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Skill Level:

INTERMEDIATE

Anthem Chunky Rippling Star Afghan

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Size:
34” x 48”

Finished Measurements:
32" wide x 48" long

Materials:

- Cascade Yarns® Anthem Chunky 100% Acrylic 200 g (7.05 oz) / 218 yds (200 m)
- A – 2 skeins of color #18 (Peridot)
- B – 1 skein of color #35 (Raspberry)
- C – 3 skeins of color #34 (Dark Lavender)
- Crochet hook size J (10 mm)
- Yarn needle

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Gauge:
14 sts x 6 rows = 4” (10 cm) Unblocked, in dc stitch pattern

Abbreviations:

ch	= chain stitch
ch sp	= chain space
dc	= double crochet
hdc	= half double crochet
lp(s)	=loop(s)
rep	=repeat
sc	= single crochet
sk	= skip
sl st	= slip stitch
sp	= space
tr	= treble crochet
yo	=yarn over

Special Stitches:
dc2tog Pattern Stitch:
Directions: (yo, insert hook in next st, draw up lp, draw new lp through 2 lps on hook) twice, draw new lp through all 3 lps on hook – counts as 1 dc

Dtr (double treble crochet) Pattern Stitch:
Directions: yo 3 times, insert hook in specified st, draw up lp, (draw new lp through 2 lps on hook) 4 times

Begin Pattern:
With Peridot, ch 5, join with sl st in first ch to form ring.

Rnd 1: (Ch 8, sl st in ring) 5 times, ch 3, dtr in ring. 6 ch lps

Rnd 2: Ch 2, work (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in each ch lp around; join with sl st in first dc; fasten off. 36 dc, 6 ch lps

Rnd 3: Join Raspberry in any ch sp, ch 1, (3 sc in ch sp, sc in each of next 6 dc) around; join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. 54 sc

Rnd 4: Join Dark Lavender in center sc of any 3 sc group, ch 2, [3 dc in center sc, dc in each of next 3 sts, work dc2tog, dc in each of next 3 sts] around, join with sl st in first dc. 60 dc

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First Motif Only
Rnd 5: Sl st into next st, * (ch 3, sl st) in same st, (ch 3, sk next st, sl st in next st) 5 times, rep from * around; join with last sl st in first sl st. Fasten off. 36 ch lps

1 Side Join Motif
Rnd 5: Sl st into next st, (ch 1, sl st in corner of last motif, ch 1, sl st) in same st of working motif, (ch 1, sl st in next ch lp of last motif, ch 1, sk next st of working motif, sl st in next st of working motif) 5 times, (ch 1, sl st in corner of last motif, ch 1, sl st) in same st as last sl st, * (ch 3, sk next st, sl st in next st) 5 times, (ch 3, sl st) in same st; rep from * around; omit last ch 3, join with last sl st in first sl st. Fasten off.

2 Side Join Motif
Rnd 5: Sl st into next st, [(ch 1, sl st in corner or join of previous motif, ch 1, sl st) in same st of working motif, (ch 1, sl st in next ch lp of previous motif, ch 1, sk next st of working motif, sl st in next st of working motif) 5 times] twice, (ch 1, sl st in corner of last motif, ch 1, sl st) in same st as last sl st, * (ch 3, sk next st, sl st in next st) 5 times, (ch 3, sl st) in same st; rep from * around; omit last ch 3, join with last sl st in first sl st. Fasten off.

3 Side Join Motif
Rnd 5: Sl st into next st, [(ch 1, sl st in corner or corner join of previous motif, ch 1, sl st) in same st of working motif, (ch 1, sl st in next ch lp of last motif, ch 1, sk next st of working motif, sl st in next st of working motif) 5 times] 3 times, (ch 1, sl st in corner of previous motif, ch 1, sl st) in same st as last sl st, * (ch 3, sk next st, sl st in next st) 5 times, (ch 3, sl st) in same st; rep from * around; omit last ch 3, join with last sl st in first sl st. Fasten off.

