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Dear Crocheter,

Everyone knows that any time is a good time to crochet.

Don't get bogged down in the winter months, trying to crochet afghans until your fingers hurt, only to find yourself bored in the summer. There are plenty of amazing crochet patterns for each season. In the fall, create a beautiful scarf; in the winter, a cap; the summer, a dress; and in the spring, crochet yourself a bright and cheery wreath. No matter what time of year it is, there is definitely a crochet pattern that is perfect for you.

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# **Spring Crochet Ideas**

# **Single Skein Spring Cowl**

By: Tamara Kelly from Moogly

This colorful cowl pattern is the perfect springtime accessory. Work up the Single Skein Spring Cowl using just one skein of your favorite variegated yarn. It measures 11 inches tall and 25 inches around, but simply add stitches in any multiple of 2 to make it larger. Crocheted scarves are a no-brainer for the winter months, but don't forget that lightweight scarf patterns like this are great for the chilly days of spring, as well.



#### **Materials:**

- US I, 5.5mm hook
- 230 yds Worsted weight yarn, Yarn Baby LLC 60% Merino/40% Bamboo shown

Gauge: 14 sts x 8 rows = 4" in pattern

Finished Size: 11" tall x 25" around. To make a larger cowl, add stitches in any multiple of 2.

**Notes:** You will be crocheting around the 5/8" beads. It is also done in the round. You could use a stitch marker or just count. The photos use a larger hook to show detail.

#### Instructions

**Round 1**: FSC 92, and being careful not to twist, join with a sl st in the first st to work in the round. (92 sts)

**Round 2**: Ch 4 (counts as dc and ch 1), skip the next st, \*dc in the next st, ch 1, skip 1. Repeat from \* to end, join with a sl st in the first st of the round. (92 sts including chs)

**Round 3**: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in the 1st st, skip the ch sp, \*2 dc in the next st, skip the ch sp. Repeat from \* to end, join with a sl st in the first st of the round. (92 sts)

**Round 4 – 21**: Repeat Rounds 2 - 3.

Round 22: Repeat Round 2.

**Round 23**: Ch1, sc in the 1st st, sc in the ch sp, \*dc in the next st, dc in the ch sp. Repeat from \* to end, break yarn and seamless join. (92 sts)



# **Crochet Spring Wreath**

## By: Tania E from Little Things Blogged

Not only are we hoping for some color outside this spring, but we also want to bring color into our homes. This Crochet Spring Wreath is the cutest home decor piece you can work up this season. The crochet colors are nice and bright and will make your home feel fresh and colorful. This is an easy crochet pattern that can be worked up in eight to 10 hours. The amigurumi bee and crocheted flowers are worked up separately and then attached at the end. Make as many bees and flowers as you want to decorate your new spring wreath.



#### **Materials:**

## For the spring wreath:

- Styrofoam wreath (any size)
- Yarn color of your choice
- 4mm (G) hook
- Yarn needle

#### For the crochet flowers:

- Yarn in various colors
- 4mm (G) hook
- Yarn needle

## For the amigurumi bee:

- Yarn in yellow, black and white
- 3mm (E) hook
- 6 mm Amigurumi eyes
- Fiberfill stuffing
- Yarn needle

#### For the leaf garland:

- Yarn in green
- 4mm (G) hook

#### Instructions:

#### Wreath:

Measure your Styrofoam wreath's outer circle. Mine measured approx. 70cm (28 inches) long. The area between the outer and the inner circle measured approx. 8 cm (3 inches) wide.

Now you have to crochet a piece that will fold around your wreath.

My piece was made as follows:

Ch 21

R1: sc in second ch from hook and in each st across (20)

Continue until your piece is long enough to fold around your wreath.

Now, you will have to fold your piece around the wreath and using a yarn needle, sew it onto the wreath.

Flowers: Using color of your choice

#### For small flower:

Ch2

R1: 6sc in second chain from hook (6)

R2: attach new color,\* ch3 (counts as first dc), 2 dc, sl st in next st, rep from\* around 4 times. Fasten off.

#### For large flower:

Ch2

R1: 6sc in second chain from hook (6)

R2:form petals, \*ch6 and sl st to center\* rep from\* around 4 times

R3: \*ch1 and sc, hdc, 3dc, hdc, sc, sl st\* rep from\* around 4 times.

Fasten off.

Make as many as you want.



#### **Amigurumi Bee:**

The bee demands you know how to switch from one color to another. To change colors, crochet to the last stitch on the row. Start the last stitch by inserting the hook into the chain from the previous row and pulling a loop through. Now, with the new color, finish the single crochet by bringing a loop through the 2 stitches on the hook.

## Using yellow:

Ch2

R1: 6 sc in second ch from hook (6)

R2: 2 sc in each st around (12)

R3: 1 sc, 2 sc in next st, repeat 6 times (18)

R4: sc in each st around (18)

Change to black

R5-6: sc in each st around (18)

Change to yellow

R7: sc in each st around (18)

Change to black

R8-9: sc in each st around (18)

Change to yellow, add eyes and start to stuff

R10:1 dec, 1 sc, repeat 6 times (12)

Change to black

R11:6 dec, (6)

Continue to stuff

R12-13: sc in each st around (6)

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Embroider a mouth using red thread.

## Wings, make two:

Using white, Ch2

R1: 6 sc in second ch from hook (6)

R2: 1 sc, 2 sc in next st repeat two times (9)

R3-7: sc in each st around (9)

Fasten off, fold in half and sew on the bee.



# Leaf garland:

Using green ch 100 and fasten off.

Now that you have everything in place it's time to sew your flowers, your amigurumi bee and your garland onto the wreath. Choose the place you want everything to be and sew each item on the wreath. Add a ribbon so that you can hang your wreath up.



Find wreaths for every season here!

## **Mosaic Sunset Poncho**

## By: Tammy Hildebrand for Red Heart Yarn

Use lightweight Heart and Sole yarn by Red Heart to complete this colorful Mosaic Sunset Poncho. This intermediate crochet pattern is worth every stitch because it looks so stylish and trendy. It's definitely a pattern worth making if you're looking for a bright piece of clothing to wear this spring. This is a great pattern to add to your wardrobe for the spring and summer months because of the beautiful color and trendy style.



#### **Materials:**

- RED HEART® Heart & Sole®: 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7) balls 3960 Spring Stripe
- Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9]
- Yarn needle

**Gauge**: 20 dc = 4''(10 cm), 3 sc and 2 shell in lace pattern = 5''(12.7 cm); 4 rows sc and 3 rows dc = 4''(10 cm) blocked. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

**Sizes:** Directions are for size Small/Medium; Changes for sizes Large/X-Large and XXLarge/ XXX-Large are in parentheses:

To Fit Bust 32-38 (40-46, 48-54)", (81-97 (102-117, 122-137) cm) Finished Center Panel Width 11 (13, 15)", (28 (33, 38) cm) Finished Length 27" (69 cm) at longest point

#### Notes

1. Poncho is made with 2 center panels and 2 long sleeve panels. The first half of each long sleeve panel is worked up to Row 41 and fastened off. The second half is worked in the bottom of Row 1 from first half.

#### **Special Stitches**

half sh = [Dc, ch 1] 3 times in indicated stitch.

sh = [Dc, ch 1] 5 times in indicated stitch.

sc2tog = [Draw up a loop in next st] 2 times, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

## **Instructions:**

#### Center Panel (Make 2)

Ch 49 (59, 69).

**Row 1** (Right Side): Dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 2 [7, 12] chs, skip next 3 chs, half sh in next ch, [skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch

1, skip next 3 chs, sh in next ch] 3 times, skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip next 3 chs, half sh in next ch, skip next 3 chs, dc in last 4 (9, 14) chs – 8 (18, 28) dc, 2 half sh, 4 sc, 3 sh.

**Row 2**: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 5 (10, 15) dc, [ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh] 3 times, ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in last 5 (10, 15) dc - 17 (27, 37) sc, 8 ch-5 spaces.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 (8, 13) sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] 4 times, sc in next sc, dc in last 4(9, 14) sc -8(18, 28) dc, 5 sc, 4 sh.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 5 (10 15) sts, [ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh, ch 5, sc in next sc] 4 times, sc in last 4 (9, 14) dc - 17 (27, 37) sc, 8 ch-5 spaces.

**Row 5**: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 (8, 13) sc, half sh in next sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] 3 times, sc in next sc, ch 1, half sh in next ch, dc in last 4 (9, 14) sc - 8 (18, 28) dc, 2 half sh, 4 sc, 3 sh.

Rows 6-21: Repeat Rows 2-5, four times.

Rows 22-24: Repeat Rows 2-4 once.

**Row 25**: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 (8, 13) sc, half sh in next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, shell in next sc, sc in next sc, ch 2, ([tr, ch 2] 5 times) in next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, half sh in next sc, dc in last 4 (9, 14) sc - 8 (18, 28) dc, 2 half sh, 4 sc, 2 sh, 5 tr.

