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**SKILL LEVEL:** Easy (Level 2)

**SIZE:** One Size

About 36 x 50 in. (91.5 x 127 cm)

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Mar 13, 2014. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

#### **MATERIALS**

- 137-126 Lion Brand Heartland Thick & Quick Yarn: Sequoia  
2 Balls (A)
- 137-098 Lion Brand Heartland Thick & Quick Yarn: Acadia  
2 Balls (B)
- 137-135 Lion Brand Heartland Thick & Quick Yarn: Yosemite  
1 Ball (C) *\*Heartland Thick & Quick (Article #137).  
100% acrylic; package size:*
- 137-174 Lion Brand Heartland Thick & Quick Yarn: Joshua Tree  
1 Ball (D)
- 137-109 Lion Brand Heartland Thick & Quick: Olympic  
1 Ball (E)
- 137-147 Lion Brand Heartland Thick & Quick Yarn: Hot Springs  
1 Ball (F)
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)
- Additional Materials  
Crochet hook size L-11 (8 mm)



#### **GAUGE:**

1 ripple = about 6 in. (15 cm).

When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. The needle or hook size called for in the pattern is based on what the designer used, but is not unusual for gauge to vary from person to person. If it takes you fewer stitches and rows to make your swatch, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

Making a Gauge Swatch

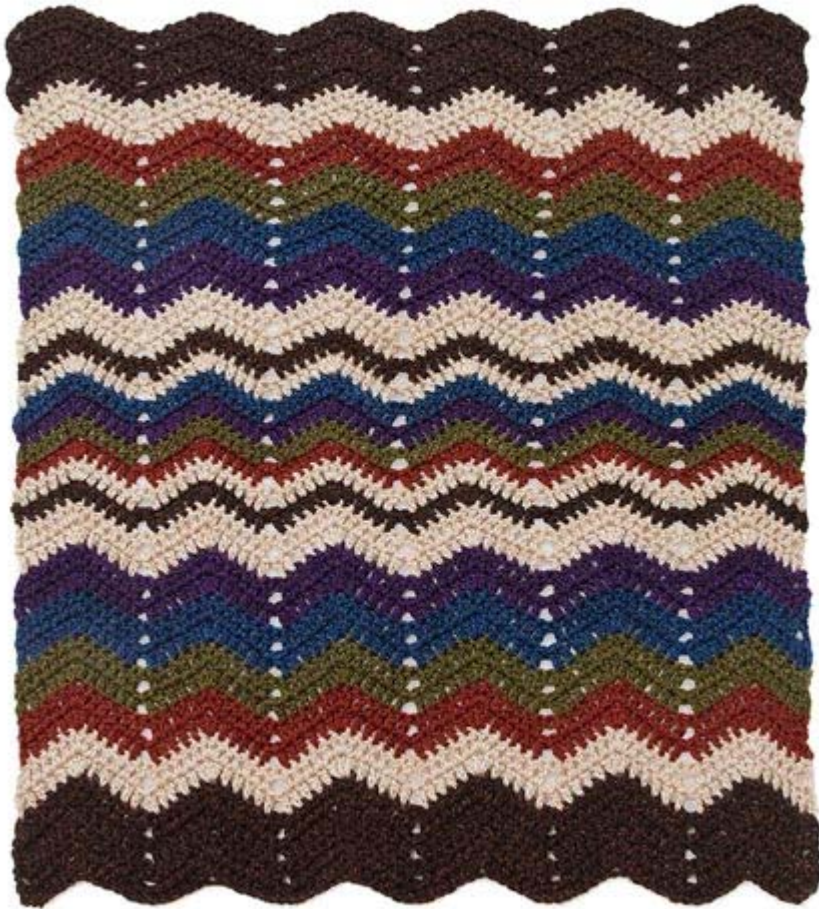
#### **NOTES:**

1. Afghan is worked in a ripple pattern. The ripple pattern is easy to do, but it's important to remember that you may need to work several rows before the ripple pattern becomes clear.
2. The ripple pattern consists of alternating 3-dc peaks and skipped st valleys. Take care to

keep the peaks and valleys of each row aligned.

3. When working in ripple pattern, your piece may not lay flat until after you've worked a few rows.

4. To change color, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete st. Proceed with new color. Fasten off old color.



### STRIPE SEQUENCE

Work 4 rows with A, 2 rows with B, 2 rows with C, 2 rows with D, 2 rows with E, 2 rows with F, 2 rows with B, 1 row with A, 1 row with B, 1 row with C, 1 row with D, 1 row with F, 1 row with E, 1 row with B, 1 row with A, 2 rows with B, 2 rows with F, 2 rows with E, 2 rows with D, 2 rows with C, 2 rows with B, 4 rows with A.

### AFGHAN

With A, ch 80.

**Row 1 (RS):** Hdc in 3rd ch from hook (beg ch does not count as a st), hdc in next 5 ch, 3 hdc in next ch, \*hdc in next 5 ch, sk next 2 ch, hdc in next 5 ch, 3 hdc in next ch; rep from \* to last 6 ch, hdc in last 6 ch – 6 ripples.

**Rows 2-4:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn, sk first 2 sts, dc in next 5 sts, 3 dc in next st, \*dc in next 5 sts, sk next 2 sts, dc in next 5 sts, 3 dc in next st; rep from \* to last 7 sts, dc in next 5 sts, sk next st, dc in last st.

Change to B in last st of Row 4.

**Rows 5 and 6:** With B, rep Row 2 twice. Change to C in last st of Row 6.

Rep Row 2 and continue to change color as in Stripe Sequence until all 40 rows of Sequence have been worked.

Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends.

<b>ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES</b>	
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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u>
<u>dc = double crochet</u>	<u>hdc = half double crochet</u>
<u>sk = skip</u>	<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>

Learn to crochet instructions: <http://learnToCrochet.LionBrand.com>

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