Fall striped throw

Standard · US terms



Finished size
About 49¾ × 60¼ in (126 × 153 cm)

Skill
Easy
A short repeat, bands of color

Yarn
Bulky (5), 5 colors

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

Gauge
10 stitches and 9¼ rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In suzette stitch.

You will need

Yarn A: rust, stripes	**about 700 yd (640 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: mustard, stripes	**about 275 yd (251 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: cream, stripes	**about 625 yd (572 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: olive, stripes	**about 550 yd (503 m), an estimate**
Yarn E: brown, stripes	**about 350 yd (320 m), an estimate**

Hook: 6.5 mm (US K-10 1/2). Also: yarn needle, scissors and tape measure.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. The estimate is from the stitches and chains of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added. To measure your own: work the test piece and measure it, mark the yarn where it begins and ends, pull it out and measure the yarn it took; divide by the area of the piece and multiply by the area of the blanket. That is the yarn of the stitches, all the colors together: add 6 in (15 cm) for each end to weave in, and some to spare.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Standard (this file)	**49¾ × 60¼ in (126 × 153 cm)**	**about 2,500 yd (2,286 m)**
Lap	36¼ × 46½ in (92 × 118 cm)	about 1,390 yd (1,271 m)
Large	54½ × 74 in (138 × 188 cm)	about 3,350 yd (3,063 m)
Extra large	60¼ × 74 in (153 × 188 cm)	about 3,675 yd (3,360 m)

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Abbreviations

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

ch	chain stitch
sl st	slip stitch (UK ss, slip stitch)
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
RS	right side
rnd	round
sk	skip
st	stitch

Gauge

10 stitches and 9¼ rows to 4 in (10 cm) in suzette stitch. Along a row, count every stitch and every chain between stitches as one.

The pattern also stops you to measure after row 12.

> **The swatch.** A test piece to measure and pull out. It is not the start of the pattern. Make the test piece first, in A alone: 14 rows, about 6 in (15.2 cm) wide and 6.1 in (15.5 cm) tall.
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> | **Swatch foundation** | With A, ch 16. | |
> | **Swatch row 1 (RS)** | (Sc, dc) in 2nd ch from hook, sk next ch, **[**(sc, dc) in next ch, sk next ch**] 6 times**, sc in last ch | **(8 sc, 7 dc)** |
> | **Swatch rows 2 to 14** | Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 7 times**, sc in last st | **(8 sc, 7 dc)** |

For another width, add or take away 2 chains at a time: each 2 chains adds one more repeat. Measure your own gauge first. The counts of the border change with it: between the corners, one stitch in every stitch of the last row and in every chain of the foundation.

Before you start

- The ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch: the first stitch of the row goes into the very st it rises from.
- Stitches in parentheses are all worked into the one place named after them.
- Row 1 is the right side.
- Where a row begins "With" a yarn, change to that yarn in the last yarn over of the last stitch of the row before, so that the turning chain and the whole row are in the new yarn.
- Every band is an even number of rows, so every color changes at the same side edge, the one where the right side rows begin. At the end of a band look down the color sequence to the next band of the same yarn. If four rows or fewer lie between, do not cut the yarn: let it hang at that edge, and each time you are back there lay it over the working yarn once, so that it is held loosely against the edge and does not pull. If more than four rows lie between, or no band of it is still to come, cut it, leaving a tail of about 6 in (15 cm). Join every new yarn, and every yarn that was cut and comes again, with a tail of the same length. The border is not a band: join its yarn afresh, and work the stitches of that side edge over the carried strands.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin, and weave it in at the end with the others.

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- The border is worked in the round with the right side facing, three single crochets in every corner. Do not turn between rounds. The ch 1 at the start of a round does not count as a stitch. Join every yarn of the border with a tail of about 6 in (15 cm). From round 2 on, the "first st" is the first sc of the round before.
- Along the foundation, for the border, work one stitch in each chain, whether row 1 used it or not. The "first ch" is the one under the last stitch of row 1, the "last ch" the one under its first stitch.
- Where a border round begins by joining another yarn, first fasten off the yarn of the round before, leaving a 6 in (15 cm) tail.
- This size has 54 ends to weave in.
- The last row, row 136, is a wrong side row: when it is fastened off, turn the piece, so that the right side faces you for the border. The border's "first st" is then the stitch made last in row 136, at its right-hand end, and its "last st" is the first stitch of that row.
- Color sequence
- Rows 1 to 8: A (rust)
- Rows 9 to 10: C (cream)
- Rows 11 to 14: B (mustard)
- Rows 15 to 16: C (cream)
- Rows 17 to 24: D (olive)
- Rows 25 to 26: C (cream)
- Rows 27 to 30: E (brown)
- Rows 31 to 32: C (cream)
- Rows 33 to 40: A (rust)
- Rows 41 to 42: C (cream)
- Rows 43 to 46: B (mustard)
- Rows 47 to 48: C (cream)
- Rows 49 to 56: D (olive)
- Rows 57 to 58: C (cream)
- Rows 59 to 62: E (brown)
- Rows 63 to 64: C (cream)
- Rows 65 to 72: A (rust)
- Rows 73 to 74: C (cream)
- Rows 75 to 78: B (mustard)
- Rows 79 to 80: C (cream)
- Rows 81 to 88: D (olive)
- Rows 89 to 90: C (cream)
- Rows 91 to 94: E (brown)
- Rows 95 to 96: C (cream)
- Rows 97 to 104: A (rust)
- Rows 105 to 106: C (cream)
- Rows 107 to 110: B (mustard)
- Rows 111 to 112: C (cream)
- Rows 113 to 120: D (olive)

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- Rows 121 to 122: C (cream)
- Rows 123 to 126: E (brown)
- Rows 127 to 128: C (cream)
- Rows 129 to 136: A (rust)
- Border: round 1 C (cream), round 2 E (brown)

Instructions

Chosen: Standard. Square brackets [ ] hold a repeat: work what is inside as many times as it says. Round brackets ( ) inside a line hold stitches that all go into one place. 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 sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet and dc is treble.

