Lace hair snood

Shoulder length · US terms



Finished size

Net about 8 in (20 cm) from the ring in the middle to the band, pulled lightly outward; band about 22¼ in (57 cm) around before the cord is drawn, and about 1¼ in (3 cm) wide

To fit hair that reaches the shoulders

Skill

Easy

Chain loops and fans in rounds, and a band of post stitches

Yarn

Super fine (1), 2 colors

Hook

2.75 mm (US C-2)

Gauge

26 stitches and 29½ rounds to 4 in (10 cm)

In single crochet (UK double crochet).

What you need

Yarn A: ivory, main color — **about 140 yd (128 m), an estimate**

Yarn B: forest, the cord — **about 20 yd (18 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 40 g in all, an estimate, where 100 g is 400 yd (366 m).

Fiber: cotton

Hook: 2.75 mm (US C-2), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: a yarn needle, scissors, a tape measure and a piece of stiff card, 2½ in (6.5 cm) wide, for the tassels.

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 15 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Fits	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Shoulder length (this file)	**hair that reaches the shoulders**	**8 in (20 cm), 22¼ in (57 cm) around**	**about 160 yd (146 m)**
Long hair	hair that reaches below the shoulders	10½ in (27 cm), 22¼ in (57 cm) around	about 200 yd (183 m)

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Gauge

26 stitches and 29½ rounds to 4 in (10 cm) in single crochet.

A net need not be exact. As a guide, 26 single crochet side by side are about 4 in (10 cm) wide, and rounds 1 to 4, pulled out flat, are about 2½ in (6.5 cm) across, from the tip of a loop to the tip of the loop opposite. If yours measure much more, use a smaller hook; if much less, a larger one.

Notes

- Every round is joined and the work is not turned: the side that faces you is the right side, and it is the outside.
- The ch 1 or ch 2 at the start of a round does not count as a stitch.
- The first stitch of a round goes into the same stitch as the joining sl st, unless the round begins with a sl st into a space. The joining sl st itself is not a stitch and is not worked into.
- A stitch in a chain space goes round the whole chain, not into one of its loops. Where a round begins with a sl st into a space, the first stitch goes into that space too: draw it along to the middle of the chain before you go on, so that the rounds do not lean.
- Stitches in parentheses are all worked into the one place named after them.
- A round of fans has one sc in one loop and several dc, a fan, in the next: round 5 has fans of three dc, and rounds 10, 13, 16 and 19, in Long hair 22 and 25 too, have fans of five dc. In the round after it every sc goes into the sc between two fans or into the middle dc of a fan. The dc after the middle of the last fan are passed over, and the last chain loop runs to the joining sl st.
- The net may ruffle a little in the first rounds. From round 10 on the net grows no wider and turns into a bag.
- The post of a stitch is its upright part. A FPdc or a BPdc goes around it, the way the abbreviations say, and not into the top of the stitch. In the first round of post stitches the posts are those of the dc below. The first FPdc of a round goes around the post of the stitch that holds the joining sl st.
- Magic ring: wind the yarn once round two fingers, put the hook through the ring and pull up a loop of the working yarn. Round 1 begins with this loop on the hook. Work round 1 into the ring, over both strands, then pull the tail to close it.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin and when you fasten off, unless another length is given.
- When a ball runs out in the middle of a round, work the last yarn over of a stitch with the next ball, and leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) on both.
- Wear the band over the top of the head, behind the ears and round the nape, with the hair inside the net. The cord draws the band closer: tie it in a bow, at the top of the head or at the nape.
- Use a smooth cotton yarn: the loops slide open and the net hangs well.
- Buy whole balls from one dye lot.

Instructions

Shoulder length. US terms.

ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **dc** double crochet (UK treble), **Rnd** round, **sp** space, **st** stitch.

FPdc round the stitch below, from the front, **BPdc** round the stitch below, from the back, **sk** skip, **yo** yarn over the hook, **RS** right side, the one that shows.

ch-3 sp: the gap under three chains; the hook goes in the gap.

[ ] 11 times: work what is inside 11 times in all. **( )**: all of it goes into the one place.

(12 sc): the stitches you have when the round is done. **How to read a pattern**.

