Flying geese quilt afghan

Throw · US terms



Finished size
About 44½ × 56½ in (113 × 144 cm) with the border: 30 geese, 3 columns of 10, each block 10¾ in (27 cm) wide and 5 1/8 in (13 cm) tall

Skill
Easy
Decreases in single crochet, and sewing

Yarn
Medium (4), 7 colors

Hook
5.5 mm (US I-9)

Gauge
13 stitches and 15 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In single crochet (UK double crochet).

What you need

Yarn A: ivory, main color	**about 1,010 yd (924 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: wheat, the sash and the border	**about 790 yd (722 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: indigo, the goose one and the border, rounds 10 and 11	**about 280 yd (256 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: denim blue, the goose two	**about 170 yd (155 m), an estimate**
Yarn E: cornflower, the goose three	**about 170 yd (155 m), an estimate**
Yarn F: sky blue, the goose four	**about 170 yd (155 m), an estimate**
Yarn G: pale sky, the goose five	**about 170 yd (155 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 1,400 g in all, an estimate, where 100 g is 200 yd (183 m).

Hook: 5.5 mm (US I-9), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: a yarn needle, scissors and a tape measure.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Throw (this file)	**44½ × 56½ in (113 × 144 cm), 10¾ in (27 cm) wide**	**about 2,760 yd (2,524 m)**
Twin	72 × 82 in (183 × 208 cm), 10¾ in (27 cm) wide	about 6,550 yd (5,989 m)

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Gauge

13 stitches and 15 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in single crochet.

Check it on the first goose, laid flat and not stretched: its foundation edge is 10¼ in (26 cm) long, and it is 5 1/8 in (13 cm) tall, measured straight up from the foundation edge to the tip. If it measures more, start again with a smaller hook; if it measures less, with a larger one.

Notes

- The triangles are worked in rows. Row 1 is a right side row, and so is every odd row. The five geese are worked alike, each in a blue of its own: goose one in indigo, the darkest, to goose five in pale sky, the lightest.
- A left corner lies at the left of a goose and a right corner at its right. They differ only in the edge at which the sts are decreased.
- The ch 1 at the start of a row or a round does not count as a stitch. The first stitch of a row goes into the first st, the one the ch 1 rises from.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) whenever a yarn is begun or fastened off, unless a longer one is named. Weave each tail in on the wrong side, through stitches of its own color.
- Whip stitch: thread a yarn needle, hold the two edges together with right sides facing each other, and take the needle through one place of each edge, always from the same side, and over the two edges to the next pair of places. Draw the yarn close, but do not pucker the edge. The places of a seam are: on a foundation edge, the two strands left free below each stitch of row 1; on the edge of a last row, both loops of each st; on a side edge, the two outermost strands at the end of each row.
- The border is worked in the round with the right side facing: do not turn. The first stitch of a round goes into the same st as the joining sl st. A row end takes less room than a st: the sides would ripple with a sc in every row end. In round 1 "sk next row" passes over the end of one row without working into it. Stitches in parentheses are all worked into the one place named after them.
- In the border, where a round begins "With" another yarn, make the sl st that joins the round before with the new yarn, and cut the old one.
- To join a yarn with a sl st, make a slip knot of it on the hook, put the hook in the place named, yo, and pull through the place and the loop on the hook.
- When a ball runs out, work the last yarn over of a stitch with the next ball, and leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) on both.
- Buy whole balls from one dye lot.

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Instructions

Throw. US terms.

ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **Rnd** round, **sp** space, **st** stitch.
sc2tog 2 sc made into one, **sc3tog** 3 sc made into one, **sk** skip, **yo** yarn over the hook, **RS** right side, the one that shows.
ch-2 sp: the gap under two chains; the hook goes in the gap.
[ ] 23 times: work what is inside 23 times in all. **( )**: all of it goes into the one place.
(33 sc): the stitches you have when the row is done. **How to read a pattern**.

Goose one: make 6

Yarn C, indigo.

☐ **Foundation**	With C, ch 34.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(33 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 29 sts, sc2tog	(29 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 27 sts, sc2tog	(27 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 25 sts, sc2tog	(25 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 23 sts, sc2tog	(23 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(25 sc)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 21 sts, sc2tog	(21 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 19 sts, sc2tog	(19 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 17 sts, sc2tog	(17 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 15 sts, sc2tog	(15 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog	(13 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog	(11 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog	(9 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog	(7 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(9 sc)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog	(5 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog	(3 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next st, sc2tog	(1 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc3tog	(1 sc3tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

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Goose two: make 6

Yarn D, denim blue.

