# Bobble stripe bath mat

Standard · US terms



Finished size
**About 20 × 26¾ in (51 × 68 cm)**

Skill
**Easy**
Worked in rows, with color changes and 1 special stitch.

Yarn
**Bulky (5), 2 colors**

Hook
**6.5 mm (US K-10 1/2)**

Gauge
**11 stitches and 11½ rows to 4 in (10 cm)**
In bobble stitch.

## You will need

Yarn A: warm white, main — **about 420 yd (384 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: aqua, stripe — **about 110 yd (101 m), an estimate**
Fiber: cotton
Hook: 6.5 mm (US K-10 1/2). Also: a yarn needle, scissors and a tape measure and a non-slip rug pad, a little smaller than the mat.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge, with 15 percent added.

## Sizes

| Size | Finished size, about | Yarn, an estimate |
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| **Standard (this file)** | **20 × 26¾ in (51 × 68 cm)** | **about 530 yd (485 m)** |
| **Small** | 17 × 21¼ in (43 × 54 cm) | about 365 yd (334 m) |


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## Abbreviations

Written in US terms. Where the UK name differs it is given beside the US one.

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| **ch** | chain stitch |
| **sc** | single crochet (UK dc, double crochet) |
| **RS** | right side |
| **st** | stitch |
| **yo** | yarn over (UK yrh, yarn round hook) |

### Special stitches

**bo (Bobble):** [yo, insert hook in the st, yo, pull up a loop, yo, pull through 2 loops] 5 times in the same st, yo, pull through all 6 loops on hook. In UK terms: 5 unfinished trebles in one place, drawn together. It leaves 1 stitch for the next row.

## Gauge

**11 stitches and 11½ rows to 4 in (10 cm)** in bobble stitch. Along a row, count every stitch and every chain between stitches as one.

Work a piece a little more than 4 in (10 cm) square, lay it flat and count. If you count more stitches than this, use a larger hook; if fewer, a smaller one.

## Before you start

- The ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch.
- The bobbles are made on wrong-side rows and push out to the right side; the single crochet after each one holds it there.
- To change yarn, work the last yarn over of the last stitch of the row before with the new yarn. If the old yarn is needed again after only 2 or 4 rows of another yarn, leave it hanging at the edge and bring it loosely up the side when you need it. Otherwise cut it, leaving a tail of about 6 in (15 cm), and leave a tail of the same length on the new yarn.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin and when you fasten off, unless another length is given. Weave in every end that is not sewn with.

## Instructions

Chosen: Standard. Square brackets [ ] hold a repeat: work what is inside as many times as it says. The count in round brackets at the end of a line is what that line leaves. Tick the box when a row is done. In UK terms sc is double crochet and yo is yarn round hook.

**Yarns in order of use: A, warm white; B, aqua.**

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| ☐ **Foundation** | With A, ch 56. | |
| ☐ **Row 1 (RS)** | Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 2** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 3** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 4** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 5** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |


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| ☐ **Rows 6 to 12** | Repeat rows 2 to 5 in order, over and over. The last row, row 12, is worked as row 4. | |

A box for each row, 6 to 12: tick them off as you go.

6 7 8 9 10 11 12

### Stripe in B, aqua

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| ☐ **Row 13** | With B, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 14** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 15** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 16** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |

### Stripe in A, warm white

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| ☐ **Row 17** | With A, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 18** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 19** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 20** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 21** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rows 22 to 28** | Repeat rows 18 to 21 in order, over and over. The last row, row 28, is worked as row 20. | |

A box for each row, 22 to 28: tick them off as you go.

22 23 24 25 26 27 28

### Stripe in B, aqua

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| ☐ **Row 29** | With B, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 30** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 31** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 32** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |

### Stripe in A, warm white

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| ☐ **Row 33** | With A, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 34** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 35** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 36** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 37** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rows 38 to 44** | Repeat rows 34 to 37 in order, over and over. The last row, row 44, is worked as row 36. | |

A box for each row, 38 to 44: tick them off as you go.

38 39 40 41 42 43 44

### Stripe in B, aqua

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| ☐ **Row 45** | With B, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |


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| ☐ **Row 46** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 47** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 48** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |

### Stripe in A, warm white

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| ☐ **Row 49** | With A, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 50** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 51** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 52** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 53** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rows 54 to 60** | Repeat rows 50 to 53 in order, over and over. The last row, row 60, is worked as row 52. | |

A box for each row, 54 to 60: tick them off as you go.

☐ 54 ☐ 55 ☐ 56 ☐ 57 ☐ 58 ☐ 59 ☐ 60

### Stripe in B, aqua

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| ☐ **Row 61** | With B, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 62** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 63** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 64** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |

### Stripe in A, warm white

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| ☐ **Row 65** | With A, ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 66** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next 3 sts, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times** | **(42 sc, 13 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 67** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Row 68** | Ch 1, turn; sc in next st, **[**bo in next st, sc in next 3 sts**] 13 times**, bo in next st, sc in last st | **(41 sc, 14 bo)** |
| ☐ **Row 69** | Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across | **(55 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rows 70 to 77** | Repeat rows 66 to 69 in order, over and over. The last row, row 77, is worked as row 69. | |

A box for each row, 70 to 77: tick them off as you go.

☐ 70 ☐ 71 ☐ 72 ☐ 73 ☐ 74 ☐ 75 ☐ 76 ☐ 77

☐ **End** Fasten off.

## Finishing

- Weave in the ends with the yarn needle, changing direction once or twice.
- On a smooth floor, lay the rug pad under the mat.

In all: 77 rows; 18 ends to weave in.

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