Daisy granny square bralette

M, to fit bust 37 in (94 cm) · US terms



Finished size
Squares of about 6 in (15 cm) along a side and about 17 in (43 cm) wide
To fit a bust of 37 in (94 cm)

Skill
Easy
Squares in rounds, short rows of shells, simple shaping

Yarn
Light (3), 3 colors

Hook
4.5 mm (US 7)

Gauge
16 stitches and 8½ rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In double crochet.

You will need

Yarn A: lilac, main	**about 225 yd (206 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: white, contrast	**about 45 yd (41 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: lemon, color 3	**about 5 yd (5 m), an estimate**

Hook: 4.5 mm (US 7), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: yarn needle, scissors and tape measure.

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.

Sizes

Size	Bust	Each square along a side	Across the two squares	Each wing	Wing depth	Height at a point with its edgings	Yarn, an estimate
XS	29 in (73.5 cm)	5 in (12.5 cm)	14¼ in (36 cm)	4½ in (11.5 cm)	3¼ in (8.5 cm)	11¼ in (28.5 cm)	about 210 yd (192 m)
S	33 in (84 cm)	5½ in (14 cm)	15½ in (39.5 cm)	5¾ in (14.5 cm)	3¼ in (8.5 cm)	12 in (30.5 cm)	about 235 yd (215 m)
M (this file)	**37 in (94 cm)**	**6 in (15 cm)**	**17 in (43 cm)**	**7 in (18 cm)**	**3¼ in (8.5 cm)**	**12¾ in (32.5 cm)**	**about 275 yd (251 m)**
L	41 in (104 cm)	6½ in (16.5 cm)	18½ in (47 cm)	8¼ in (21 cm)	3¼ in (8.5 cm)	13½ in (34.5 cm)	about 300 yd (274 m)
1X	45 in (114.5 cm)	7 in (18 cm)	19¾ in (50 cm)	9¾ in (25 cm)	3¼ in (8.5 cm)	14¼ in (36 cm)	about 330 yd (302 m)
2X	49 in (124.5 cm)	7½ in (19 cm)	21¼ in (54 cm)	10¾ in (27.5 cm)	3¼ in (8.5 cm)	14¾ in (37.5 cm)	about 355 yd (325 m)
3X	53 in (134.5 cm)	8 in (20.5 cm)	22¾ in (58 cm)	12¼ in (31 cm)	3¼ in (8.5 cm)	15½ in (39.5 cm)	about 380 yd (347 m)

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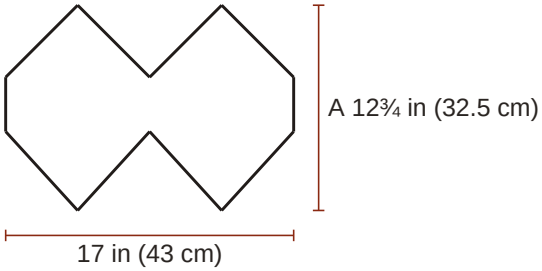
Schematic



Front
A how deep the neck is

Abbreviations

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

sl st	slip stitch (UK ss, slip stitch)
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
hdc	half double crochet (UK htr, half treble)
ch	chain stitch
RS	right side
Rnd	round
st	stitch
sp	space

Special stitches

hdc2tog (half double crochet 2 stitches together (UK half treble 2 together)): [yarn over, insert the hook in the next stitch and pull up a loop] twice (5 loops on the hook); yarn over and pull through all 5 loops. It leaves 1 hdc2tog for the next row or round.

trcl (treble cluster (UK double treble cluster)): [yarn over twice, insert the hook in the stitch named, yarn over and pull up a loop, (yarn over and pull through 2 loops) twice] 3 times in the same stitch (4 loops on the hook); yarn over and pull through all 4 loops. It leaves 1 trcl for the next row or round.

picot (see SPECIAL STITCHES): Ch 3, sl st in the first of the 3 chains. A picot is not a stitch and is not counted.

Gauge

16 stitches and 8½ rows to 4 in (10 cm) in double crochet.

