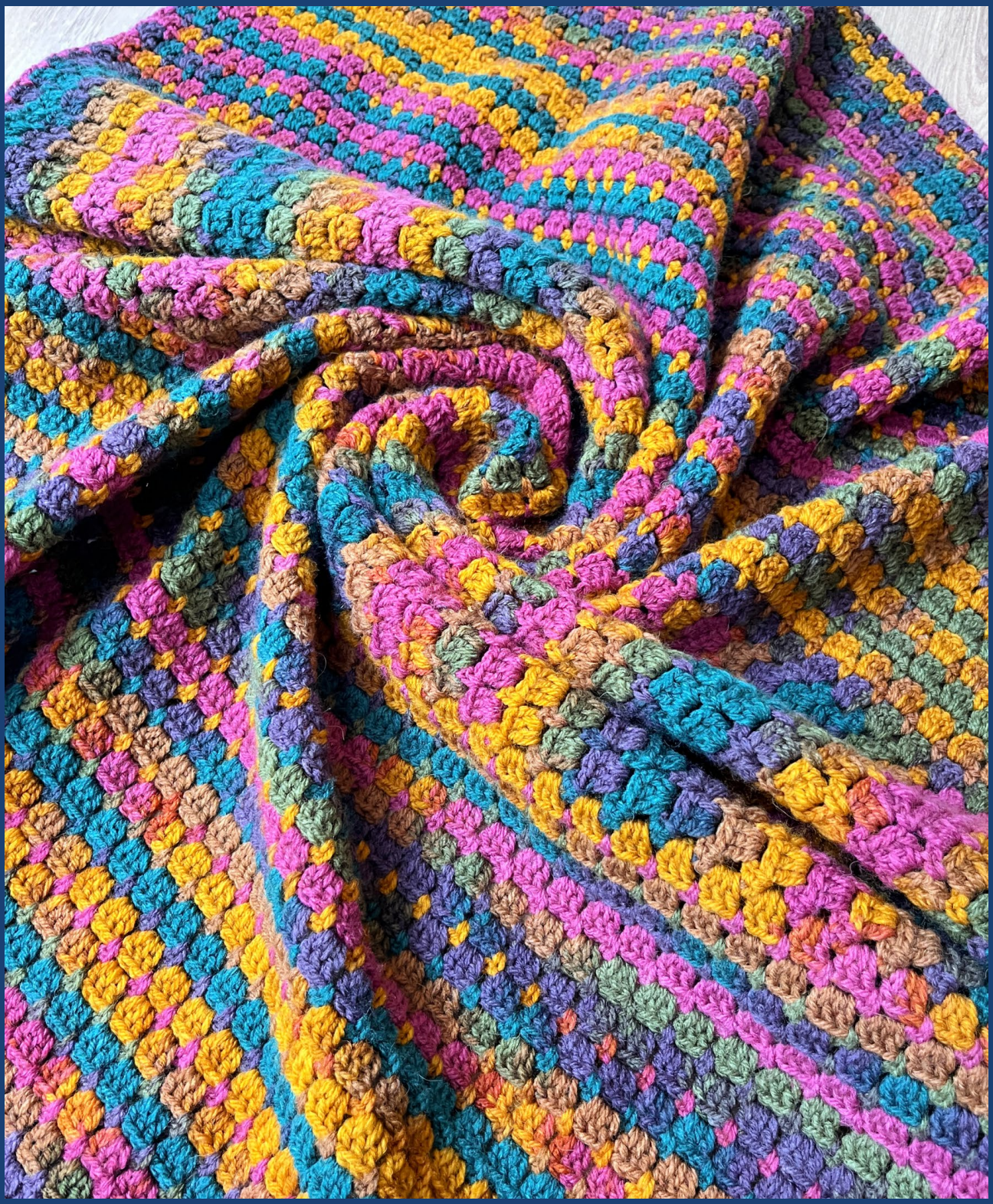
Block Stitch Blanket

Crochet Pattern

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Block Stitch Blanket

Yarn Required:
Approx 500g / 1500m

Yarn Used in photos: 5 balls of Utopia Crafts Perfect DK Ombre (Shade DK07) - A

Hook Size(s): 4 mm (closest US size G/6).
Pattern will work in other hooks and yarns though finished size may be different.

