

## **Pineapple Stitch Scarf** - An original stitch combination designed by The Casting On Couch.

Big Value 4 ply Acrylic Yarn by King Cole was used in shade: 669.

For a similar scale and tension look for a yarn with a matching ball band tension in stockinette stitch of 28sts and 36 rows to 10cm or 4ins when using 3.25mm knitting needles.

Note in this demonstration I use a 3mm crochet hook.

You will need 100 to 200g of any 4 ply yarn with a matching ball band tension.

**To make this scarf narrower or wider take away or add to the 59 stitch total in multiples of 8 chains.**

**Note For UK Users** - Substitute sc for dc and tr for dtr. This crochet pattern follows US terms which vary to those in the UK. *See below for further information.*

**With a 3mm hook, chain 59sts.**

**Foundation row:** Begin by sc into 6<sup>th</sup> ch from hook. \*Ch 5, sc into 5<sup>th</sup> ch, ch3, sc into 3<sup>rd</sup> ch rep \* until last 5 chains. End ch5, sc into last ch.

**Row 1:** Begin 5ch, 1sc into next 5ch sp, \* 3ch, bobble into next 3ch sp, 3ch, 1sc into next 5ch sp, rep \*. End with 3ch bobble into next 3ch sp.

**Row 2:** \* 5ch, sc into 3ch sp, 3ch, sc into 3ch sp, rep \*. Note last rep ends with 3ch into the last 5ch sp.

**Row 3:** \* 3ch, bobble into next 3ch sp, 3ch, 1sc into next 5ch sp, rep \*. After completing final sc into last 5ch sp, 2ch then 1tr into gap between last two sts of bobble formed in the previous row.

**Row 4:** Begin 5ch, 1sc into second 3ch sp, \* 5ch, sc into 3ch sp, 3ch, sc into 3ch sp, rep \*. End last rep with 5ch, 1sc into gap between last two sts of bobble formed in the previous row.

### **Special Abbreviations**

**Bobble** - Create 1tr, proceed to work a further 4tr but leave the last st unworked each time. When you have 5 sts on your hook, yo and pull through all 5sts. Finish with 1ch. That completes one bobble.

### **Abbreviations**

**Ch** - Yo and draw the yarn through to form a new loop.

**Rep \*** - Repeat stitch sequence over and over again between the first and last \*

**Sc** - Insert hook into the work and yo and draw yarn through work.

**Sp** - Space

**Sts** - Stitches

**Tr-** Treble. Yo twice. Insert the hook into the work. Yo and draw through the work only. Yo again and draw through the first 2 loops. Yo again and draw through the next 2 loops. Yo again and draw through the last 2 loops on the hook. One treble now completed.

**Yo** - Yarn over. Wrap the yarn from back to front over the hook ( or hold the yarn still and manoeuvre the hook). This movement is used over and over again in crochet and is usually abbreviated as yo.

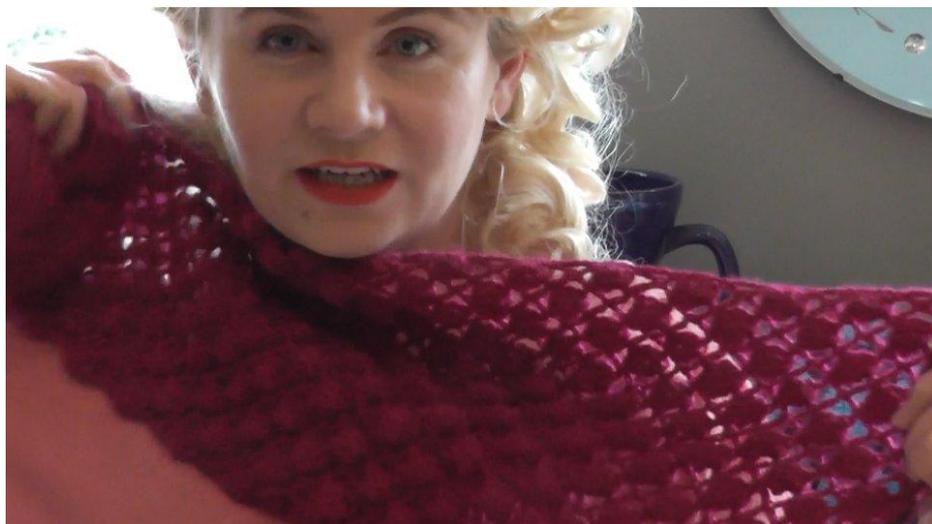
**Use the handy guide below to cross reference the differences in crochet terminology that occur between the UK and the US.**

### UK TERMS

Chain  
Miss  
Slip stitch  
Double crochet  
Half treble crochet  
Treble crochet  
Double treble crochet  
Triple treble crochet  
Raised treble back/front

### US TERMS

Chain  
Skip  
Slip stitch  
Single crochet  
Half double crochet  
Double crochet  
Treble crochet  
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