**Row 26**: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 5 (10, 15) dc, ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh, ch 5, sc in next sc, [ch 5, skip next tr, sc in next tr] 2 times, ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh, ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in last 5 (10, 15) dc - 18 (28, 38) sc, 9 ch-5 spaces.

**Row 27**: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 (8, 13) sc, sc in next sc, ch 1, [sh in next sc, sc in next sc, ch 1] twice, sh in next ch-5 space, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] twice, sc in next sc, dc in last 4 (9, 14) sc - 8 (18, 28) dc, 6 sc, 5 sh.

**Row 28**: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 5 (10 15) sts, [ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh, ch 5, sc in next sc] 5 times, sc in last 4 (9, 14) dc - 19 (29, 39) sc, 10 ch-5 spaces.

**Row 29**: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 (8, 13) sc, half sh in next sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] 4 times, sc in next sc, ch 1, half sh in next sc, dc in last 4 (9, 14) sc - 8 (18, 28) dc, 2 half sh, 5 sc, 4 sh.

**Row 30**: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 5 (10, 15) dc, [ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh] 4 times, ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in last 5 (10, 15) dc - 19 (29, 39) sc, 10 ch-5 spaces.

**Row 31:** Ch 3, turn; dc in next 3 (8, 13) sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] twice, sc in next sc, ch 3, (tr [ch 2, tr] 4 times) in next sc, ch 3, sc in next sc, [ch 1, sh in next sc, sc in next sc] twice, dc in last 4 (9, 14) sc - 8 (18, 28) dc, 6 sc, 4 sh, 5 tr.

## **Edging**

Side 1: Ch 1, pivot to work over post of st at each row end; work sc in each sc row end and 2 sc in each dc row end across. Fasten off.

Side 2: With Right Side facing, join yarn with sc in Row 1 on opposite side of panel, sc in same space; work sc in each sc row end and 2 sc in each dc row end across. Fasten off.

#### Sleeve panel (Make 2)

#### **First Half**

Ch 69.

**Row 1** (Right Side): Dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in next 12 chs, skip next 3 chs, half-sh in next ch, [skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip next 3 chs, sh in next ch] 3 times, skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip next 3 chs, half-sh in next ch, skip next 3 chs, dc in last 14 chs – 28 dc, 2 half sh, 4 sc, 3 sh.

**Row 2**: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 15 dc, [ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh] 3 times, ch 5, sc in next sc, ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in last 15 dc - 37 sc, 8 ch-5 sps.

**Row 3**: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 13 sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] 4 times, sc in next sc, dc in last 14 sc – 28 dc, 5 sc, 4 sh.

**Row** 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in first 15 sts, [ch 5, sc in center dc of next sh, ch 5, sc in next sc] 4 times, sc in last 14 dc – 37 sc, 8 ch-5 spaces.

**Row 5**: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 13 sc, half-sh in next sc, [sc in next sc, ch 1, sh in next sc] 3 times, sc in next sc, ch 1, half-sh in next ch, dc in last 14 sc – 28 dc, 2 half sh, 4 sc, 3 sh.

Rows 6-41: Repeat Rows 2-5, nine times.

Fasten off after last row

#### **Second Half**

**Row 1**: Working in bottom loops of Row 1 on first half of sleeve panel, join yarn with slip st in first loop, ch 3 (counts as first dc), dc in next 13 chs, skip next 3 chs, half sh in next ch, [skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip next 3 chs, sh in next ch] 3 times, skip next 3 chs, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip next 3 chs, dc in last 14 chs -28 dc, 2 half sh, 4 sc, 3 sh.

Rows 2-41: Repeat Rows 2-5 for First Half, ten times.

#### **Edging**

Repeat Edging for Center Panel.

#### Assembly

With Wrong Sides facing together, align stitches of Edging on Center Panel with Sleeve Panel keeping center peak pointing outward; working through both thicknesses, join yarn with slip st in first st, ch 1, \*slip st in next st, ch 1; repeat from \* to end. Repeat for opposite side of same Center Panel to join second Sleeve Panel. Repeat to join second Center Panel to opposite end of each Sleeve Panel.

#### **Neck and Shoulder Shaping**

**Round 1**: With RS facing, join yarn with sc in seam at right side, \*working in bottom loops of Row 1 on Center Panel, dc in first 4 (9, 14) chs, [skip next 3 chs, 2 dc in next ch] 9 times, skip next 3 chs, dc in next 4 (9, 14) chs, sc in center of next seam, working in sts of edging on Sleeve Panel, sc2tog across\*, sc in center of next seam; repeat from \* to \*; join with slip st in first st.

**Round 2**: Ch 1, sc in first st, \*sc2tog 13 (18, 23) times, sc in each st up to next Center Panel; repeat from \* to end; join with slip st in first st.

Round 3: Ch 3, dc in each st around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3.

Rounds 4-6: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st in first st. Fasten off after last round.

#### Finishing

Weave in ends. Wet block to measurements.

# **Butterfly Baby Sweater**

## By: Cathy Wood from Cats-Rockin-Crochet

If you have a few hours to spare, make this Butterfly Baby Sweater. It's an easy crochet pattern that only takes about six hours to complete. The body of the sweater is made in one piece from the top down and the sleeves and collar are added later. If you look closely, you can see the cute butterflies in the pattern, which makes this cute crocheted sweater the perfect springtime pattern for your baby girl. Make the Butterfly Crochet Baby Beanie for a matching set.



#### **Materials:**

- 4mm, US G/6
- 8 ply approx 150 to 200 gm's US DK/Medium

**Special stitch:** Cluster = a 2 dc cluster st. Yo hook, insert hook into st, pull up a loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook (2 loops on hook), yo hook, insert hook into same st and pull up a loop (4 loops on hook), yo hook and pull through 2 loops on hook (3 loops on hook), yo hook and pull through all loops on hook. A 2 dc cluster made.

#### Instructions:

To Begin, Chain 54

The beginning ch 2 of each row, is not counted as a stitch

**Row 1:**, work 1 dc in 3rd chain from the hook, work 1 dc in each of the next 8 ch, work 3 dc in next ch, work 1 dc in each of the next 7 ch, work 3 dc in next ch, work 1 dc in each of the next 16 ch, work 3 dc in next ch, work 1 dc in each of next 9 ch, ch 2 and turn (60 dc)

Row 2: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 8 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 9 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 18 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 9 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 8 dc, work 1 fpdc around the next dc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn (68 dc) Row 3: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in each of the next 9 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 11 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 20 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 11 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 9 dc, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn (76 dc) Row 4: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in each of the next 10 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 13 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 22 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 13 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 10 dc, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn (84 c) Row 5: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in each of the next 11 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 15 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 24 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 15 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 11 dc, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn Row 6: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in each of the next 12 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 17 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 26 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 17 dc, work 3 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in each of the next 12 dc, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn.

#### **Arm Holes**

**Row 7:** work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in each of the next 14 dc, ch 4, skip 19 st's, work 1dc in each of the next 30 dc, ch 4, skip 19 st's, work 1dc in each of the next 14 st's, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn (62 st's)

## Increases for pattern:

**Row 8:** work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 2 dc in each of the next 14 dc, work 3 dc in ch 4 space, work 2 dc in each of the next 30 dc, work 3 dc in ch 4 space, work 2 dc in each of the next 14 dc, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn (126 st's)

**Row 9,** work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in each of the next 122dc, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn

#### **Begin Pattern Rows:**

**Row 1:** work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next st, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, ch 3, skip 2 st's, \*work 1 sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, skip 2 st's, work 7 dc in next, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, skip 1 st, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn (10 groups of 7 dc)

Tip for row 2, each group of 7 dc's will have 1 cluster st worked into it.

Row 2: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, (work 1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in the 1st sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, \*work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3\*, repeat from \*to\* to last sc, work (1 sc, ch 2, 1sc) in last sc, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn

**Row 3:** work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 3 dc in ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, \*work 7 dc in ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster\*, repeat from \*to\* to the last (sc, ch 2, sc), work 3 dc in the ch 2 space, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn

**Row 4**: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the 3 chain, (work 1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in next sc, ch 1, \* work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1,\* repeat from \*to\* to the last 5 st's, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn **Row 5**: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 sc in 1st cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in next cluster, work 7 dc in the ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, \*skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, \*repeat from \*to\* until the last 3 clusters of this row, work 1 sc in 1st cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in next cluster, work 1 sc in next cluster, ch 3, \*repeat from \*to\* until the last 3 clusters of this row, work 1 sc in 1st cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in next cluster, work 1 fpdc around the next bpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn

**Row 6**: work 1 dc in same st as ch 2, work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work (1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in the 1st sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, \*work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3\*, repeat from \*to\* to last sc of the row and work (1 sc, ch 2, 1sc) in the last sc, , work 1 bpdc around the next fpdc, work 1 dc in the last dc, ch 2 and turn

Measures approx 7 inches from collar to bottom of garment

Rows 3, to row 7, from pattern

Row 7: repeat row 3 Row 8: repeat row 4 Row 9: repeat row 5 Row 10: repeat row 6 Row 11: repeat row 3 Row 12: repeat row 4

Row 13: repeat row 5

Measures approx 10 inches from collar to bottom of garment Break off yarn and sew in ends, or continue for length desired

Making the sleeves: Get to know your sleeve prior to joining in the yarn and adding the correct stitch count that we need, please indentify the stitch placements by reading the instructions below, the stitch placements are underlined and in bold.

