



Square 7 - @craftingbylucy



You Will Need

Yarn A – Knitcraft White Cotton Blend

Yarn B - Knitcraft Lilac Cotton Blend

Yarn C - Knitcraft Teal Cotton Blend

Yarn D – Knitcraft Hot Pink Cotton Blend

Yarn E – Knitcraft Bright Blue Cotton Blend

Yarn F - Knitcraft Yellow Cotton Blend

HOOK

4.5mm

PATTERN NOTES

This square is worked using the Spike Stitch method. Ensure when you are working with your contrast colour your spike st rows are always worked on the RS (Right Side) of your work.

Make sure to check your tension. If you find your row tension is normally more than it should be check your square towards the end and do not work the last few rows to keep the work square.

MEASUREMENTS

Your finished square should measure approximately 20cm x 20cm. Please drop down a hook size if you find your square is larger than this.

ABBREVIATIONS

Ch – Chain

Dc – Double Crochet

Sl St – Slip Stitch

RS - Right Side

WS – Wrong side

PATTERN

Using Yarn B Start your square with a ch32 + 1 for turning

Row 1 – dc in each st across (**32 sts**)

Row 2 – ch1 dc in each st across (**32sts**)

Row 3 – Join your Yarn A to work row 3, do not carry Yarn B through, cut Yarn B and leave a short thread to sew in at the end.

Ch 1 then using the Spike Stitch method. 1 dc in each space below the last row worked (into Row 1) See picture 1.



Row 4 – Re join Yarn B Continue working 1 dc in each st across until the end of the row (32sts)

Row 5-6 – Repeat Row 4

Row 7 - Join your Yarn A to work Row 7, do not carry Yarn B through, cut Yarn B and leave a short thread to sew in at the end.

Ch 1, then using the Spike Stitch method 1 dc in each space 2 rows below the last row worked. This will create a longer spike stitch than the one previously worked in Row 3 See picture 2.



Rows 8 – Join Yarn C Ch 1, work 1 dc in each st across (32 sts)

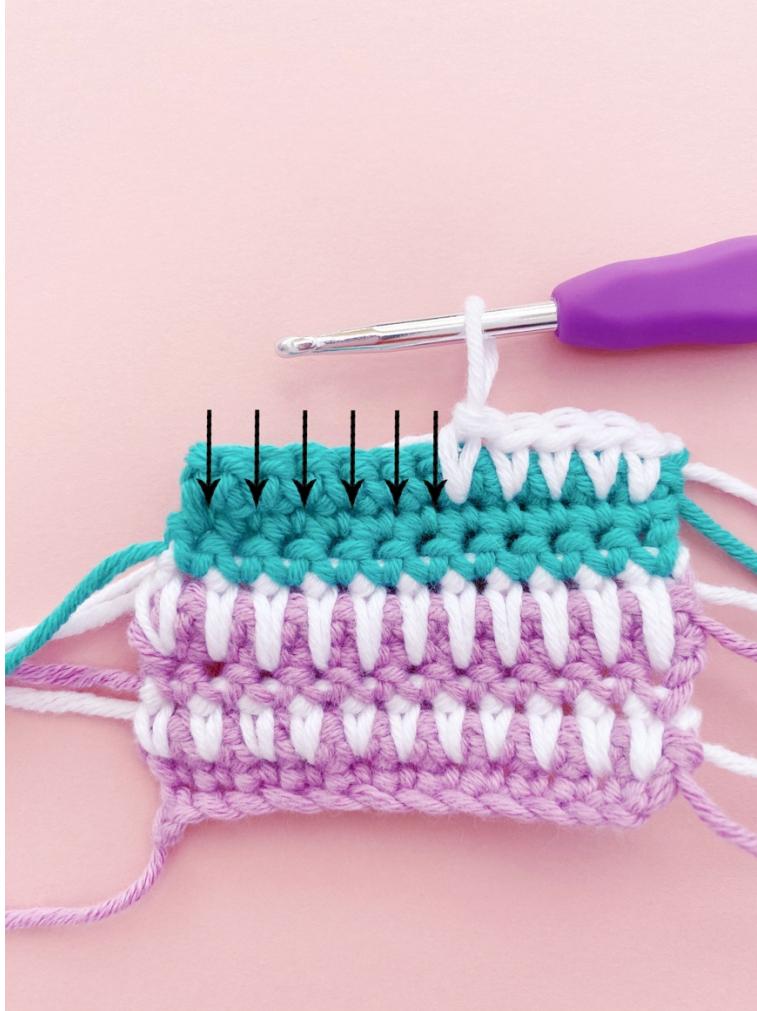
Row 9-10 – Repeat Row 8

Row 11 – Rejoin Yarn A. Ch 1, then using the Spike Stitch method 1 dc in each space 1 row below the last row worked. This will create a short spike stitch as completed in Row 3

Row 12 – Rejoin Yarn C, Ch 1, work 1dc in each st across **(32 sts)**

Row 13 – 14 – Repeat Row 12

Row 15 – Rejoin Yarn A. Ch 1, then using the Spike Stitch method 1 dc in each space 2 rows below the last row worked. This will create a longer spike stitch as worked in row 7.



Row 16 – 23 - Repeat Row 8 – 15 in Yarn D

Row 24 – 31 - Repeat Row 8 – 15 in Yarn E

Row 32 – 39 - Repeat Row 8 – 15 in Yarn F

Row 30 – 46 – Repeat Row 8 – 15 in Yarn B

Row 47 – Rejoin Yarn B. ch1, 1dc in each st across **(32sts)**

Row 48 – Repeat Row 47. Fasten off and sew in all your ends.



Border

Attach Yarn A to the top right hand corner of your work and work 1dc in the next 31 sts. Work 3 dc in the last st to create your first corner. Continue working 1dc along the side of your work 28 sts in total work 3 sts in the next corner.

Repeat 1dc along the bottom of your work 32 plus 3dc in the corner st.

Work 1dc along the final side of your square 28sts with 3 dc worked in the final corner. Join your work with a sl st. Fasten off and sew in loose ends

