Lemon peel stitch prayer shawl

Shawl · US terms



Finished size
About 60¼ × 19 in (153 × 48 cm)

Skill
Easy
Single and double crochet in turn, color changes, fringe

Yarn
Medium (4), 4 colors

Hook
5.5 mm (US I-9)

Gauge
13 stitches and 11 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In lemon peel stitch.

You will need

Yarn A: harbor blue, first band and fringe	**about 350 yd (320 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: mist, second band	**about 350 yd (320 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: cream, third band	**about 350 yd (320 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: coral rose, fourth band	**about 175 yd (160 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 and chains of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

Sizes

Size	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Shawl (this file)	**60¼ × 19 in (153 × 48 cm)**	**about 1,225 yd (1,120 m)**
Wide shawl	64 × 27½ in (163 × 70 cm)	about 1,850 yd (1,691 m)

Abbreviations

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

ch	chain stitch
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
RS	right side
st	stitch

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Gauge

13 stitches and 11 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in lemon peel stitch.

Check your gauge on the piece. Begin the pattern and measure the piece itself as you go. After row 8 the piece, laid flat, is about 2.9 in (7 cm) tall. If yours is shorter, use a larger hook; if it is taller, use a smaller one.

Every size in the list has all its own rows and counts. The chain sets how wide the shawl is along its rows: for another width start with any odd number of chains. The rows set how deep it is: for another depth work 24 rows more or fewer, so that the bands still mirror each other. Each side has one knot of fringe for every two rows.

Before you start

- In every row after row 1 each sc goes into a dc of the row below and each dc into an sc. The first sc of a row goes into the first stitch, at the foot of the ch 1.
- A ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch.
- 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 60.3 in (153.2 cm) by 18.9 in (48 cm) without the fringe.
- 52 rows in four-row bands: A, B, C, D, C, B, begun again as often as it fits and ended with a band of A, so that both long edges match.

Instructions

Chosen: Shawl. 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 row is done. In UK terms sc is double crochet and dc is treble.

Yarns in order of use: A, harbor blue; B, mist; C, cream; D, coral rose.

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 197.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook, **[**dc in next ch, sc in next ch**] 97 times**, dc in next ch	**(98 sc, 98 dc)**
☐ **Rows 2 to 4**	Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times**	**(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 2 to 4: tick them off as you go.

☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4

☐ **Rows 5 to 8**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times**	**(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 5 to 8: tick them off as you go.

☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8

☐ **Rows 9 to 12**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times**	**(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 9 to 12: tick them off as you go.

☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ 11 ☐ 12

☐ **Rows 13 to 16**	**Yarn D.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times**	**(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 13 to 16: tick them off as you go.

☐ 13 ☐ 14 ☐ 15 ☐ 16

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☐ **Rows 17 to 20** **Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 17 to 20: tick them off as you go.

17 18 19 20

☐ **Rows 21 to 24** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 21 to 24: tick them off as you go.

21 22 23 24

☐ **Rows 25 to 28** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 25 to 28: tick them off as you go.

25 26 27 28

☐ **Rows 29 to 32** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 29 to 32: tick them off as you go.

29 30 31 32

☐ **Rows 33 to 36** **Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 33 to 36: tick them off as you go.

33 34 35 36

☐ **Rows 37 to 40** **Yarn D.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 37 to 40: tick them off as you go.

37 38 39 40

☐ **Rows 41 to 44** **Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 41 to 44: tick them off as you go.

41 42 43 44

☐ **Rows 45 to 48** **Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 45 to 48: tick them off as you go.

45 46 47 48

☐ **Rows 49 to 52** **Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; **[**sc in next st, dc in next st**] 98 times** **(98 sc, 98 dc)**

A box for each row, 49 to 52: tick them off as you go.

49 50 51 52

☐ **End** Fasten off.

Finishing

- Fringe: cut 156 pieces of yarn A, each 12 in (30.5 cm) long. For each knot hold 3 pieces together and fold them in half, draw the fold through the edge of the piece at the end of rows 1, 3, 5 and so on along each short side (26 knots a side) from back to front, pass the ends through the fold and pull snug. Trim the fringe level at about 5 in (12.7 cm).
- Weave in the ends.

In all: 52 rows; 10,192 stitches; 26 ends to weave in.

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