



## Traditional Granny Throw

*The traditional black-bordered, brightly-colored granny square throw is back in fashion. It's easy to do and fun to make. Come up with your own unique color combo!*

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Throw measures 50 x 58".

**Red Heart® With Love™:** 2 skeins 1012 Black **A**; 1 skein each 1252 Mango **B**, 1620 Clover **C**, 1814 True Blue **D**, 1538 Lilac **E**, 1207 Cornsilk **F**, and 1914 Berry Red **G**.

**Crochet Hook:** 6.0 mm [US J-10] and 5.5 mm [US I-9] (for round 2 of border only).

**GAUGE:** Rounds 1-2 = 3¼" in diameter; square = 8 x 8".  
**CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge given.

**NOTE:** On rounds 2-6, begin with a ch 3 or work the following beginning dc: wrap yarn around hook, yo and draw up a loop in specified space, then complete as for a regular dc.

**Colors Combinations (make 7 each in each of the following color combinations):**

**Square 1:** E, C, D, G, and B.

**Square 2:** D, B, F, C, and E.

**Square 3:** F, E, D, B, and C.

**Square 4:** B, G, C, E, and F.

**Square 5:** C, D, E, B, and G.

**Square 6:** G, F, B, C, and D.

### THROW

#### First Square

With first color and larger hook, ch 4; join with a slip st to form a ring.

**Round 1:** Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout), 2 dc in ring, ch 2, [3 dc, ch 2] 3 times in ring; join with a slip st in beginning ch-3 – 12 dc; 4 ch-2 spaces. Fasten off.

**Round 2:** With right side facing and larger hook, join 2nd color in any ch-2 space, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same corner space, \*ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 space; repeat from \* around, ch 1; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3 – 24 dc; 4 ch-2 spaces; 4 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off.

**Round 3:** With right side facing and larger hook, join 3rd color in any ch-1 space, ch 3, 2 dc in same space, \*ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 space, ch 1\*\*, 3 dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3 – 36 dc; 4 ch-2 spaces; 8 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off.

**Round 4:** With right side facing and larger hook, join 4th color in first ch-1 space to the left of any corner ch-2 space, ch 3, 2 dc in same space, \*ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in corner ch-2 space, ch 1\*\*, 3 dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3 – 48 dc; 4 ch-2 spaces; 12 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off.

**Round 5:** With right side facing and larger hook, join 5th color in first ch-1 space to the left of any corner ch-2 space, ch 3, 2 dc in same space, \*[ch 1, 3 dc] in each of next 2 ch-1 spaces, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in corner ch-2 space, ch 1\*\*, 3 dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*; join with a slip st in top of



beginning ch-3 – 60 dc; 4 ch-2 spaces; 16 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off.

**Round 6:** With right side facing and larger hook, join **A** in first ch-1 space to the left of any corner ch-2 space, ch 3, 2 dc in same space, \*[ch 1, 3 dc] in each of next 3 ch-1 spaces, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 4, 3 dc) in corner ch-2 space, ch 1\*\*, 3 dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3 – 72 dc; 4 ch-2 spaces; 20 ch-1 spaces. Fasten off.

**NOTE:** Throw can be either sewn together or crocheted together. If sewing, work all squares through round 6. Arrange squares following assembly diagram and whipstitch together through back loops of sts. If crocheting together, work all squares through round 5, arrange following assembly diagram, then work round 6 around 1<sup>st</sup> square at top left and join remaining squares together while completing round 6 as follows.

**Second and Successive Squares**

**Round 6 (joining round):** With right side facing and larger hook, join **A** in first ch-1 space to the left of any corner ch-2 space, ch 3, 2 dc in same space, continue in pattern of round 6 around, joining across one or 2 sides as required as follows: join ch-4 spaces by working ch 2, drop loop from hook, insert hook in corresponding ch-4 space, draw dropped loop through, ch 2; join 2nd dc of each 3-dc group by working (2 dc, drop loop from hook, insert hook in corresponding dc, draw dropped loop through, dc) in ch-1 space; join ch-1 spaces by working ch 1, drop loop from hook, insert hook in corresponding ch-1 space, draw dropped loop through, ch 1; where 4 corners meet, work ch 2, drop loop from hook, insert hook in corresponding ch-4 space, draw dropped loop through, ch 1, skip next ch-4 corner space, insert hook in next ch-4 corner space, draw dropped loop through, ch 2; complete same as First Square round 6. Fasten off.

**Border**

**Round 1:** With right side facing and larger hook, join **A** with a slip st in any ch-1 space to the left of any corner ch-4 space, ch 3, 2 dc in same space, \*[ch 1, 3 dc] in each ch-1 space and each joined ch-4 space across to next ch-4 corner space, ch 1\*\*, (3 dc, ch 4, 3 dc) in corner ch-4 space, repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-3.

**Round 2:** With smaller hook, slip st in next dc, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same dc, \*\*\* \*ch 1, slip st in next ch-1 space, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in center dc of next 3-dc group\*\*, repeat from \* across to next corner, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc, ch 3, sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-4 corner space, repeat from \*\*\* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, ch 1, slip st in next ch-1 space, ch 1; join with a slip st in first sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.



**Red Heart® With Love™**, Art. E400, available in solid color 7oz (198g), 390 yd (357m) and multi color 5oz (141g), 230 yd (211m) skeins.

**ABBREVIATIONS:** **A, B, C** = Color A, B, C;

**Slip St** = Slip stitch; **sc** = single crochet; **dc** = double crochet; **ch** = chain; **st (s)** = stitch (es); **mm** = millimeters; \* **or \*\*** = repeat whatever follows the \* or\*\* as indicated; **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

1	2	3	4	5	6
6	5	4	3	2	1
1	2	3	4	5	6
6	5	4	3	2	1
1	2	3	4	5	6
6	5	4	3	2	1
1	2	3	4	5	6

ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM