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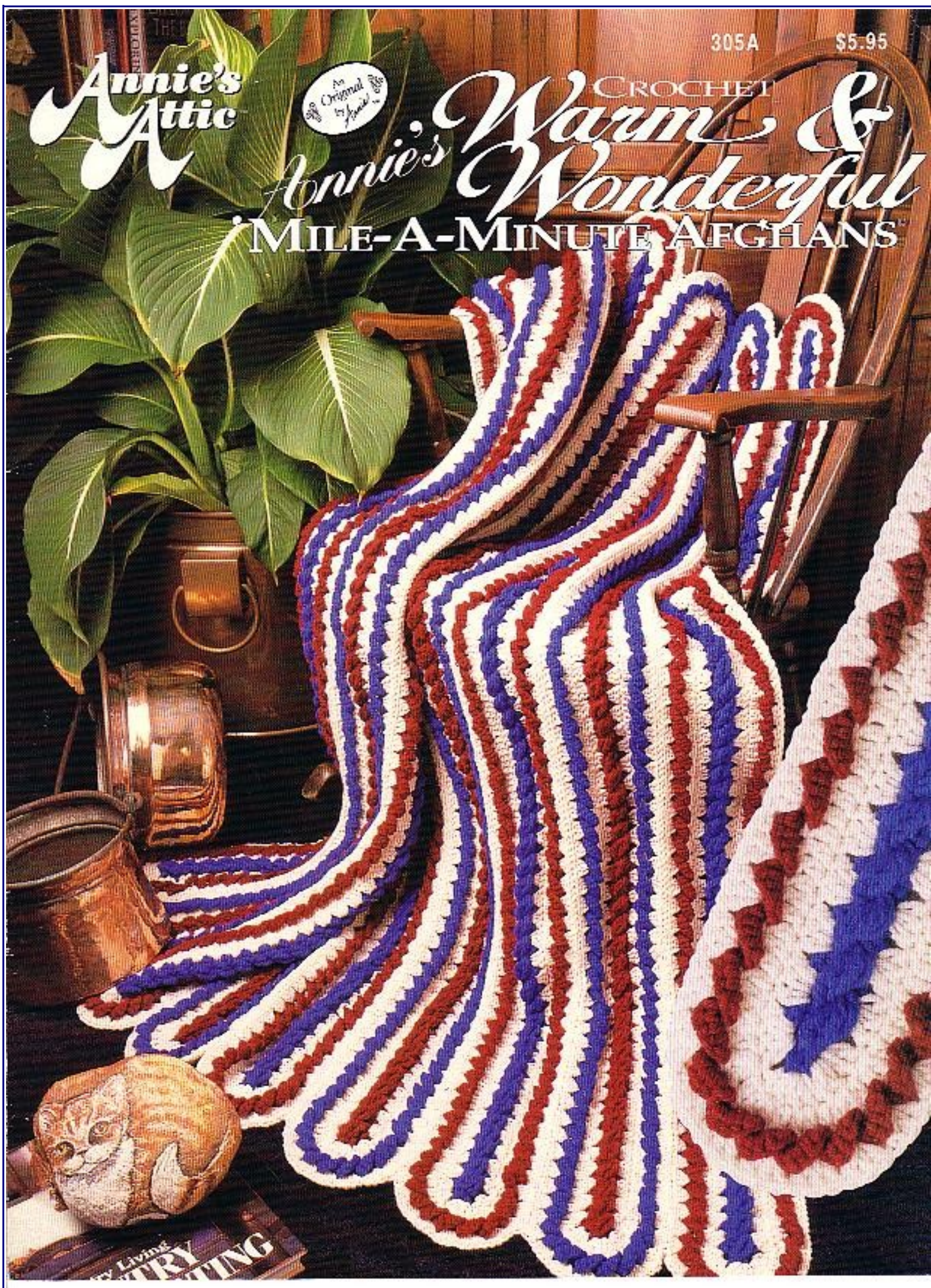
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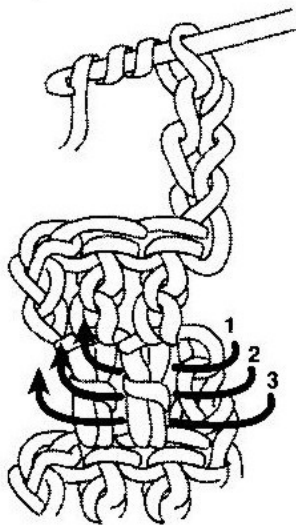


