

## CARON® CROCHET GRANNY STRIPES & SQUARES BLANKET



### MATERIALS

**Caron® Simply Soft™** (6 oz/170.1 g; 315 yds/288 m)

<b>Contrast A</b> Off White (39702)	<b>2 balls</b>
<b>Contrast B</b> Taupe (39783)	<b>1 ball</b>
<b>Contrast C</b> Autumn Red (39730)	<b>1 ball</b>
<b>Contrast D</b> Pumpkin (39765)	<b>1 ball</b>
<b>Contrast E</b> Gold (39782)	<b>3 balls</b>
<b>Contrast F</b> Kelly Green (39769)	<b>1 ball</b>
<b>Contrast G</b> Robin's Egg (39780)	<b>3 balls</b>
<b>Contrast H</b> Ocean (39759)	<b>2 balls</b>

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

### ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximate(ly)

**Beg** = Beginning

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Cluster** = (Yoh and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times in indicated space. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook.

**Cont** = Continue

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Pat** = Pattern

**Rem** = Remain(ing)

**Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**Sp** = Space

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

### MEASUREMENTS

Approx 58" [147.5 cm] wide x 66" [164.5 cm] long.

### GAUGE

13 sc and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm]

### INSTRUCTIONS

#### MOTIF

See diagram on page 4.

With Color 1, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form ring.

**1st rnd:** Ch 3 (counts as dc). 11 dc in ring. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**2nd rnd:** Sl st to sp between 1st and 2nd dc. Ch 2. 1 dc in same sp as last sl st (beg cluster made).

\*Ch 1. (Yoh and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice in sp between next 2 dc. Yoh and draw through 3 loops on hook. Rep from \* 10 times more. Ch 1. Join with sl st to top of beg cluster. Fasten off. 12 clusters.  
**3rd rnd:** Join Color 2 with sl st to any ch-1 sp. Ch 2. (Yoh and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook. twice in same sp. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook (beg cluster made). \*Ch 2. Cluster in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* 10 times more. Ch 2. Join with sl st to top of beg cluster.

**4th rnd:** Sl st to next ch-2 sp. Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout). (2 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in same sp as last sl st (corner made). \*(Ch 1. 3 dc in next ch-2 sp) twice. Ch 1.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

**5th rnd:** Join Color 3 with sl st to any ch-3 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as last sl st. \*(Ch 1. 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) 3 times.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch-3.

**6th rnd:** Sl st in each of next 2 dc and ch-3 sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same ch-3 sp as last sl st. \*(Ch 1. 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) 4 times.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

**7th rnd:** Join A with sl st to any ch-3 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same ch-3 sp as last sl st. \*(Ch 1. 3 dc in next ch-1 sp) 5 times.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

Following Motif Color Diagrams on page 3, make Motifs.

### CENTER PANEL:

Sew together 6 center Motifs as shown in Assembly Diagram on page 3.

### Center Border:

**1st rnd:** Join B with sl st to any ch-3 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as sl st. \*1 dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to next corner ch-3 sp.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**2nd rnd:** Sl st in each of next 2 dc and ch-3 sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as sl st. \*1 dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to next corner ch-3 sp.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. Fasten off.

**3rd rnd:** Join G with sl st to any corner ch-3 sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as sl st. \*1 dc in each dc to next ch-3 corner sp. (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**4th rnd:** Sl st in each of next 2 dc and ch-3 sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as sl st. \*1 dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to next corner ch-3 sp.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next corner ch-3 sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Fasten off.

**5th and 6th rnds:** With E, as 3rd and 4th rnds.

**7th and 8th rnds:** With H, as 3rd and 4th rnds.

**9th rnd:** With G, as 3rd rnd.

With G only, cont working in rnds as established until piece measures approx 40" [101.5 cm] wide. Fasten off.

