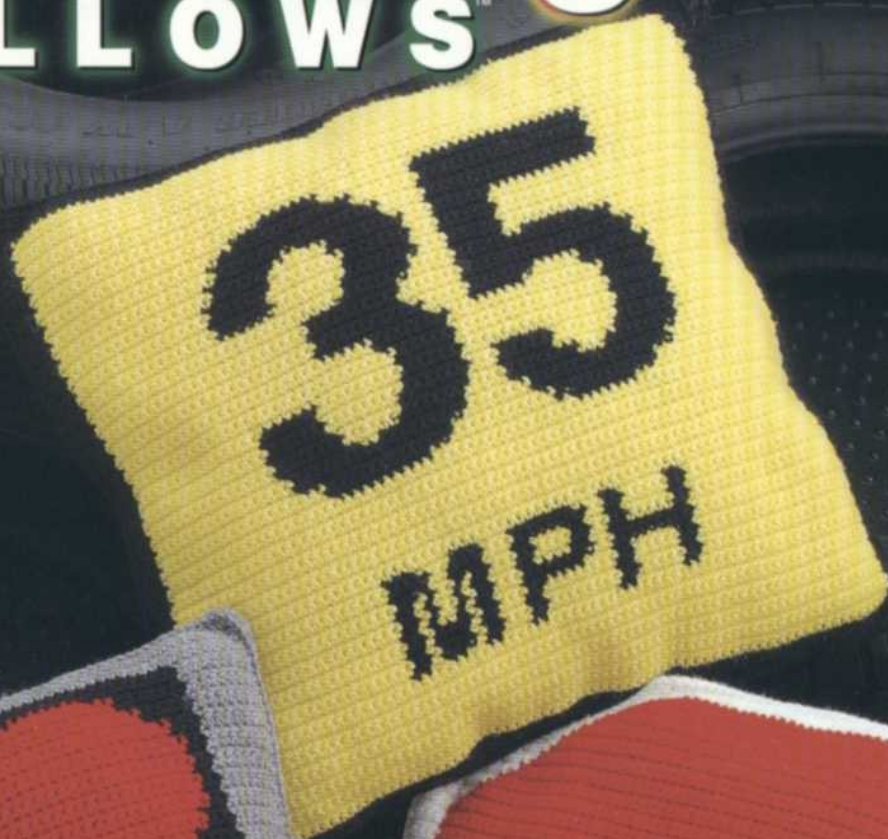


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Traffic Sign PILLOWS™

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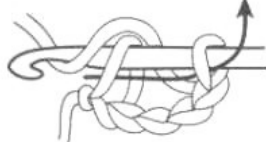
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Stitch Guide

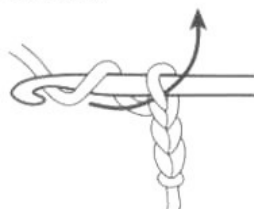
Color change: Drop first color; with second color, pull through last 2 lps of st. Drop unused color to wrong side of work; do not carry yarn across work.



Slip stitch—sl st: Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st and lp on hook.



Chain—ch: Yo, pull through lp on hook.



Single crochet—sc: Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through both lps on hook.



STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS

begbeginning
ch, chschain, chains
dcdouble crochet
decdecrease
hdchalf double crochet
incincrease
lp, lpsloop, loops
rnd, rndsround, rounds
scsingle crochet
sl stslip stitch
sp, spsspace, spaces
st, stsstitch, stitches
togtogether
trtreble crochet
yoyarn over

sc next 2 sts tog.....(insert hook in next st, yo, pull through st) 2 times, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.

hdc next 2 sts tog.....(yo, insert hook in next st, yo, pull through st) 2 times, yo, pull through all 5 lps on hook.

dc next 2 sts tog.....(yo, insert hook in next st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook) 2 times, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.



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Though Linda Sauter has been a self-taught crocheter for over 20 years, she didn't think of professional designing until recently. At her husband's suggestion, these witty copies of traffic signs transformed into colorful pillows became her first published design.

