Corner to corner triangle shawl

Shoulder · US terms



Finished size
About 45¼ in (115 cm) along the top edge and 23¾ in (60 cm) deep in the middle, with the edging and without the tassels

Skill
Easy
One block over and over, with color changes between rows

Yarn
Light (3), 4 colors

Hook
4.5 mm (US 7)

Gauge
6 blocks to 4 in (10 cm)
In corner to corner, counted along a straight edge.

You will need

Yarn A: wine, main	**about 75 yd (69 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: mulberry rose, stripe	**about 140 yd (128 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: soft rose, stripe	**about 250 yd (229 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: blush, shawl, rows 37 to 38, shawl, rows 43 to 46 and the edging	**about 160 yd (146 m), an estimate**

Fiber: wool

Hook: 4.5 mm (US 7), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: a yarn needle, scissors, a tape measure, a piece of stiff card 5 in (13 cm) wide, to wind the tassels on and rustproof pins and a clean towel, to block the shawl on.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Shoulder (this file)	**45¼ in (115 cm), 23¾ in (60 cm) deep**	**about 625 yd (572 m)**
Large	62¼ in (158 cm), 32 in (81 cm) deep	about 1,075 yd (983 m)

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Abbreviations

Written in US terms. Where the UK name differs it is given beside the US one.

beg	beginning
ch	chain stitch
sl st	slip stitch: insert hook in the place named, yo, pull through it and the loop on hook (UK ss, slip stitch)
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
RS	right side
sk	skip (UK miss)
sp	space
st	stitch
yo	yarn over (UK yrh, yarn round hook)
tr	treble crochet (UK dtr, double treble)

Special stitches

block: (sl st, ch 3, 3 dc) in the ch-3 sp named. Beg block (beginning block): ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook and in each of the next 2 chs; the three chs skipped at its start are its ch-3 sp. In UK terms: sl st, ch 3, 3 tr. It leaves 1 stitch for the next row.

Gauge

6 blocks to 4 in (10 cm) in corner to corner, counted along a straight edge.

Check it on the shawl itself when row 6 is done, laid flat: each of its two straight edges is 6 blocks long, about 4 in (10 cm). If they measure more, start again with a smaller hook; if they measure less, with a larger one.

Before you start

- Corner to corner: the piece begins with the one block of row 1 and grows by a block in every row. While you work, hold that block at the bottom right, like the corner of a square; the rows lie on the slant beyond it. The piece ends at its widest, so that it is a triangle: the last row is the long edge, and when the long edge is turned to the top, the block of row 1 is the point at the bottom, in the middle.
- Turn at the start of every row but the first. Every row begins with a beg block.
- Every block of a row goes into the ch-3 sp of a block of the row before, the space made by its ch 3. Row 1 is a right side row, and so is every odd row.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin, when you join a yarn and when you fasten off, unless another length is given. The ends that are not sewn with are woven in.
- When a ball runs out, work the last yarn over of a stitch with the new yarn, and leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) on both. In the rows do it in the last stitch of a row; in the edging any stitch will do.
- To join a yarn with a sl st, make a slip knot of it on the hook, put the hook in the place named, yo, and pull through the place and the loop on the hook.
- Every size has all its rows and rounds set out by themselves, under the heading with its name. Work from the rows of the one size.
- Every row is worked in one color. Where a row begins "With" a yarn, make the last yarn over of the row before with it: that is the yarn over that ends the last dc of the row. Cut the old yarn at every change, and leave tails of about 6 in (15 cm).
- What stands in brackets is worked as many times as the words after it say, counting the first time.

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- The last row is a wrong side row. Fasten off, turn the piece so that the right side faces you and the long edge is at the top, and begin the edging at its right-hand end: the first ch-3 sp is the one of the last block worked.
- Edging: the ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch; the first sc goes into the st it rises from. The corners of the blocks between the spaces lie down under the sc: draw the sts of row 1 up long enough that the long edge lies straight, and do not pull it in.

Instructions

Chosen: Shoulder. Square brackets [ ] hold a repeat: work what is inside as many times as it says. The count in round brackets at the end of a line is what that line leaves. Tick the box when a row is done. In UK terms sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet, dc is treble, sk is miss, yo is yarn round hook and tr is double treble.

