



# Poinsettia Afghan

WR1692



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Afghan measures 51" x 62.5".

**RED HEART® "Super Saver"™:** 1 Skein 316 Soft White **CA**, 2 skeins each 376 Burgundy **CB** and 389 Hunter Green **CC**, 3 skeins 967 Holly & Ivy **CD**.

**Crochet Hooks:** 6mm [US J-10] and 6.5mm [US K-10.5].  
Yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** Motif = 11.5" x 11.5" with smaller hook. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

**MOTIF (Make 20):** With smaller hook and **CA**, ch 6; join with a slip st in first ch to form a ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 4, [dc, ch 1] 7 times in ring; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-4 – 8 spaces. Fasten off.

**Rnd 2:** Join **CB** in any ch-1 space; ch 3, 2 dc in same space, [ch 2, 3 dc in next space] 7 times, ch 2; join with a slip st in top of ch-3.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 3, dc in next 2 dc, \* (dc, ch 2, dc) all in ch-2 space \*\*, dc in next 3 dc; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join.

**Rnd 4:** Ch 2, [yo and draw up a loop in next dc, yo and draw through 2 loops] twice, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook, ch 1 tightly to close – **beginning cluster made**; \* ch 4, sc in ch-2 space, ch 4, skip next dc \*\*; [yo and draw up a loop in next dc, yo and draw through 2 loops] 3 times, yo and draw through all 4 loops on hook, ch 1 tightly to close – **cluster made**; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join in top of beginning cluster. Fasten off.

**Rnd 5:** Join **CD** in any ch-4 space; ch 2, 3 hdc in same space, \* 4 hdc in next space, 5 hdc in next space, ch 3 (corner), 5 hdc in next space \*\*, 4 hdc in next space; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join in top of ch-2. Fasten off.

**Rnd 6:** Join **CC** in ch-3 corner space; (ch 3, 2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) all in corner space, \* skip next hdc, dc in next 17 sts \*\*, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) all in corner space; rep from \* around, end at \*\*; join.

**Rnd 7:** Slip st in next dc, ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1), skip next dc, \*\* (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) all in corner ch-2 space, ch 1, skip next dc, \* dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc; repeat from \* to next corner; repeat from \*\* around; join in 3rd ch of ch-4. Fasten off.

**Rnd 8:** Join **CD** in any corner space; (ch 3, dc, ch 2, 2 dc) all in same space, \* ch 1, skip next dc, [dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc] 13 times \*\*, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) all in corner space; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join. Fasten off.

**FINISHING:** With larger hook and **CD**, join motifs: holding wrong sides together and begin at corner, work sc, ch 1 through each space and in between 2 corner dc across. Join motifs in rows of 5, and then join 5-motif rows together to form afghan 4 rows wide.





**Border-Rnd 1:** With right side facing and smaller hook, join **CB** in any corner space; (ch 2, hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) all in same space, \* hdc in each st and ch-1 space across to next corner \*\*, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) all in corner space; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join in top of ch-2. Fasten off.

**Rnd 2:** Join **CA** in any corner; repeat Rnd 1, EXCEPT work hdc between sts of previous rnd.

**Rnd 3:** Join **CB** in any corner; repeat Rnd 2.

**Rnd 4:** Join **CD** in any corner; (ch 3, dc, ch 2, 2 dc) all in same space, \* ch 1, skip next hdc, hdc in next hdc; repeat from \* to next corner; ch 1 \*\*, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) all in corner space; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join.

**Rnd 5:** Ch 1, sc in each st and ch-1 space around, working 3 sc in each corner; join in first sc. Fasten off.

**Rnd 6:** Attach **CC** in same sc as joining; ch 1, sc in same sc, \* sc in next 6 sc, keeping hook and yarn at front of work dc in next free hdc of Rnd 3, skip sc directly behind this dc \*\*, sc in next sc; repeat from \* to 7 center sc of next corner, end at \*\*; sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, end at \*\*; join. Fasten off. Weave in ends.



**RED HEART® “Super Saver®”,**  
Art. E300 available in solid color – 7oz  
(198g), 364yd (333m) or multi or fleck  
color – 5oz (141g), 244yd (223m) skeins.

**ABBREVIATIONS:** **CA, CB, CC, CD** = colors A, B, C, D; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **rnd** = round; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **yo** = yarn over;  
\* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated;  
[ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

