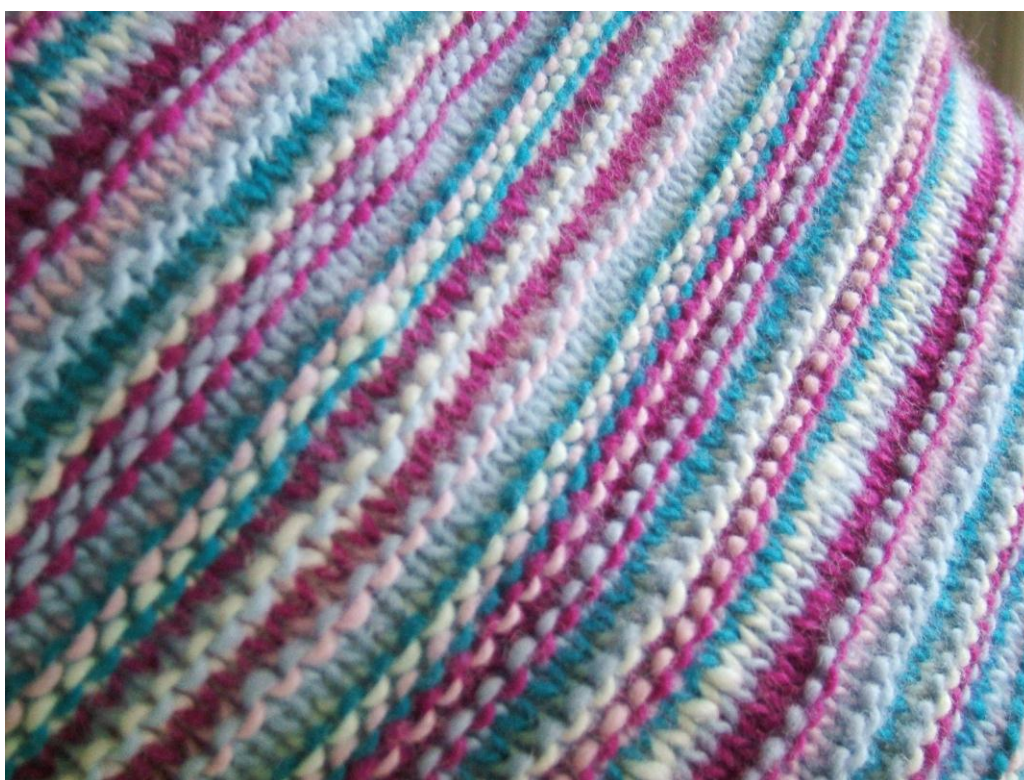




# Textured Striped Cushion Cover

A fun and simple way to play with colour



## So What do I Need?

1 x 50g Classic Romney – Colour A  
1 x 50g Classic Romney – Colour B  
1 x 50g Classic Romney – Colour C  
1 x 50g Classic Romney – Colour D  
1 x 50g Classic Romney – Colour E

4 x buttons 2.5cm dia approx  
(preferably mother of pearl)  
1 x 45cm cushion pad  
Backing fabric (50cm x 50cm) in toning colour  
Size 5.5mm (UK 5, US 9) single point needles

## Tension


17st x 22r over 10cm/4in square  
Aragon Yarns Classic Romney 75m / 50g

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## Intro

This is a striped design made up of very narrow, busy stripes - each colour just one or two rows wide. It's given a nice knubbly texture by varying the knit/purl rows. The pattern is for a set of 35 stitches, which you can then repeat until the cushion cover is the desired size, or you may choose to improvise with your own random stripe pattern.

## Step 1

### Front of Cushion

Cast on 78 stitches in colour 2.

Change to col. 1.

Rows 1-12 moss stitch:

Odd numbered rows: (k1, p1) until end of the row.

Even numbered rows: (p1, k1) until end of row

For the buttonholes:

Keep to the moss stitch (K1, P1) in pattern and do the following:

Row 6: Starting with a purl stitch, knit 9 stitches in moss stitch, [cast off 3, knit 16 in pattern] x3, knit 9.

Knitting should be: 9st, gap, 16st, gap, 16st, gap, 16st, gap, 9st.

Row 7: Starting with a knit stitch, knit 9 in pattern, [cast on 3, knit 16]x3, knit 9. 78 stitches.





## Step 2

Row 13: colour 3, knit  
Row 14: col. 5, purl  
Row 15: col.2, purl  
Row 16: col.1, knit  
Row 17: col. 4, knit  
Row 18: col. 3 purl  
Row 19: col. 1, purl  
Row 20: col. 4, purl  
Row 21 col. 5, knit  
Row 22: col.3, knit  
Row 23: col.3, knit  
Row 24: col.1, purl  
Row 25: col. 2, purl  
Row 26: col 5, knit  
Row 27: col. 4, purl  
Row 28: col. 4, purl  
Row 29: col. 3, purl  
Row 30: col 2, purl  
Row 31: col. 1, knit  
Row 32: col.3, knit  
Row 33: col. 4 knit  
Row 34: col. 5, knit

Row 35: col.2, knit  
Row 36: col. 1, purl  
Row 37: col. 3, knit  
Row 38: col. 4, purl  
Row 39: col. 4, knit  
Row 40: col.3, knit  
Row 41: col. 5, knit  
Row 42: col. 3, purl  
Row 43: col. 3, purl  
Row 44: col. 2, purl  
Row 45: col.1, knit  
Row 46: col. 3, knit  
Row 47, col. 4, purl  
Row 48, col. 2, purl

Repeat these rows until finished length of about 50 cm (110 rows).  
Cast off.

## Step 3

### Finishing off

Sew in loose ends. Gently block square, avoiding the moss stitch panel. Fold over one edge of the backing fabric and sew down. With right sides facing, and sewn edge of fabric along the knitted buttonhole edge, sew the knitting and backing together along 3 sides (leaving the edge with the button holes open). Turn cover the right way out. Blanket stitch around button holes in col. 2, or alternative contrast colour. Stitch on the buttons in col. 2 to line up with the button holes. Fill with cushion pad.

#### Key

K - Knit

P - Purl

St st - stocking stitch

K2tog - knit two together

P2tog - purl 2 together