

Crochet Quilt Patterns
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Materials:

I used Red Heart Super Saver 8 oz. I was able to make approximately 51 three-inch granny squares.

Now Red Heart Super Saver is 7oz. I would approximate about 40 three-inch granny squares per skein.

I used the following colors. (You can use any color scheme.)

All Star Blocks

Aran #313

Granny Square Borders

Light Sage #631

Dark Sage #633

Single Crochet Border

Dark Sage #633

Colors for Stars:

Group 1

Burgundy #376

Rose Pink #0372

Group 2

Light Raspberry #0774

Dark Raspberry ???

Group 3

Medium Purple #528

Orchid #530

Group 4

Country Blue #382

Windsor Blue #380

Group 5

Light Sage #631

Dark Sage #633

Group 6

Cornmeal #320

Gold #321

Size I crochet hook.

The squares are three inches. The 4x4 block is 12 inches. I made 36 12-inch blocks and added a border of granny squares in between the blocks. The entire afghan was slip stitched together in the BLO of each granny square (The back side had raised seams.). The border is made up of two rows of single crochet.

SQUARE A Solid (This is a basic granny square.)

Ch 4; join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), 2 dc in ring, (ch 2, 3 dc in ring) 3 times, hdc in first dc to form last ch-2 sp: 12 dc and 4 ch-2 sps.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in last ch-2 sp made, ch 1, * (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1; repeat from * 2 times more; join with slip st to first dc, finish off: 24 dc and 8 sps.

SQUARE B Diagonal 2 Colors

With first color, Ch 4; join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 5 (counts as first dc plus ch 2), 3 dc in ring, cut first color, with second color indicated, YO and draw through, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in ring, cut second color, with first color, YO and draw through, ch 1, 2 dc in ring; join with slip st to first dc: 12 dc and 4 ch-2 sps.

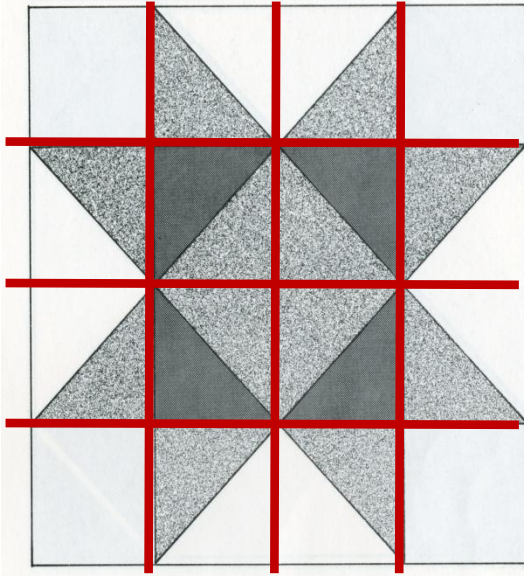
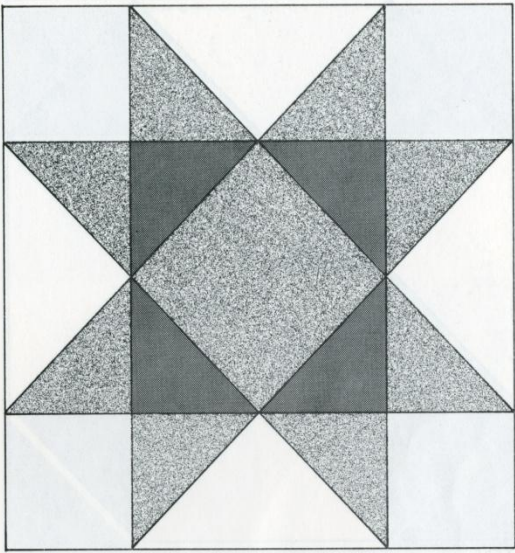
Rnd 2: Slip st in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, cut first color, with second color, YO and draw through, ch 1, 3 dc in same sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-2 sp, cut second color, with first color, YO and draw through, ch 1, 3 dc in same sp, ch 1; join with slip st to first dc, finish off: 24 dc and 8 sps.