On row 7 of the yoke where we made our sleeve holes, we skipped 19 st's. Looking at the arm holes, from the back of the garment find the 1st skipped dc, now count to the 19th skipped dc, next you will see the top loop of a dc that is worked into, the side bar of the dc, the chain space, next you will see the

3 dc's that were made over the ch 4, identify the space on both sides of the 2nd dc, the last chain space (after the 3rd dc), the next side bar of the dc, the next top loop of a dc that was worked into, now we are back at the beginning of the 1st dc of the 19 dc. This will give use 27 st's to begin our sleeve. Please note that both sleeves are worked the same and are worked in the round, for the right sleeve join in yarn from the back of the arm hole, for the left sleeve join in yarn from the front of the arm hole. Row 1, join in yarn to the 1st of the 19 skipped dc, ch 2, work 1 dc in same space as ch 2, work 1 dc in each stitch identified for the arm hole (ch 2 and 27 dc), to join, sl st into the top of the 1st dc of this round

#### Set up for pattern rounds:

**Row 2:** ch 2, work 1 dc in same space as ch 2, work 1 dc in next 4 dc, (work 2 dc in next dc, work 1 dc in next dc) 9 times in total, work 1 dc in each of next 4 dc, sl st to join in beginning dc (36 dc)

#### Pattern rounds:

**Row 1:** ch 1, work 1 sc in same space as join, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next st, skip 2 st's, work 7 dc in next st, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, skip 2 st's, work 7 dc in next, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, ch 3, skip 2 st's \*, repeat from \*to\* to end, sl st into the 1st sc of this round

Row 2: ch 1, (work 1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in same space as join, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, \*work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3\*, repeat from \*to\* to end, sl st into the ch 2 space between the sc's

**Row 3:** ch 4, work 3 dc in same space as join, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, \*work 7 dc in ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster\*, repeat from \*to\* to end, work 3 dc in the same space as the first ch 4 and 3 dc, to join, sl st into the ch 3 space of the beginning ch 4 **Row 4:** ch 5, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the 3 chain, (work 1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in next sc, ch 1, \* work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1, \*repeat from \*to\* to end, work a cluster st in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd dc of the previous round, ch 2, sl st into the 3rd ch of the beginning ch 5

**Row 5:** ch 1, work 1 sc in same space as join, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in next cluster, work 7 dc in the ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, \*skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, work 7 dc in the ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, \* repeat from \*to\* to end, sl st into the 1st sc of this round

**Row 6**: ch 1, (work 1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in same space as join, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, \*work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3\*, repeat from \*to\* to end, sl st into the ch 2 space between the sc's

Row 7: repeat row 3 Row 8: repeat row 4

Row 9: repeat row 5

Sleeve measures approx, 8 inches

Break off yarn and sew in ends, or continue for length desired

Collar, join in yarn with a sl st, to the 1st stitch on the right hand side (when laid flat, it is the opposite end to where you began the garment)

Working hdc stitches in this row

**Row 1:** ch 1, work 1 hdc in same space as join, work 1 fphdc around the next fpdc, work 1 hdc in each of the next 6 ch spaces, work 1 hdc dec over the next 3 ch spaces, work 1 hdc in each of the next 5 ch spaces, work 1 hdc dec over the next 3 ch spaces, work 1 hdc in each of the next 5 ch spaces, (work 1 hdc dec over the next 2 ch spaces, twice), (work 1 hdc in each of the next 5 ch spaces, work 1 hdc dec over the next 3 ch spaces, twice), work 1 hdc in each of the next 6 ch spaces, work 1 fphdc around the next fpdc, work 1 hdc in last ch space, turn, (42 st's)

**Row 2:** ch 1, work 1 hdc in same st as ch 1, work 1 bphdc around the next fphdc, work 1 hdc in each of the next 38 hdc, work 1 bphdc around the next fphdc, work 1 hdc in the last st, ch 2 and turn (42 st's) Row 3 you are working all st's into the front loops only

Row 3: work 1 dc in same space as ch 2, work 1 dc in next st, skip 1 st, work 1 sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next st, skip 2 st's work 7 dc in next st, skip 2 st's work, 1 sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 st's, \*work 1 sc in next st, ch 3, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, skip 2 st's, work 7 dc in next, skip 2 st's, work 1 sc in next, ch 3, skip 2 st's \*, repeat from \*to\* to last 3 st's, work 1 sc in next st, work 1 dc in each of next 2 st's, ch 2 and turn

**Row 4:** work 1 dc in same space as ch 2, work 1 dc in next st, (work 1 sc, ch 2, 1sc), in the 1st sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3, \*work (1 sc, ch 2, 1 sc), in the next sc, ch 1, work a cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 2, work 1 cluster in next dc, ch 2, work 1 cluster in each of the next 3 dc's, ch 1, skip the ch 3\*, repeat from \*to\* to last sc, work (1 sc, ch 2, 1sc) in last sc, work 1 dc in each of the next 2 st's, ch 2 and turn

**Row 5:** work 1 dc in same space as ch 2, work 1 dc in next st, work 3 dc in ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, \*work 7 dc in ch 2 space between the next 2 sc's, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, ch 3, skip 1 cluster, work 1 sc in the next cluster, repeat from \*to\* to the last (sc, ch 2, sc), work 3 dc in the ch 2 space, work 1 dc in each of the next 2 st's, finish off and sew in ends

Add buttons to the left or right of your garment, line them up on a front post stitch and make sure they are opposite a ch 2 space for closure.

# **Flirty Spring Scarf**

## By: Mary Kathryn Vaughn for What is Crochet Chiq?

Make a Flirty Spring Scarf for the warm season. This is a beautiful crochet scarf pattern you'll want to make right now! Use bright spring colors to uplift your mood. It uses a fun Starbella Yarn for a light and lacy feel.



Crochet Hook: H/8 or 5 mm hook

Yarn Weight: (3) Light/DK (21-24 stitches to 4 inches)

## **Instructions:**

First you need to spread out the yarn and look at the netting. The part that is thick is the bottom or the edging, it is what ruffles.

The thinner side with the spaced out netting is the top and what we will be crocheting into.

Continue chaining until you have the length desired. The yarn will curl and ruffle as you go. Knot and slip stitch to hide your end. Then repeat everything with a 2nd chain at the same length. Twist the two together, and you're done

**Variations:** Try mixing colors or doing more than 2 strands for a thicker scarf!

## **Summer Crochet Patterns**

## **Summertime Snack Bag**

## By: Heidi Yates from Snappy Tots

The Summertime Snack Bag was inspired by the iconic red, white, and blue popsicles that are popular in the summer. Because of the small size of this particular crochet bag pattern, it can only be used to hold small items such as water bottles, sunglasses, and cell phones. It measures 6.5 inches tall by 4.5 inches wide when complete. The handle is crocheted separately and sewn on at the end, along with the button.



#### **Materials:**

- Worsted weight yarn: Red Heart With Love in Holly Berry, White, Blue Hawaii and Khaki
- Miscellaneous: one blue 3/4" button, sewing needle and blue thread, yarn needle
- Hook: H

#### Instructions:

With H hook and red yarn, start with a magic circle of 12 hdc sts (or preferred method for starting a circle of 12 hdc sts). SI st to join and pull closed.

Ch 2, FPDC around post, directly below beginning chain (referred to as "same post" from now on.) See photo, below left, \*hdc in next st, FPDC around same post\*, repeat to end of round, sl st in top of first post to join (see arrow in photo, below right). (24 posts)

Ch 2, FPDC around same post, FPDC around next post, \*hdc in next st, FPDC around same post, FPDC\*, repeat to end of round, sl st in top of first post to join.(36 posts)

Ch 2, FPDC around next 2 posts, \*hdc in next st, FPDC around next 2 posts\*, repeat to end of round, slip st to join. (36 posts)

Repeat previous round until bag measures 3" from starting edge. Change to white yarn and continue to repeat round 3 until WHITE section measures 2". Change to blue yarn and continue to repeat round 3 until BLUE section measures 1.5".

Ch 2, hdc in each st to end of round, sl st to join.

Ch 1, sc in each st to end of round, sl st to join. Finish off and weave in ends.

#### Handle:

Finished length from end to end: 10.5"

With H hook and brown yarn, ch 36, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across. (35sts)

Ch 2, turn, dc in each st to end of row.

Ch 1, turn, sc in each st to end of row. Finish off and weave in ends.

Lay one end of handle INSIDE bag with bottom edge of handle approximately 1" below top edge of bag. With BLUE yarn and yarn needle, sew handle to bag. With blue thread and sewing needle, sew button on the INSIDE of the bag, directly across from sewn on handle. The dc row of the handle will slip over the button.