Linda teams up with daughter Jennifer to dream up designs, including ideas for custom pillows for relatives and friends. When she's not crocheting, Linda likes to read, listen to music and spend time with her family at their home in the Pacific Northwest.

35 MPH

FINISHED SIZE:
20" square.

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. yellow
 - 5 oz. black
- Polyester fiberfill
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

4 sc = 1"; 4 sc rows = 1".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With black, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (80 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2–80: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn.

Rnd 81: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With yellow, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

Rows 2–80: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rnd 81: Repeat rnd 81 of Front.

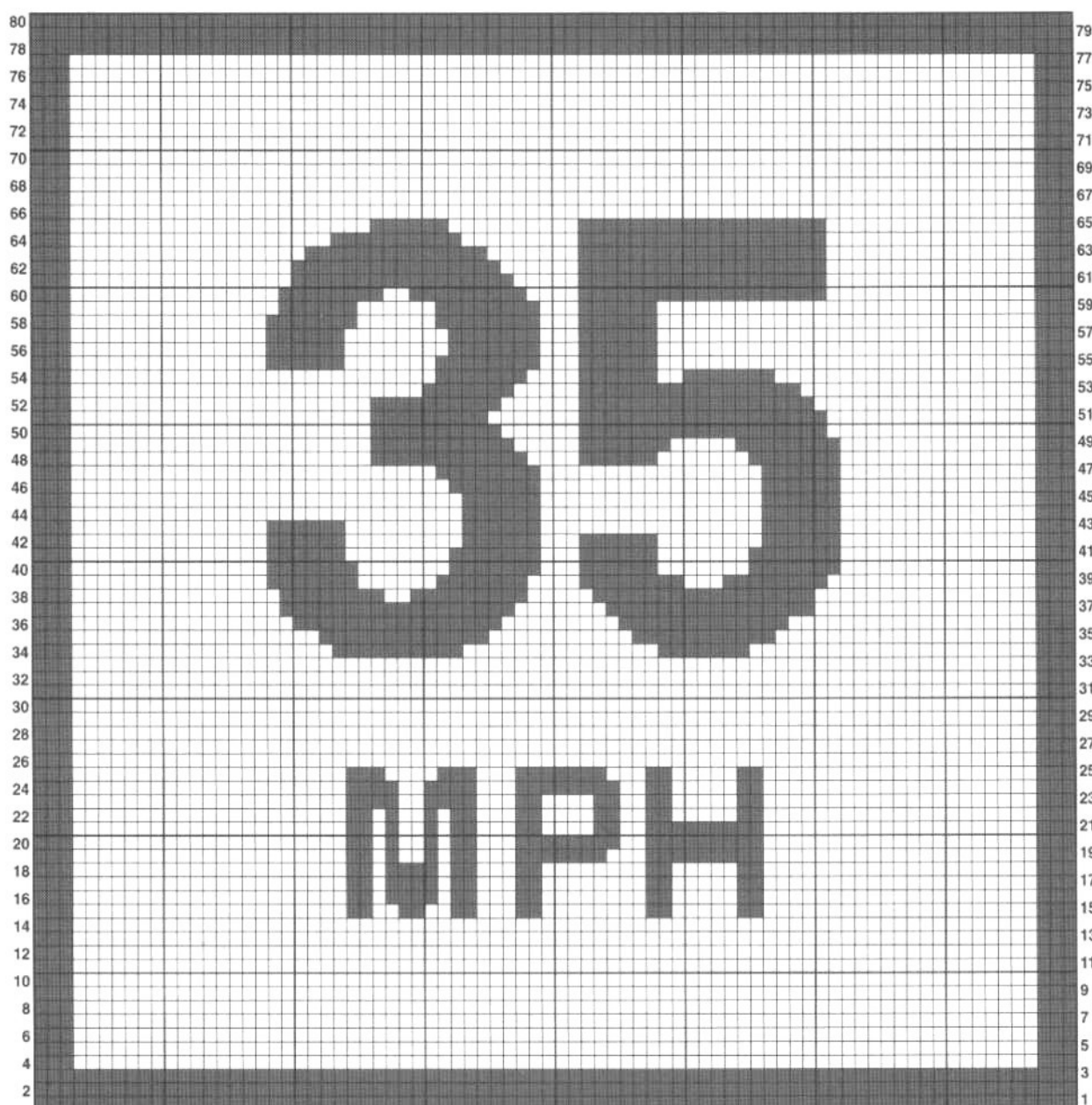
With black, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

