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Lightening Rug

Finished size: 88" x 44", 3.75 mesh rug canvas. To prepare the rug canvas, count 140 holes horizontally and mark the canvas. Be sure to leave about 2 – 3 inches on each side for finishing. Next, count 280 holes vertically and mark the canvas. Again, leave 2 -3 inches on each end for finishing*.

Pre-Cut Rug Yarn Colors:

The colors listed are from Herschnerr's line of acrylic pre-cut rug yarn. The number of packets required for each color is based on Herschnerr's packets of 320 strands. If you choose to use a different brand of yarn, you may need to adjust your packet count.

# on Chart	Yarn #/Color	# Strands Used	# Packets Needed
1	0053 Bright Red	19633	62
2	0115 Black	19567	62

The pdf chart will print 22 pages.

Working top to bottom, pages 3 - 6 should be worked first, moving horizontally. Then continue with pages 7 – 10, 11 – 14, 15 – 18 and 19 - 22. Working bottom to top, start with pages 22 – 19, 18 – 15, 14 – 11, 10 – 7 and 6 – 3.

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*Helpful Hint: The best way to “finish” the edges of a latch hook rug is as follows:

Use an “Iron-On” rug binding tape around the edges of the rug canvas.

Before starting, fold the edges of the canvas under and “hook” through both the top canvas holes and the “folded under” canvas holes. Do the same with the sides of the rug. This can be done as you work the rug. Try to hook through at least 4 rows. This will reinforce your edges for a rug that will last.



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