## **Ruffle Crochet Skirt**

## By: Corina Gray for AllFreeCrochet

This Ruffle Crochet Skirt is a great pattern to make for your little girl. It stops just above the knee, but can easily be made longer. Add bows or ribbon for added accessory, or even crochet a matching hair piece. This crochet skirt is perfect for all seasons because of the layering, and it can be worn in the summer with bare legs or paired with leggings in the winter. The Ruffle Crochet Skirt pattern is written from the bottom up. It's a quick and simple crochet pattern that easily gives you the "wow" factor.



#### **Materials:**

- 2 Skeins of Bernat Satin (Worsted Weight Yarn total of 200 g/7 oz) I used the color "Sage"
- H/8-5 mm crochet hook
- Yarn Needle for weaving in your ends

## **Stitches Used:**

CH - Chain

**HDC - Half Double Crochet** 

TRE - Treble Crochet

**HDC DEC - Half Double Crochet Decrease** 

FPDC - Front Post Double Crochet

FPSC - Front Post Single Crochet

#### Instructions:

#### Part 1

**Round 1:** CH 6, TRE into the first CH. \*\*CH 6. TRE into the top of the TRE. Repeat from \*\* 32 more times. Join with a slip stitch over the post of the first TRE. (34 TRE)

**Round 2:** CH 1, 2 HDC over same TRE. CH 4. \*\*2 HDC over the next TRE. CH 4. Repeat from \*\* 32 more times. Join to the first HDC. (68 HDC)

**Round 3:** Slip stitch into the next stitch. Slip stitch into the CH space. CH 1, 2 HDC into CH space. CH 4. \*\*2 HDC into next CH space. CH 4. Repeat from \*\* 32 more times. Join to first HDC (68 HDC)

**Round 4 and 5:** Slip stitch into the next stitch. Slip stitch into the CH space. CH 1, 2 HDC into CH space. CH 3. \*\*2 HDC into next CH space. CH 3. Repeat from \*\* 32 more times. Join to first HDC (68 HDC)

**Round 6 and 7:** Slip stitch into the next stitch. Slip stitch into the CH space. CH 1, 2 HDC into CH space. CH 2. \*\*2 HDC into next CH space. CH 2. Repeat from \*\* 32 more times. Join to first HDC (68 HDC)

**Round 8:** Slip stitch into the next stitch. Slip stitch into the CH space. CH 1, 3 HDC into same CH space. 3 HDC into each CH space around. Join to the first HDC. (102 HDC)

**Rounds 9- 17:** CH 1, HDC into same stitch and each stitch around. Join to first HDC. (102 HDC) Finish off and set aside.

Part 2
Repeat rounds 1-8 from part 1. Do not finish off.



#### Part 3

**Round 1:** Lay your second piece over the first piece you had set aside. Line your stitches up. CH 1. Sliding your hook through both pieces, HDC into each stitch around. Join to first HDC. (102 HDC) **Rounds 2- 10:** CH 1, HDC into same stitch and each stitch around. Join to first HDC. (102 HDC) Finish off and set aside.

#### Part 4

Repeat rounds 1-8 from part 1. Do not finish off.

#### Part 5

**Round 1:** Lay your second piece over the first piece you had set aside. Line your stitches up. CH 1. Sliding your hook through both pieces, HDC into each stitch around. Join to first HDC. (102 HDC)

**Round 2:** CH 1, \*\*HDC DEC, HDC into the next stitch. Repeat from \*\* 33 more times. Join to the first HDC DEC (68 stitches)

Round 3: CH 1, HDC into same stitch and each stitch around. Join to first HDC. (68 HDC)

**Round 4:** CH 1, HDC into same stitch. FPDC over next stitch. \*\*HDC into next stitch. FPDC over next stitch. Repeat from \*\* 32 more times. Join to first HDC. (68 stitches)

**Round 5:** CH 1, FPSC over same stitch and each stitch around. Join to first FPSC. (68 FPSC) Weave your ends in.





# **Sea Glass Crochet Bag**

# By: <u>Jessyz from Chocolate Mints in a Jar</u>

This Sea Glass Crochet Bag is the perfect size for running quick errands around town. This free crochet pattern begins with the magic circle and is completed by joining together a number of crocheted granny squares. Feel free to use any method you are comfortable with when joining the granny squares. Lining this crocheted bag is optional, based on how often you think you'll be using this particular crochet purse. The handles are sewn on at the end.



## **Materials:**

- 4 mm hook
- cotton acrylic blend yard

Yardage: Approximately 130 meters of the solid color and 200 meters of the multicolored yarn.

**Abbreviations:** Terms used are all American.

CH chain SC Single Crochet DC Double crochet

HDC Half double crochet

#### Instructions:

**Round 1:** Make a magic circle, chain 3 and DC 12 into it. Slip stitch in the first DC to complete the round. [12 stitches]

Round 2: CH 3, DC 2 into each stitch. Slip stitch in the first DC to complete the round. [24 stitches]

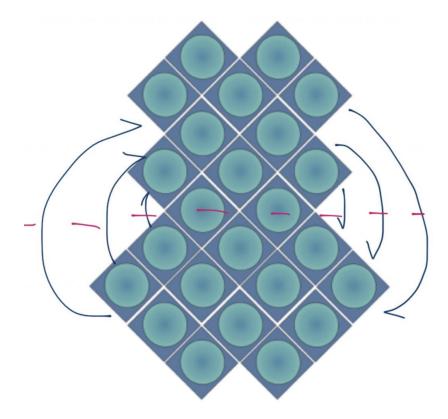
**Round 3**: CH 3, DC 2 into the same stitch, DC 1 in next stitch, \*DC 2 in next stitch, DC 1 in next stitch\*. Slip stitch in the first DC to complete the round. [36 stitches.]

You should now have a circle made up of three rounds. If you are using the same color yarn for the frame then continue if not then cut off the yarn and join a new one in any stitch.

## Round 4: Squaring the circle

CH 1, SC in same stitch, SC, HDC, HDC, DC 2 in next stitch, CH 2, \*DC 2 in next stitch, HDC in next two stitches, SC in next 3 stitches, HDC in next two stitches, DC 2 in next stitch, CH 3\* (repeat 3 times), DC 2 in next stitch, HDC in next two stitches, SC in next stitch. Slip stitch into first SC to complete the round.

Join the squares together using the pattern below. The pink dotted line is the fold line and the dark blue arrows show you, which side of which square joins where.



## **Crochet Summer Dress**

## By: <u>Jessie Rayot from Jessie at Home</u>

Little girls are sure to enjoy the lazy, carefree days of summer with this Crochet Summer Dress. The bottom of the dress is light and lacy and has just the right amount of twirl that kids will love. A combination of single crochet and the puff stitch is used to work up the top of this dress. It's an intermediate crochet pattern to crochet and there are two different sizes included in this free pattern.



#### **Materials:**

- 3 (4) Skeins Red Heart Baby TLC yarn
- US 8/H/5.00 mm and US 9/I/5.50 mm

## Gauge:

16 sc and 20 rows in a 4" square with smaller hook. If you have to change the hook, then make the second hook one size larger than the first.

**Size:** Child 5/6 (23-25" chest) or Child 7/8 (26-28" chest)

#### **Techniques and Abbreviations Used:**

ch - chain

sl st - slip stitch

sc - single crochet

dc - double crochet

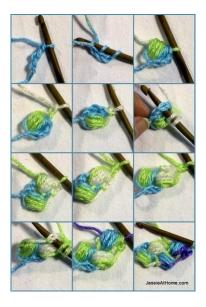
st(s) – stitches

puff st- Puff Stitch: [yo, insert hook into st, yo, pull through st] 4 times, all in the same st (9 loops on hook), yo, pull through all 9 loops, puff stitch made.