**EACH SQUARE
ON GRAPH
EQUALS ONE SC**

YARN:

□ = YELLOW

■ = BLACK



No Right Turn

FINISHED SIZE:

20" square.

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. white
 - 5 oz. black
 - 2 oz. red
- Polyester fiberfill
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

4 sc = 1"; 4 sc rows = 1".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With black, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (80 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2–80: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn.

Rnd 81: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each

row around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With white, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

Rows 2–80: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

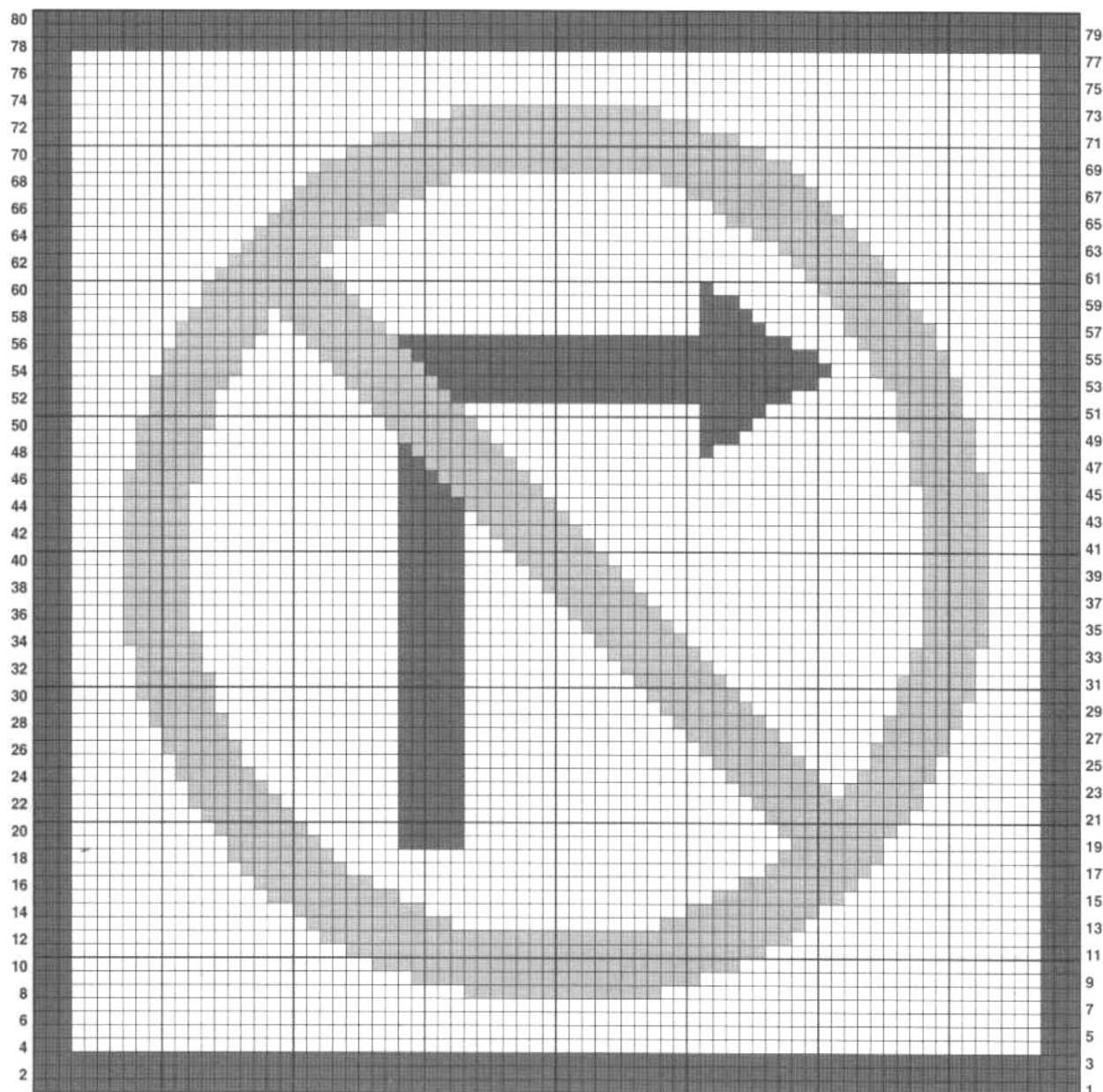
Rnd 81: Repeat rnd 81 of Front.