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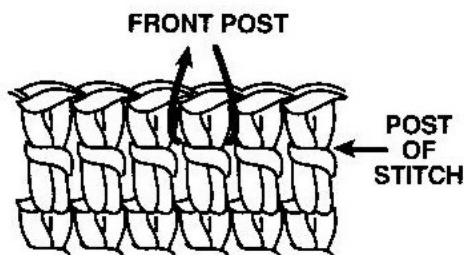
SPECIAL STITCHES

For **3-dtr cluster**, yo 3 times, insert hook around post of dc (see arrow 1 of ill.), *yo, pull loop through, (yo, pull through 2 loops on hook) 3 times, leaving last loops on hook*; yo 3 times, insert hook around post of same dc (see arrow 2 of ill.) and repeat between first *; yo 3 times, insert hook around post of same dc (see arrow 3 of ill.) and repeat between first *, yo and pull through all loops on hook.



For **sc front post st**, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row or rnd, complete as sc.

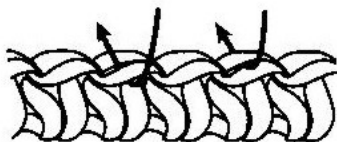
For **tr front post st**, yo 2 times, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row or rnd, complete as tr.



For **dc popcorn st**, work number of dc needed in st or sp, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of dc group, pick up dropped loop on hook, pull loop through first dc of group.

For **puff st**, yo, insert hook in next st, yo and pull loop through, (yo, insert hook in same st, yo and pull loop through) 3 times, yo and pull through all loops on hook.

FRONT LOOP/BACK LOOP ILL.



WHIPSTITCHING THROUGH BACK LOOPS ILL.



AMISH BEAUTY

MATERIALS: Worsted-weight yarn —35 ozs. black, 3½ ozs. each of 7 desired colors; tapestry needle; G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: 4 dc = 1"; 2 dc rows = 1".
Strip is 6½" wide.

FINISHED SIZE: 44" × 60½".

STRIP CENTER (make 7)

Row 1: With G hook and desired color, ch 15, dc in 4th ch from hook and in each ch across, ch 3, turn. (13 dc). Ch 3 counts as a dc.

Row 2: Dc in each st across, ch 3, turn.

Row 3: Dc in next 5, ch 5, skip next st, dc in next 6 sts, ch 3, turn.

Row 4: Dc in next 4, ch 3, sc in ch-5 loop, ch 3, skip next dc, dc in next 5, ch 3, turn.

Row 5: Dc in next 3 dc, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 loop, sc in sc, sc in next ch-3 loop, ch 3, skip next dc, dc in next 4, ch 3, turn.

Row 6: Dc in next 3 dc, dc in next ch-3 loop, ch 3, sc in middle sc, ch 3, dc in next ch-3 loop, dc in next 4 dc, ch 3, turn.

Row 7: Dc in next 4 dc, dc in next ch-3 loop, ch 1, dc in next ch-3 loop, dc in next 5 dc, ch 3, turn.

Row 8: Dc in next 5 dc, dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next 6 dc, ch 3, turn.

Rows 9-99: Repeat rows 2-8 over and over.

Row 100: Repeat row 2. Fasten off.

STRIP BORDER

Rnd 1: Working around outer edge, with G hook and black yarn, join with sc in end of last row on Center, sc in same row, *2 sc in end of each row across side; working across bottom of row 1, 3 sc in first st for corner, sc in next 11 sts, 3 sc in next st for next corner; working across other side and end, repeat from *, join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Sc in next st, ch 2, *(3-dc popcorn in next st—see Special Stitches on this page, dc in next st) across to next corner, skip next st, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in center st, dc in next st, (3-dc popcorn in next st, dc in next st) 6 times, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next st, dc in next st; repeat from *, 3-dc popcorn in joining sl st of last rnd, join with sl st in top of ch 2.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in each st around with (dc, ch 1, dc) in each corner ch-1 sp, join with sl st in top of ch 3. Fasten off.
Repeat Border around each Strip Center.

JOINING

With black yarn, whipstitch edges of Strips together through **back loops** of sts only (see Special Stitches on page 3). □□

FORGETFUL GRANNY

MATERIALS: Worsted-weight yarn—19 ozs. off-white, 3½ ozs. each of 9 desired colors; tapestry needle; G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: 4 dc = 1"; 3 dc shell rows = 1". Strip is 4½" wide.

FINISHED SIZE: 42" × 55".

