

Vintage Rippling Block Free Pattern

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Abbreviations used:

Ch: chain

SL St: slip stitch

DC: double crochet

Sp: space.

Notes: Change colors as desired.

Gauge is not crucial for this pattern. It's important that the first row be 20-25% longer than the desired width, as this is a ripple pattern and will become narrower after the first row.

Using an H hook and worsted weight yarn, one repeat of the pattern is 5 inches.

When making the first row, make sure to use a multiple of six blocks.

Step by Step



Row 1

Row 1:

Chain 4 (Ch 4). Make 3 double crochets (dc) in the 4th chain from the hook to form a small block.

Repeat: Ch 4, 3 dc in the 4th chain from the hook. Continue making blocks this way (Ch 4, 3 dc in 4th chain from the hook) until you reach the desired width. Ensure you have a multiple of six blocks. It will look like this:

Row 2:

Slip stitch (Sl st) into the first chain-3 (ch-3) space. Insert your hook here (image below):



Row 2

Chain 3 (Ch 3), then make 3 dc in the same ch-3 space.

Sl st into the next ch-3 space. Ch 3, 3 dc in the same space. To create a peak: In the next ch-3 space,

follow this pattern: **(Make a block in the next ch-3 space) twice.** Sl st into the next ch-3 space.

Repeat across: {(Make 2 blocks in consecutive ch-3 spaces. Make a peak in the next ch-3 space. Make 2 more blocks in consecutive ch-3 spaces. Sl st into the next ch-3 space.)}

End with a Sl st. Ch 1 and turn.



Row 3

Row 3:

Repeat the pattern across:

{Make 2 blocks, then a peak, followed by 2 blocks, and a Sl st into the next ch-3 space.}

Continue to the end of the row. Ch 1 and turn.

Repeat Row 3 until the piece reaches the desired length. Add your favorite border to finish if desired.



Tip: After Row 1, it's simple! In each ch-3 space, you'll repeat this pattern:
Block, block, peak, block, block, slip stitch.
Easy and fun!