With black, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

EACH SQUARE ON GRAPH EQUALS ONE SC

YARN:

- = WHITE
- = RED
- = BLACK



Detour

FINISHED SIZE:

13½" x 18".

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. rust
 - 5 oz. black
- Polyester fiberfill
- F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

9 sc = 2"; 9 sc rows = 2".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With black, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (80 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2–60: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn.

Rnd 61: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With rust, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

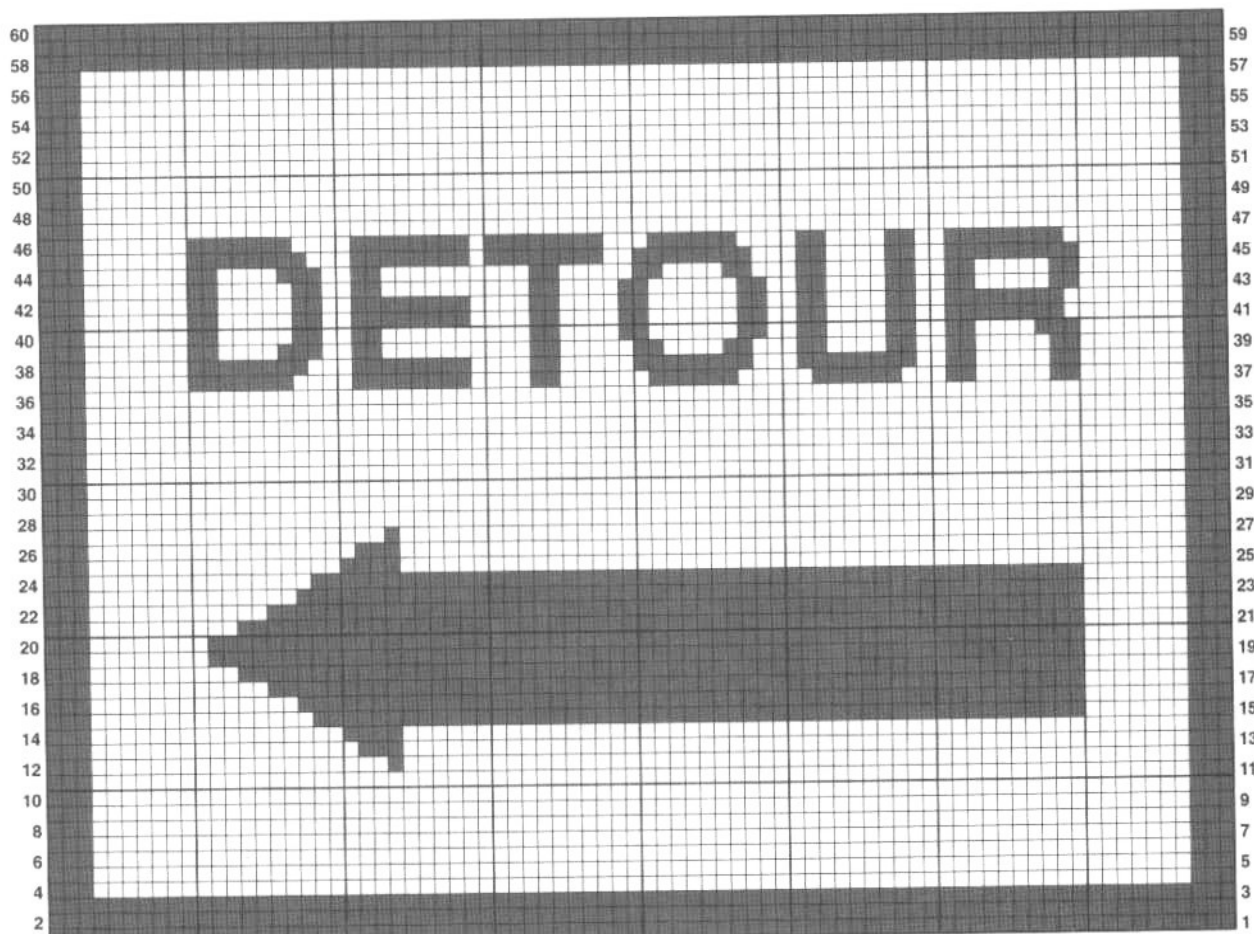
Rows 2–60: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rnd 61: Repeat rnd 61 of Front. With black, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