You will also need:

- a large eye yarn needle
- stitch markers
- scissors

Gauge: 18 tr and 13 rows of pattern = 10 cm [3.9"]. Obtaining the correct gauge is not critical for this project.

Finished Dimensions:
100cm [39.3in] x 103cm [40.5in]

Introducing the Block Stitch Blanket - a soothing, mindful make designed for moments of calm creativity.

This beautifully repetitive design works effortlessly with ombré or solid yarns, creating a timeless texture that lets your stitches shine. Easy to customise in size, it can be made larger or smaller to suit any space or season.

Relaxing to crochet yet endlessly versatile, the Block Stitch Blanket is a comforting classic you'll treasure for years to come

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STITCH GUIDANCE: UK Terminology

Stitches (st): Stitch abbreviations st or sts stand for "stitch" or "stitches"

Slip Stitch (sl st): Insert hook in st indicated, yarn over and draw through all loops.

Chain (ch): Bring yarn over the hook from back to front and draw it through the slip knot (or previous chain) to form a new loop on the hook.

Chain Space (ch-sp): A chain space is an empty area, gap, or hole in the fabric created by making a specific number of chain stitches and often skipping stitches in the previous row.

Double crochet (dc): Insert hook in st indi-cated and pull up a loop (two loops on hook), yarn over, pull through both loops on hook.

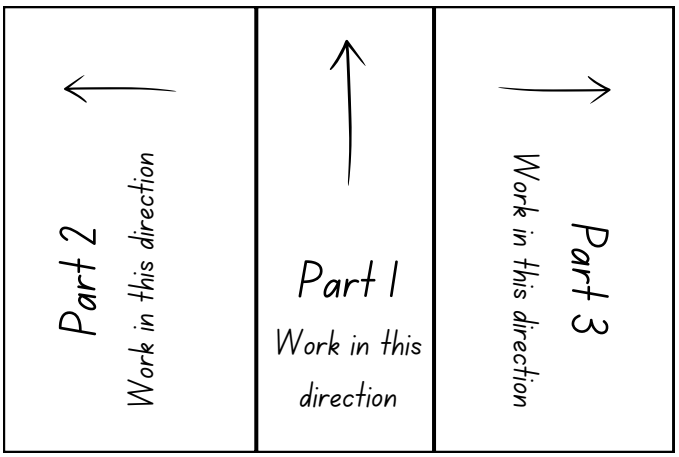
Treble (tr): Yarn over, insert hook in indicated st and pull up a loop (three loops on hook), yarn over, pull through two loops, yarn over, pull through remaining two loops on hook.

Cluster (Cl): Three treble crochets worked in a ch3-sp

PATTERN NOTES:

- **[…]** Repeat section in square brackets until specified
- The ch3 at the beginning of a row counts as the first tr.
- Make the blanket bigger or smaller by making the beginning chain in a multiple of 3+5.

BLANKET SCHEMATIC



PATTERN

PART 1:

Row 1: With A; ch65, 1tr in the 4th ch from hook, 1tr in each st along until end, turn. (62 sts)

Row 2: Ch1, dc in the top of the first st, [1dc in-between the first 2trs of previous row, ch3, miss 3sts, 1dc in-between the next 2trs of row below] repeat across until the last st, 1dc in the top fo the last st, turn. (23 dc,20 x ch3-sps)

Row 3: Ch3, [miss the next dc, 1Cl in the next ch3-sp] repeat across until the last st, 1tr in the last st, turn. (20 clusters, 1tr at either end of row).

Note: Rows 2 - 3 make up the pattern

Rows 4 - 123: Repeat rows 2 - 3 sixty times, do not fasten off. At the end of Row 123 turn your work 90° ready to work on the row ends for Part 2 of the blanket.

PART 2:

Row 1: Ch3, 2tr on the post of the treble of

of row 123. Then working on the post of each row end tr, Cl to last row end. 2 tr on the post, 1 tr in the first foundation ch. (186 sts)

Row 2: Ch1, dc in the top of the first st, (1dc in-between the first 2trs of previous row, ch3, miss 3sts, 1dc in-between the next 2trs of row below) repeat across until the last st, 1dc in the top fo the last st, turn. (63 dc, 62 x ch3-sps)

Row 3: Ch3, (miss the next dc, 1Cl in the next ch3-sp) repeat across until the last st, 1tr in the last st, turn. (60 clusters, 2tr at either end of each row, 1tr in the last st at the end of each row).