STRIP CENTER (make 9)

Row 1: With G hook and desired color yarn, ch 10, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 3, 2 dc in ring, ch 2, 3 dc in ring, ch 2, 3 dc in ring, ch 3, turn. (9 dc)

Row 2: (3 dc, ch 2, dc) in each of next 2 ch-2 sps, dc in top of turning ch, ch 3, turn.

Rows 3-82: Repeat row 2.

Row 83: (3 dc in next ch-2 sp) 2 times, dc in top of turning ch, turn.

Row 84: Sl st in top of first dc, ch 4, sl st in top of last dc. Fasten off.

STRIP BORDER

Rnd 1: With G hook and off-white yarn, skip sp at end of last row and join with a sc in next sp, ch 2, 2 dc in same sp;

A: 3 dc in each sp down side of Center;

B: 4 dc over last dc before end ring;

C: 6 dc in end ring;

D: 4 dc over last dc after end ring;

E: 3 dc in each sp down other side of Center;

F-I: Repeat steps B-D, join with sl st in top of ch 2, sl st in **back loop** (see Special Stitches on page 3) of next st. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: With same color yarn as Center, join with a sc in **back loop** of st

where you just fastened off; working in **back loops** only, sc in each st around with 2 sc in each of center 4 sts around each end, join with sl st in first sc, sl st in **back loop** of next st. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With off-white, join with a sc in **back loop** of st where you just fastened off; working in **back loops** only, sc in each sc around, join with sl st in first sc, sl st in **back loop** of next sc. Fasten off.

Repeat Border around each Strip Center.

JOINING

Leaving 22 sts around each end free, with off-white yarn, whipstitch edges of Strips together through **back loops** of sts only (see Special Stitches). □□

POPCORN GRANNY

MATERIALS: Worsted-weight yarn—60 ozs. off-white; tapestry needle; G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: 4 dc = 1"; 3 dc shell rows = 2". Strip is 5½" wide.

FINISHED SIZE: 45½" × 58".

STRIP (make 8)

Center

Row 1: With G hook and off-white yarn, ch 10, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 3, 3 dc in ring, ch 1, 3 dc in ring, ch 1, 4 dc in ring, ch 3, turn.

Row 2: (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in first ch-1 sp (shell made), ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch, ch 3, turn.

Row 3: (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in first ch-1 sp, work a **3-dc popcorn st** (see Special Stitches on page 3) in ch-1 sp between shells, sl st in same ch-1 st, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch, ch 3, turn.

Rows 4-87: Repeat rows 2-3 over and over. At end of last row, do not ch 3, just turn; sl st in top of 3 dc, ch 4, sl st in middle of next shell. Fasten off.

Border

Rnd 1: With front side facing you,

with G hook and off-white yarn, join with sc in sp at end of last row on Center, 2 sc in same sp;

A: 3 sc in each sp down side of Center;

B: 3 sc over dc before end ring;

C: 9 sc in end ring;

D: 3 sc over dc after end ring;

E: 3 sc in each sp down other side of Center;

F: Sc in top of each of 3 dc before ring;

G: 9 sc in end ring;

H: Sc in top of next 3 dc, join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Sl st in next sc, ch 3, 3-dc popcorn in same st, ch 2, (skip next 2 sts, 4-dc popcorn in next st) repeat around working 5 popcorn sts with only 1 skip between them in the center 9 sts at each end, join with sl st in top of first popcorn.

Rnd 3: Sc in next sp, ch 1, 2 hdc in same sp, 3 hdc in each sp around working 4 hdc in each of center 4 sps around each end, join with sl st in first ch 1, sl st in **back loop** of next st (see Special Stitches). Fasten off.

JOINING

Leaving 26 sts around each end free, with off-white yarn, whipstitch edges of Strips together through **back loops** of sts only (see Special Stitches). □□

OCEAN WAVES

MATERIALS: Worsted-weight yarn—18 ozs. lt. blue-green (color A), 18 ozs. med. blue-green (color B), 11 ozs. white; tapestry needle; G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: 4 dc = 1"; 2 dc rows = 1". Strip is 4¼" wide.

FINISHED SIZE: 36" × 53".

STRIP (make 9)

NOTE: You will be working with 2 colors for the length of Strip. **Do not fasten off** when changing colors.

Rnd 1: With G hook and color A, ch 8, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 3, 21 dc in ring, join with sl st in top of ch 3. (22 dc)

Rnd 2: Ch 4, (dc, ch 1) in each dc around, join with sl st in 3rd ch of ch 4.

