Hooded blanket wrap

Adult · US terms



Finished size
About 62 × 32½ in (157 × 83 cm)

Skill
Easy
Herringbone half double crochet, color changes, chain openings, two seams

Yarn
Bulky (5), 2 colors

Hook
8 mm (US L-11)

Gauge
9 stitches and 8 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In herringbone half double crochet (UK: half treble).

You will need

Yarn A: cream, main — **about 1,125 yd (1,029 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: charcoal, stripes, border and hood edging — **about 775 yd (709 m), an estimate**
Hook: 8 mm (US L-11), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: yarn needle, scissors, tape measure and 2 stitch markers.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches and chains of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Teen	53 × 26½ in (135 × 67 cm)	about 1,375 yd (1,257 m)
Adult (this file)	**62 × 32½ in (157 × 83 cm)**	**about 1,900 yd (1,737 m)**
Plus	72¾ × 35½ in (185 × 90 cm)	about 2,350 yd (2,149 m)

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)
rnd round
RS right side
WS wrong side
sk skip (UK miss)

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sp	space
st	stitch
yo	yarn over (UK yoh, yarn over hook)

Special stitches

HHdc (herringbone half double crochet): Yo, insert hook in the stitch, yo and draw the yarn through the stitch and straight on through the first loop on the hook (2 loops are left), yo and draw through both loops. It leaves 1 HHdc for the next row or round.

Gauge

9 stitches and 8 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in herringbone half double crochet (UK: half treble). Along a row, count every stitch and every chain between stitches as one.

Check your gauge on the piece. Begin the pattern and measure the piece itself as you go. After row 8 the piece, laid flat, is about 4 in (10.2 cm) tall. If yours is shorter, use a larger hook; if it is taller, use a smaller one.

Each size in the list is printed in full when it is chosen. For another length begin with 8 chains more or fewer, which is about 3.6 in (9.1 cm): put the 8 stitches into the middle run, between the two slits, and in the border count 4 sc more or fewer from each corner stitch to the hood. For another depth work 6 rows more or fewer before the slits (one set of stripes, about 3 in (7.6 cm)); on the ends of the rows the border then has 2 sc in the end of every eighth row, as printed, and the last few rows have 1 each. Read the count of round 1 from your own work: round 2 has 2 stitches more on every side.

Before you start

- Whip stitch: put the needle through both edges, draw the yarn through, carry it over the edge and put the needle through both again from the same side, a little farther on.
- The first HHdc of a row goes into the first stitch, at the foot of the ch 1.
- The border: the first st is the one at the right-hand end of the last row, with the right side facing you and that row at the top (the left-hand end if you are left handed). Round 1 goes along the last row, down the ends of the rows, along the chains of the foundation edge and up the ends of the rows on the other side. A stitch in the end of a row goes round the edge stitch of that row.
- Corner stitch: the middle one of the 3 sc in a corner. Each round begins with 2 sc and ends with 1 sc in the same first stitch: those are the 3 sc of the first corner, and its corner stitch is the first sc of the round. In round 2 the 3 sc, and the 2 and 1 of the first corner, go into the corner stitches of round 1.
- A ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch.
- A stitch worked into a chain space goes into the open space under the chain, not into a chain stitch.
- Where several stitches have one place after them, as in "3 sc in next st", they are all worked into that one place.
- What is in square brackets is worked as many times as the number after them says, in all.
- The wrap, the hood and the hood edging are worked in rows: row 1 is a right side row, and the word "turn" near the start of each row is the one turn between two rows. The border is worked in rounds with the right side facing; do not turn.
- To change color, work the last stitch of the old color until two loops are left on the hook and draw the new color through them. Cut the old color, leaving a tail of about 6 in (15.2 cm), and fasten in a fresh piece each time: the yarn amounts and the ends to weave in are counted this way.
- About 62 in (157.5 cm) by 32.5 in (82.6 cm) with the border, without the hood.
- The wrap is 62 rows. In every six rows the first two are in yarn B (charcoal) and the next four in yarn A (cream), and it ends with two rows of B: yarn B in rows 1, 2, 7, 8, 13, 14, 19, 20, 25, 26, 31, 32, 37, 38, 43, 44, 49, 50, 55, 56, 61 and 62, yarn A in all the others. The foundation edge is the lower edge and row 62 is the top edge.