**EACH SQUARE
ON GRAPH
EQUALS ONE SC**

YARN:

- = RUST
- = BLACK



Directions

FINISHED SIZE:

15" x 18".

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. green
 - 5 oz. white
- Polyester fiberfill
- F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

9 sc = 2"; 9 sc rows = 2".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With white, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (80 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2-66: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn.

Rnd 67: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With green, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

Rows 2-66: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rnd 67: Repeat rnd 61 of Front.

With white, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

**EACH SQUARE
ON GRAPH
EQUALS ONE SC**

YARN:

- = GREEN
- = WHITE



Wrong Way

FINISHED SIZE:

13½" × 18".

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. red
 - 5 oz. white
- Polyester fiberfill
- F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

9 sc = 2"; 9 sc rows = 2".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With white, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (80 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2–60: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn.

Rnd 61: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With red, ch 81, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

Rows 2–60: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rnd 61: Repeat rnd 61 of Front.

With white, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

**EACH SQUARE
ON GRAPH
EQUALS ONE SC**

YARN:

- = RED
- = WHITE



Stop Light

FINISHED SIZE:

10½" × 23½".

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. gray
 - 5 oz. black
 - 1 oz. green
 - 1 oz. yellow
 - 1 oz. red
- Polyester fiberfill
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

4 sc = 1"; 4 sc rows = 1".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With gray, ch 42, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (41 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2–95: Ch 1, sc in each st across changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn. At end of last row, **do not turn.**

Rnd 96: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With gray, ch 42, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

Rows 2–95: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of last row, **do not turn.**

