

What you will need:
RED HEART® Comfort: 4 balls 3132 Off White

Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9] Yarn needle

TENSION/GAUGE: Square = 17 cm [ $\left.71 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime}\right]$. CHECK YOUR TENSION/ GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the tension/gauge.

RED HEART® Comfort, Art. 9809707 available in $450 \mathrm{~g}(15.502), 790$ m (863 yd) balls


## Crochet Cable Squares

This beautifully designed classic is perfect in any room or to give as a special anniversary or wedding gift. Crocheted in one colour squares (any colour you wish), it is perfect to take along to keep your fingers busy wherever you go.

## Special Abbreviations

corner $=(2 \mathrm{tr}$, ch 3, 2 tr ) all in next ch-3 space.
fpdtr (front post double treble) $=[$ yol twice, insert hook from front to back to front around post of st indicated, yo and draw yarn through, [yo and draw through 2 loops] 3 times. Skip st behind fpdtr.
cable (uses next 4 sts) = skip next 2 sts, fpdtr around next 2 sts ; working in front of fpdtr just made, fpdtr around first skipped st, then around next skipped st. Skip 4 sts behind cable.
fptr (front post treble) $=\mathrm{yo}$, insert hook from front to back to front around post of st indicated, yo and draw yarn through, [yo and draw through 2 loops] twice. Skip st behind fptr.
Dec (decrease) $=$ [draw up a loop in next st] twice, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

## THROW

## Square (Make 48)

Round 1 (Right Side): Ch 4; tr in 4th ch from hook, ch 3, [2 tr, ch 3] 3 times all in same ch; join with a slip st to top of beginning ch.
Round 2: Ch 3, tr in next tr, corner, * tr in next 2 tr, corner; repeat from * around; join to top of ch-3.
Round 3: Slip st in next 3 tr, ch 3, corner, tr in next tr, cable, * tr in next tr, corner, tr in next tr, cable; repeat from * around; join.
Round 4: Ch 4, * skip next tr, tr in next tr, corner, tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next tr, tr in next tr, fptr around next 4 fpdtr **, tr in next tr, ch 1; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3rd ch of ch-4.

Round 5: Ch 4, * skip next st, tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next tr, tr in next tr, corner, tr in next tr, [ch 1, skip next st, tr in next tr] twice, cable **, tr in next tr, ch 1; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3rd ch of ch-4.
Round 6: Ch 4, * tr in next tr, [ch 1, skip next st, tr in next tr] twice, corner, tr in next tr, [ch 1, skip next st, tr in next tr] 3 times, fptr around next 4 fpdtr **, tr in next tr, ch 1; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3rd ch of ch-4.
Round 7: Ch 4, * tr in next tr, [ch 1, skip next st, tr in next tr] 3 times, corner, tr in next tr, [ch 1, skip next st, tr in next tr] 4 times, cable **, tr in next tr, ch 1; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3rd ch of ch-4. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Sew 8 squares together into 6 vertical strips, then sew strips together.

## BORDER

Round 1: With right side facing, join yarn in any corner ch-3 space; ** ch 1, (dc, ch 2, dc) all in corner space, * ch 1, dc in next tr, ch 1, skip next st, [dc in next st, ch 1, skip next st] 5 times, dec, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next st] 6 times, ch 1, skip next ch, dc in next ch, ch 1 , skip seam, dc in next ch, ch 1 , skip next ch, [dc in next st, ch 1, skip next st] 6 times, dec, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next st] 6 times; repeat from * to next corner; repeat from ** around; ch 1 ; join with a slip st to first dc. Round 2: Ch 1, dc in first dc, ** (dc, ch 2, dc) all in ch-2 space, dc in next dc, * ch 1, dc in next dc; repeat from * to next corner; repeat from ** around; ch 1; join.
Round 3: Ch 1, dc in first dc, ch 1, skip next dc , ** (dc, ch 2, dc) all in ch-2 space, ch 1, skip next dc, * dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next st; repeat from * to next corner; repeat from ** around; join.

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Round 4: Ch 1, slip st in next space, ch 1,
** (slip st, ch 2, slip st) all in ch-2 space, ch
1, * slip st in next space, ch 1; repeat from

* to next corner; repeat from ** around; join.

Fasten off.
Weave in ends.

## Abbreviations

ch = chain; $\mathbf{c m}=$ centimeters; $\mathbf{d c}=$ double crochet; $\mathrm{dtr}=$ double treble crochet; $\mathrm{mm}=$ millimeters; st(s) = stitch(es); tr = triple or treble crochet; yo = yarn over; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ${ }^{* *}$ as indicated

Please Note: Print this pattern using Landscape Orientation.
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