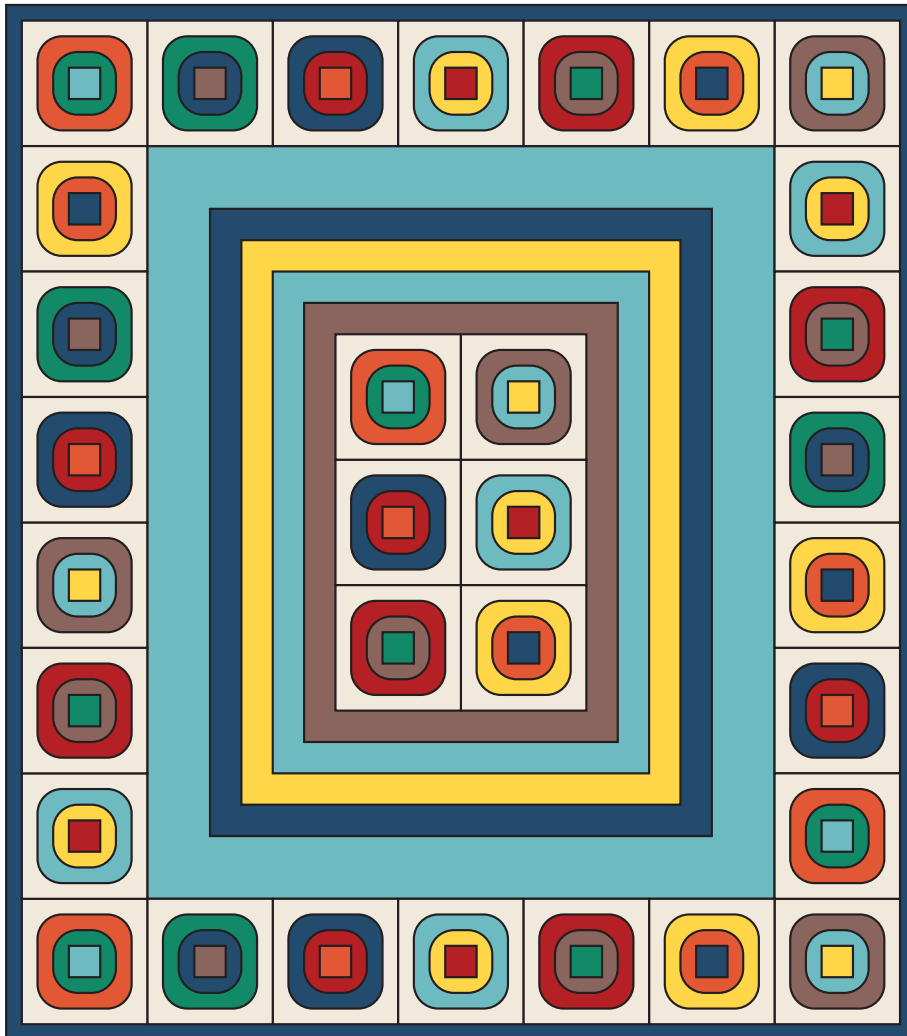
Following diagram, sew rem Motifs to wide edges of Blanket. You may find it easiest to attach Motifs into strips and then attach the strips to Center Panel.

### Edging

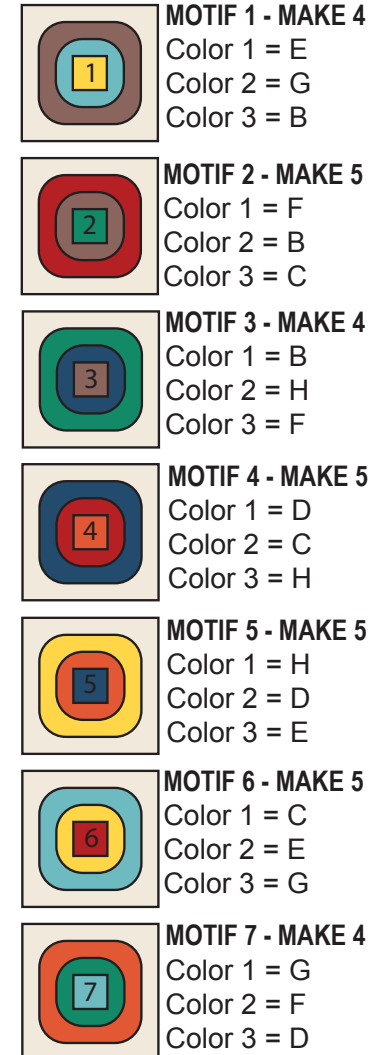
**1st rnd:** Join H with sl st to any ch-3 corner sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as sl st. \*1 dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to next corner ch-3 sp.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next ch-3 corner sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch 3.

