

Donovan's Ripple Afghan

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Materials: 4-ply worsted weight yarn (amount depends on what size you are making—I suggest at least 50 ozs. for a full size), L hook, scissors, #16 needle for sewing in ends

Size: various

Multiple: 17 + 16 (I have figured several for you below)

6 x 17 = 102 + 16 = 118 (about 32" before border)

7 x 17 = 119 + 16 = 135

8 x 17 = 136 + 16 = 152

9 x 17 = 153 + 16 = 169

10 x 17 = 170 + 16 = 186

11 x 17 = 187 + 16 = 203

12 x 17 = 204 + 16 = 220

Common pattern abbreviations:

ch = chain

dc = double crochet

ea = each

hk = hook

rep = repeat

rnd = round sc = single crochet

sk = skip

sl st = slip stitch

sp = space

yo = yarn over

Note: This basic ripple pattern is a multiple of 17 + 16.

Optional: If you work through BACK LOOPS ONLY you will get a very pretty ridged effect.

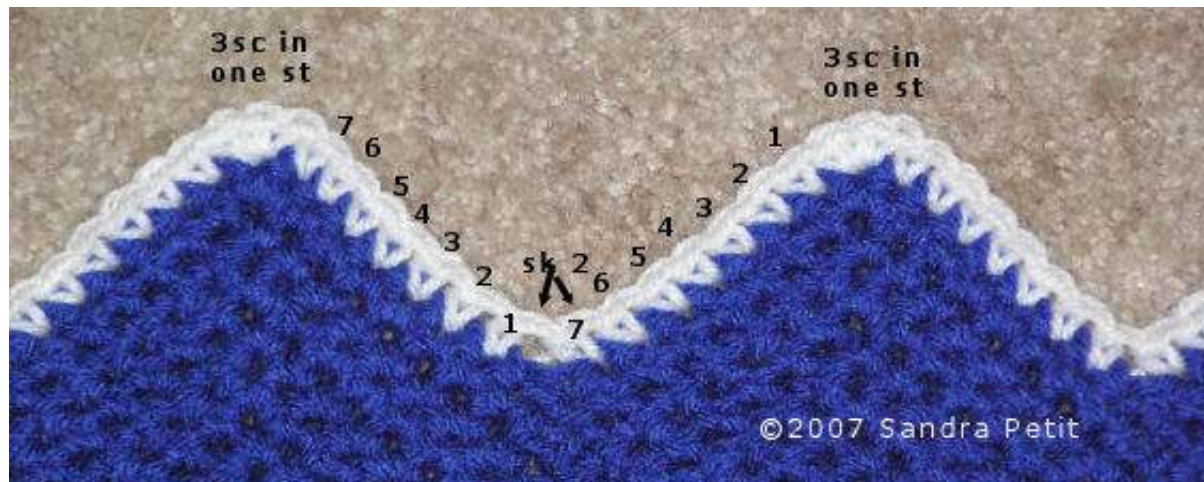
ch. 118

Row 1: sc in 2nd ch from hk, sc in next 6 chs, * 3 sc in next ch, sc in ea of next 7 chs, sk 2 chs, sc in next 7 chs, rep from * across, ending 3 sc in next ch, sc in ea of last 7 ch

Row 2: ch 1, turn, sk 1 sc, sc in ea of next 7 sc, 3 sc in next sc, * sc in ea of next 7 sc, sk 2 sc, sc in ea of next 7 sc, 3 sc in next sc, rep from * across to within last 8 sts, end 1 sc

in ea of next 6 sc, sk 1 sc, sc through BOTH LOOPS of last sc

Row 3 to end: repeat Row 2. Be sure to finish on the RIGHT side. Do not finish off.



Border: ch-1, 1 sc in ea row down the left side of afghan when facing you, ch 3 for corner. Now you will be working in the foundation chain, with the afghan upside down--sc in ea st skipping 1 or 2 as appropriate in the "valleys" and doing 3 sc under the ch-3 top of "hills", 3sc in next corner, sc in ea row up the right side of afghan. For last afghan row, sc in pattern stitch. If you went through back loop only for afghan, you might want to go through both loops here to keep the border look consistent. Join with sl st and finish off.