Lets's Go and Ripple Blanket

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THIS PATTERN USES UK STITCH TERMS

Materials <u>Multi coloured version</u>

4 x 100 gram balls of Stylecraft Special DK (1 ball of each colour)

1 x Colour A (Blue)

1 x Colour B (Lemon)

1 x Colour C (Purple)

1 x Colour D (Pink)

4mm crochet hook

1 stitch padlock style marker, or piece of thread to indicate right side of the blanket.

Size

Length 30" (76cm) approx Width 22" (56cm) approx



Instructions

Please note: Treble rows are worked back and forth, but always work the double crochet rows in the same direction with the right side of the work facing you. Using Colour B (Lemon)

Make 109 chain loosely.

FOUNDATION ROW 1

Make 1 treble into 4th chain from the hook.

*treble into next 6 chain, skip 2, treble into
each of next 6 chains, 3 treble into next chain,
repeat from * 5 more times. Treble into next 6



chain, skip 2, treble in next 6 chain, 2 treble in last chain. TURN.

Before continuing, insert a stitch marker or piece of coloured yarn into a stitch on the front of Row 1. This is so that you can easily recognise the front of the work for when you're working the <u>Double Crochet rows</u>.

FOUNDATION ROW 2: TREBLE ROW:

Make 3 chain (this counts as 1 treble), 1 treble in the first stitch, *treble in each of next 6 stitches, skip 2 treble, treble in next 6 stitches, 3 treble in next stitch (which should be the middle of the 3 treble in the row below). Repeat from * 5 more times. Then treble in next 6 stitches, skip 2, treble in next 6 stitches, 2 treble in the last stitch, (this is the top of the 3 chain at the beginning of the row below. Cut yarn at the end of the row, **TURN** and join in Colour C.

Using Colour C (Purple).

FOUNDATION ROW 3: TREBLE ROW:

Make 3 chain (this counts as 1 treble), 1 treble in the first stitch, *treble in each of next 6 stitches, skip 2 treble, treble in next 6 stitches, 3 treble in next stitch (which should be the middle of the 3 treble in the row below). Repeat from * 5 more times. Then treble in next 6 stitches, skip 2, treble in next 6 stitches, 2 treble in the last stitch, (this is the top of the 3 chain at the beginning of the row below, **TURN**.

FOUNDATION ROW 4: TREBLE ROW:

Repeat Foundation Row 3, but cut yarn at the end of the row, **TURN** and join in Colour D.

Main Blanket Pattern:



Row 1: DOUBLE CROCHET ROW:

Using Colour D (Pink)

Note: This double crochet row will be worked with the right side of the blanket facing. Always work across the double crochet row in the same direction (with the right side of work facing).

Make 1 chain, 2 double crochet in first stitch, *double crochet in each of next 6 stitches, skip 2 stitches, double crochet in next 6 stitches, 3 double crochet in next stitch (which should be the middle of the 3 treble of the row below). Repeat from * 5 more times. Then double crochet in next 6 stitches, skip 2, double crochet in next 6 stitches, 2 double crochet in last stitch. Fasten off and join in new colour.

Do not TURN. Start Row 2 at the same point that you started Row 1, (with the right side facing).

Change to Colour A (Blue).

ROW 2: TREBLE ROW:

Make 3 chain (this counts as 1 treble), 1 treble in the first stitch, *treble in each of next 6 stitches, skip 2 treble, treble in next 6 stitches, 3 treble in next stitch (which should be the middle of the 3 treble in the row below). Repeat from * 5 more times. Then treble in next 6 stitches, skip 2, treble in next 6 stitches, 2 treble in the last stitch, (this is the top of the 3 chain at the beginning of the row below, **TURN**.

ROW 3: TREBLE ROW:

Repeat Foundation Row 3, but cut yarn at the end of the row. **TURN** and join in Colour B.

ROW 4: Using Colour B (Lemon) repeat row 2.

ROW 5: Repeat row 3.

ROW 6: Using Colour C (Lemon) repeat row 2.

ROW 7: Repeat row 3.

Now repeat these last 7 rows, 6 more times. See Colour Repeat Illustration below.

Main section Colour Repeat Key

Row 1 - (double Crochet)	
Row 2 - (Treble)	
Row 3 - (Treble)	
Row 4 - (Treble)	
Row 5 - (Treble)	
Row 6- (Treble)	
Row 7 - (Treble)	

Now work **ROWS 1 – 5** once more and fasten off.

Then using the Colour Key below, work a border of double crochet for 6 rounds, changing colour every round. Work the stitch pattern for Row 1 along the top and bottom edges and work double crochet along the straight edges, with 3 double crochet stitches in each of the 4 corner stitches of the blanket.

Sew in ends to finish off.

Border Colour Key

Round 1	
Round 2	
Round 3	
Round 4	
Round 5	
Round 6	