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- The hand slits: in row 46 two chains of 16 leave two openings, each about 7.1 in (18 cm) long, with its middle about 8.3 in (21.1 cm) below the last row and its outer end about 8.9 in (22.6 cm) from the end of the row, both measured on the wrap before its border is worked; row 47 is worked into the chain spaces. The border adds about 0.8 in (2 cm) more on each side.
- The hood is about 10.2 in (25.9 cm) from the brim edge (the edge round the face: the two ends of its rows) to the fold at the back and about 13 in (33 cm) high, without the edging. Its 26 rows are in the same stripes: two rows of B, four rows of A, and so on, and two rows of B at the end.
- Work the wrap, its border and the hood; sew the hood seam (the first paragraph of PUTTING IT TOGETHER); then work the hood edging, and sew the hood to the wrap last.
- The hood edging: hold the hood right side out, its seam at the top and its fold facing you. Begin at the lower corner of the brim edge that is on your right, at the end of row 1, and work up that side, over the seam and down the other side. The 52 sts of the edge are 1 in the end of each of the 26 rows, from row 1 up to row 26, and then 1 in the end of each of the 26 rows of the other side, from row 26 down to row 1.
- The border is two rounds. After round 1 there are 136 sc between two corner stitches along the top and the lower edge and 71 along the two ends; after round 2 there are 138 and 73.

Instructions

Chosen: Adult. 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 sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet and yo is yarn over hook.

Wrap

Yarns in order of use: B, charcoal; A, cream.

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 137.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	HHdc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	**(136 HHdc)**
☐ **Row 2 (WS)**	Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**
☐ **Rows 3 to 6**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 3 to 6: tick them off as you go.

☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6

☐ **Rows 7 to 8**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 7 to 8: tick them off as you go.

☐ 7 ☐ 8

☐ **Rows 9 to 12**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 9 to 12: tick them off as you go.

☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ 11 ☐ 12

☐ **Rows 13 to 14**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 13 to 14: tick them off as you go.

☐ 13 ☐ 14

☐ **Rows 15 to 18**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 15 to 18: tick them off as you go.

☐ 15 ☐ 16 ☐ 17 ☐ 18

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☐ **Rows 19 to 20** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 19 to 20: tick them off as you go.

19 20

☐ **Rows 21 to 24** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 21 to 24: tick them off as you go.

21 22 23 24

☐ **Rows 25 to 26** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 25 to 26: tick them off as you go.

25 26

☐ **Rows 27 to 30** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 27 to 30: tick them off as you go.

27 28 29 30

☐ **Rows 31 to 32** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 31 to 32: tick them off as you go.

31 32

☐ **Rows 33 to 36** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 33 to 36: tick them off as you go.

33 34 35 36

☐ **Rows 37 to 38** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 37 to 38: tick them off as you go.

37 38

☐ **Rows 39 to 42** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 39 to 42: tick them off as you go.

39 40 41 42

☐ **Rows 43 to 44** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 43 to 44: tick them off as you go.

43 44

☐ **Row 45 (RS)** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

☐ **Row 46 (WS)** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 19 sts, ch 16, sk next 16 sts, HHdc in next 64 sts, ch 16, sk next 16 sts, HHdc in next 19 sts, HHdc in last st **(104 HHdc, 2 ch-16 sps)**

☐ **Row 47 (RS)** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 19 sts, 16 HHdc in next ch-16 sp, HHdc in next 64 sts, 16 HHdc in next ch-16 sp, HHdc in next 19 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

☐ **Row 48 (WS)** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

☐ **Rows 49 to 50** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 49 to 50: tick them off as you go.

