Heritage Blanket
Aligned Puff Stitch
Crochet Pattern (UK Terms)

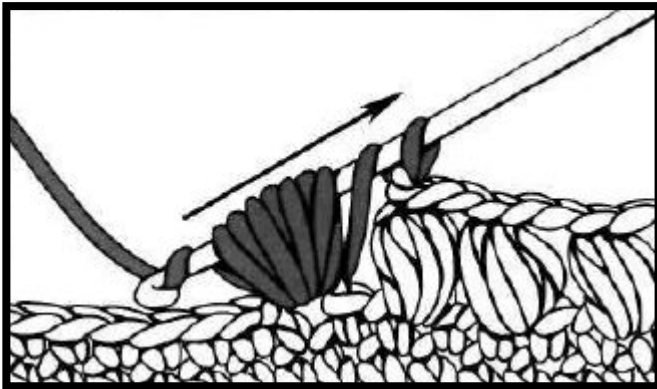## You will need:

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- Crochet Hook 5/6mm 25g DK wool colour of your choice	**St** – stitch **Sts** – stitches **Slst** – Slipstitch **StM** – Stitch Marker **Ch** – chain **dc** – double crochet **htr** – half treble crochet **YO** – yarn over

Diagram

To make a puff stitch:

* YO and insert hook into stitch, pull up a loop to the height of previous stitch or ch3 at start of row – repeat from * 4 times, YO and draw through ALL loops on the hook

Pattern (multiple of 2 ch)

If you are joining to the other squares, then make sure that the foundation row is 8 inches (in multiple of 2).   If your initial row is smaller than 8 inches, then add multiples of 2 chains until it makes 8 inches in width.

[ROW 0]. [FOUNDATION ROW] Chain 26 (or a multiple of 2 which reaches 8 inches in width)

[ROW 1]. Dc into 2nd st from hook, * ch1 and skip st (this creates a ch-1sp), 1dc into next st – repeat from * across 25 stitches

[ROW 2]. Ch2 (add StM into 2nd stitch and repeat for all the rest of the rows so you know which is the last st), turn work, work a **Puff stitch** into the next ch1-sp [YO and insert hook into stitch, pull up a loop to the height of previous stitch or ch3 at start of row – repeat from * 4 times, YO and draw through ALL loops on the hook then ch1 to lock], * ch1, work **Puff stitch** into next ch1-sp – repeat from * all the way across the row, htr into last st on row

[ROW 3]. Ch1, turn work, 1dc into top of htr from previous row, ch1, 1dc into next ch1-sp (between the puff stitches in previous row), ch1 – repeat from * across with 1dc into last st

[ROW 4]. Repeat row 2 and 3 until work measures 8 inches in height

[ROW 5]. DO NOT TIE OFF – work 1 dc evenly spaced around the entire edge of the piece making sure you put 3dc into the corner stitch. Slipstitch to join – tie off and weave in ends.