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

**SIZE:** One Size

About 36 x 43 in. (91.5 x 109 cm)

**CORRECTIONS:** None as of Jun 13, 2016. To check for later updates, click here.

## MATERIALS
- 135-098 Lion Brand Hometown USA Yarn:  Houston Cream
   10  Balls
- Lion Brand Crochet Hook - Size S-35 'Speed Hook' (19 mm)
- Lion Brand Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

*Hometown USA (Article #135).* **Solids, Multis, Neons and Twists:** *100% Acrylic,* **Tweeds:** *94% Acrylic, 6% Rayon; package size:* **Solids:** *5 oz. (142 g), 81 yd. (74 m)* **Multis, Tweeds, Neons, and Twists:** *4 oz. (113 g), 64 yd. (59 m)*

## GAUGE:

4 1/2 dc =  about 4 in. (10 cm) over Rows 2-5 of pattern with 2 strands of yarn held together.

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:

 Afghan is worked in one piece with 2 strands of yarn held together.

**AFGHAN**

With 2 strands of yarn held together, ch 42.

**Row 1:** Dc in 4th ch from hook (skipped 3 ch count as dc) and in each ch across – you will have 40 dc.

**Rows 2 and 3:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn, dc in front loop only of next 3 dc, * dc in back loop only of next 4 dc, dc in front loop only of next 4 dc rep from * to last 4 sts, dc in back loop only of next 3 dc, dc in top of beg ch.

**Rows 4 and 5:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc), turn, dc in back loop only of next 3 dc, * dc in front loop only of next 4 dc, dc in back loop only of next 4 dc rep from * to last 4 sts, dc in front loop only of next 3 dc, dc in top of beg ch.

Rep Rows 2-5 until almost all yarn has been used, ending with a Row 3 or Row 5 as the last row you work.

Fasten off.


**FINISHING**

Weave in ends.


| ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES | |
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| beg = begin(s)(ning) | ch(s) = chain(s) |
| dc = double crochet | rep = repeat(s)(ing) |
| st(s) = stitch(es) | |

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