## **Instructions:**

## **Neck and Top Back:**

**Row 1:** Ch 3, puff st in first ch made, [ch 2, puff st in ch-2 sp on side of previous puff st] 59 (61) times. (60 (62) puff sts)



**Row 2:** Ch 1 (does not count as a st), (sc, ch 2, sc) in the large loop at the bottom of the puff st, and in the bottom loop of each of the next 7 puff sts. (8 sets of (sc, ch 2, sc)



Row 3: Turn, ch 2, 2 puff sts in ch-2 sp, [skip 2, 2 puff sts in next ch-2 sp] 7 times, hdc in last sc. (16 puff sts)



Row 4: Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in top of each puff st. (32 sc)



**Row 5:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in first sc, sc in each st across until 1 st remains, 2sc in last st. (34 sc)

**Row 6:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), sc in first sc, ch 2, skip 1, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 2] 6 times, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 1, sc in last st (36 sts)

**Row 7:** Turn, ch 2, 2 puff sts in ch-2 sp, [skip 2, 2 puff sts in next ch-2 sp] 8 times, hdc in last sc. (18 puff sts)

Row 8: Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in top of each puff st. (36 sc)

**Row 9:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in first sc, sc in each st across until 1 st remains, 2 sc in last st. (38 sc)

**Row 10:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), sc in first sc, ch 2, skip 1, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 2] 8 times, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 1, sc in last st (40 sts)

**Row 11:** Turn, ch 2, 2 puff sts in ch-2 sp, [skip 2, 2 puff sts in next ch-2 sp] 9 times, hdc in last sc. (20 puff sts)

**Row 12:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in top of each puff st. (40 sc)

**Row 13:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in first sc, sc in each st across until 1 st remains, 2 sc in last st. (42 sc)

**Row 14:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), sc in first sc, ch 2, skip 1, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 2] 9 times, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 1, sc in last st (44 sts)

**Row 15:** Turn, ch 2, 2 puff sts in ch-2 sp, [skip 2, 2 puff sts in next ch-2 sp] 10 times, hdc in last sc. (22 puff sts)

For size 5/6 move onto waistband

**Row 16:** (Size 7/8 only) Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in top of each puff st. (44 sc)

**Row 17:** (Size 7/8 only) Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in first sc, sc in each st across until 1 st remains, 2 sc in last st. (46 sc)

**Row 18:** (Size 7/8 only) Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), sc in first sc, ch 2, skip 1, [sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 2] 10 times, sc in each of next 2 sts, ch 2, skip 1, sc in last st (48 sts)

**Row 19:** (Size 7/8 only) Turn, ch 2, 2 puff sts in ch-2 sp, [skip 2, 2 puff sts in next ch-2 sp] 11 times, hdc in last sc. Fasten off. (24 puff sts)



## **Top Front:**

Go back to the end of row 2, and skip 7 (8) of the large loops at the bottom of the puff sts from row 1, starting in the 8th (9th) large loop, repeat rows 2 - 19, do not fasten off.



## Waistband (worked in rounds)

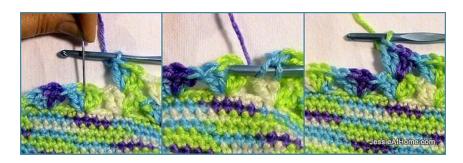
**Rnd 1:** Turn, ch 1 (does not count as a st), 2 sc in top of each puff st, ch 4 (8), 2 sc in the top of each puff st from the bottom of the top back, being careful not to twist the neckband, ch 4 (8), sl st to top of beg sc. (96 (112) sc)

Rnd 2 – 10: ch 1 (does not count as a st), sc in each st around, sl st to top of beg sc. Do not fasten off. (96 (112) sc)

#### Skirt

**Rnd 1:** Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 3 dc in same st, \* skip 3, 4 dc in next st, repeat from \* around, sl st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of 4 dc)

**Rnd 2:** Switch to larger hook, sl st in next dc, sl st in between 2nd and 3rd dc of 4 dc set, ch 3, 3 dc in same space, \*4 dc in between 2nd and 3rd dc of next dc set, repeat from \* around, sl st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of 4 dc)



**Rnd 3-5:** SI st in next dc, sI st in between 2nd and 3rd dc of 4 dc set, ch 3, 3 dc in same space, \*4 dc in between 2nd and 3rd dc of next dc set, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of 4 dc)

**Rnd 6:** SI st in next dc, sI st in between 2nd and 3rd dc of 4 dc set, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same space, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in between 2nd and 3rd dc of next dc set, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc))

Rnd 7-10: SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc))

**Rnd 11:** SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, dc in between next 2 sets of 2 dc, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, dc in between next 2 sets of 2 dc, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) with 24 (28) dc in between)

Rnd 12-15: SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, sk 2 dc, dc in dc, sk 2 dc, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, sk 2 dc, dc in dc, sk 2 dc, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) with 24 (28) dc in between)

**Rnd 16:** SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, sk 2 dc, 2 dc in dc, sk 2 dc, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, sk 2 dc, 2 dc in dc, sk 2 dc, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) with 24 (28) sets of 2 dc in between)

Rnd 17-20: SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, sk 2 dc, 2 dc in the center of the next 2 dc, sk 2 dc, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, sk 2 dc, 2 dc in the center of the next 2 dc, sk 2 dc, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) with 24 (28) sets of 2 dc in between)

Rnd 21: SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch-1 sp, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch-1 sp, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (24 (28) sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) with 24 (28) sets of (dc, ch 1, dc) in between)

For size 5/6 end here

**Row 22-25:** (Size 7/8 only) SI st in next dc, sI st in ch-1 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp, \*(2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in next ch-1 sp, repeat from \* around, sI st to top of beginning ch 3. (56 sets of (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc)

#### **Arm Hole**

Use a yarn needle and the yarn tail from the start of your project to join the neckband into a full circle.

**Rnd 1:** Attach yarn to second ch in underarm (at waistband), sc in same st, sc in next 1 (5) sts sc2tog using last ch of waistband and the side of the hdc, sc in the side of the same hdc, \* sc in the side of each of the next 3 sts, 2 sc in the side of the next hdc, rep from \* to top of arm hole, 3 sc in the long loop at the edge of each puff st from the original next band, \*\* 2 sc in the side of the next hdc, sc in the side of each of the next 3 sts, rep from \* to bottom of arm hole, placing only 1 sc in the side of the last hdc, sc2tog using the same hdc and the remaining unworked ch at the waistband, sl st to top of beg sc. **Rnd 2:** sc 1 (4), sc2tog, sc in each st around until 2 remain, sc2tog, sl st to top of beg sc, fasten off.



# **Summertime Festival Bag**

## By: Lorene Eppolite from Cre8tion Crochet

For many, summertime means the beginning of festival season. From music festivals such as Coachella and Lollapalooza, to craft festivals, food festivals, and farmer's markets, there seems to be a festival for everyone these days. If you're heading to any this summer, be sure you crochet the Summertime Festival Bag. It's the perfect crocheted bag because it's just the right size to carry your festival essentials including your cell phone, cash, photo ID, and lip gloss. Plus, the fringe adds a funky finishing touch.



## **Materials:**

- 1 skein Chiffon Ribbon by Darn Good Yarn- we used the Watercolors Series
- 10.0mm (N) hook
- Large eye needle to weave in ends

**Gauge:** 8sc and 6 rows =  $4\times4"$ 

#### **Finished Dimensions:**

About 6 1/2 wide 4 1/2 tall, not including fringe Fringe is 8" at longest point

#### Instructions:

## **Purse Body**

- 1: Leaving a 8-10" long tail, FSC12 (approx 6")
- 2: Ch1 and turn. 1sc in every st across <12>
- 3-11: Repeat Row 2 (approx 10" tall)

## Flap

- 12: Ch1 and turn. Sc2tog. 1sc in each of the next 8sts. Sc2tog <10>
- 13: Ch1 and turn. Sc2tog. 1sc in each of the next 6sts. Sc2tog <8>
- 14: Ch1 and turn. Sc2tog. 1sc in each of the next 4sts. Sc2tog <6>
- 15: Ch1 and turn. Sc2tog. 1sc in each of the next 2sts. Sc2tog <4>
- 16: Ch1 and turn. Sc2tog two times <2>
- 17: Fasten off and weave in ends. Fold piece on row 5 (making an envelope shape). Stitch up sides, leaving "flap"
- 18: Fold flap over. Cut 12-14 strips 18" long and add fringe to outside corners of flap. Trim fringe neatly following "V" shape

#### Strap

19: Leaving 8-10" tail, FDC 65, fasten off leaving 8-10" tail. Using long tails, attach to either side of finished bag.

20: Head out to a festival and enjoy the spring!







# **Fall Designs**

# **Unique Shell Vest**

## By: Lorene Eppolite for AllFreeCrochet

This lightweight and airy crochet vest is designed with the gorgeous Lion Brand Unique Yarn in Jewel. The bright changing tones give this simple design a big visual impact. This back of the Unique Shell Vest is constructed in one piece from top to bottom. The two front panels are then crocheted on in two sections and joined as you go. Once all three panels are crocheted, the sides are stitched together.



## **Materials:**

- 3 (4, 4, 5) skeins Lion Brand Unique yarn, Jewel
- US N15/10.00mm hook- or hook needed to obtain gauge
- Large eyed embroidery needle

**Size:** Fits Bust Measurement(s) 35" (39 ½", 41", 45 ½")

Gauge: (measure in pattern) 4 shells (or 12sts) and 6 rows = 6" x 6"

#### Notes:

- 1. Pattern is written in size small, changes for medium, large and extra-large, are in parenthesis.
- 2. To make reading pattern easier you may want to print out pattern and highlight changes for your size.