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Edging
Rnd 1: Join Dark Lavendar in corner specified on chart, (ch 1, sc) in same ch lp, (ch 3, sc in next ch lp) around, skipping over each set of 2 joining ch lps between each motif; ch 3, join with sl st in first sc. 258 ch lps
Rnd 2: Sl st into first ch lp, * work (sc, ch 1, sc) in each of next 16 ch lps, [sc in each of next 3 ch lps, (sc, ch 1, sc) in each of next 2 ch lps, sc in each of next 3 ch lps], work (sc, ch 1, sc) in each of next 14 ch lps, rep between []s once, (sc, ch 1, sc) in each of next 21 ch lps, [sc in next ch lp, (sc, ch 1, sc) in each of next 10 ch lps] 5 times, sc in next ch lp, (sc, ch 1, sc) in each of next 5 ch lps; rep from * once; join and fasten off.

Weave in ends.

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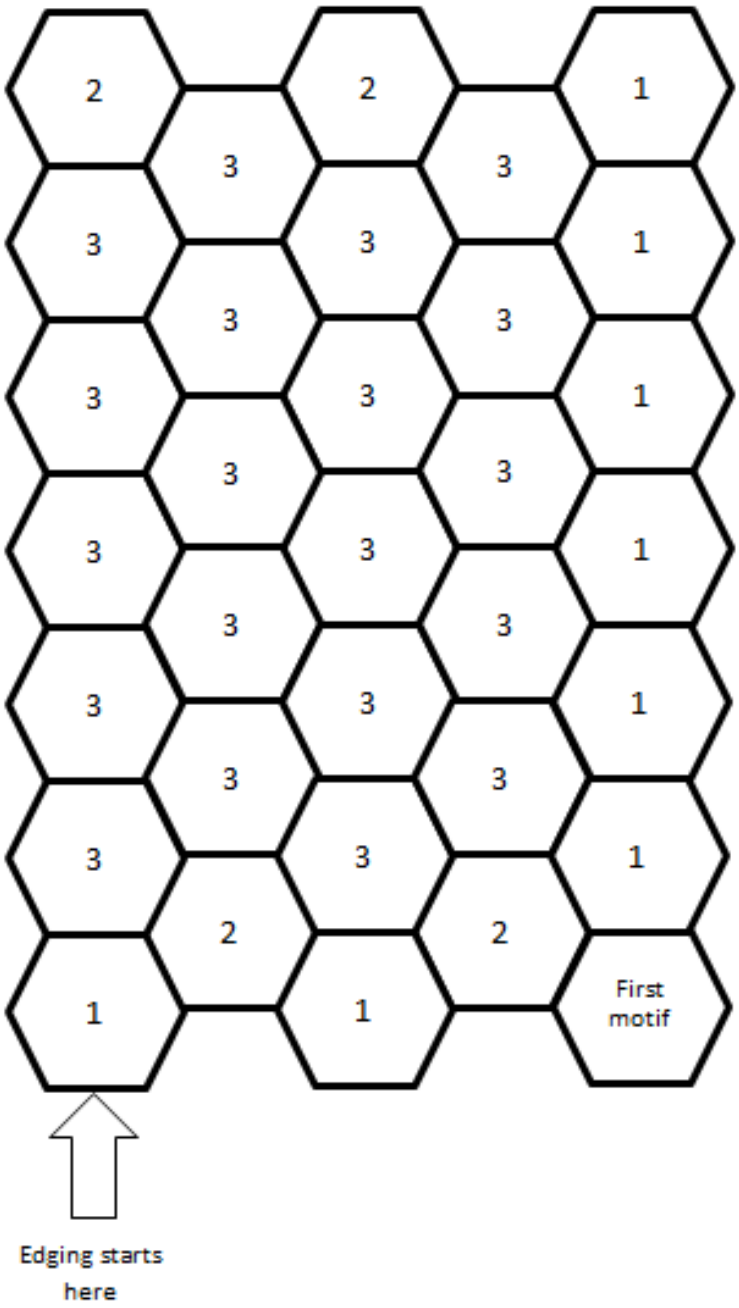
Motif Join Chart:



1 = 1 side join motif

2 = 2 side join motif

3 = 3 side join motif

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