

Motorway Blanket

By Premier Yarns Design Team

Level: Intermediate



FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Length: 52"

Width: 43"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns *Ever Soft* (100% acrylic; 85gm/158 yds)

- #70-22 Lime (A) – 5 balls
- #70-35 Off White (B) – 4 balls
- #70-34 Black (C) – 1 ball
- #70-02 Sunflower (D) – 1 ball
- #70-33 Grey (E) – 2 balls
- #70-06 Cardinal (F) – 1 ball
- #70-21 Turquoise (G) – 1 ball
- #70-03 Papaya (H) – 1 ball

Hook: US Size H-8 (5 mm) crochet hook *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle

GAUGE

13 sts x 10.5 rows = 4" in Wave Stitch

Save time, check your gauge.

STITCH GUIDE

Wave Stitch (*multiple of 8 sts + 3*)

Row 1 (RS): Dc in 3rd ch from hk, * hdc in next ch, sc in next 3 ch, hdc in next ch, dc in next 3 chs; rep from * to end, ending with dc in last 2 ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in 1st 2 sc, * hdc in next sc, dc in each of next 3 sc, hdc in next sc, sc in each of next 3 sc; rep from * to end, ending with sc in last 2 sc, turn.

Row 4: Sc in each st across.

Row 5: Ch 3, dc in next sc, * hdc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, hdc in next sc, dc in each of next 3 sc; rep from * to end, ending with dc in last 2 sc, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rep Rows 3-6 for patt.

BLANKET

Wave Section 1

With A, chain 139.

With A, work Rows 1-2 of Wave Stitch.

With B, work Rows 3-4 of Wave Stitch.

With A, work Rows 5-6 of Wave Stitch.

Rep last 4 Rows, 6 more times.

Road 1

Attach E, working in back loop only for this row only, work row 3 of patt.

With E, and working through both loops, work Rows 4-6 of patt. Drop E.

On WS, attach D at beg of Row 6, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. Cut D.

Attach E on RS and work Row 3 – 6 of patt to complete road.

Wave Section 2

Attach A, and working in back loop only work Row 3 of patt across

With A, and working through both loops, work Row 4 of patt.

With B, work Rows 5-6 of Wave Stitch.

With A, work Rows 3-4 of Wave Stitch.

Rep last 4 Rows, 6 more times.

Road 2

Attach E, working in back loop only for this row only, work row 5 of patt.

With E, and working through both loops, work Row 6, then Rows 3-4 of patt. Drop E.

On WS, attach D at beg of Row 4, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. Cut D.

Attach E on RS and work Row 5-6, then 3-4 of patt to complete road.

Wave Section 3

Attach A, and working in back loop only work Row 5 of patt across

With A, and working through both loops, work Row 6 of patt.

With B, work Rows 3-4 of Wave Stitch.

With A, work Rows 5-6 of Wave Stitch.

Rep last 4 Rows, 6 more times.

Road 3

Attach E, working in back loop only for this row only, work row 3 of patt.

With E, and working through both loops, work Rows 4-6 of patt. Drop E.

On WS, attach D at beg of Row 6, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. Cut D.

Attach E on RS and work Row 3 – 6 of patt to complete road.

Wave Section 4

Attach A, and working in back loop only work Row 3 of patt across

With A, and working through both loops, work Row 4 of patt.

With B, work Rows 5-6 of Wave Stitch.

With A, work Rows 3-4 of Wave Stitch.

Rep last 4 Rows, 6 more times.

Edging

Rnd 1: Attach A, sc evenly around blanket, working 3 sc in each corner.

Rnd 2: Attach E, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in each corner.

Rnd 3: Attach D, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in each corner.

Rnd 4: Attach E, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in each corner.

Fasten off.

Cars (*make 9 total – 3 each in F, G, and H*)

Body

Ch 14.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hk, sc in next 5 ch, 2 sc in next ch, sc in next 6 sc, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in next 6 sc, 2 dc in next sc, dc in next 7 sc, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in next 7 dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc across last 2 dc, dc2tog, turn.

Row 4: Ch 3, dc2tog, dc across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 10, sk 6 dc, dtr in next 2dc, ch 8, sk 3 dc, sl st in next dc.

Work 1 rnd of sc around entire Car.

Wheels (*make 18 – 2 per Car*)

With C, ch 4, join with sl st to form a ring.

Ch 3, 23 dc in ring, join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Spokes

With E and tapestry ndl, embroider 4 Spokes on Wheels.

FINISHING

Sew Wheels to Cars. Using photo as a guide, sew Cars to Blanket. Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

beg	beginning
ch	chain
cont	continue
dc	double crochet
dc2tog	double crochet two together
dtr	double treble crochet
hdc	half double crochet
hk	hook
lps	loops
ndl	needle
patt	pattern
rep	repeat
rnd	round
RS	right side
sc	single crochet
sl st	slip stitch
sts	stitches