



**Free Crochet Pattern**  
**Lion Brand® Heartland®**  
**Happy Granny Stripe Afghan**  
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**SKILL LEVEL:** Easy (Level 2)

**SIZE:** One Size

About 39" x 53" (99 cm x 134.5 cm)

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Mar 22, 2015. To check for later updates, click [here](#).

### MATERIALS

- 136-153 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Black Canyon](#)  
1 Ball (A)
- 136-113 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Redwood](#)  
1 Ball (B)
- 136-135 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Yosemite](#)  
1 Ball (C)
- 136-158 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Yellowstone](#)  
1 Ball (D)
- 136-174 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Joshua Tree](#)  
1 Ball (E)
- 136-109 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Olympic](#)  
1 Ball (F)
- 136-147 [Lion Brand Heartland Yarn: Hot Springs](#)  
1 Ball (G)
- [Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size J-10 \(6 mm\)](#)
- [Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles \(Set of 6\)](#)

*\*Heartland (Article #136). Solids: 100% Acrylic*

*Tweeds: 94% Acrylic, 6% Rayon; package size: Solids: 5oz/142g (251yd/230m)*

*Tweeds: 4oz/113g (200yd/183m)*



### GAUGE:

3½ (3 dc, ch 1) groups + 6 rows = about 4" (10 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 it 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

### STITCH EXPLANATION:

#### **REVERSE SINGLE CROCHET (abbreviated rev sc)**

Single crochet worked from left to right (right to left, if left-handed). Insert hook into next stitch to the right (left), under loop on hook, and draw up a loop. Yarn over, draw through all loops on hook.

### NOTES:

1. Afghan is worked in one piece, back and forth in rows, changing color every 2 rows following Stripe Sequence.
2. To change color, work last st of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops to complete st. Fasten off old color.

### STRIPE SEQUENCE

Work 2 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 G; rep from \* 5 more times, then work 2 rows with B and 2 rows with A – 78 rows total.

### AFGHAN

With A, ch 131.

**Row 1:** With A, 3 dc in 7th ch from hook (skipped chs count as dc, ch 1), ch 1, \*sk 3 ch, 3 dc in next ch, ch 1; rep from \* to last 4 ch, sk 3 ch, dc in last ch – 32 3-dc groups.

**Row 2:** With A, ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, 2 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1, \* sk 3 dc, 3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* to last ch-sp, 3 dc in last ch-sp.

**Row 3:** With B, ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), \*sk 3 dc, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* to last dc, dc in top of beg ch-3.

**Row 4:** With B, Rep Row 2.

Rep Rows 3 and 4 changing color following Stripe Sequence until all 78 rows of Stripe Sequence have been completed.

Do not fasten off.

### FINISHING

#### **Edging**

**Note:** Edging on long sides of Afghan is worked in sps that were created by turning chs or (ch 1, dc) on each row.

#### **Left edge**

Turn Afghan, ready to work across long side.

**Row 1 (WS):** Ch 4 (counts as first dc, ch 1), \*sk end of 1 row, 3 dc in ch-sp at end of next row, ch 1; rep from \* to last row, 3 dc in ch-sp at end of last row – 39 3-dc groups.

**Row 2:** Ch 4 (counts as first dc, ch 1), \*sk 3 dc, 3 dc in next ch-sp, ch 1; rep from \* to last ch-sp, 3 dc in last ch-sp.

Fasten off.

#### **Right edge**

From RS, join A with sl st in corner ch-sp at beg of Row 1, ready to work across opposite long side of Afghan.

**Row 1:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc in same sp, ch 1, \*sk end of next row, 3 dc in ch-sp at end of next row, ch 1; rep from \* to the last row, dc in top of last dc – 39 3-dc groups.

**Row 2:** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, 2 dc in first ch-1 sp, ch 1, \*sk 3 dc, 3 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from \* to last 3-dc group, sk 2 dc, dc in top of beg ch-3.

Do not fasten off.

#### **Border**

**Rnd 1:** Sc in each st around, working ch 1 at each corner; join with sl st in first sc.  
**Rnd 2:** Rev sc in each st around, working ch 1 at each corner; join with sl st in first sc.  
Fasten off.  
Weave in ends.

<b>ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES</b>	
Click for explanation and illustration	
<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>ch(s) = chain(s)</u>
<u>ch-space = space previously made</u>	<u>dc = double crochet</u>
<u>RS = right side</u>	<u>sc = single crochet</u>
<u>sk = skip</u>	<u>sl st = slip stitch</u>

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