# Heathered yarn bowl

US terms



Finished size
**About 5¾ in (14.5 cm) across and 5 in (12.5 cm) tall**

Skill
**Easy**
It is worked in rounds, with increases in the base and decreases at the top.

Yarn
**Medium (4), 2 colors**

Hook
**5.5 mm (US I-9)**

Gauge
**12 stitches and 13 rounds to 4 in (10 cm)**
In single crochet.

## You will need

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| Yarn A: heather gray, main color | **about 85 yd (78 m), an estimate** |
| Yarn B: raspberry, contrast color | **about 15 yd (14 m), an estimate** |

Fiber: cotton

Hook: 5.5 mm (US I-9). Also: a stitch marker, a yarn needle and scissors.

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, with 30 percent added.

## Abbreviations

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

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| **ch** | chain stitch |
| **sc** | single crochet (UK dc, double crochet) |
| **sc2tog** | single crochet 2 stitches together (UK dc2tog) |
| **MR** | magic ring |
| **st** | stitch |
| **sp** | space |
| **sk** | skip (UK miss) |
| **rnd** | round |
| **RS** | right side |

## Gauge

**12 stitches and 13 rounds to 4 in (10 cm)** in single crochet.

If the piece measures more than that, begin again with a smaller hook; if it measures less, with a larger hook.


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**Check your gauge on the piece.** Begin the pattern and measure the piece itself as you go. The gauge is checked on the piece itself: after round 9 the base should measure about 5¾ in (14.5 cm) across, laid flat and not stretched.

## Before you start

- Begin with a magic ring: wind the yarn once round two fingers, work round 1 into the loop, then pull the tail to draw the ring closed.
- The rounds are not joined: work in a spiral, and move a marker up to the first stitch of each round.
- To change color, draw the new yarn through as the last yarn over of the stitch before. Cut the old yarn, leaving a tail of 6 in (15 cm). Where only one or two rounds are worked before the old yarn is used again, do not cut it: carry it loosely up the inside.
- Colors, round by round. Rounds 1 to 16: A. Rounds 17 to 19: B. Rounds 20 to 25: A.

## Instructions

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 sc is double crochet, sc2tog is dc2tog and sk is miss.

**Yarns in order of use: A, heather gray; B, raspberry.**

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| ☐ **Foundation** | Make a magic ring. | |
| ☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)** | 6 sc in MR | **(6 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 2** | 2 sc in each st around | **(12 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 3** | **[**2 sc in next st, sc in next st**] 6 times** | **(18 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 4** | **[**Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times** | **(24 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 5** | Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, **[**sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 5 times**, sc in next 2 sts | **(30 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 6** | **[**Sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times** | **(36 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 7** | Sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, **[**sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 5 times**, sc in next 3 sts | **(42 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 8** | **[**Sc in next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 6 times** | **(48 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 9** | Sc in next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, **[**sc in next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 5 times**, sc in next 4 sts | **(54 sc)** |

> **Stop and measure now, after round 9.** After round 9 the base should measure about 5¾ in (14.5 cm) across.

### Sides

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| ☐ **Rnds 10 to 16** | Sc in each st around | **(54 sc)** |

A box for each round, 10 to 16: tick them off as you go.

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| ☐ **Rnd 17** | With B, sc in each st around | **(54 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnds 18 to 19** | Sc in each st around | **(54 sc)** |

A box for each round, 18 to 19: tick them off as you go.

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| ☐ **Rnd 20** | With A, **[**sc in next 7 sts, sc2tog**] 6 times** | **(48 sc)** |


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| ☐ **Rnd 21** | Sc in each st around | **(48 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnd 22** | Sc in next 4 sts, ch 8, sk next 6 sts, sc in next 38 sts | **(42 sc, 1 ch-8 sp)** |

> **Stop and measure now, after round 22.** After round 22 the 8 chains stand up in an arch over the 6 stitches passed over. That opening is where the yarn runs out of the bowl.

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| ☐ **Rnd 23** | Sc in next 4 sts, 6 sc in next ch-8 sp, sc in next 38 sts | **(48 sc)** |
| ☐ **Rnds 24 to 25** | Sc in each st around | **(48 sc)** |

A box for each round, 24 to 25: tick them off as you go.

24 25

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| ☐ **End** | Slip stitch in the next stitch to level the edge. Fasten off, leaving a tail of 6 in (15 cm). | |

## Finishing

- Weave every tail in on the inside.
- Weave the starting tail of the magic ring in round the middle of the base.

In all: 25 rounds; 1,092 stitches; 6 ends to weave in.

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