> **The swatch.** A test piece to measure and pull out. It is not the start of the pattern. Ch 26; begin in the 3rd ch from the hook and work 13 rows of double crochet on 24 sts, about 6 in (15 cm) wide and 6 in (15 cm) high, and measure 4 in (10 cm) in the middle. Use a larger hook if your swatch is small, a smaller one if it is large. Pointed band: 13.5 rows of half double crochet to 4 in (10 cm). Wings: 11.5 rows of shell stitch to 4 in (10 cm). Single crochet: 18.5 rows to 4 in (10 cm). A square measures what the size list says after its last round. Measure the first one before you go on; change the hook if it is larger or smaller.

Before you start

- Women's sizes, made larger by the size of the square.
- With the lacing closed to a gap of about 6 in (15 cm) the top measures about the same as the bust. No fit is promised beyond the measurements given.

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- The rounds of a square are not turned; the right side always faces you.
- The chain at the start of a round or row (ch 1 for single and half double crochet, ch 2 for double crochet, ch 3 for treble clusters) never counts as a stitch. Work the first stitch into the stitch at its base, unless the round or row says otherwise: so in rnd 2 of a square the first treble cluster goes in the dc in which yarn B was joined, and each of the 12 dc of rnd 1 has one cluster.
- A decrease counts as one stitch.
- In the pointed band, every row with an odd number is a right side row. A row goes down to a point and up again along each square; between the squares two hdc2tog meet.
- In the wings the shells are counted by their stitches.
- Color changes in rows: work the last yarn over of the last stitch of the row before with the new yarn. Cut the old yarn, leaving an end of about 6 in (15 cm), or, if it is needed again at the same edge within 6 rows and that edge is straight, carry it loosely up the edge.
- Each square along a side 6 in (15 cm).
- Height at a point with its edgings, without the strap and the picots 12¾ in (32.5 cm).

Instructions

Chosen: M, to fit bust 37 in (94 cm). Square brackets [ ] hold a repeat: work what is inside as many times as it says. Round brackets ( ) inside a line hold stitches that all go into one place. The count in round brackets at the end of a line is what that line leaves. Tick the box when a round is done. In UK terms sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet, dc is treble and hdc is half treble.

Daisy square: make 2

Yarns in order of use: C, lemon; B, white; A, lilac.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn C, ch 4; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring. Colors: rnd 1 yarn C; rnd 2 yarn B; rnds 3 to 6 yarn A. Each new color is joined as its round says.	
☐ **Rnd 1**	Ch 2; 12 dc in ring; join with sl st in first dc	**(12 dc)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Fasten off yarn C; join yarn B with a sl st in the first dc of the round, ch 3; **[**trcl in next st, ch 1**] 12 times**; join with sl st in first trcl	**(12 trcls, 12 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 3**	Fasten off yarn B; join yarn A with a sl st in any ch-1 sp, ch 2; (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, [4 dc in next ch-1 sp] twice, **[**(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, [4 dc in next ch-1 sp] twice**] 3 times**; join with sl st in first dc	**(56 dc, 4 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 4**	Ch 2; dc in next 3 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, **[**dc in next 14 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp**] 3 times**, dc in next 11 sts; join with sl st in first dc	**(72 dc, 4 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 5**	Ch 2; dc in next 5 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, **[**dc in next 18 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp**] 3 times**, dc in next 13 sts; join with sl st in first dc	**(88 dc, 4 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 6**	Ch 1; sc in next 7 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp, **[**sc in next 22 sts, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-2 sp**] 3 times**, sc in next 15 sts; join with sl st in first sc	**(96 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off. Each square measures about 6 in (15 cm) along a side, with 24 sc between the corner spaces.	

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Pointed band

Yarn A, lilac.

☐ **Foundation**	Colors: rows 1 to 3 yarn A; row 4 yarn B; rows 5 to 8 yarn A; row 9 yarn B. Lay the two squares side by side with the right sides up, each with one corner at the top, so that a side corner of the one meets a side corner of the other, and sew these two corner spaces together with yarn A. Turn the squares so that their lower corners are uppermost. With the right side facing, join yarn A in the corner space at the right-hand end; ch 1, and along the first square work sc in that corner space, sc in each of the 24 sts of the next side, 3 sc in the corner space at the point, sc in each of the 24 sts of the next side and sc in the next corner space (53 sc); work along the second square in the same way (106 sc in all). This is row 1, and a right side row.
☐ **Rows 2 to 8**	Ch 1, turn; [hdc2tog, hdc in next 24 sts, 3 hdc in next st, hdc in next 24 sts, hdc2tog] twice **(106 hdc)**

A box for each row, 2 to 8: tick them off as you go.

☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8

☐ **Row 9 (RS)**	Ch 1, turn; [sc in next st, [skip next st, 3 dc in next st, skip next st, sc in next st] 6 times, skip next st, 5 dc in next st, skip next st, sc in next st, [skip next st, 3 dc in next st, skip next st, sc in next st] 6 times] twice **(28 sc, 82 dc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.

Top edging

Yarn B, white.

☐ **Foundation**	With the right side facing and the top corners uppermost, join yarn B in the corner space at the right-hand side, above the end of the band; ch 1, and along the first square, beginning in the first st after that space, work sc in each of the 24 sts up to the top corner, 3 sc in the corner space at the top and sc in each of the 24 sts down the next side (51 sc), passing over the corner space where the squares are sewn together; work along the second square in the same way (102 sc in all). This is row 1, and a right side row.
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next 3 sts, picot**] 34 times** **(102 sc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.

Wing: make 2, one at each side of the band

Yarn A, lilac.

☐ **Foundation**	The wings are worked out from the two ends of the pointed band, one at the right and one at the left as you see the top with its right side facing you and the top corners of the squares uppermost. The right side faces for row 1. Right-hand wing: turn the top a quarter round, so that the right-hand end of the band is uppermost and the top corners of the squares point to your left; row 8 of the band is now at the right and row 1 at the left. Join yarn A in the end of row 8; ch 1, 2 sc in the end of each of the 5 rows from row 8 to row 4, and sc in the end of each of the 3 rows from row 3 to row 1 (13 sc). Left-hand wing: turn the top so that the left-hand end of the band is uppermost and the top corners of the squares point to your right; row 1 of the band is now at the right and row 8 at the left. Join yarn A in the end of row 1; ch 1, sc in the end of each of the 3 rows from row 1 to row 3, and 2 sc in the end of each of the 5 rows from row 4 to row 8 (13 sc). The end of row 9, the row of shells, stays free. This is row 1, and a right side row. Both wings are then worked alike.
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, [skip next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st] twice **(3 sc, 10 dc)**

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☐ **Row 3**	Ch 2, turn; 3 dc in first st, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st, skip next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st, skip next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(11 dc, 2 sc)**
☐ **Rows 4 to 19**	Repeat Rows 2 and 3, 8 more times	**(11 dc, 2 sc)**

A box for each row, 4 to 19: tick them off as you go.

4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19

☐ **Row 20**	Ch 1, turn; sc in each st across	**(13 sc)**
☐ **Row 21**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 2, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 4 times**	**(5 sc, 4 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **End**	The 4 ch-2 sps are for the lacing. Fasten off.	

Strap: make 2

Yarn A, lilac.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 102.	
☐ **Row 1**	Sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	**(101 sl sts)**
☐ **End**	Each strap is about 22 in (56 cm) long (the slip stitches draw the chain in). Fasten off.	

Lacing cord

Yarn A, lilac.

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 387.	
☐ **Row 1**	Sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	**(386 sl sts)**
☐ **End**	The lacing cord is about 84 in (213.5 cm) long (the slip stitches draw the chain in). Fasten off.	

Assembly

1. Straps: sew one end of each strap to the top corner of a square, on the wrong side. They tie behind the neck.

2. Lacing: put the two wings side by side, right sides up, with their last rows facing each other. Fold the lacing cord in half. Bring one end of the cord up from below through the uppermost ch-2 sp of the one wing and the other end up from below through the uppermost ch-2 sp of the other wing, so that the middle of the cord lies behind. Cross the two ends and bring each up from below through the next ch-2 sp of the other wing; go on crossing in this way to the lowest ch-2 sps. Tie the ends in a bow. The cord is long enough to be drawn open to put the top on; the bow is tied again when the lacing is drawn to the width you want.

Finishing

- Weave in all the ends. Wash as the yarn label says and lay flat to the measurements to dry.

In all: 5 pieces.

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