



## Cabled & Shell Throw

*This fascinating stitch pattern features a cable and shell for interesting texture and warmth. Crocheted in one color, it is perfect if you prefer not to have seaming to do to finish your throw.*

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**Throw measures 46" x 55".**

**RED HEART® "Soft Yarn":** 13 skeins 9440 Lt. Grey

Heather.

**Crochet Hook:** 6mm [US J-10].  
Yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 3 cables and 2 shells = 4"; 8 rows = 4" in pattern.  
**CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

**NOTE:** To practice the pattern stitch, ch 31 and follow Rows 1-4 below.

### SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

**fpdc (front post double crochet)** = yarn over, insert hook from front to back to front around the post of indicated stitch and draw yarn through, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook] twice.

**bpdc (back post double crochet)** = yarn over, insert hook from back to front to back around the post of indicated stitch and draw yarn through, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook] twice.

**cable** = skip next st, fpdc around the next st, fpdc around skipped st.

**shell** = 4 dc between the 2nd and 3rd dc of next 4-dc group.

### THROW

Ch 136.

**Row 1 (Wrong Side):** Dc in 4th ch from hook and in each ch across; turn – 134 sts.

**Row 2 (Right Side):** Ch 3, \* cable, skip next dc, 4 dc in next dc, skip next dc; repeat from \* to last 3 sts; cable, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

**Row 3:** Ch 3, \* bpdc around next 2 fpdc, shell; repeat from \* to last 3 sts; bpdc around next 2 fpdc, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

**Row 4:** Ch 3, \* cable, shell; repeat from \* to last 3 sts; cable, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 for pattern until 55" from beginning (or desired length). Do not fasten off.

### Edging

**Round 1:** Ch 1, sc evenly spaced around entire afghan, working 3 sc in each corner; join with a slip st to first sc.

**Round 2:** Ch 1, sc in first sc, \* ch 1, sc in front loop of sc just made, skip next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around; join with a slip st to first sc. Fasten off. Weave in ends.



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256 yd (234 m), print 4 oz (113 g), 204 yd  
(187 m), and heathers 4oz, (113g) 212 yd  
(194m) balls.

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