Quilt Blocks Used:

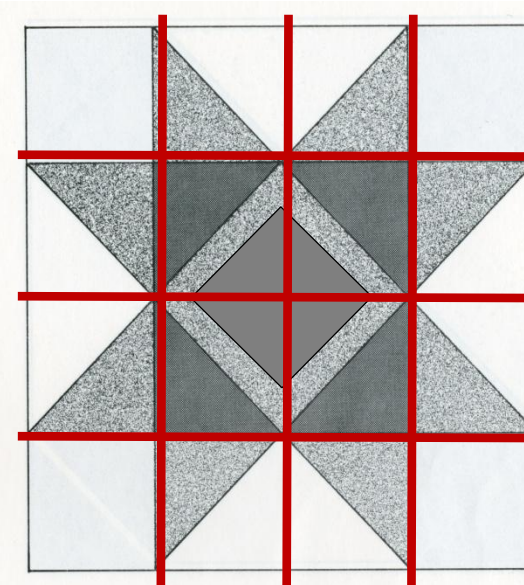
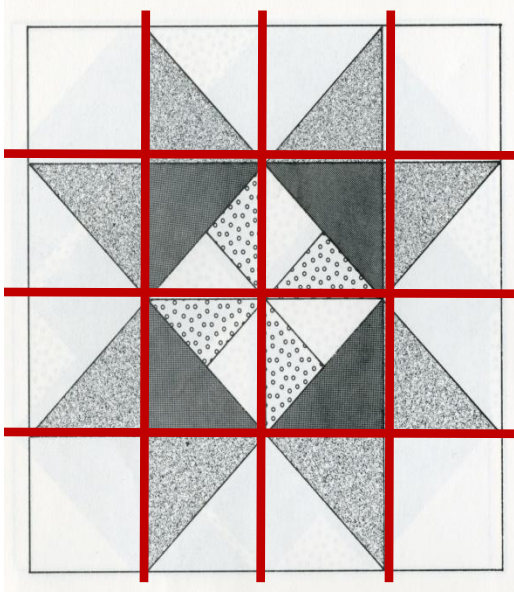
1. Ohio Star (traditional)
2. Martha Washington Star (traditional)
3. Double Diamond Star (my design)

If you understand how to change the colors for the diagonal square, you do the Martha Washington Star and my Double Diamond Star

You can use any "real" quilt pattern as long as it is based on squares... Some crocheted quilt block can be 4x4 (16 granny squares), 5x5 (25 granny squares), 6x6 (36 granny squares), 7x7 (49 granny squares), 8x8 (64 granny squares) and so on. When you find the quilt pattern you like, simply draw a grid on the pattern to find out how many granny squares you will need for that particular block. Crocheting quilt afghans is a way of turning boring granny squares into some beautiful!



