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RED HEART

CROCHET SKILL LEVEL EASY

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Classic™: 3 skeins each 401 Nickel **A**, 412 Silver **B**, 339 Mid Brown **C**, 336 Warm Brown **D**, 645 Honey Gold **E**, 12 Black **F**

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: 1 ripple = 5½" (14 cm) from peak to peak; 6 rows = 4" (10 cm). **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

4 MEDIUM **RED HEART® Classic™,** Art. E267 available in solid color 3.5 oz (100 g), 190 yd (174 m), prints & multicolor 3 oz (85 g), 146 yd (134 m) skeins

6-Color Radiating Ripple Throw

This 6-color version of our popular ripple throw lets you see how stunning neutral shades of yarn will look. Crochet it as shown, or choose your own unique color scheme.

Directions are for size Small. Changes for size Large are in parentheses.

Throw measures 36½ (47½)" [92.5 (120.5) cm] wide x 64" long (162.5 cm).

Notes
1. Throw is made in a ripple pattern which consists of a series of 3-dc "peaks" and dc3tog "valleys", with 6 dc worked between peaks and valleys. You may need to work several rows before the ripple is clearly visible.
2. Following color sequence, change color at beginning of each odd-numbered row.

Special Stitch
dc3tog = [Yarn over, insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull up loop, yarn over, draw through 2 loops] 3 times, yarn over, draw through all 4 loops on hook.

Color Sequence
A, **B**, **C**, **D**, **E**, **F**

THROW
With **A**, ch 116 (148).
Row 1 (right side): Dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning ch count as first dc), dc in next 6 ch, dc3tog, *dc in next 6 ch, 3 dc in next ch, dc in next 6 ch, dc3tog; repeat from * to last 7 ch, dc in next 6 ch, 2 dc in last ch, turn—113 (145) dc.
Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), dc in first st, dc in next 6 sts, dc3tog, *dc in next 6 sts, 3 dc in next st, dc in next 6 sts, dc3tog; repeat from * across to last 7 sts, dc in next 6 sts, 2 dc in top of beginning ch. Fasten off.
Row 3: With right side facing, join **B** with slip st in first st, ch 3, dc in first st, dc in next

6 sts, dc3tog, *dc in next 6 sts, 3 dc in next st, dc in next 6 sts, dc3tog; repeat from * across to last 7 sts, dc in next 6 sts, 2 dc in top of beginning ch, turn.
Row 4: Repeat Row 2.
Rows 5–96: Repeat last 2 rows 46 times and change color as in the following color sequence: beginning with **C**, work 2 rows with each remaining color in sequence, [2 rows with each color in sequence] 7 times.

FINISHING
Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS
A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc.; **ch** = chain(s); **dc** = double crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; ***** = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

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