#### Instructions:

#### **Back**

Row 1: Ch34 (37, 40, 43). 1dc in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2dc in first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 9x (10x, 11x, 12x). 2dc in the last ch. <31 (34, 37, 40) > (Measures 15" (16 ½" 18", 19 ½")

Row 2: Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 9x (10x, 11x, 12x). 2dc in the Ch3. <31 (34, 37, 40)>

Row 3-8 (8, 9, 9): Repeat row 2. <31 (34, 37, 40)>

Row 9 (9, 10, 10): Ch3 and turn. 2dc in the first st (counts as 3dc in first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 9x (10x, 11x, 12x). 3dc in the Ch3. <33 (36, 39, 42>

Row 10 (10, 11, 11): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in first st). [Skip one st. 3dc in next st.] 2x. Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 8x (9x, 10x, 11x). Skip one st. 3dc in the next st. Skip one st. 2dc in the Ch3. <37 (40, 43, 46)> MARK THIS ROW

Row 11 (11, 12, 12): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st. Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 11x (12x, 13x, 14x). 2dc in the Ch3. <37 (40, 43, 46)>

Row 12 (12, 13, 13)- 22 (23, 24, 25): Repeat row 11 (11, 12, 12). <37 (37, 43, 43)> (Measures 17" (18 ½", 20", 21 ½")

#### Front (Sides are labeled as worn)

#### Right

Row 1: Insert hook and attach yarn in the last chain of the beginning ch34. \*Ch3 and 1dc in the same st (counts as 2dc in first st). Skip 2 chains. [3dc in the next ch. Skip 2 chains] 2x (3x, 3x, 4x]. 2dc in the next ch. <10 (13, 13, 16)> (Measures  $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " (6", 6", 7  $\frac{1}{2}$ ")

Row 2-6 (6, 7, 7): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next ch. Skip 2 chains] 2x (3x, 3x, 4x]. 2dc in the Ch3. <10 (13, 13, 16)>

Row 7 (7, 8, 18): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next ch. Skip 2 chains] 2x (3x, 3x, 4x]. 3dc in the Ch3. <11 (14, 14, 17)>

Row 8 (8, 9, 9): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in first st). [Skip one st. 3dc in next st.] 2x. Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 1x (2x, 2x, 3x). 2dc in the Ch3. <13 (16, 16, 19)>

Row 9 (9, 10, 10): Ch3 and turn. 2dc in the first st (counts as 3dc in first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 3x (4x, 4x, 5x). 3dc in the Ch3. <15 (18, 18, 21)>

Row 10 (10, 11, 11): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in first st). [Skip one st. 3dc in next st.] 2x. Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 2x (3x, 3x, 4x). Skip one st. 3dc in the next st. Skip one st. 2dc in the Ch3. <19 (22, 22, 25)> MARK THIS ROW

Row 11 (11, 12, 12): Ch3 and turn. 1dc in the first st (counts as 2dc in the first st). Skip 2sts. [3dc in the next st. Skip 2sts] 5x (6x, 6x, 7x). 2dc in the Ch3. <19 (22, 22, 25)>

Row 12 (12, 13, 13)- 22 (23, 24, 25): Repeat row 11 (11, 12, 12). <19 (22, 22, 25)> (Measures 9" (10 ½", 10 ½", 12")

#### Left

Rows 1-22 (23, 24, 25): With finished (right side) on your left, insert hook and attach yarn in the first (beginning) chain.

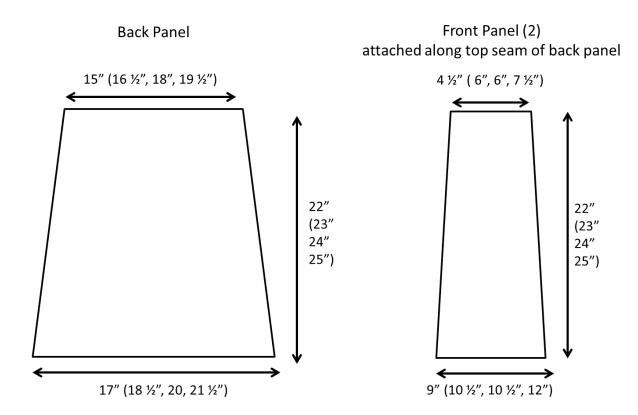
Working towards center, repeat from \* in Front Right.

# **Assembly**

Fold piece in half inside out. Whip stitch both sides closed from bottom to marked row on either side.

# **Finishing**

Weave in all ends.



# **Hypnotic Heart Cowl**

# By: Kinga Erdem from My Hobby is Crochet

The Hypnotic Heart Cowl will definitely amaze you. This free crochet pattern features a unique jacquard pattern and uses three different colors to enhance the eye-catching effect. Although lightweight yarn is used to work up this crocheted cowl, it's still a warm accessory to wear because of the bulky pattern stitch. Choose your favorite three colors and get to work on this neat crocheted cowl pattern today. Make one for yourself, or give one to a friend.



### **Materials:**

- 4.5 mm hook
- Yarn Red Heart Shimmer in 3 colors: purple, white and black
- Tapestry needle to sew in the ends
- Scissors

Gauge: 1 pattern repeat= 5 cm

Finished Dimensions: 35 cm wide at bottom; 30 cm wide at top; 25.5 cm tall

# Stitches, terms and abbreviations:

ch: chain

sc: single crochet

hdc: half double crochet dc: double crochet

dc dec2tog: double crochet decrease two together

sk: skip

sl st : slip stitch

shell: (2dc, 1ch, 2dc) into same stitch

**Note:** The cowl is worked in rounds. If you want a wider cowl, start with more chain stitches, the total number should be a multiple of 8.

**Color change:** At the end of each round, join into round with a slip stitch made with the new color yarn. Continue the next round with the new color. Alternate the 3 colors each round, carrying the yarn not in use from round to round, without cutting it.

### Instructions:

#### **Pattern**

(The pattern is written with the colors I used, but you can use the colors of your choice.)

With purple, start with 112 chains, join into ring.

**Round 1**: ch3, 1dc in each of next 2ch, ch5, sk 5ch, \*1dc into each of next 3ch, ch5, sk 5ch \*, repeat from \* to \* around, at the end of the round insert hook into top of beginning ch3, pick black yarn and join with slip stitch into round. (14 blocks of 3dc stitches and 14 chain spaces)



**Round 2**: Continue with black ch1, 1sc into same st and 1sc into each of next 2dc, \*1shell into 3rd ch from the 5 skipped chains of the foundation chain base, 1sc into each of next 3dc \*, repeat around from \* to \* ending with a shell; sl st with white into top of first sc. (14 shells made)





**Round 3**: With white ch3, 1dc into each of next 2sc, ch5, sk next shell, \*1dc into each of next 3sc, ch5, sk next shell \*, repeat around from \* to \*, sl st with purple into top of ch3.



**Round 4:** With purple ch1, 1sc into same st and 1sc into each of next 2dc, 1 shell into ch 1 space of the next shell below, \* 1sc into each of next 3dc, 1 shell into ch1 space of next shell below \*, repeat around from \* to \*, sl st with black into top of first sc.



**Rounds 5-24**: Alternating the 3 colors, repeat as rounds 3-4 with corresponding color.

Round 25: Decrease round!

With purple start with (ch2, 1dc into next sc) that will be counted as a dc dec2 together; 1dc into next sc, ch5, sk next shell, \*1dcdec2tog over next 2sc, 1dc into next sc, ch5, sk next shell \*, repeat around from \* to \*, sl st with black into top of first dc.

**Round 26**: With black ch1, 1sc into same st, 1 sc into next dc, 1 shell into ch 1 space of the next shell below, \* 1sc into top of next dcdec stitch and 1 sc into next dc, 1 shell into ch1 space of next shell below\*, repeat around from \* to \*, sl st with white into top of first sc.

**Round 27**: With white ch3, 1dc into next sc, ch5, sk next shell, \*1dc into each of next 2sc, ch5, sk next shell \*, repeat around from \* to \*, sl st with purple into top of ch3.

**Rounds 28**: With purple ch1, 1sc into next dc, 1 shell into ch space of the next shell below, \* 1sc into each of next 2dc, 1shell into ch space of next shell bellow \*, repeat around from \* to \*, sl st with black into top of first sc.

**Rounds 29-33** repeat as rounds 27-28 using the corresponding colors.

**Round 34**: with purple ch1, 1sc into same st and 1 sc into next dc, 5dc into ch space of the next shell below, \*1 sc into each of next 2dc, 5dc into ch space of the next shell below \* repeat around from \* to \*.

Don't join into round. Cut yarn and fasten off invisibly.



# **Glitter Goddess Shawl**

# By: Kristin Omdahl for Red Heart Yarns

Add some glam to your closet with the Glitter Goddess Shawl. Red Heart Boutique Swanky yarn is used to work up this stunning crochet shawl, which features oval shaped sequins that have been dyed to match the yarn color. Drape this elegant shawl over your shoulders before a fancy dinner date or a night out on the town. The lightweight design makes this particular shawl a great layering piece for inbetween seasons.



### **Materials:**

- RED HEART Boutique Swanky: 3 balls 9562 Purple Panache
- Susan Bates Crochet Hook:5mm [US H-8]
- Stitch markers, yarn needle

Size: Motif 1 = 3" (7.5 cm) diameter; Motif (other than Motif 1) = about 2" (5 cm) tall. Shawl measures 28" (71cm) long from center back to lower tip, and 44" (112 cm) wide not including ties.