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Snood

Yarn A, ivory.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1**	Ch 1, 12 sc in ring; pull the tail to close the ring; join with sl st in first sc	(12 sc)
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, ch 3, **[**sc in next st, ch 3**] 11 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(12 sc, 12 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Rnd 3**	Sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, (sc, ch 4, sc) in same sp, ch 4, **[**(sc, ch 4, sc) in next ch-3 sp, ch 4**] 11 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(24 sc, 24 ch-4 sps)
☐ **Rnd 4**	Sl st in next ch-4 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 5, **[**sc in next ch-4 sp, ch 5**] 23 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(24 sc, 24 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 5**	Sl st in next ch-5 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, 3 dc in next ch-5 sp, **[**sc in next ch-5 sp, 3 dc in next ch-5 sp**] 11 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(12 sc, 36 dc)
☐ **Rnd 6**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, ch 5, **[**sk next st, sc in next st, ch 5**] 23 times**, sk next st; join with sl st in first sc	(24 sc, 24 ch-5 sps)
☐ **Rnd 7**	Sl st in next ch-5 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 6, (sc, ch 6, sc) in next ch-5 sp, ch 6, **[**sc in next ch-5 sp, ch 6, (sc, ch 6, sc) in next ch-5 sp, ch 6**] 11 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(36 sc, 36 ch-6 sps)
☐ **Rnd 8**	Sl st in next ch-6 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 6, **[**sc in next ch-6 sp, ch 6**] 35 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(36 sc, 36 ch-6 sps)
☐ **Rnd 9**	Sl st in next ch-6 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 6, sc in next ch-6 sp, ch 6, (sc, ch 6, sc) in next ch-6 sp, ch 6, **[**sc in next ch-6 sp, ch 6, sc in next ch-6 sp, ch 6, (sc, ch 6, sc) in next ch-6 sp, ch 6**] 11 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(48 sc, 48 ch-6 sps)
☐ **Rnd 10**	Sl st in next ch-6 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, 5 dc in next ch-6 sp, **[**sc in next ch-6 sp, 5 dc in next ch-6 sp**] 23 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(120 dc, 24 sc)
☐ **Rnd 11**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, ch 7, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, ch 7**] 47 times**, sk next 2 sts; join with sl st in first sc	(48 sc, 48 ch-7 sps)
☐ **Rnd 12**	Sl st in next ch-7 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 7, **[**sc in next ch-7 sp, ch 7**] 47 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(48 sc, 48 ch-7 sps)
☐ **Rnd 13**	Sl st in next ch-7 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, 5 dc in next ch-7 sp, **[**sc in next ch-7 sp, 5 dc in next ch-7 sp**] 23 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(120 dc, 24 sc)
☐ **Rnds 14 to 21**	Repeat rnds 11 to 13 in order, over and over. The last rnd, rnd 21, is worked as rnd 12.	

14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21

Rounds 22 to 26 are the band

☐ **Rnd 22**	Sl st in next ch-7 sp, ch 1, 3 sc in same sp, **[**3 sc in next ch-7 sp**] 47 times**; join with sl st in first sc	(144 sc)
☐ **Rnd 23**	Ch 2, dc in each st around; join with sl st in first dc	(144 dc)

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☐ **Rnds 24 to 26** 24 25 26	Ch 2, **[**FPdc around next st, BPdc around next st**] 72 times**; join with sl st in first FPdc	(72 FPdc, 72 BPdc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Cord

Yarn B, forest.

☐ **Foundation**	With B, ch 281.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(280 sl sts)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Assembly

1. Weave in the ends of the net on the wrong side.

2. Cord: thread the two tails of the cord, which both hang at the end where it was begun, on the yarn needle. The cord goes through round 23, the round of double crochet; count only its dc, not the ch 2 at its beginning. Lay the snood with its right side up. At any place in the round, put the needle down to the wrong side between two dc, pass behind the next 2 dc and come up. Then [pass over the next 2 dc, go down, pass behind the next 2 dc, come up] 35 times. Two dc are left between the two ends of the cord, which both lie on the right side. Draw the ends level.

3. Make two tassels. For each, lay a 12 in (30 cm) piece of B along the top edge of the card and wind B round the card and over this piece 30 times. Knot the piece tightly round the loops at the top edge, slide the loops off the card and cut them open at the other edge. Wind a second 12 in (30 cm) piece tightly 5 times round the tassel, ½ in (1.3 cm) below the top, knot it, and draw its ends into the tassel with the needle.

4. The two tails of the cord both hang at the end where it was begun; the end where it turned has none. At the end with the tails, tie the two ends of the top piece of one tassel to the cord in a double knot, sew once through the cord with each of them, and draw these two ends and the two tails of the cord down into the tassel. At the end without tails, tie the two ends of the top piece of the second tassel to the cord in a double knot, sew once through the cord with each of them, and draw these two ends down into the tassel. Trim the tassels level, about 2¼ in (5.5 cm) long.

Finishing

- Weave in any ends that are left on the wrong side of the band.

In all: 2 pieces; 2,224 stitches (1,944 in the snood, 280 in the cord).

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