Rnd 3: Ch 5, (dc, ch 2) in each dc around, join with sl st in 3rd ch of ch 5; to **change color, drop color A and pick up color B;** ch 1, turn.

Row 4: Sc front post (sc fp—see Special Stitches on page 3) around next dc, ch 3 (as you ch 3, hold other color yarn behind work and catch it in stitches as you ch). skip next dc, sc fp around next dc, (ch 6, skip next dc, sc fp around next dc) 3 times, skip next dc, tr fp (see Special Stitches) around next dc, turn.

Row 5: Ch 5, sc in next ch-6 loop, 11 dc in next ch-6 loop, sc in next ch-6 loop, ch 2, tr in next sc of last row (when you insert hook in sc, hold other color yarn behind work and catch in stitch as you begin the tr, work tr up to last 2 loops on hook, hold other color yarn behind stitch again and catch in st as you finish last 2 loops). turn.

Row 6: (Dc in next dc, ch 1) 10 times, dc in next dc, sc in next ch-5 loop, ch 1, turn.

Row 7: (Dc in next dc, ch 2) 10 times, dc in next dc, ch 1, sl st in top of tr at base of last dc, change color, ch 1, turn.

Rows 8-107: Repeat rows 4-7. Fasten off after sl st of last row.

EDGING

With G hook and white yarn, join with sc in next to last ch sp of rnd 3 on Strip, ch 3, (sc, ch 3, sc, ch 3) in each ch sp around, sc in next to last ch sp again, turn Strip so you are working up side with wrong side of work facing you;

*Ch 4, skip ch 3 at beginning of row 4, sc in next sc, ch 3, (sc, ch 3, sc, ch 3) in next ch sp, sc in sl st at end of row 7, ch 3; working across row 7, sc in next dc, ch 3, (sc, ch 3, sc, ch 3) in next 9 ch sps, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next sp, turn;

Working up other side of strip with right side facing you, ch 4, sc in top of tr at end of row 8, ch 3, (sc, ch 3, sc, ch 3) in ch-5 sp at end of row 9, sc in side of sc at end of row 10, ch 3, sc in ch-1 sp at beginning of row 11, ch 3; working across row 11, (sc, ch 3, sc, ch 3) in next 9 ch sps, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next sp, turn Strip so you are working up side with wrong side of work facing you;

Repeat from * until you reach end of Strip. Fasten off.

JOINING

With color A, whipstitch edges of Strips together, matching "waves".



MILES ACROSS AMERICA

MATERIALS: Worsted-weight yarn —28 ozs. off-white, 18 ozs. each of dk. red and blue; tapestry needle; G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: 4 dc = 1"; 2 dc rows = 1". Strip is 5" wide.

FINISHED SIZE: 43" × 56".

STRIP CENTER (make 5 blue, 4 dk. red)

Row 1: With G hook and Main Color yarn, ch 4, 2 dc in 4th ch from hook, ch 1, turn.

Row 2: Sc in next 3 sts, ch 3, turn.

Row 3: 3-dtr cluster (see Special Stitches on page 3) around post of middle dc in 2nd row below, dc in each of next 2 sc behind cluster just made, ch 1, turn.

Row 4: Sc in next 3 sts, ch 3, turn.

Row 5: 3-dtr cluster around post of middle dc in 2nd row below (it is hidden behind last cluster made), dc in each of next 2 sc behind cluster just made, ch 1, turn.

Rows 6-132: Repeat rows 4 and 5 over and over, ending with row 4.

Row 133: 3-dtr cluster around post of middle dc in 2nd row below, dc in next sc, ch 3, sl st in last sc. Fasten off.

STRIP BORDER

Rnd 1: Working around outer edge of Center and skipping ends of sc rows, with G hook and off-white yarn, join with sc in sp formed by the dc at the end of the next row, ch 2, 2 dc in same sp;

A: 3 dc in each sp at end of dc rows down first side of Center to last sp, work 4 dc in last sp;

B: 4 dc in end st, 4 dc in first sp on opposite side;

C: Repeat step A down other side of Center;

D: 4 dc in end st;

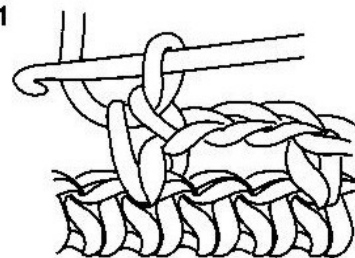
E: 4 dc in remaining ch-3 sp on first

side, join with sl st in top of ch 2.

