

Afghan, Drifting Sands Ripple

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Materials

Worsted Wt. 4, Red Heart, (Wh) Super Saver Soft White, approx. 28 oz, 1500 grams
Worsted Wt. 3, Lion Brand, Tweed Stripes Caramel (Cr), 9 skeins, approx. 32 oz, 765 grams
Crochet Hook, Size N, 9.0 mm, or size for gage

Note: Work entire afghan holding two strands of yarn together.

Gauge: 10 dc & 5 rows = 4.0" Finished size: Approx. 48" x 64"

Chain 123 loosely.

(Blue and red font colors used for easier eye focus)

Row 1 (right side): Dc in 4th ch from hk (3 skipped chs count as 1st dc), **dc** in next 3 chs, ***skip** next 2 chs, **dc** in next 4 chs, **ch 2**, dc in next 4 chs, **repeat** from* across to last 6 chs, skip next 2 ch, **dc** in next 3 chs, **2 dc** in last ch. 98 dc.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as 1st dc), turn; **dc** in same st & in next 3 dc, **skip** next 2 dc, **dc** in next 3 dc, *(**dc**, **ch 2**, **dc**) in next ch-2 sp, **dc** in next 3 dc, skip next 2 dc, **dc** in next 3 dc, **repeat** from* across to last dc, **2 dc** in last dc.

Repeat row 2 until afghan measures approx. 64", ending by working a right side row. Finish off.