



Bright Stripes Afghan

Afghan measures approximately 52" wide x 59" long excluding fringe.

RED HEART® "Super Saver®": 4 skeins 798 Sunshine Print **CA**, 2 skeins each 324 Bright Yellow **CB** and 254 Pumpkin **CC**.

Crochet Hook: 6.5mm [US K-10.5].
Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 10 sts = 3¼"; 4 rows = 3" in pat. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

To Change Color in Sc: Work to one st before required color change, draw up a lp in next st, drop color in use; with next color to be used yo and draw through 2 lps on hook.

To Change Color in Dc: Work to one st before required color change, yo and draw up a lp in next st, yo and draw through 2 lps, drop color in use; with next color to be used yo and draw through 2 lps on hook.

AFGHAN: With **CA**, ch 183.

Foundation Row 1 (Right Side): With **CA**, dc in 4th ch from hook, * hdc in next 2 ch, sc in next 3 ch, hdc in next 2 ch **, dc in next 3 ch; rep from * to last 2 ch, end at **; dc in last 2 ch; turn – 181 sts.

Foundation Row 2: With **CA**, ch 1, sc in first 2 dc, * skip next 3 sts, 7 tr in next sc, skip next 3 sts **, sc in next 3 dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, end at **; sc in next dc, sc in top of turning ch; turn.

Row 1: With **CB**, ch 2, skip first sc, dc in next sc and in each st across; turn.

Row 2: With **CB**, ch 2, 3 tr in first dc, * skip next 3 sts, sc in next 3 sts, skip next 3 sts **, 7 tr in next st; rep from * to last st, end at **; (3 tr, dc) all in top of turning ch; turn.

Row 3: With **CC**, ch 2, skip first dc, dc in next st and in each st across and in top of turning ch; turn.

Row 4: With **CC**, ch 1, sc in first 2 dc, * skip next 3 sts, 7 tr in next st, skip next 3 sts **, sc in next 3 dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, end at **; sc in next dc, sc in top of turning ch; turn.

Rows 5 and 6: With **CA**, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Rows 7 and 8: With **CB**, rep Rows 3 and 4.

Rows 9 and 10: With **CC**, rep Rows 1 and 2.

Rows 11 and 12: With **CA**, rep Rows 3 and 4.

Rep Rows 1-12 for pat until approximately 51½" from beg, end by working Row 11 with **CA**. Now work as follows:

Last Row: With **CA**, ch 4, skip first st, dc in next st, * hdc in next 2 dc, sc in next 3 dc, hdc in next 2 dc **, dc in next 3 dc; rep from * to last 2 sts, end at **; dc in last dc, dc in top of turning ch. Fasten off.

FINISHING-Fringe: Cut 12" lengths of **CA**. Knot 5 strands in each row end as follows: fold 5 strands in half forming a loop; insert hook from the wrong side of the fabric into the row end and into the loop; draw the loop through the fabric for approximately 2", then draw the yarn ends through the loop and tighten. Trim ends.



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RED HEART® “Super Saver®”,
Art. E300, solids - 7 oz, 364 yds;
multis - 5 oz, 278 yds

ABBREVIATIONS: **CA, CB, CC** = Color A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **lp(s)** = loop(s); **mm** = millimeters; **rep** = repeat; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tr** = treble crochet; **yo** = yarn over; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.