Winter lemon peel throw

Standard · US terms



Finished size
About 50 × 61½ in (127 × 156 cm)

Skill
Easy
A short repeat, bands of color

Yarn
Bulky (5), 4 colors

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

Gauge
10 stitches and 8½ rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In lemon peel stitch.

You will need

Yarn A: charcoal, stripes	**about 850 yd (777 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: gray, stripes	**about 825 yd (754 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: white, stripes	**about 425 yd (389 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: cranberry, stripes	**about 275 yd (251 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)	**50 × 61½ in (127 × 156 cm)**	**about 2,375 yd (2,171 m)**
Lap	35¾ × 42½ in (91 × 108 cm)	about 1,185 yd (1,083 m)
Large	54 × 70¾ in (137 × 180 cm)	about 2,925 yd (2,674 m)
Extra large	59¾ × 70¾ in (152 × 180 cm)	about 3,225 yd (2,950 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
st	stitch

Gauge

10 stitches and 8½ rows to 4 in (10 cm) in lemon peel 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: 13 rows, about 6.4 in (16.3 cm) wide and 6.1 in (15.5 cm) tall.

Swatch foundation	With A, ch 17.	
Swatch row 1 (RS)	Sc in 2nd ch from hook, dc in next ch, **[**sc in next ch, dc in next ch**] 7 times**	**(8 sc, 8 dc)**
Swatch rows 2 to 13	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 8 times**	**(8 sc, 8 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.
- Every row begins with a sc and ends with a dc. After the turn the first st is that dc, so every sc goes into a dc and every dc goes into a sc: that is what lifts the pebbles.
- 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.
- Cut each yarn at the end of its band, leaving a tail of about 6 in (15 cm), and join the next with a tail of the same length.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin, and weave it in at the end with the others.
- 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 under row 1. 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 80 ends to weave in.

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- The last row, row 126, 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 126, at its right-hand end, and its "last st" is the first stitch of that row.
- Color sequence
- Rows 1 to 6: A (charcoal)
- Rows 7 to 10: B (gray)
- Rows 11 to 12: C (white)
- Rows 13 to 14: D (cranberry)
- Rows 15 to 16: C (white)
- Rows 17 to 20: B (gray)
- Rows 21 to 26: A (charcoal)
- Rows 27 to 30: B (gray)
- Rows 31 to 32: C (white)
- Rows 33 to 34: D (cranberry)
- Rows 35 to 36: C (white)
- Rows 37 to 40: B (gray)
- Rows 41 to 46: A (charcoal)
- Rows 47 to 50: B (gray)
- Rows 51 to 52: C (white)
- Rows 53 to 54: D (cranberry)
- Rows 55 to 56: C (white)
- Rows 57 to 60: B (gray)
- Rows 61 to 66: A (charcoal)
- Rows 67 to 70: B (gray)
- Rows 71 to 72: C (white)
- Rows 73 to 74: D (cranberry)
- Rows 75 to 76: C (white)
- Rows 77 to 80: B (gray)
- Rows 81 to 86: A (charcoal)
- Rows 87 to 90: B (gray)
- Rows 91 to 92: C (white)
- Rows 93 to 94: D (cranberry)
- Rows 95 to 96: C (white)
- Rows 97 to 100: B (gray)
- Rows 101 to 106: A (charcoal)
- Rows 107 to 110: B (gray)
- Rows 111 to 112: C (white)
- Rows 113 to 114: D (cranberry)
- Rows 115 to 116: C (white)
- Rows 117 to 120: B (gray)
- Rows 121 to 126: A (charcoal)
- Border: round 1 A (charcoal), round 2 D (cranberry), round 3 A (charcoal)

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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 sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet and dc is treble.

Blanket

Yarn A, charcoal.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, ch 121.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook, dc in next ch, **[**sc in next ch, dc in next ch**] 59 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 2 to 6**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 2 to 6: tick them off as you go.

2 3 4 5 6

☐ **Row 7**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 8 to 10**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 8 to 10: tick them off as you go.

8 9 10

☐ **Row 11**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

> **Stop and measure now, after row 12.** Width, across the middle of the rows and not along the chain edge: about 48 in (122 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 13**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 15**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 17**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 18 to 20**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 18 to 20: tick them off as you go.

18 19 20

☐ **Row 21**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 22 to 26**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 22 to 26: tick them off as you go.

22 23 24 25 26

☐ **Row 27**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 28 to 30**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 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 in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

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☐ **Row 32**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 33**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 34**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 35**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 36**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 37**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 38 to 40**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 38 to 40: tick them off as you go.

☐ 38 ☐ 39 ☐ 40

☐ **Row 41**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 42 to 46**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 42 to 46: tick them off as you go.

☐ 42 ☐ 43 ☐ 44 ☐ 45 ☐ 46

☐ **Row 47**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 48 to 50**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 48 to 50: tick them off as you go.

☐ 48 ☐ 49 ☐ 50

☐ **Row 51**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 52**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 53**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 54**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 55**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 56**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 57**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 58 to 60**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 58 to 60: tick them off as you go.

☐ 58 ☐ 59 ☐ 60

☐ **Row 61**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 62 to 66**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 62 to 66: tick them off as you go.

☐ 62 ☐ 63 ☐ 64 ☐ 65 ☐ 66

☐ **Row 67**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 68 to 70**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 68 to 70: tick them off as you go.

☐ 68 ☐ 69 ☐ 70

☐ **Row 71**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

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☐ **Row 72**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 73**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 74**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 75**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 76**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 77**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 78 to 80**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 78 to 80: tick them off as you go.

☐ 78 ☐ 79 ☐ 80

☐ **Row 81**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 82 to 86**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 82 to 86: tick them off as you go.

☐ 82 ☐ 83 ☐ 84 ☐ 85 ☐ 86

☐ **Row 87**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 88 to 90**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 88 to 90: tick them off as you go.

☐ 88 ☐ 89 ☐ 90

☐ **Row 91**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 92**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 93**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 94**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 95**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 96**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 97**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 98 to 100**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 98 to 100: tick them off as you go.

☐ 98 ☐ 99 ☐ 100

☐ **Row 101**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 102 to 106**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 102 to 106: tick them off as you go.

☐ 102 ☐ 103 ☐ 104 ☐ 105 ☐ 106

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

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☐ **Row 112**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 113**	With D, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 114**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 115**	With C, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 116**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Row 117**	With B, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 118 to 120**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 118 to 120: tick them off as you go.

☐ 118 ☐ 119 ☐ 120

☐ **Row 121**	With A, ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**
☐ **Rows 122 to 126**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 60 times**	**(60 sc, 60 dc)**

A box for each row, 122 to 126: tick them off as you go.

☐ 122 ☐ 123 ☐ 124 ☐ 125 ☐ 126

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

Border

Yarns in order of use: A, charcoal; D, cranberry.

☐ **Foundation**	The edge of the piece, right side facing, beginning at the right-hand end of the last row: 120 stitches along the last row, 126 row ends down each side and 120 chains along the foundation.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Join A with sl st in first st, ch 1, 3 sc in same st, sc in next 118 sts, 3 sc in last st, **[**2 sc in end of next row, sc in end of each of next 5 rows**] 21 times**, 3 sc in first ch of foundation edge, sc in next 118 chs, 3 sc in last ch of foundation edge, **[**sc in end of each of next 5 rows, 2 sc in end of next row**] 21 times**, sl st in first sc to join	**(542 sc)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Join D with sl st in first st, ch 1, sc in same st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 120 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 149 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 120 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 148 sts, sl st in first sc to join	**(550 sc)**
☐ **Rnd 3**	Join A with sl st in first st, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 122 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 151 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 122 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 149 sts, sl st in first sc to join	**(558 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; 16,770 stitches (15,120 in the blanket, 1,650 in the border); 80 ends to weave in.

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