☐ **Foundation**	With D, ch 34.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(33 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 29 sts, sc2tog	(29 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 27 sts, sc2tog	(27 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 25 sts, sc2tog	(25 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 23 sts, sc2tog	(23 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(25 sc)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 21 sts, sc2tog	(21 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 19 sts, sc2tog	(19 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 17 sts, sc2tog	(17 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 15 sts, sc2tog	(15 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog	(13 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog	(11 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog	(9 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog	(7 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(9 sc)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog	(5 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog	(3 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next st, sc2tog	(1 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc3tog	(1 sc3tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Goose three: make 6

Yarn E, cornflower.

☐ **Foundation**	With E, ch 34.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(33 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 29 sts, sc2tog	(29 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 27 sts, sc2tog	(27 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 25 sts, sc2tog	(25 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 23 sts, sc2tog	(23 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(25 sc)

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☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 21 sts, sc2tog	(21 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 19 sts, sc2tog	(19 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 17 sts, sc2tog	(17 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 15 sts, sc2tog	(15 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog	(13 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog	(11 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog	(9 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog	(7 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(9 sc)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog	(5 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog	(3 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next st, sc2tog	(1 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc3tog	(1 sc3tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Goose four: make 6

Yarn F, sky blue.

☐ **Foundation**	With F, ch 34.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(33 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 29 sts, sc2tog	(29 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 27 sts, sc2tog	(27 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 25 sts, sc2tog	(25 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 23 sts, sc2tog	(23 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(25 sc)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 21 sts, sc2tog	(21 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 19 sts, sc2tog	(19 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 17 sts, sc2tog	(17 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 15 sts, sc2tog	(15 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog	(13 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog	(11 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog	(9 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog	(7 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(9 sc)

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☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog	(5 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog	(3 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next st, sc2tog	(1 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc3tog	(1 sc3tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Goose five: make 6

Yarn G, pale sky.

☐ **Foundation**	With G, ch 34.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(33 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 29 sts, sc2tog	(29 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 27 sts, sc2tog	(27 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 25 sts, sc2tog	(25 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 23 sts, sc2tog	(23 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(25 sc)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 21 sts, sc2tog	(21 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 19 sts, sc2tog	(19 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 17 sts, sc2tog	(17 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 15 sts, sc2tog	(15 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog	(13 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog	(11 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog	(9 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog	(7 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(9 sc)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog	(5 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog	(3 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next st, sc2tog	(1 sc, 2 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc3tog	(1 sc3tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

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Left corner: make 30

Yarn A, ivory.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, ch 18.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(17 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 15 sts	(15 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 14 sts, sc2tog	(14 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 13 sts	(13 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 12 sts, sc2tog	(12 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(13 sc)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 11 sts, sc2tog	(11 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 10 sts	(10 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 9 sts, sc2tog	(9 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 8 sts	(8 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog	(7 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 6 sts	(6 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 5 sts, sc2tog	(5 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 4 sts	(4 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(5 sc)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 3 sts	(3 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 2 sts, sc2tog	(2 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next st	(1 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog	(1 sc2tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a tail of about 28 in (71 cm) to sew with.	

Right corner: make 30

Yarn A, ivory.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, ch 18.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(17 sc)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 15 sts, sc2tog	(15 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 14 sts	(14 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 13 sts, sc2tog	(13 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 12 sts	(12 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(13 sc)

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☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 11 sts	(11 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 10 sts, sc2tog	(10 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 9 sts	(9 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 8 sts, sc2tog	(8 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 7 sts	(7 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 6 sts, sc2tog	(6 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 5 sts	(5 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 4 sts, sc2tog	(4 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(5 sc)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, sc2tog	(3 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog, sc in next 2 sts	(2 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, sc2tog	(1 sc, 1 sc2tog)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc2tog	(1 sc2tog)
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a tail of about 28 in (71 cm) to sew with.	

Sash: make 2

Yarn B, wheat.

☐ **Foundation**	With B, ch 11.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(10 sc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 190**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	(10 sc)

2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57
58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85
86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113
114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141
142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160	161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168	169
170	171	172	173	174	175	176	177	178	179	180	181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190							

☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

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Border

Yarns in order of use: B, wheat; C, indigo.