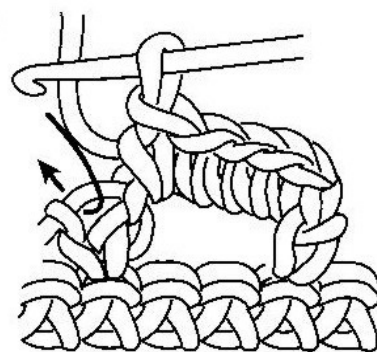
Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in each dc down side, in center 12 sts around end work (2 dc in next, dc in next) 6 times, dc in each dc down other side, in center 12 sts around other end repeat between () 6 times, join with sl st in top of ch 3. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With contrasting color yarn to Strip Center, join with sl st in st where you just fastened off; for cable, ch 3, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st (see ill. 1), turn; work 5 sc over ch-3 loop, sl st in next st (see ill. 2), turn; working behind ch-3 loop, sc in each of 2 skipped sts (see ill. 3), you will reverse direction twice in completing each cable;

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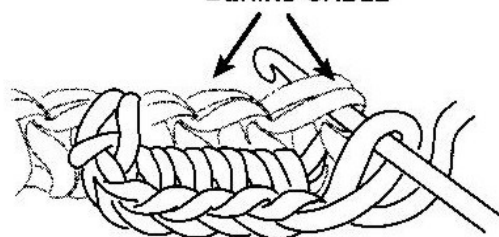


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2 SKIPPED SC BEHIND CABLE



A: *Ch 3, skip st where previous ch 3 was attached, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st, turn, work 5 sc over ch-3 loop, sl st in next sc, turn; working behind ch-3 loop, sc in each of 2 skipped sts; repeat from * down side to center 14 sts at end;

B: *Ch 3, skip st where previous

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ch 3 was attached, skip next st, sc in next st, **turn**, work 5 sc over ch-3 loop, sl st in next sc, **turn**; working behind ch-3 loop, 2 sc in skipped st; repeat from * 6 more times;

C-D: Repeat steps A-B;

E: Repeat step A in any remaining sts on first side, ending with ch 3, skip last st or 2, sl st in st that is in front of first cable made, **turn**, work 5 sc over ch-3 loop, sl st in next sc, **turn**, 2 sc behind ch-3 loop. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: With off-white, join with a sc in st behind next cable, ch 2, 2 dc in same place;

A: 3 dc in a st behind each cable down side;

B: Work 4 dc in a st behind each of center 6 cables around end;

C-D: Repeat steps A-B;

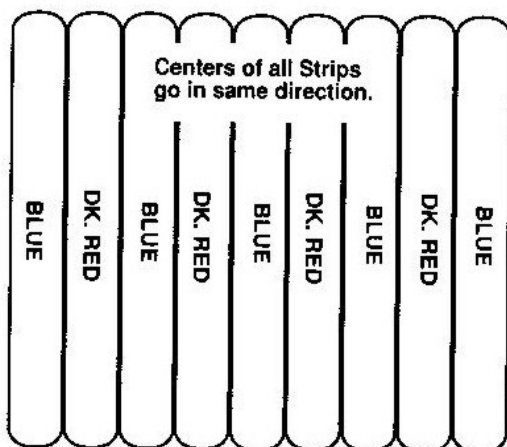
E: Work 3 dc behind remaining cable, sl st around top of ch 2, sl st in **back loop** of next dc. Leaving a long tail, fasten off. Insert hook from back side of same back loop and pull tail through. Work tail in on back side.

JOINING

Leaving 22 sts around each end free, with off-white yarn, whipstitch edges of Strips together through **back loops** of sts only (see Special Stitches on page 3) according to assembly diagram. □□

ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM

Leave stitches around ends free.



MATERIALS: Worsted-weight yarn —9 ozs. each of dk. orchid, med. blue, dk. orange and bright pink, 7 ozs. each of bright green, turquoise, lt. orange and yellow; tapestry needle; G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge.

GAUGE: Puff st = $\frac{5}{8}$ " tall; puff st, ch 2, puff st = 1". Strip is $4\frac{1}{4}$ " wide.

FINISHED SIZE: 37" x 61".

