

# Zig-Zag baby blanket



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\*Written using UK crochet terminology\*

## Finished size

77cm(W) x 90cm(L)

## Materials:

4.5mm crochet hook  
2x 100g 8ply in Colour A (Grey)  
2x 100g 8ply in Colour B (Teal)  
2x 100g 8ply in Colour C (White)  
Yarn needle (or similar with large eye)

## Abbreviations

ch - chain  
dc - double crochet  
st(s) – stitch(es)

## Pattern

Row 1: ch 198 in colour A

Row 2: ch 1, dc the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> ch from the hook together, dc 14. \*3x dc into the next st (creates peak) dc 15, skip 2 sts (creates trough), dc 15. Repeat from \* 4 times until 17 ch remain. 3x dc into next st, dc 14, dc last 2 sts together.

Repeat row 2 an additional 8 times, fasten off colour A and attach colour B

Continue by working 10 rows of row 2 in each colour. Cycle through each colour 4 times to achieve the size stated above.

Finishing: Weave in loose threads with a yarn needle. The edges of the blanket may curl up and require blocking.

## Additional Notes

To increase size:

- The pattern above will result with a total of 6 peaks. To increase the width, add an additional 33ch per additional peak you would like. The repeating segment from \* is then repeated once more for each 33ch added.
- To increase the length simply continue cycling the colours until the desired size is obtained.

To dc 2 stitches together

1. Pass the hook through the 2<sup>nd</sup> ch from the hook, wrap wool around hook and pull through (2 loops on hook)
2. Pass the hook through the 3<sup>rd</sup> ch from the hook, wrap wool around hook and pull through (3 loops on hook)
3. Wrap wool around hook and pull through all 3 loops on hook