

Chessboard 6" Square

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This is a very basic pattern and there are a million and one variations on this theme. It's written to be 6" with a simple sc edge.

It's super-duper easy and, I think, makes a fun black & red square!

- Color A – Black (worsted weight)
- Color B – Red (worsted weight)
- Size H Hook
- Gauge – 4dc = 1"



Throughout the pattern, you will be working across the strand of yarn that you are not using. This means you'll only have ends to weave in at the beginning and end.



When changing colors, pull the new color through the top of the last dc. Do not cut the last color worked with (see above).

With Color A, ch 22

Row 1: dc in 4th ch from hook and in the next 3 st, change to Color B, working 1 dc in each of the next 4 st, change to Color A at the top of the fourth st, rep the pattern of 4 dc, change colors at the top of the fourth st, across, joining Color B at the top of the last dc, ch 3 turn.

Row 2: continuing to work Color B across Color A, dc in the next 3 st, change to Color B, continue pattern (4 dc, change color) across, joining Color A at the top of the last dc, ch 3 turn.

Row 3: continuing to work Color A across Color B dc in the next 3 st, change to Color A, continue pattern (4 dc, change color) across, joining Color B at the top of the last dc, ch 3 turn.

Row 4-9: Repeat 2-3, finish off

Finishing: join Color A in any st. Sc in each sc, and in the back loops of the first row, 3 sc in the sides of each dc and two in each corner, around. Finish off.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jennifer".

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