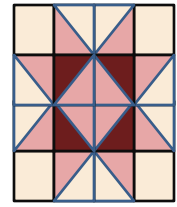
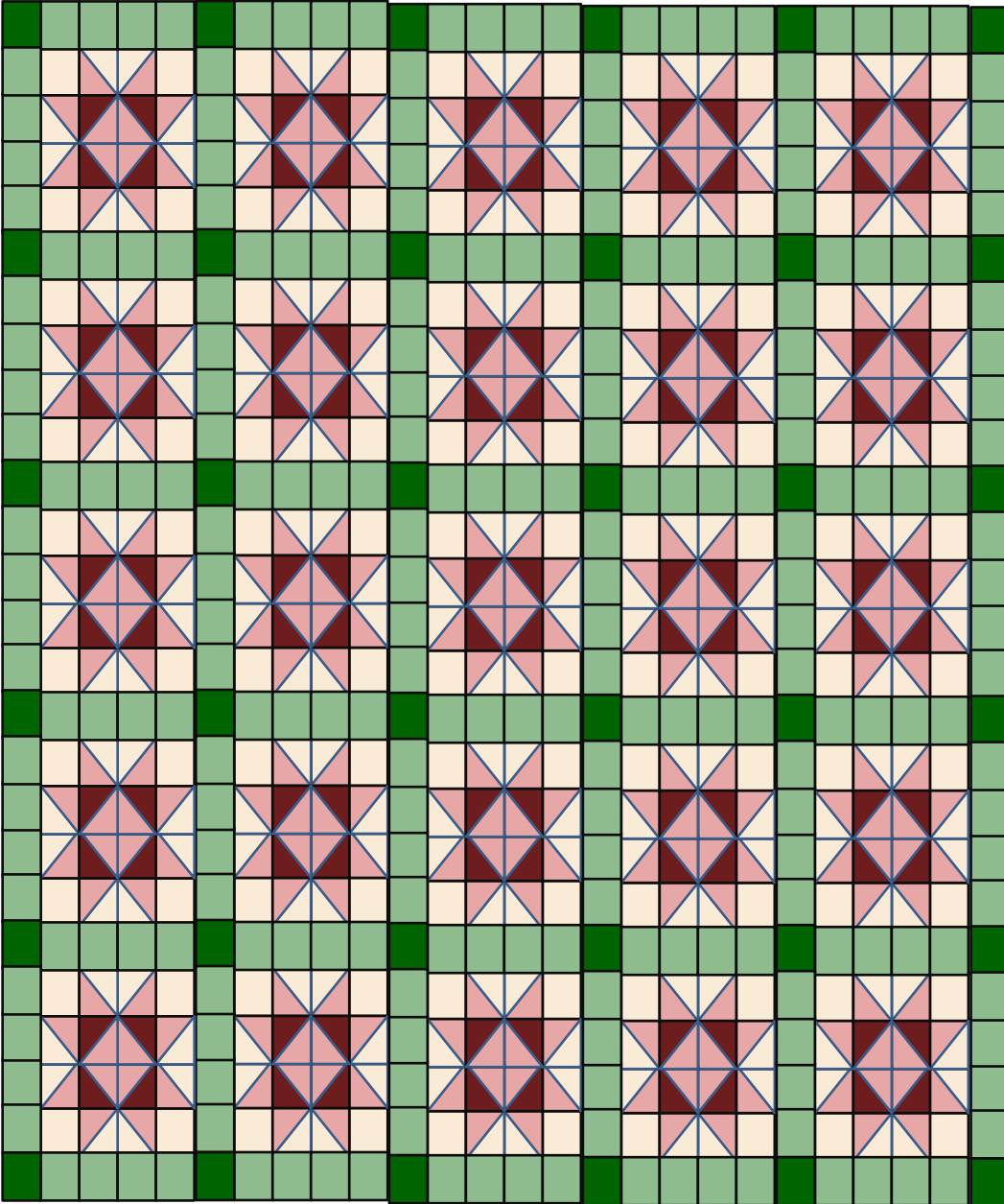
Ohio Star
16 Granny Squares



Martha Washington Star
16 Granny Squares

Double Diamond
16 Granny Squares
This is my design.

SAMPLE LAYOUT



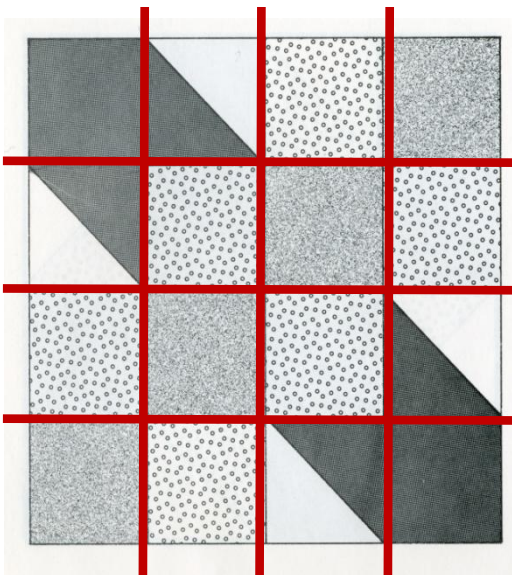
There are 16 3-inch granny squares in one quilt block.

One quilt block measure 12 inches square.