Shawl

Yarns in order of use: A, wine; B, mulberry rose; C, soft rose; D, blush.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, begin at the bottom right corner with the one block of row 1.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Beg block	**(1 block)**
☐ **Row 2**	Turn; beg block, block in next ch-3 sp	**(2 blocks)**
☐ **Row 3**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 2 ch-3 sps	**(3 blocks)**
☐ **Row 4**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 3 ch-3 sps	**(4 blocks)**
☐ **Row 5**	With B, turn; beg block, block in each of next 4 ch-3 sps	**(5 blocks)**
☐ **Row 6**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 5 ch-3 sps	**(6 blocks)**
☐ **Row 7**	With A, turn; beg block, block in each of next 6 ch-3 sps	**(7 blocks)**
☐ **Row 8**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 7 ch-3 sps	**(8 blocks)**
☐ **Row 9**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 8 ch-3 sps	**(9 blocks)**
☐ **Row 10**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 9 ch-3 sps	**(10 blocks)**
☐ **Row 11**	With B, turn; beg block, block in each of next 10 ch-3 sps	**(11 blocks)**
☐ **Row 12**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 11 ch-3 sps	**(12 blocks)**
☐ **Row 13**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 12 ch-3 sps	**(13 blocks)**
☐ **Row 14**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 13 ch-3 sps	**(14 blocks)**
☐ **Row 15**	With A, turn; beg block, block in each of next 14 ch-3 sps	**(15 blocks)**
☐ **Row 16**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 15 ch-3 sps	**(16 blocks)**
☐ **Row 17**	With B, turn; beg block, block in each of next 16 ch-3 sps	**(17 blocks)**
☐ **Row 18**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 17 ch-3 sps	**(18 blocks)**
☐ **Row 19**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 18 ch-3 sps	**(19 blocks)**
☐ **Row 20**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 19 ch-3 sps	**(20 blocks)**
☐ **Row 21**	With C, turn; beg block, block in each of next 20 ch-3 sps	**(21 blocks)**
☐ **Row 22**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 21 ch-3 sps	**(22 blocks)**

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☐ **Row 23**	With B, turn; beg block, block in each of next 22 ch-3 sps	**(23 blocks)**
☐ **Row 24**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 23 ch-3 sps	**(24 blocks)**
☐ **Row 25**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 24 ch-3 sps	**(25 blocks)**
☐ **Row 26**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 25 ch-3 sps	**(26 blocks)**
☐ **Row 27**	With C, turn; beg block, block in each of next 26 ch-3 sps	**(27 blocks)**
☐ **Row 28**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 27 ch-3 sps	**(28 blocks)**
☐ **Row 29**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 28 ch-3 sps	**(29 blocks)**
☐ **Row 30**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 29 ch-3 sps	**(30 blocks)**
☐ **Row 31**	With B, turn; beg block, block in each of next 30 ch-3 sps	**(31 blocks)**
☐ **Row 32**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 31 ch-3 sps	**(32 blocks)**
☐ **Row 33**	With C, turn; beg block, block in each of next 32 ch-3 sps	**(33 blocks)**
☐ **Row 34**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 33 ch-3 sps	**(34 blocks)**
☐ **Row 35**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 34 ch-3 sps	**(35 blocks)**
☐ **Row 36**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 35 ch-3 sps	**(36 blocks)**
☐ **Row 37**	With D, turn; beg block, block in each of next 36 ch-3 sps	**(37 blocks)**
☐ **Row 38**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 37 ch-3 sps	**(38 blocks)**
☐ **Row 39**	With C, turn; beg block, block in each of next 38 ch-3 sps	**(39 blocks)**
☐ **Row 40**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 39 ch-3 sps	**(40 blocks)**
☐ **Row 41**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 40 ch-3 sps	**(41 blocks)**
☐ **Row 42**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 41 ch-3 sps	**(42 blocks)**
☐ **Row 43**	With D, turn; beg block, block in each of next 42 ch-3 sps	**(43 blocks)**
☐ **Row 44**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 43 ch-3 sps	**(44 blocks)**
☐ **Row 45**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 44 ch-3 sps	**(45 blocks)**
☐ **Row 46**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 45 ch-3 sps	**(46 blocks)**
☐ **Row 47**	With C, turn; beg block, block in each of next 46 ch-3 sps	**(47 blocks)**
☐ **Row 48**	Turn; beg block, block in each of next 47 ch-3 sps	**(48 blocks)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Edging

Yarn D, blush.

☐ **Foundation**	Work along the last row of the Shawl, right side facing: 48 ch-3 sps.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Join D with sl st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, 5 sc in same sp, 4 sc in each ch-3 sp across	**(193 sc)**
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	**(193 sc)**

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☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 3 sts, 7 dc in next st, sk next 3 sts, sc in next st**] 24 times**	**(25 sc, 168 dc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Assembly

1. Weave in the ends of the blocks before you make the tassels.

2. Make three tassels. For each, wind A 30 times around the 5 in (13 cm) width of the card and cut. Thread a length of A about 18 in (46 cm) under the loops along one edge of the card and tie it tightly in a double knot, leaving both its ends long. Cut the loops along the edge across from the knot and take the card away. Wind a second length of A about 18 in (46 cm) ten times around the tassel, 1 in (2.5 cm) below the knot, tie it, and lead its ends down among the strands. Trim the strands level, about 4½ in (11 cm) below the knot.

3. Sew one tassel to each point with the two ends at its knot: one to the block of row 1, one to the first sc of row 3 of the edging, and one to its last sc. Pass the needle three times through the point and the knot, fasten off on the wrong side and weave in.

Finishing

- Weave in what is left of the ends.
- Pin the shawl out to its measurements on the towel, its long edge straight, mist it with cool water and let it dry. Comb the tassels out with the fingers.

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