Blanket

Yarn A, rust.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, ch 122.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	(Sc, dc) in 2nd ch from hook, sk next ch, **[**(sc, dc) in next ch, sk next ch**] 59 times**, sc in last ch	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 2 to 8**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 2 to 8: tick them off as you go.

2 3 4 5 6 7 8

☐ **Row 9**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 11**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 12 to 14**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 12 to 14: tick them off as you go. The heavy box is where you stop and measure.

12 13 14

> **Stop and measure when you have worked row 12.** Width, across the middle of the rows and not along the chain edge: about 48½ in (123 cm). If it is wider, start again with a smaller hook; if it is narrower, with a larger one. If only the chain edge is tight, make the chain with a larger hook.

☐ **Row 15**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 17**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 18 to 24**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 18 to 24: tick them off as you go.

18 19 20 21 22 23 24

☐ **Row 25**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 26**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 27**	With E, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

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☐ **Rows 28 to 30**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 28 to 30: tick them off as you go.

☐ 28 ☐ 29 ☐ 30

☐ **Row 31**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 32**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 33**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 34 to 40**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 34 to 40: tick them off as you go.

☐ 34 ☐ 35 ☐ 36 ☐ 37 ☐ 38 ☐ 39 ☐ 40

☐ **Row 41**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 42**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 43**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 44 to 46**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 44 to 46: tick them off as you go.

☐ 44 ☐ 45 ☐ 46

☐ **Row 47**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 48**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 49**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 50 to 56**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 50 to 56: tick them off as you go.

☐ 50 ☐ 51 ☐ 52 ☐ 53 ☐ 54 ☐ 55 ☐ 56

☐ **Row 57**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 58**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 59**	With E, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 60 to 62**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 60 to 62: tick them off as you go.

☐ 60 ☐ 61 ☐ 62

☐ **Row 63**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 64**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 65**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 66 to 72**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 66 to 72: tick them off as you go.

☐ 66 ☐ 67 ☐ 68 ☐ 69 ☐ 70 ☐ 71 ☐ 72

☐ **Row 73**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 74**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

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☐ **Row 75**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 76 to 78**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 76 to 78: tick them off as you go.

76 77 78

☐ **Row 79**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 80**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 81**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 82 to 88**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 82 to 88: tick them off as you go.

82 83 84 85 86 87 88

☐ **Row 89**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 90**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 91**	With E, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 92 to 94**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 92 to 94: tick them off as you go.

92 93 94

☐ **Row 95**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 96**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 97**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 98 to 104**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 98 to 104: tick them off as you go.

98 99 100 101 102 103 104

☐ **Row 105**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 106**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 107**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 108 to 110**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 108 to 110: tick them off as you go.

108 109 110

☐ **Row 111**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 112**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 113**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 114 to 120**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 114 to 120: tick them off as you go.

114 115 116 117 118 119 120

☐ **Row 121**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

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☐ **Row 122**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 123**	With E, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 124 to 126**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 124 to 126: tick them off as you go.

☐ 124 ☐ 125 ☐ 126

☐ **Row 127**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 128**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 129**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 130 to 136**	Ch 1, turn; **[**(sc, dc) in next st, sk next st**] 60 times**, sc in last st	**(61 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 130 to 136: tick them off as you go.

☐ 130 ☐ 131 ☐ 132 ☐ 133 ☐ 134 ☐ 135 ☐ 136

☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 6 in (15 cm) tail.	

Border

Yarns in order of use: C, cream; E, brown.

☐ **Foundation**	The edge of the piece, right side facing, beginning at the right-hand end of the last row: 121 stitches along the last row, 136 row ends down each side and 121 chains along the foundation.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Join C with sl st in first st, ch 1, 3 sc in same st, sc in next 119 sts, 3 sc in last st, sc in end of each of next 136 rows, 3 sc in first ch of foundation edge, sc in next 119 chs, 3 sc in last ch of foundation edge, sc in end of each of next 136 rows, sl st in first sc to join	**(522 sc)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Join E with sl st in first st, ch 1, sc in same st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 121 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 138 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 121 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 137 sts, sl st in first sc to join	**(530 sc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 6 in (15 cm) tail.	

Finishing

- Weave in the ends: each end into stitches of its own color, on the wrong side, turning back once.
- Lay the blanket flat, pat it square and let it rest; a light steam held above it, or a damp cloth left to dry on it, settles the rows.

In all: 2 pieces; 17,508 stitches (16,456 in the blanket, 1,052 in the border); 54 ends to weave in.

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