49 50

☐ **Rows 51 to 54** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st **(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 51 to 54: tick them off as you go.

51 52 53 54

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☐ **Rows 55 to 56**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 55 to 56: tick them off as you go.

55 56

☐ **Rows 57 to 60**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 57 to 60: tick them off as you go.

57 58 59 60

☐ **Rows 61 to 62**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 134 sts, HHdc in last st	**(136 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 61 to 62: tick them off as you go.

61 62

☐ **End**	Fasten off.

Border

Yarn B, charcoal.

☐ **Foundation**	A finished piece of 136 sts by 62 rows, RS facing.	
☐ **Rnd 1**	Join B with sl st in first st, ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in next 134 sts, 3 sc in last st, **[**sc in end of each of next 7 rows, 2 sc in end of next row**] 7 times**, sc in end of each of next 6 rows, 3 sc in first ch of foundation edge, sc in next 134 chs, 3 sc in last ch of foundation edge, **[**sc in end of each of next 7 rows, 2 sc in end of next row**] 7 times**, sc in end of each of next 6 rows, sc in first st, sl st in first sc to join	**(418 sc)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in next 136 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 71 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 136 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 71 sts, sc in first st, sl st in first sc to join	**(426 sc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Hood

Yarns in order of use: B, charcoal; A, cream.

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 47.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	HHdc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	**(46 HHdc)**
☐ **Row 2 (WS)**	Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**
☐ **Rows 3 to 6**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 3 to 6: tick them off as you go.

3 4 5 6

☐ **Rows 7 to 8**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 7 to 8: tick them off as you go.

7 8

☐ **Rows 9 to 12**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 9 to 12: tick them off as you go.

9 10 11 12

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☐ **Rows 13 to 14**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 13 to 14: tick them off as you go.

13 14

☐ **Rows 15 to 18**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 15 to 18: tick them off as you go.

15 16 17 18

☐ **Rows 19 to 20**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 19 to 20: tick them off as you go.

19 20

☐ **Rows 21 to 24**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 21 to 24: tick them off as you go.

21 22 23 24

☐ **Rows 25 to 26**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; HHdc in first st, HHdc in next 44 sts, HHdc in last st	**(46 HHdc)**

A box for each row, 25 to 26: tick them off as you go.

25 26

☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Hood edging

Yarn B, charcoal.

☐ **Foundation**	The brim edge of the hood: 52 sts across, with the right side facing you, as the paragraph that begins "The hood edging" tells.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Join B with sl st in first st, ch 1, sc in first st, sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, **[**sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 5 times**, sc in next 4 sts	**(58 sc)**
☐ **Row 2 (WS)**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next 56 sts, sc in last st	**(58 sc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Assembly

1. Hood seam: fold the hood in half with its right sides together, so that the two ends of its last row (row 26) meet; the fold is the back of the hood. Thread a piece of yarn B about 39 in (99.1 cm) long and sew the last row together with whip stitch, stitch to stitch, 23 stitches of one half to 23 of the other, from the two ends (at the brim edge) to the fold. Fasten off and turn the hood right side out.

2. Hood to wrap: the top edge of the wrap is the side of the border that runs along row 62, with 138 sc between its two corner stitches. Count 46 sc from the corner stitch at each end and put a marker in the next sc: from one marker to the other, the two marked sc counted, there are 46 sc, as many as the hood has stitches along its foundation edge. Lay hood and wrap right sides together, and sew the foundation edge of the hood to these 46 sc with whip stitch, one stitch of the hood to one sc, with a piece of yarn B about 70 in (177.8 cm) long. The hood edging is not sewn: it stands free at each end.

Finishing

- Weave in the ends.

In all: 3 pieces; 68 ends to weave in.

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