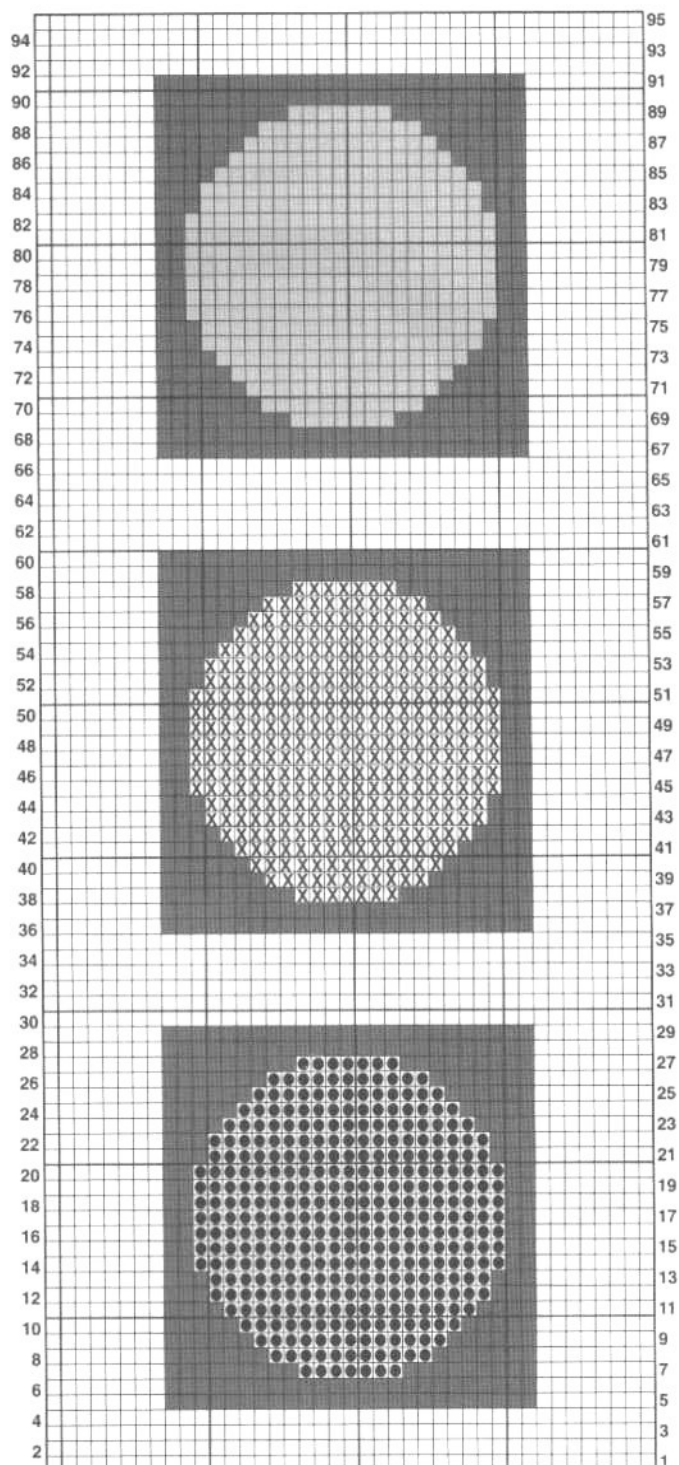
Rnd 96: Repeat rnd 96 of Front.

With gray, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

EACH SQUARE
ON GRAPH
EQUALS ONE SC

YARN:

- = GRAY
- = GREEN
- X = YELLOW
- = RED
- = BLACK



Stop

FINISHED SIZE:

20½" across.

MATERIALS:

- Worsted yarn:
 - 12 oz. red
 - 5 oz. white
- Polyester fiberfill
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

4 sc = 1"; 4 sc rows = 1".

STITCHES USED:

Ch, sl st, sc.

SPECIAL STITCHES:

For **increase**, 2 sc in first st or 2 sc in last st.

For **decrease**, sc first 2 sts tog or sc last 2 sts tog.

NOTE: Wind balls of yarn for each color change. Fasten off colors when no longer in use.

PILLOW

Front

Row 1: With white, ch 36, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. (35 sc made) *Front of row 1 is right side of work.*

Rows 2–81: Ch 1, sc in each st across increasing, decreasing and changing color (see *Stitch Guide*) according to corresponding rows on graph, turn. At end of last row, **do not turn**.

Rnd 82: Working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in each st and in end of each row around with 2 sc in each

corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Back

Row 1: With red, ch 36, sc in second ch from hook and in each ch across, turn.

NOTE: Do not change colors.

Rows 2–81: Ch 1, sc in each st across increasing and decreasing according to corresponding rows on graph, turn. At end of last row, **do not turn**.

Rnd 82: Repeat rnd 82 of Front.