Gauge: CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge

### **Special Stitches**

Begin-3-dtr Cl:

(Beginning 3 double treble crochet cluster) = Ch 5 (counts as dtr), \*[yarn over] 3 times, insert hook in indicated stitch, yarn over and draw up a loop, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook] 3 times; repeat from \* once more, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

3-dtr Cl: (3 double treble crochet cluster) = \*[Yarn over] 3 times, insert hook in indicated stitch, yarn over and draw up a loop, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook] 3 times; repeat from \* 2 more times, yarn over and draw through all 4 loops on hook

### **Notes**

- 1. Lower edging of shawl is worked first. Lower edging is worked in two halves forming a V-shape. Motif 1 forms the lower center point of the lower edging. The next motif is worked over a portion of the stitches of the last round of Motif 1. Subsequent motifs are worked directly onto the outer edge of the previous motif until a strip of motifs has been made (for the first half of the lower edging and first tie). Another motif is then worked over a portion of the remaining stitches of the last round of Motif 1 and subsequent motifs are worked to complete the second half of the lower edging and second tie. The last 13 motifs of each half of the lower edging form the ties.
- 2. Stitches are worked across the long inner edge of the lower edging and the shawl is worked up to the neck. Decreases are worked in each row to shape the piece.
- 3. All pieces are crocheted onto existing pieces as you go, for a seamless project.

### Instructions:

### Lower ending:

### **First Half**

### Motif 1

Ch 5; join with slip st in first ch to form ring

Round 1 (right side): Beg-3-dtr Cl in ring, [ch 4, 3-dtr Cl in ring] 5 times, ch 4; join with slip st in top of first cluster, turn—6 clusters and 6 ch-4 spaces. Round 2: Slip st in first ch-4 space, ch 3 (counts as dc), 6 dc in same ch-4 space, 7 dc in each ch-4 space around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch, turn—42 dc. Do not fasten off.

### Motif 2

Note: The next motif is worked back and forth in rows across a portion of the stitches of the last round of the previous motif.

Row 1: Slip st in next 4 sts, ch 4, skip next 4 sts, slip st in next 4 sts, turn, ch 4, (3-dtr Cl, [ch 4, 3-dtr Cl] twice) in ch-4 space just made, ch 4, skip next 2 sts (these are slip sts you worked at the beginning of this row), slip st in next 3 sts, turn; leave remaining sts of previous Motif unworked—3 clusters and 4 ch-4 spaces.

Row 2: Work 7 dc in each of the 4 ch-4 spaces, skip next st of last round of previous motif, slip st in next st, turn. Do not fasten off.



### Motif 3

Row 1: Slip st in next 12 sts, ch 4, skip next 4 sts, slip st in next 4 sts, turn, ch 4, (3-dtr Cl, [ch 4, 3-dtr Cl] twice) in ch-4 space just made, skip next 2 sts, slip st in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 2: Work 7 dc in each of the 4 ch-4 spaces, skip next st of last row of previous motif, slip st in next st, turn. Do not fasten off.

### Motifs 4-2

Work same as Motif 3. Place a marker in space between last two 7-dc groups in Row 2 of Motif 20 for beginning of first row of shawl.

### **Tie Motifs**

Work 13 more motifs same as Motif 3.

Fasten off.

#### Second Half

### Motif 2

Row 1: With right side facing, skip next 5 unworked sts of last round of Motif 1 following Motif 2, join yarn with slip st in next st, ch 4, skip next 4 sts, slip st in next 4 sts, turn, ch 4, (3-dtr Cl, [ch 4, 3-dtr Cl] twice) in ch-4 space just made, skip next 2 sts, slip st in next 3 sts, turn.

Row 2: Work 7 dc in each of the 4 ch-4 spaces, skip next st of last round of previous motif, slip st in next st, turn. Do not fasten off.

### Motifs 3-20

Work same as Motif 3. Place a marker in space between first two 7-dc groups in Row 2 of Motif 20 for end of first row of shawl. Do not fasten off.

### **Tie Motifs**

Work 13 more motifs same as Motif 3.

Fasten off.

### Shawl

With right side facing, join yarn with slip st in marked space of Motif 20, to work down inside edge of lower edging.

Row 1: Ch 5, sc in center dc of next 7-dc group, \*ch 5, sc in space between motifs, ch 5, sc in center dc of next 7-dc group; repeat from \* to Motif 1, ch 5, skip Motif 1; sc in center dc of next 7-dc group, \*\*ch 5, sc in space between motifs, ch 5, sc in center dc of next 7-dc group; repeat from \*\* to next marker, ch 2, dc in marked space (dc, ch 2 counts as last ch-5 space), turn—75 ch-5 spaces. Remove markers. Place a marker in the center ch-5 space (at lower center point).

Row 2: \*Ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space; repeat from \* to 2 ch-spaces before marked center ch-5 space, ch 5, insert hook in next ch-5 space and draw up a loop (2 loops on hook), insert hook in next ch-5 space and draw up a loop (3 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook (sc2tog worked over 2 ch-5 spaces), ch 5, skip marked ch-5 space and move marker to ch-5 just made, work sc2tog over next 2 ch-5 spaces, \*\*ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space; repeat from \*\* to last ch-5 space, ch 5, ch 2, dc in last ch-5 space—71 ch-5 spaces. Repeat Row 2 until only 3 ch-5 spaces remain.

Fasten off.

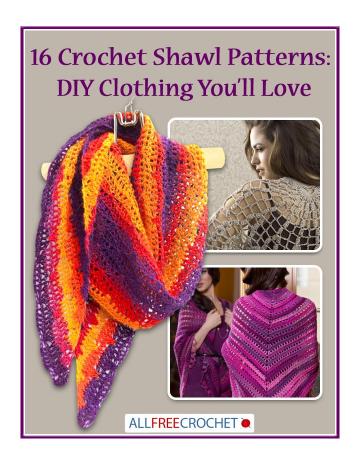
# **Top Edging**

With right side facing, join yarn with slip st in dc before first ch-5 space at beginning of top edge of shawl, 5 dc in first ch-5 space and each ch-space across top of shawl, slip st in dc following last ch-5 space. Fasten off.

## Finishing:

Weave in ends.

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# **Fabulous Fingerless Gloves**

# By: <u>Dianna Judge for Artsy Daisy Crochet</u>

Fingerless gloves are a great fashion accessory to have because they keep your hands warm while your fingers are free to do other things such as sip coffee, use your cell phone, and type. These Fabulous Fingerless Gloves are an easy crochet pattern to make using any color worsted weight yarn. This is an excellent homemade gift idea to make for the holidays and other special occasions.



## **Materials:**

- 3 oz worsted weight yarn (Medium/size 4)
- Size P hook (or hook to obtain gauge)

Gauge: 8 hdc x 6 1/2 rows=4" x 4"

## Terminology:

Ch-chain Hdc-half double crochet Rnd-round SI st-slip stitch

**Note:** Worked in Double strand throughout (2 strands of yarn are held together and treated as one)

### Instructions:

## Right

Ch 12. Join to 1st ch with sl st, being careful to not twist chain.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 2 (counts as hdc here and throughout). Hdc in each ch around. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st. - 12 hdc

Rnd 2: Ch 2. Hdc in each hdc around. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-12 hdc

Rnd 3: Ch 2. Hdc in next 2. 2 hdc in next. Hdc in next 5. 2 hdc in next. Hdc in next 2. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-14 hdc

**Rnd 4:** Ch 2. Hdc in next 3. 2 hdc in next. Hdc in next 6. 2 hdc in next. Hdc in next 2. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-16 hdc

**Rnd 5:** Ch 2. Hdc in next 4. 2 hdc in next. Hdc in next 7. 2 hdc in next. Hdc in next 2. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-18 hdc

Rnd 6: Ch 2. Hdc in each hdc around. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-18 hdc

Rnd 7: Ch 2. Hdc in next 13. Ch 3. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-14 hdc, 3 ch

Rnd 8: Ch 2. Hdc around in each hdc and ch. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-17 hdc.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.





### Left

**Rnd 1-6:** Work the same as Right glove

Rnd 7: Ch 2. Hdc in next 3. Ch 3. Hdc in next 10. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.- 14 hdc, 3 ch

Rnd 8: Ch 2. Hdc around in each hdc and ch. Join to top of ch-2 with sl st.-17 hdc.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.



# **Winter DIY Projects**

# **Ice Queen Cap**

By: Patons

Work up this Ice Queen Cap just in time for the cold winter months. Using just one ball of traditional worsted weight yarn in any yarn color of your choice, this crochet hat pattern is the perfect winter accessory. Any woman will truly look like royalty when she wears this trendy cap outside. A cute decorative button adds a nice finishing touch. One size fits the average woman's head for this particular intermediate crochet pattern.



### **Materials:**

Patons Canadiana (100 g/3.5 oz;220 m/241 yds) Main Color (MC) Dark Grey Mix (00312) Size 5 mm (U.S. H/8) crochet hook or size needed to obtain tension. 2 buttons.