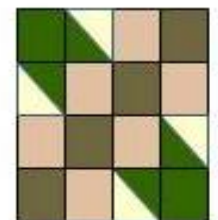
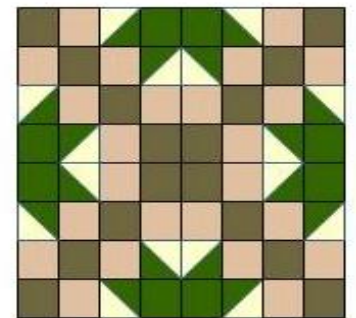
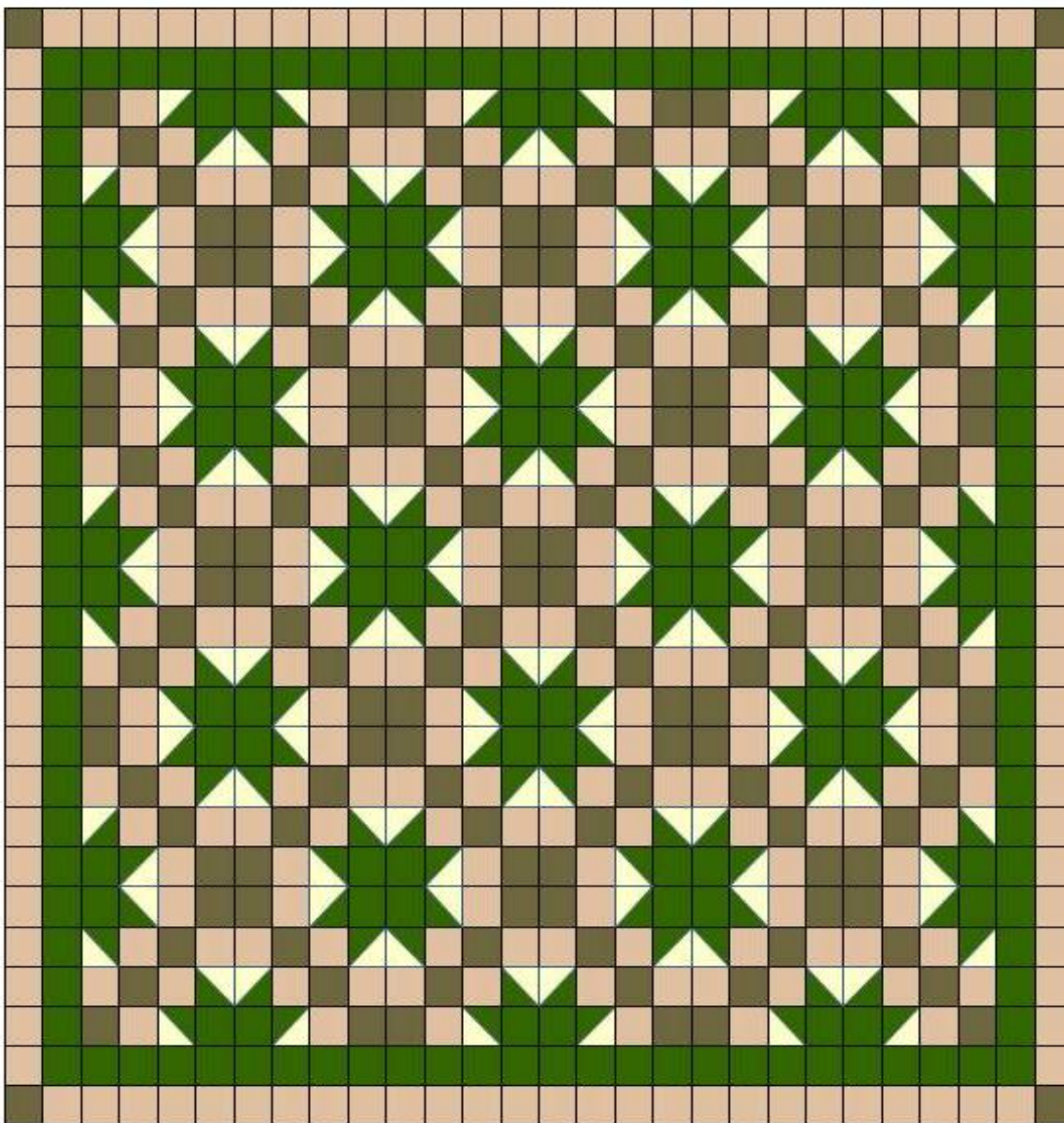
I made 36 quilt blocks in this picture. It really dose not matter how many quilt blocks you make. It depends on your desired size.

I scanned one 4x4 quilt block and duplicated it so you can see a portion of my current quilt project.



Road to Oklahoma Quilt Block
16 Granny Squares

When planning your quilt project, the design can be realized in Excel or PowerPoint. PowerPoint is more precise for creating triangles for the quarter portion (color change) of the granny square. When you have one block designed (copy, paste, dragging small shapes together, group the block and then copy and paste the large objects. You will see you design. If you do not use a computer, just design you quilt afghan on graph paper.



36

-  172
-  148
-  320
-  144

784 Total