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SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- Martha Stewart Crafts™ Lion Brand® Extra Soft Wool Blend Yarn, 2 skeins each: Buttermilk (A), Igloo (B), Gray Pearl (C), Winter Sky (D)
- Crochet hook size I-9: Exact gauge is not essential for this project.
- Large-eyed blunt needle

COLOR SEQUENCE: Work 2 rnds each (A, B, C, D) 4 times.

DIRECTIONS: Blanket is worked in rnds with RS facing. Do not turn at the ends of rnds. Join new color with RS facing. To keep blanket square, join new color in a different corner on each rnd.

With A, ch 4; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring.

Rnd 1:

(RS) Ch 3 (counts as dc in this rnd & all following rnds), 2 dc in ring, ch 2, (3 dc in ring, ch 2) 3 times; join with sl st in top of beg ch – 12 dc and 4 ch-2 sps.

Rnd 2: Sl st next 2 dc, (sl st, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in first ch-2 sp (beg corner made), ch 1, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp (corner made), ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch – 24 dc, 4 ch-2 sps & 4 ch-1 sps. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: RS facing, join B with sl st in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch – 36 dc, 4 ch-2 sps and 8 ch-1 sps.

Rnd 4: Sl st in next 2 dc, (sl st, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) to next corner, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) to next corner; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join C with sl st in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) to next corner, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) to next corner; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch.

Rnd 6: Sl st in next 2 dc, (sl st, ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) to next corner, *(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in corner ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1) to next corner; rep from * around; join with sl st in top of beg ch. Fasten off.

Rep Rnds 5 & 6; change colors as in Color Sequence, until 32 rnds have been completed. Fasten off. Weave in ends. Finished size 31" square.

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = begin(ning), ch = chain, dc = double crochet, Rnd(s) = round(s), RS = Right side(s), Sl st = slip stitch, sp = space

Created by Martha Stewart Crafts™ Lion Brand® Yarn

Skill Level 2: Some experience necessary

Please read and follow all manufacturers' instructions for all tools and materials used.
Provide adult supervision if children participate in this project.
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