

Fandango Throw Worksheet

There are 48 squares that make up this blanket.

- 24 are coloured one way.
- 24 are coloured in a different way.

This would be an amazing scrapghan project of randomizing colours but keeping Colour A the same for each.

Understand the Panels

The pattern begins with starting with Panel 1, then 2 and all the way to 7.

- They build onto each other, starting off with panel 1.
- In the picture, the burgundy panel on the bottom was panel 1. The green panel was panel 2 and so on. By the time you do all 7 panels, you end up with a turkey feather fan-like appearance.
- The panels are not sewn together, beginning on panel 2 to 7 they are **slip stitched together** on each row before you turn and go back.



There are 15 rows per panel. I found a great memory trick to speed me up.

- The last row of panel 1 is the right side (RS). It will help to know that when you begin to join panel 2 to panel 1.
- After you do the first panel, when you finish an odd number row like 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 and 15, they are joined to the existing panel. Knowing this, it helped me keep track of where I was in the pattern. **If I was in row 4 and joining at the end, I knew I was miscounting.**
- I found after doing the 4th panel, I started remembering the steps and just glancing to confirm. I had started off with a checklist but by the time the 7th panel was done, I was just glancing and remembering where I was without having to stop and do a checklist. I'm telling you this as it will feel slow going in the beginning but it is possible to speed up as you understand the pattern more.

I would weave in your tails as you go to save yourself a lot of tails at the end of the project.

Building Out The Square

Once you are done the turkey feather fan-like structure.

For memory and speed, I would do all of your feather fans first before moving onto to this step.

With the right side (RS) facing up. You will then complete the bottom section. Each bottom of the fan, shown in light blue, gets 2 sc and then you speed your way to the corner by decreasing stitches. It was surprisingly quick.

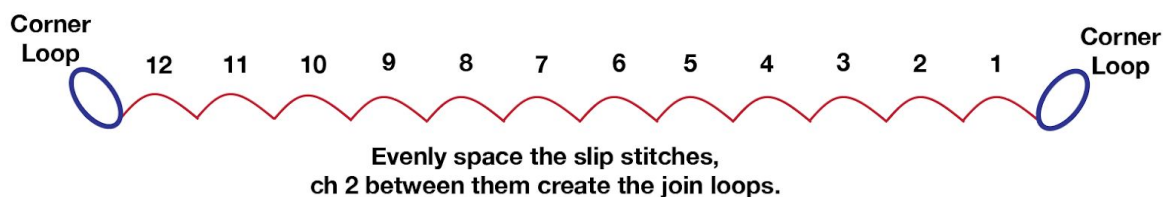


The blue above the fans is also fairly quick as you are decreasing. There is a stretch of rows 6 - 11. You keep decreasing on the edges equally and I found I didn't need to check this off because you keep going until you see 7 sts left. It will keep you moving quickly to know this.

Final Round - Join As You Go

The final round on the first one gets done completely. Then, as you complete square 2 - 48, they are joined as you go. Yep, no sewing is involved.

It took me several tries on the first side and then I clued in. Think of the side like Bubbles. Don't count the corner bubbles.



If you are evenly spacing and can count 12 ch 2 spaces between the corners and it looks okay to you, you are good to go.

When you joining to a square that already has the outer loops, you just ch 1, sl st to the matching loop to the neighbour square, ch 1, and then sl st in the square you are working with.

I would recommending damp or wet blocking each finished square at he end before joining.

Check List

Ch 1 is assumed before starting each row.

If you are joining an existing panel, it's assumed you sl st to the same row level in the next panel at the end of the row. Turn. Start the next row with Ch 1.

I put a stitch number per row in brackets (number).

Check off the box going down in columns as you pass each step.

Panels

Abbreviated Inst.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Ch 2, 1 sc. (1)														
2 sc in only st. (2)														
1 sc in each st. (2)														
1 sc in each st. (2)														
1 sc, ch 1, 1 sc. (3)														
1 sc, 1 sc in ch 1, 1 sc in next st. (3)														
1 sc in each. (3)														
1 sc in each. (3)														
1 sc in each. (3)														
1 sc 1st, 2 sc in next, 1 sc in last. (4)														
1 sc in each. (4)														
1 sc in each. (4)														
1 sc 1st 2 sts, ch 1, 1 sc in last 2 sts. (5)														
1 sc in each st and ch 1 sp. (5)														
1 sc in first, sk next st, shell in next, sk next st, 1 sc in last st.														

I shaded the rows where there is a join at the end. This doesn't apply to panel 1.

Bottom Corner

Ch 1 is assumed at the beginning of each row. Dec is assumed to use 2 sts in a row to do Sc2tog sts.

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Top Corner

Ch 1 is assumed at the beginning of each row. Dec means to place 2 sts together with sc2tog.

Abbreviated Inst.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Follow instructions on Row 1. Fasten off. (43)														
Start 6th st in, sc 31 in a row. (31)														
Sk 1st st, dec in next. Dec starting 3rd st from end. (27)														
Sk 1st st, dec in next. Dec starting 3rd st from end. (23)														
Sk 1st st, dec in next. Dec starting 3rd st from end. (19)														
Dec 1st and Last. (17)														
Dec 1st and Last. (15)														
Dec 1st and Last. (13)														
Dec 1st and Last. (11)														
Dec 1st and Last. (9)														
Dec 1st and Last. (7)														
Dec 1st, sk next st, shell in next, sk next st, dc last. (0)														

The shaded boxes are all the same. I would do the same without checking off and just keep going back and forth until there are 7 sts left.