Striped poncho with fringe

Size M · US terms



Finished size
About 23½ in (59.5 cm) at the neck and about 16 in (40.5 cm) deep
To fit a bust of 37 in (94 cm)

Skill
Easy
Basic stitches in rounds.

Yarn
Medium (4), 3 colors

Hook
5.5 mm (US I-9)

Gauge
13 stitches and 7 rounds to 4 in (10 cm)
In double crochet.

You will need

Yarn A: oat, the main color	**about 525 yd (480 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: terracotta, the second color	**about 115 yd (105 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: forest, the third color	**about 155 yd (142 m), an estimate**

Hook: 5.5 mm (US I-9). Also: yarn needle, scissors and tape measure.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. The estimate is from the stitches of this size at this gauge.

Sizes

Size	Bust	Neck	Depth at the shoulder	Depth at the point	Lower edge	Yarn, an estimate
XS	29 in (73.5 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	14¾ in (37.5 cm)	21¾ in (55 cm)	86 in (218.5 cm)	about 700 yd (640 m)
Size S	33 in (84 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	15½ in (39.5 cm)	22½ in (57 cm)	88¼ in (224 cm)	about 760 yd (695 m)
Size M (this file)	**37 in (94 cm)**	**23½ in (59.5 cm)**	**16 in (40.5 cm)**	**23½ in (59.5 cm)**	**90¾ in (230.5 cm)**	**about 795 yd (727 m)**
Size L	41 in (104 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	17¼ in (44 cm)	25 in (63.5 cm)	95¾ in (243 cm)	about 860 yd (787 m)
1X	45 in (114.5 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	18¼ in (46.5 cm)	26¾ in (68 cm)	100¾ in (256 cm)	about 960 yd (878 m)
2X	49 in (124.5 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	18¾ in (47.5 cm)	27½ in (70 cm)	103¼ in (262.5 cm)	about 1,010 yd (924 m)
3X	53 in (134.5 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	19½ in (49.5 cm)	28½ in (72.5 cm)	105½ in (268 cm)	about 1,035 yd (947 m)

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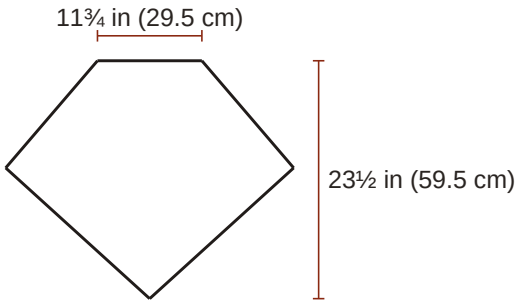
4X	57 in (145 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	20 in (51 cm)	29¼ in (74.5 cm)	108 in (274.5 cm)	about 1,100 yd (1,006 m)
5X	61 in (155 cm)	23½ in (59.5 cm)	20½ in (52 cm)	30¼ in (77 cm)	110½ in (280.5 cm)	about 1,125 yd (1,029 m)

Schematic



Poncho, laid flat

Abbreviations

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

ch	chain
sl st	slip stitch (UK ss, slip stitch)
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
sp	space
st	stitch
rnd	round

Gauge

13 stitches and 7 rounds 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 22; begin in the 3rd ch from the hook and work 10 rows of double crochet on 20 sts, about 6¼ in (16 cm) wide and 5¾ in (14.5 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.

Before you start

- Women's sizes.
- A poncho hangs free and is measured by its neck and its depth. Choose by the depth you like; no fit is promised beyond the measurements given.
- The rounds are not turned; the right side always faces you.
- The chain at the start of a round (ch 1 for single crochet, ch 2 for double crochet) never counts as a stitch. Work the first stitch of the round into the stitch at its base.
- The rounds begin and end at one side. In rnd 1 each chain of the ring is worked as a stitch. Each ch-2 sp is the point of the front or of the back. The chain spaces are counted apart from the stitches.

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- The neck has no opening and goes on over the head. Make the foundation chain and the rounds at the neck loosely, with a hook one size larger if you need it, and see that the chain goes over the head before you go on.
- The depths are measured on the poncho itself, from the foundation chain: the neck edging and the fringe are outside them.
- Color changes in rounds: work the sl st that joins the round before with the new yarn. Cut the old yarn, leaving an end of about 6 in (15 cm), or, if it is needed again within 6 rnds, carry it loosely up the inside at the join.

Instructions

Chosen: Size M. 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 round is done. In UK terms sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet and dc is treble.

Poncho

Yarns in order of use: A, oat; B, terracotta; C, forest.

Colors, counted from rnd 1: 4 rnds yarn A, 1 rnd yarn B, 1 rnd yarn A, 2 rnds yarn C, 1 rnd yarn A, 1 rnd yarn B; repeat these 10 rnds to the end (the last repeat may stop part way).

☐ **Foundation**	With yarn A, ch 76; join with sl st in first ch to form a ring, taking care not to twist the chain.	
☐ **Rnd 1**	Ch 2; dc in next 19 sts, ch 2, dc in next 38 sts, ch 2, dc in next 19 sts; join with sl st in first dc	**(76 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(84 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 3**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(92 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 4**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(100 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 5**	**Yarn B.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(108 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 6**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(116 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 7**	**Yarn C.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(124 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 8**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(132 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 9**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(140 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 10**	**Yarn B.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(148 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 11**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(156 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**

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☐ **Rnd 12**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(164 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 13**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(172 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 14**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(180 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 15**	**Yarn B.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(188 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 16**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(196 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 17**	**Yarn C.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(204 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 18**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(212 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 19**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(220 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 20**	**Yarn B.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(228 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 21**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(236 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 22**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(244 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 23**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(252 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 24**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(260 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 25**	**Yarn B.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(268 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 26**	**Yarn A.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(276 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 27**	**Yarn C.** Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(284 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 28**	Ch 2; [dc in each st to next ch-2 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp] twice, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	**(292 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

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Neck edging

Yarn A, oat.

☐ **Foundation**	With the right side facing, join yarn A in the foundation chain at the start of rnd 1.	
☐ **Rnd 1**	Ch 1, sc in each ch around; join with sl st in first sc	**(76 sc)**
☐ **Rnds 2 to 3**	Ch 1; sc in each st around; join with sl st in first sc	**(76 sc)**

A box for each round, 2 to 3: tick them off as you go.

2 3

☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Putting it together

Fringe, all in yarn A: cut 444 strands 9 in (23 cm) long. For one knot hold 3 strands together and fold them in half; with the hook, pull the fold from front to back through a stitch of the last round, draw the ends through the loop and pull it snug. Put one knot in every second stitch around (146 knots) and one in each of the 2 ch-2 sps at the points (148 knots in all). Trim the ends level.

Finishing

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

In all: 2 pieces; 5,380 stitches (5,152 in the poncho, 228 in the neck edging); 12 ends to weave in.

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