COLOR PATTERN A: Make 5 Strips using the following colors:

Color A = bright green

Color B = turquoise

Color C = med. blue

Color D = dk. orchid

COLOR PATTERN B: Make 4 Strips using the following colors:

Color A = yellow

Color B = lt. orange

Color C = dk. orange

Color D = bright pink

STRIP CENTER

Row 1: With G hook and color A, ch 6, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 3, **puff st** (see Special Stitches on page 3) in ring, ch 2, puff st in ring, ch 1, dc in ring, ch 3, **turn**.

Row 2: Work (puff st, ch 2, puff st) in ch-2 sp of last row, ch 1, dc in top of turning ch, ch 3, **turn**.

Rows 3-94: Repeat row 2.

Row 95: Work (puff st, ch 4, puff st) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, dc in top of turning ch. Fasten off.

STRIP BORDER

Rnd 1: With color B, join with sl st in space formed by dc at end of last row;

A: Draw up a loop $\frac{3}{4}$ " long, work (puff st, ch 2) in same space, work (puff st, ch 2) in each sp down side of Center;

B: In end ring, work (puff st, ch 2) 4 times;

C: (Puff st, ch 2) in each sp down other side of Center;

D: Repeat step B, join with sl st in

top of first puff st. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: With color C, join with sl st in next ch-2 sp;

A: Draw up a loop $\frac{3}{4}$ " long, work (puff st, ch 2) in same sp, work (puff st, ch 2) in each ch-2 sp down side;

B: In center 5 spaces around end, work (puff st, ch 2, puff st, ch 2) in each sp;

C: (Puff st, ch 2) in each ch-2 sp down other side;

D: Repeat step B in center 5 sps around other end, join with sl st in top of first puff st. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With color D, join with sl st in next ch-2 sp;

A: Repeat step A of rnd 2;

B: In center 5 sps around end, work (puff st, ch 2, puff st) in first sp, ch 2, (puff st, ch 2) in 2nd sp, (puff st, ch 2, puff st) in 3rd sp, ch 2, (puff st, ch 2) in 4th sp, (puff st, ch 2, puff st) in 5th sp, ch 2;

C: Repeat step C of rnd 2;

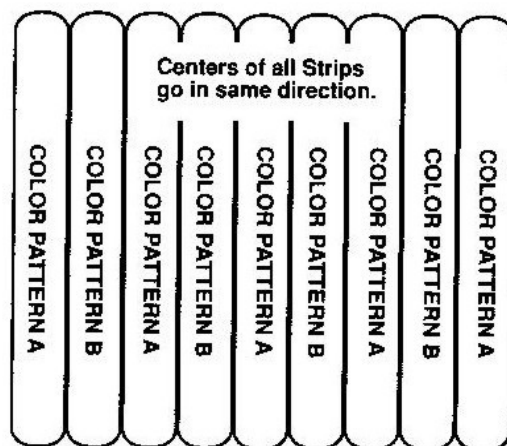
D: Repeat step B of this rnd, (puff st, ch 2) in remaining sp, join with sl st in top of first puff st. Fasten off.

JOINING

Leaving 12 puff sts around each end free, with dk. orchid yarn, whipstitch edges of Strips together through **back loops** of sts only (see Special Stitches) according to assembly diagram. □□

ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM

Leave stitches around ends free.





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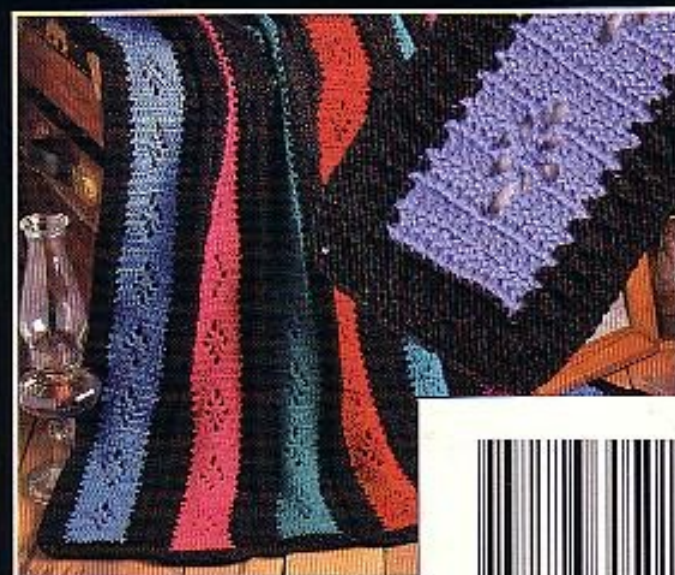
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