**2nd rnd:** Sl st in each of next 2 dc and ch-3 sp. Ch 3. (2 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in same sp as sl st. \*1 dc in each dc and ch-1 sp to next corner ch-3 sp.\*\* (3 dc. Ch 3. 3 dc) in ch-3 corner sp. Rep from \* twice, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. Fasten off.

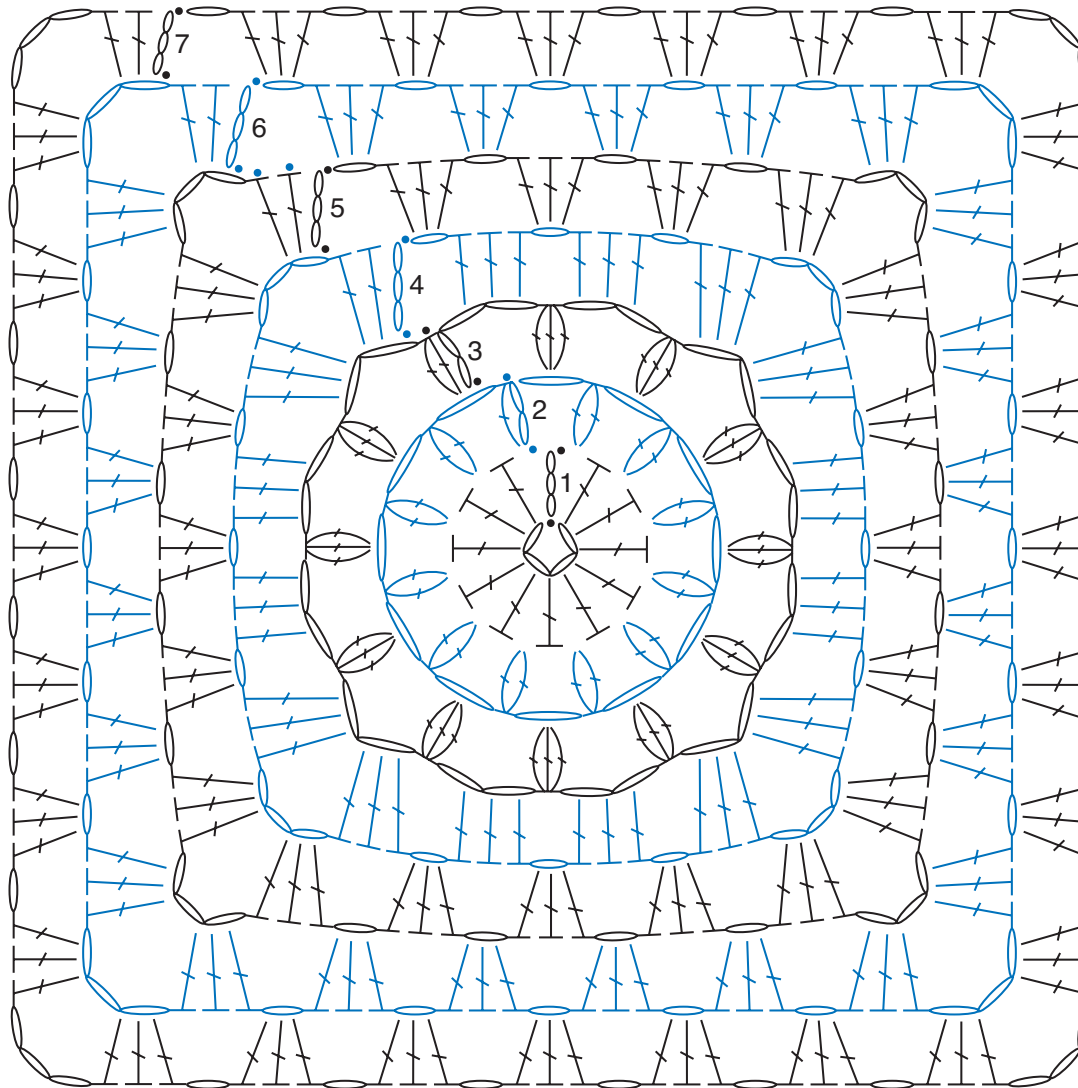
## Assembly Diagram



## Motif Color Diagrams









## Motif Diagram



MOTIF

### STITCH KEY

-  = chain (ch)
-  = slip stitch (sl st)
-  = double crochet (dc)
-  = cluster (2nd rnd)
-  = beginning cluster (beg cluster)
-  = cluster (3rd rnd)