**Size:** One size to fit average woman's head.

Gauge: 14 sc and 17 rows = 4" [10 cm].

### Instructions

Note: Ch 2 at beg of rnd does not count as st.

Begin at crown, ch 3. Join with sl st to first ch to form a ring.

**1st rnd**: Ch 3. 7 dc in ring. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 8 dc.

**2nd rnd**: Ch 2. 2 dcfp around each dc around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 16 sts.

**3rd rnd**: Ch 2. \*1 dcfp around each of next 2 dcfp. 1 dc in sp between last dcfp and next dcfp. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 24 sts.

**4th rnd**: Ch 2. \*1 dcfp around next dcfp. 1 dc in sp between last dcfp and next dcfp. 1 dcfp around next dcfp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 32 sts.

**5th rnd**: Ch 2. \*1 dcfp around next dcfp. 1 dc in next dc. 1 dcfp around next dcfp. 2 dc in next dc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 40 sts.

**6th rnd**: Ch 2. \*1 dcfp around next dcfp. 2 dc in next dc. 1 dcfp around next dcfp. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st tofirst dcfp. 48 sts.

**7th rnd**: Ch 2. \*1 dcfp around next dcfp. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. 1 dcfp around next dcfp. 2 dc in next dc. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 56 sts.

**8th rnd**: Ch 2. \*1 dcfp around next dcfp. 2 dc in next dc. 1 dc in next dc. 1 dcfp around next dcfp. 1 dc in each of next 3 dc. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first dcfp. 64 sts.

9th rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc. 64 sc.

**10th rnd**: Ch 2. \*3 dcfp around dcfp 2 rows below. Miss next sc. 1 dc in next sc. Miss next sc. Rep from \* 15 times more. Join with sl st to firstdcfp.

**11th rnd**: As 9th rnd.

**12th rnd**: SI st in next st. Ch 3 (counts as dc). Miss next sc. 3 dcfp around dc 2 rows below. Miss next sc. \*1 dc in next sc. Miss next sc. 3 dcfparound dc 2 rows below. Miss next sc. Rep from \* 14 times more. Join with sI st to top of ch 3.

**13th rnd**: As 9th rnd.

**14th rnd**: SI st in each of next 2 sts. Ch 3 (counts as dc). Miss next sc. 3 dcfp around dc 2 rows below. Miss next sc. \*1 dc in next sc. Miss next sc. 3 dcfp around dc 2 rows below. Miss next sc. Rep from \* 14 times more. Join with sI st to top of ch 3.

Rep 13th and 14th rnds until work from beg measures 8" [20.5 cm], ending on a 14th rnd. Do not fasten off.

#### Band

1st and 2nd rnds: Ch 1. 1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc. 64 sc. Do not fasten off.

### Brim

Begin working in rows: 1st row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 46 sc. Turn. Leave rem sc unworked. 2nd to 10th rows: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. Fasten off at end of last row.

### **Finishing**

Fold Brim of Hat at corners and sew into place with button on each side as shown in photo.

# **Berry-Licious Blanket**

## By: <u>Jennifer Dickerson from Fiber Flux</u>

If you know how to crochet the classic granny square then you'll have no problem working up this Berry-Licious Blanket. Worked in beautiful berry colors like strawberry, raspberry and blueberry you can crochet in rounds and watch all the shades run together in a fantastic crochet design. This pattern is great if you're learning how to crochet a blanket as you can choose how big or small you make it: from a doll blanket to a baby blanket all the way to an adult sized throw. If you're unsure of what to do for your next project then choose this one.



### **Materials:**

- 1 Skein Red Heart Super Saver, Shocking Pink (Color A)
- 1 Skein Red Heart Super Saver, White (Color B)
- 1 Skein Red Heart Super Saver, Orchid (Color C)
- 2 Skeins Vanna's Choice Baby, Pink Poodle (Color D)
- 1 Skein Red Heart Super Saver, Lavender (Color E)
- H (5.0 mm) crochet hook
- Tapestry needle for weaving in ends

#### Instructions:

Color sequence as shown (this is one full repeat of the color pattern, repeat this as many times as you like for preferred sizing):

- 3 Rounds Color A
- 1 Round Color B
- 3 Rounds Color C
- 1 Round Color B
- 3 Rounds Color D
- 1 Round Color B
- 3 Rounds Color E
- 1 Round Color B

Chain 4, join into a ring with a slip stitch.

Round 1: Chain 4, work (3 dc into center of ring, chain 1) 3 times, then 2 dc into center of ring. Join to close with a slip stitch.

Round 2: To work the corner of round 2, first chain 4, then 2 dc in same space, then chain 1, then 3 dc in the same space...first corner done!

Then chain 1, then work the next corner by working 3 dc in next space, chain 1, then 3 dc in same space, chain 1, repeat two more times to complete the round.

Round 3: Work the corner in the same manner as the previous round: chain 4, 2 dc in same space, chain 1, 3 dc in same space, chain 1. To work the sides, simply work 3 dc in the next space then chain 1...repeat until you reach a corner again.

Keep working in this manner, with two clusters in the corners and one cluster on the sides until you finish the round. Just be sure there is a ch 1 in between each grouping of 3 dc as you work each round. That is what gives you those pretty spaces in between each cluster and keeps it nice and flat.

Repeat round 3 as many times as you want to achieve the desired size.

A note about making multicolored rounds:

- To begin a new round in the same color, simply slip stitch until you reach a ch1 at the corner and keep going.
- To begin a new round in a new/different color, cut yarn, leaving a tail, and fasten it with a slip stitch. Join the new yarn at one of the corners as shown and tie securely.

### Finishing:

Weave in any ends.

# **Downton Abbey Arm Warmers**

# By: Bethany Dearden from Whistle and Ivy

These crochet fingerless gloves look just like something you would see on the hit TV show, Downton Abbey. The scalloped edge gives this crochet pattern a retro-chic look. Use any two colors of worsted weight yarn to crochet these Downton Abbey Arm Warmers. One size fits all, so you don't have to worry about customizing this pattern for a perfect fit. Homemade arm warmers like these are a great way to stay warm while keeping your hands free.



### **Materials:**

- G Hook
- Medium Weight Yarn, 2 colors (Caron Simply Soft)
- Yarn Needle
- 14 buttons (7 for each one)
- White thread
- Needle

### Instructions:

Ch 40.

- 1.Hdc into 2nd ch from hook. Hdc 38. Turn.
- 2. Ch 1. Sc in same st. Sc in front loops only 38. Turn.
- 3. Ch 1. Hdc in same st. Hdc 38. Turn.
- 4-23. Repeat rows 2 & 3, respectively. (Your piece should be 7 ½ " tall)

### For Right handwarmer:

24. (this row creates the buttons holes)

Ch 1. Sc in same st. (ch 1. Sk next st, sc into next st. sc 1 in next st.) work three times. Sc 17. (ch 1. Sk next st, sc into next st. sc 1in next st) work three times. Ch 1, sk next st. Sc into last st.

Turn your project 90 degrees and sc loosely across the top. Tie off.

Join your white yarn on the bottom of the same side as your button holes. Join with a sl st. Work this whole row in back loops only.

{The count on the top will vary depend on how you worked your sc sts}

Ch 1. (Dc 4 in the next st. sk 1 st. sl st in next st. Sk 1 st.) work 8 times. Dc 4 in the next st. Sk 1 st. dc 1. Dc 4 in the corner st. sk 1 st. Sl st into next st. sk 1 st. (Dc 4 in next st. sk 1 st. sl st into next st. sk 1 st) work 5 times. Dc 4 in next st, sk 1 st, sl st into last st.

### For left handwarmer:

24. (This row creates the button holes)

Ch 1. Sc in same st. (ch 1. Sk next st, sc into next st. sc 1 in next st.) work four times Sc 17. (ch 1. Sk next st, sc into next st. sc 1 in next st) work two times. Ch 1 sk next st. sc into last st.

Tie off. Join your yarn at the other end, and sc loosely across the top, right side facing out.

Join your second color on the top right of your piece, on the right side of your top sc row. Work this whole row in back loops only.

{The count on the top will vary depend on how you worked your sc sts}Ch 1. (Dc 4 in the next st. sk 1 st. sl st in next st. Sk 1 st) work 8 times. Dc 4 in the corner. Sk 1 st. sl in next st. sk 1 st. (Dc 4 in the next st. Sk 1 st. sl st into next st. sk 1 st.) work 9 times. Sk 1 st. sl st into next st. Sk 1 st. Dc 2 in last st. Tie off.



Sew on your buttons, so that each corresponds with a button hole. They will be sewn on the opposite side of the lacy, decorative edge. 4 Buttons go on top, and 3 at the bottom. (If you would prefer to forgo the buttons, just sew your arm warmers from top to bottom to close them up.)

Next, take a long piece of yarn, and sew your arm warmers closed, between the top and bottom buttons. I found the easiest way was to take my needle in and out, in one stitch, all across.

Sew it across from button to button, then turn it and sew back over it again, finishing where you started. Pull both ends through the inside and tie them together in a secure knot.

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