Note: Rows 2 - 3 make up the pattern

Rows 4 - 43: Repeat rows 2 - 3 twenty times, fasten off and weave in ends.

PART 3:

Rows 1 - 43: Reattach yarn on the other side of Part 1 and repeat Part 2. Fasten off and weave in all ends.

FINISHING

- Fasten yarn onto right side Dc in first st, skip next 3 sts, ch 3, dc in next st; repeat from * around the entire outer edge of the piece.
- When working along the row ends, place your dc into the dc at the end of each row, spacing them evenly so that the ch-3 sps form consistent gaps.
- Join with a sl st to first dc to close the round.



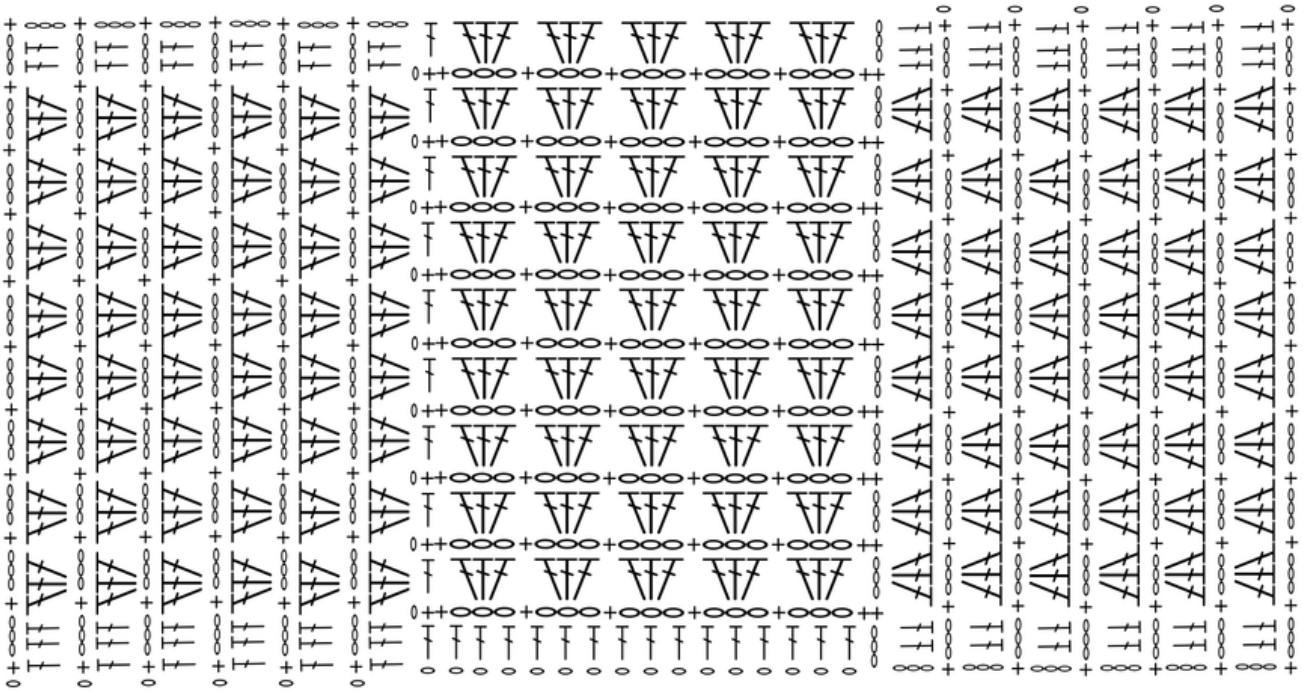
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CHART SAMPLE

This chart below illustrates how the box stitches fit together to form the blanket; the full pattern includes additional stitches and rows beyond what is shown here.



STITCH LEGEND



Cluster (Cl): 3tr worked in a ch3-sp

Chain (Ch)



Treble (tr)



Double crochet (dc)



Chain (Ch)

Ch3



This pattern was made using:

Perfect DK Ombre



Yarn Weight	Meterage	Needle Size	Hook Size	Tension	
DK	300 m			10 cm / 4"	8 Shades
Ball Weight 100 g	328 yds	4 mm	2 - 2.5 mm	19 Sts 26R	

100% Acrylic

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DK_03



DK_04



DK_05



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