Half circle granny shawl

Shoulder shawl · US terms



Finished size
About 34¼ × 17 in (87 × 43 cm)

Skill
Intermediate
Granny groups, extra groups in every third row, color changes

Yarn
Medium (4), 5 colors

Hook
6.5 mm (US K-10 1/2)

Gauge
12 stitches and 7 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In the granny groups, where each dc and each ch 1 counts as one stitch.

You will need

Yarn A: honey, first color	**about 50 yd (46 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: terracotta, second color	**about 55 yd (50 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: cream, third color	**about 65 yd (59 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: teal, fourth color	**about 75 yd (69 m), an estimate**
Yarn E: berry, fifth color	**about 80 yd (73 m), an estimate**

Hook: 6.5 mm (US K-10 1/2). 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 and chains of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Shoulder shawl (this file)	**34¼ × 17 in (87 × 43 cm)**	**about 325 yd (297 m)**
Full shawl	45¾ × 23 in (116 × 58 cm)	about 550 yd (503 m)

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Abbreviations

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

ch	chain stitch
sl st	slip stitch (UK ss, slip stitch)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
RS	right side
WS	wrong side
sk	skip
sp	space
st	stitch

Gauge

12 stitches and 7 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in the granny groups, where each dc and each ch 1 counts as one stitch.

Check your gauge on the piece. Begin the pattern and measure the piece itself as you go. After row 6 the piece, laid flat and measured from the center of the straight edge down to the last row, is about 3.4 in (9 cm). If yours is smaller, use a larger hook; if it is larger, use a smaller one.

Stop after any row for a smaller shawl, or go on for a larger one: each row adds about 0.6 in (1.5 cm) to the depth and twice that to the straight edge. Go on with two rows to a color and with odd and even rows ending as they do above. In every row whose number can be divided by 3, work two groups in four of the spaces, two of them in each half of the row and at the same distance from both ends, once nearer the ends and the next time nearer the middle; in all other rows work one group in every ch-1 sp. A larger shawl takes more yarn.

Before you start

- Odd rows end in a group and one dc at each side, even rows in 2 dc at each side (the ch 3 and a dc in the same st at the start, sk next 3 sts and 2 dc in the top of the turning ch at the end), so both ends of the piece run straight.
- The ch 3 at the start of a row counts as a dc; the last stitch of the next row is worked into the top of it. The chain stands on the first stitch of the row: "same st" right after it is that stitch, and "next st" is the one after it.
- A stitch worked into a chain space goes into the open space under the chain, not into a chain stitch. Stitches that lie before the space are passed over and left unworked.
- Stitches in round brackets with a place after them, or several of one stitch with one place after them, are all worked into that one place. The brackets at the end of a row hold its count.
- What is in square brackets is worked as many times as the number after them says, in all.
- Row 1 is a right side row. Turn once between rows: the word "turn" near the start of each row is that turn.
- To change color, work the last stitch of the old color until two loops are left on the hook and draw the new color through them. Cut the old color, leaving a tail of about 6 in (15.2 cm), and fasten in a fresh piece each time: the yarn amounts and the ends to weave in are counted this way.
- About 34.3 in (87.1 cm) across the straight edge and 17.1 in (43.4 cm) deep at the middle.
- 30 rows, two rows to a color, A to E in turn. After row 5 the same thing happens every third row (rows 6, 9, 12 and so on to 30): four of the spaces take two groups, so that the row has 16 stitches and chains more than the row before it. All the other rows after row 4 have as many as the row before them.

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Instructions

Chosen: Shoulder shawl. 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 row is done. In UK terms sl st is slip stitch and dc is treble.

Yarns in order of use: A, honey; B, terracotta; C, cream; D, teal; E, berry.

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 4, sl st in first ch to form a ring.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), 3 dc in ring, ch 1, 4 dc in ring	**(8 dc, 1 ch-1 sp)**
☐ **Row 2 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch	**(10 dc, 3 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 3 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch	**(14 dc, 3 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 4 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch	**(19 dc, 6 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 5 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 5 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch	**(20 dc, 5 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 6 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch	**(31 dc, 10 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 7 (RS)**	**Yarn D.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 9 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch	**(32 dc, 9 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 8 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 9 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch	**(31 dc, 10 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 9 (RS)**	**Yarn E.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch	**(44 dc, 13 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 10 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 13 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch	**(43 dc, 14 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 11 (RS)**	**Yarn A.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 13 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch	**(44 dc, 13 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 12 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch	**(55 dc, 18 ch-1 sps)**

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☐ **Row 13 (RS)** **Yarn B.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 17 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(56 dc, 17 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 14 (WS)** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 17 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(55 dc, 18 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 15 (RS)** **Yarn C.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**,
3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(68 dc, 21 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 16 (WS)** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 21 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(67 dc, 22 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 17 (RS)** **Yarn D.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 21 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(68 dc, 21 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 18 (WS)** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 5 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 2 times**,
sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(79 dc, 26 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 19 (RS)** **Yarn E.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 25 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(80 dc, 25 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 20 (WS)** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 25 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(79 dc, 26 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 21 (RS)** **Yarn A.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 5 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**,
3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(92 dc, 29 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 22 (WS)** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 29 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(91 dc, 30 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 23 (RS)** **Yarn B.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 29 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(92 dc, 29 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 24 (WS)** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 7 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**,
(3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 3 times**,
sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(103 dc, 34 ch-1 sps)**

☐ **Row 25 (RS)** **Yarn C.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 33 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(104 dc, 33 ch-1 sps)**

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☐ **Row 26 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 33 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(103 dc, 34 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 27 (RS)**	**Yarn D.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 6 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 5 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(116 dc, 37 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 28 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 37 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(115 dc, 38 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 29 (RS)**	**Yarn E.** Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 37 times**, 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in top of turning ch **(116 dc, 37 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Row 30 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; dc in same st, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 8 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 9 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 8 times**, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, **[**3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1**] 4 times**, sk next 3 sts, 2 dc in top of turning ch **(127 dc, 42 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.

Finishing

- Weave in the ends.

In all: 30 rows; 1,962 stitches; 30 ends to weave in.

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