With white, sl st Front and Back pieces wrong sides together, stuffing before closing. □□

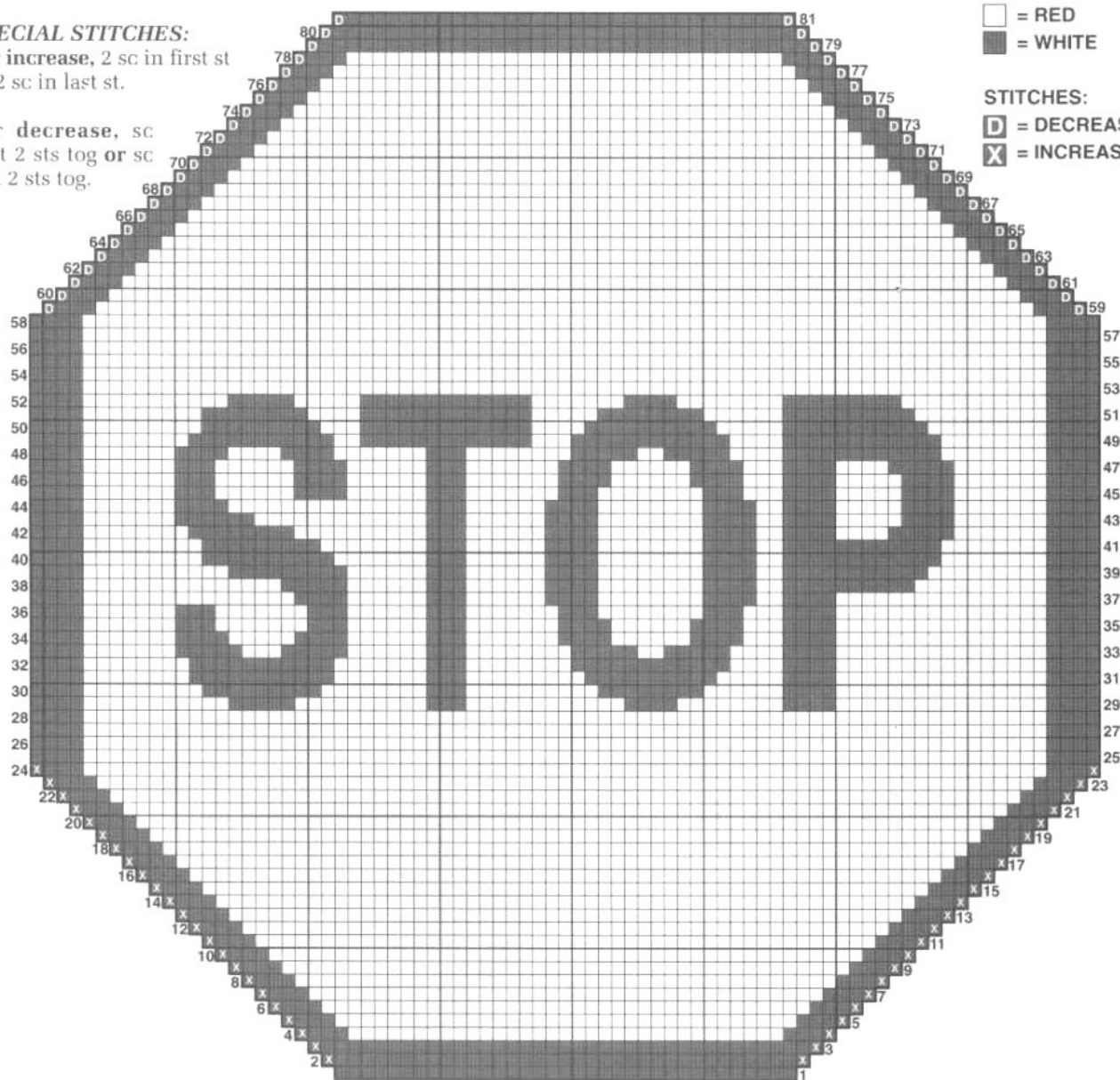
EACH SQUARE ON GRAPH EQUALS ONE SC

YARN:

□ = RED
■ = WHITE

STITCHES:

ⓓ = DECREASE
ⓧ = INCREASE





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