Spirit Wave Stadium Blanket

220 Superwash®

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Crochet Pattern W552 – Easy

Size:

Approx 104” length x 40” width

Materials:

Cascade Yarns® 220 Superwash® – 100 % Superwash Wool, 100 g (3.5 oz), 220 yds (201 m)

Colors:

- #885 In The Navy (Main Color A) - 4 skeins
- #887 Wasabi (Main Color B) - 4 skeins
- #892 Space Needle (Accent Color) - 2 skeins

Tools:

- Crochet hook size H/8 (5 mm) or size needed to obtain gauge
- Yarn Needle

Blocked Gauge:

In pattern, 13 dc and 8 rows = 4”

Customize It!

The ripple stitch pattern used is a multiple of 12 stitches plus 5 for turning chain, so if you are getting gauge, approximately one set of the stitch repeat is equal to 4 inches. Knowing that, you can adjust the width of your blanket quite easily. Length is also easily changed – it all depends on how many row variations you stitch with each color. The sample I crocheted contains a combination of narrow ripples (with a 6 row, 2 row, 6 row pattern), and wide ripples (with a 12 row, 4 row, 12 row pattern). Feel

Abbreviations:

Ch – chain stitch
Dc – double crochet
MCA – Main Color A
MCB – Main Color B
AC – accent color
Sc – single crochet
Sk – skip
St – stitch
Sts – stitches

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free to experiment with the width of your ripple rows to personalize your blanket.

The model blanket is crocheted with each side of the ripples mirroring each other, because I wanted the navy blue color to start and end the blanket. Therefore, to create a break in the green ripples, I crocheted two rows of sc in the grey, then picked up the stitch pattern again, reversing narrow and wide ripple bands along with reversing main color usage.

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Ch 125

Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook (ch 3 counts as 1st dc here and throughout pattern), *

[sk next ch, dc in next ch] twice, dc in next ch, 5 dc in next ch, dc in each of next 2 ch, [sk 1 ch, dc in next ch] twice, re peat from * across, ending with dc in last ch.

Turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each dc across. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in 1st sc, *[sk next sc, dc in next sc] twice, dc in next sc, 5 dc in next sc, dc in each of next 2 sc, [sk 1 sc, dc in next sc] twice, repeat from * across, ending with dc in last sc. Turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each dc across. Turn.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 until blanket is desired length.

Fasten off, block flat to measurements, and then weave in all ends.

Blanket Pattern as Pictured

To match the color pattern I used, please do the following:

Rows 1-12 - MCA (885 - In The Navy)
Rows 13-16 - AC (892 - Space Needle)
Rows 17-28 - MCB (887 - Wasabi)
Rows 29-34 - MCA
Rows 35-36 - AC
Rows 37-42 - MCB
Rows 43-54 - MCA
Rows 55-58 - AC
Rows 59-70 - MCB
Rows 71-76 - MCA
Rows 77-78 - AC
Rows 79-84 - MCB
Rows 85-86 - Repeat Row 4 in AC
Rows 87-92 - MCB
Rows 93-94 - AC
Rows 95-100 - MCA
Rows 101-112 - MCB
Rows 113-116 - AC
Rows 117-128 - MCA
Rows 129-134 - MCB
Rows 135-136 - AC
Rows 137-142 - MCA
Rows 143-154 - MCB
Rows 155-158 - AC
Rows 159-170 - MCA

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