Kids' infinity scarf

Standard · US terms



Finished size
About 6¼ × 42¼ in (16 × 107 cm)

Skill
Beginner
Stripes, one stitch, worked in every place

Yarn
Medium (4), 4 colors

Hook
5.5 mm (US I-9)

Gauge
13 stitches and 11 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In half double crochet (UK half treble).

What you need

Yarn A: bright pink	**about 90 yd (82 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: lavender	**about 75 yd (69 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: aqua	**about 75 yd (69 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: lemon	**about 75 yd (69 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 160 g in all, an estimate, where 100 g is 200 yd (183 m).

Hook: 5.5 mm (US I-9). Also: yarn needle, scissors and tape measure.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Small	5 × 37¾ in (13 × 96 cm)	about 240 yd (219 m)
Standard (this file)	**6¼ × 42¼ in (16 × 107 cm)**	**about 315 yd (288 m)**

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Gauge

13 stitches and 11 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in half double crochet. Along a row, count every stitch and every chain between stitches as one.

Use any hook that gives you this. If you count more stitches than this in 4 in (10 cm), change to a larger hook; if you count fewer, to a smaller one.

To count your gauge in the middle of the test piece: there are no chains between the stitches here, so count the stitches alone: 13 stitches side by side are about 4 in (10 cm) wide, and 11 rows are about 4 in (10 cm) tall.

The pattern also stops you to measure after row 8.

> **The swatch.** A test piece to measure and pull out. It is not the start of the pattern. The test piece is about 6¼ in (16 cm) wide and 6¼ in (16 cm) tall, so that you can count over 4 in (10 cm) in the middle of it.
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> | **Swatch foundation** | With A, ch 22. | |
> | **Swatch row 1 (RS)** | Hdc in 3rd ch from hook and in each ch across | (20 hdc) |
> | **Swatch rows 2 to 17** | Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across | (20 hdc) |

For another width, make the chain longer or shorter: each chain is one more stitch. Measure your own gauge first.

Instructions

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hdc half double crochet (UK htr), **ch** chain, **st** stitch.
The ch 2 is not a stitch. Work in the **very first stitch**.
(20 hdc): the row now has 20; a check, not a step. Not 20? **Pull it back**.
Also: RS right side.
Every stitch, drawn: flossfield.com/crochet/stitches.

☐ **Start**	With A, make a slip knot and ch 22.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Hdc in 3rd ch from hook and in each ch across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 4**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)

2 3 4

☐ **Row 5**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 6 to 8**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)

The heavy box is where you stop and measure.

6 7 **8**

> **Stop and measure now, after row 8.** Width, across the middle of the rows and not along the chain edge: about 6¼ in (16 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 9**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 10 to 12**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)

10 11 12

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☐ **Row 13**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 14 to 16** 14 15 16	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 17**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 18 to 20** 18 19 20	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 21**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 22 to 24** 22 23 24	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 25**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 26 to 28** 26 27 28	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 29**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 30 to 32** 30 31 32	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 33**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 34 to 36** 34 35 36	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 37**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 38 to 40** 38 39 40	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 41**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 42 to 44** 42 43 44	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 45**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 46 to 48** 46 47 48	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 49**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 50 to 52** 50 51 52	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 53**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 54 to 56** 54 55 56	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)

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☐ **Row 57**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 58 to 60**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
58 59 60		
☐ **Row 61**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 62 to 64**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
62 63 64		
☐ **Row 65**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 66 to 68**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
66 67 68		
☐ **Row 69**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 70 to 72**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
70 71 72		
☐ **Row 73**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 74 to 76**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
74 75 76		
☐ **Row 77**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 78 to 80**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
78 79 80		
☐ **Row 81**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 82 to 84**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
82 83 84		
☐ **Row 85**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 86 to 88**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
86 87 88		
☐ **Row 89**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 90 to 92**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
90 91 92		
☐ **Row 93**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 94 to 96**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
94 95 96		
☐ **Row 97**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 98 to 100**	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
98 99 100		

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☐ **Row 101**	With B, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 102 to 104** 102 103 104	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 105**	With C, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 106 to 108** 106 107 108	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 109**	With D, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 110 to 112** 110 111 112	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Row 113**	With A, ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐ **Rows 114 to 116** 114 115 116	Ch 2, turn; hdc in each st across	(20 hdc)
☐	Fasten off, leaving a 6 in (15 cm) tail.	

Putting it together

Lay the strip flat, wrong side up, with no twist in it, and bring the two short ends over to meet, so that the right side is outside and the 20 places of the foundation edge meet the 20 places of the last row. With a 24 in (61 cm) length of yarn A, whip stitch through both edges, one stitch to each place, from corner to corner.

Finishing

- Weave in the ends.
- Lay the piece flat, pull it gently to its size, dampen it and let it dry.

In all: 116 rows; 2,320 stitches.

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. To measure your own: work the swatch and measure it, mark the yarn where the swatch begins and ends, pull the swatch out and measure the yarn it took; divide by the area of the swatch and multiply by the area of the piece. That is the yarn for all the colors together: divide it among them as the estimates are divided.

Notes

- The ch 2 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch: the first stitch of the row goes into the first st of the row below.
- Row 1 is the right side.
- Change yarn in the last yarn over of the last stitch of the row before.
- Cut a yarn when its stripe is done, leaving a tail of about 6 in (15 cm), and work over the tails as you go or weave them in at the end. The estimates include the tails.
- Whip stitch: bring the needle through both edges from front to back, over the top and through from front to back again, all in the same direction.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin, and weave it in at the end with the others. Join a new ball at the end of a row, with the same tails: each join adds two ends.

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