Level: 2 Easy

#### **FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

Approximately: 42" x 56"

#### **MATERIALS**

**Premier Yarns®** *Everyday® Plaid* (100% antipilling acrylic; 200gm/360 yds)

• #1073-18 Navy Green Plaid (A) – 2 balls **Premier Yarns**® *Everyday*® *Soft Worsted* (100% anti-pilling acrylic; 113gm/203 yds)

• #100-19 Navy (B) – 8 balls

**Hook:** US Size I-9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook *or size* needed to obtain gauge

**Notions:** Tapestry needle

#### **GAUGE**

18 sts x 16 rows = 4" in linen stitch

Working evenly and consistently throughout project is more important than an exact gauge.

#### **PATTERN NOTES**

Throw starts with Plaid stripe then solid sections are worked along both long edges.

Rather than calling for an exact gauge and a specific number of stitches, this throw pattern adjusts to your own gauge to make planned pooling easier to start. The colors of the throw should shift 1 stitch each row. To be successful the most important thing is to have a consistent gauge throughout the throw. Letting your tension loosen or tighten mid project will cause the pooling pattern to change.

When you begin a new ball change balls where the yarn changes color and match the new ball to the old ball to ensure the pattern doesn't get disrupted.

#### **THROW**

Using A, choose a spot in the yarn with a clear color change (such as green to Light grey) and make a slip knot. Chain until you have reached that same color change 6 times.

**Row 1:** Sc in 3rd ch from hook, \*ch 1, sk 1 ch, sc in next ch; rep from \* until you have reached that same color change 6 more times, rip back 2-3 sts to the last sc, turn. You will not use the entire beginning chain, leave the rest of the chain unworked.

**Row 2:** Ch 2, \*sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* across, sc in beginning ch-2 sp, turn.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures 12".

Join B, continue to repeat Row 2 until piece measures 48". Fasten off.

Join B along beginning edge of plaid section.

**Row 1:** Ch 2, \*sc in unused ch-sp, ch 1; rep from \* across, sc in skipped 2 ch sp, turn.

**Row 2:** Ch 2, \*sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* across, sc in beginning ch-2 sp, turn.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures 56", or until only 10 yds remain of B.

Work 1 round of sc around throw, working 3 sc in each corner, sl st to 1st sc to join. Fasten off.

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## **FINISHING**

Unravel unused crochet chain. Weave in ends.

### **Abbreviations**

ch chain
rep repeat(ing)
sc single crochet
sk skin

sk skip
sl st slip stitch
sp space
st(s) stitch(es)