Work it when the columns and sashes are sewn to each other (Putting it together). Hold the piece with the tips of the outer columns up. From right to left the top edge is made of the 35 places of a column and the 10 sts of a sash in turn, 3 columns and 2 sashes: 125 places. A column whose tips point up shows 17 chs, the 1 st of the tip and 17 chs there; a column turned upside down shows the 1 st of a corner, 33 chs and the 1 st of a corner. At the bottom edge a column whose tips point up shows the 1 st of a corner, 33 chs and the 1 st of a corner; a column turned upside down shows 17 chs, the 1 st of the tip and 17 chs; and a sash shows its 10 chs. Every ch and every st of these edges counts as one st. In a ch put the hook under the two strands left free below row 1.

The two side edges are the ends of 190 rows each, 19 of every block; round 1 works 167 sc along each. The first st of the top edge is the one at its right-hand end.

☐ **Foundation**	Work around the edge of the joined blocks, right side facing: the 125 sts of the top edge, the 190 row ends of the left edge, the 125 sts of the bottom edge, the 190 row ends of the right edge.
☐ **Rnd 1**	Join B with sl st in first st, ch 1, sc in first st, sc in next 124 sts, ch 2, **[**sc in end of each of next 7 rows, sk next row**] 23 times**, sc in end of each of next 6 rows, ch 2, sc in next 125 sts, ch 2, **[**sc in end of each of next 7 rows, sk next row**] 23 times**, sc in end of each of next 6 rows, ch 2; join with sl st in first sc (584 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 124 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 167 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 125 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 167 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp; join with sl st in first sc (592 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 3**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 125 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 169 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 127 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 169 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next st; join with sl st in first sc (600 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 4**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 126 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 171 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 129 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 171 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 sts; join with sl st in first sc (608 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 5**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 127 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 173 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 131 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 173 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 3 sts; join with sl st in first sc (616 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 6**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 128 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 175 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 133 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 175 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 4 sts; join with sl st in first sc (624 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 7**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 129 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 177 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 135 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 177 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 5 sts; join with sl st in first sc (632 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)

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☐ **Rnd 8**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 130 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 179 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 137 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 179 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 6 sts; join with sl st in first sc (640 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 9**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 131 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 181 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 139 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 181 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 7 sts; join with sl st in first sc (648 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 10**	With C, ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 132 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 183 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 141 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 183 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 8 sts; join with sl st in first sc (656 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Rnd 11**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, sc in next 133 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 185 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 143 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 185 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, sc in next 9 sts; join with sl st in first sc (664 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.

Assembly

1. Blocks, 30 of them: lay a goose right side up with its foundation edge toward you and its tip away from you. Lay a left corner at its left and a right corner at its right, right sides up, the foundation edges of the corners away from you, level with the tip of the goose, and the tips of the corners toward you, beside the two ends of the foundation edge of the goose. The straight sides of the corners are on the outside, and their slanting sides lie along the slanting sides of the goose. Hold a corner and the goose with right sides together and, with the long tail of the corner, whip stitch the two slanting sides from the tip of the corner upward: 19 stitches, one in the end of each row, row 19 of the corner against row 1 of the goose, row 18 against row 2, and so on. Fasten off. Sew the other corner in the same way. Each block is a rectangle of 35 places by 19 rows, 10¾ in (27 cm) wide and 5 1/8 in (13 cm) tall.

2. Columns, 3 of them, all alike: lay 10 blocks one below another with their tips up, from the top two with goose five, two with goose four, two with goose three, two with goose two, two with goose one. Sew each block to the next: hold the two with right sides together, the top edge of the lower block (17 chs, the 1 st of the tip, 17 chs) against the bottom edge of the upper block (the 1 st of a corner, 33 chs, the 1 st of the other corner), and whip stitch 35 pairs of places with a length of A, about 38 in (97 cm) long, for each of the 9 seams of a column.

3. Lay the 3 columns side by side, right sides up, and turn the second, the middle one, upside down, so that its tips point toward you. Lay a sash between every two columns, right side up, row 1 toward you. Seams, 4 of them: hold a sash and a column with right sides together, side edge against side edge, and whip stitch one stitch in the end of each row, 190 stitches. Use 5 lengths of B for each seam, each about 36 in (91 cm) long: every length sews 2 blocks, 38 row ends. Fasten every length at both ends.

4. Weave in all the ends. Then work the border.

Finishing

- Weave in the ends of the border with the yarn needle.
- Lay the afghan flat, damp it, pat its edges straight and its corners square, and leave it until it is dry.

In all: 92 pieces; 30,614 stitches; 188 ends to weave in.

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