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BEGINNER

crochet

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Soft Essentials™: 2 balls each 7504 Seafoam A and 7851 Navy D and 1 ball each 7103 Cream B and 7420 Charcoal C

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 10mm [US N-15]

Large eye plastic or yarn needle

GAUGE: Gauge is not critical for this project.

BUY YARN



RED HEART® Soft Essentials™, Art. E856 available in 5 oz (140 g) 131 yd (120 m) balls



Stylish Stripes Scarf

If you're looking for a relaxing crochet project, look no further than this modern-style scarf. The soft hand and thicker weight of Soft Essentials yarn makes the scarf enjoyable to work up.

Scarf measures 9½" x 72½" (24 x 184 cm), excluding fringe.

Note

To change color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete stitch. Proceed with new color. Cut old color.

SCARF

With A, ch 152.

Row 1 (right side): Dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning ch count as first dc) and in each ch across, turn—150 sts.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), dc in each st across; change to B, turn.

Row 3: Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout), hdc in each st across; change to C, turn.

Rows 4 and 5: Repeat Row 3; change to D at end of Row 5.

Rows 6-8: Repeat Row 2; change to B at end of Row 8.

Row 9: Repeat Row 3; change to A.

Row 10 and 11: Repeat Row 2; change to C at end of Row 11.

Row 12: Repeat Row 3; change to B.

Row 13 and 14: Repeat Row 3; change to D at end of Row 14.

Row 15 and 16: Repeat Row 2; change to A at end of Row 16.

Row 17: Repeat Row 2; change to C.

Rows 18 and 19: Repeat Row 3.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends.

Fringe

Cut 38 strands of each color, each 13" (33 cm) long. Hold 1 strand of each color together and fold in half to form a loop. Insert crochet hook from right side through end of first row. Place fold on hook and draw fold through, forming a loop. Thread ends of strands through loop and pull to tighten. Repeat to attach fringe in end of every row across both short edges of scarf. Trim ends evenly.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc.; ch = chain(s); dc = double crochet; hdc = half double crochet; st(s) = stitch(es).



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