



V-Stitch Crocheted Afghan

From Joyce Holt

50" x 70"

This is a very large afghan but you can cut it down, just chain a lesser number, always end with an odd number. One thing, I found when I made one of these was to make sure you use longer lengths of scraps to lessen the tails you will have to work into the finished blanket. --Kathy Atha

Need: scraps of yarn, main color (MC), hook H or I. Cut scraps of yarn in lengths of 30" and tie 2 different colors together leaving 2" tails for weaving in later. Make 2½ balls about the size of soccer balls. Main color is at least 20 ounces.

V-stitch: dc, ch 1, dc in same stitch, skip 1 chain and repeat in every other chain stitch or in top of vstitches. Chain 191 with MC turn, dc I 4th chain from hood, *ch 1, skip one stitch and V-stitches in next chain*. Repeat * to end of chain, join scraps, chain 3 turn. Repeat * v-stitches in top of previous stitch to end of row, join MC and repeat, change colors with each row. Continue until you have reached the desired length.