Pineapple lace capelet with a collar

M, to fit bust 37 in (94 cm) · US terms



Finished size

About 16¼ in (41.5 cm) at the neck along the row of and about 1½ in (4 cm) at the collar high

To fit a bust of 37 in (94 cm)

Skill

Intermediate

A stand collar, increases in double crochet, shell and pineapple lace, points worked one by one

Yarn

Super fine (1)

Hook

3.5 mm (US E-4)

Gauge

22 stitches and 12 rows to 4 in (10 cm)

In double crochet (UK treble).

What you need

Yarn: any one color (dove gray in the picture), super fine (1) **about 300 yd (274 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 75 g, an estimate, where 100 g is 400 yd (366 m).

Hook: 3.5 mm (US E-4), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: yarn needle, scissors, tape measure, 1 pearl button, about ½ in (12 mm) across, narrow ribbon, ¼ in (6 mm) wide, 44 in (112 cm) (enough for every size), if you like, sewing thread and a sewing needle and pins.

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.

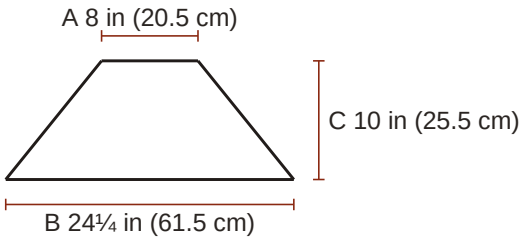
Sizes

Size	Bust	Yarn, an estimate	Neck along the row of eyelets	Collar high, with the edging	Around, where the lace begins	Around the lace where the points begin	Length, row of eyelets to tips of points	Lace from its first row to the tips
S	33 in (84 cm)	about 275 yd (251 m)	16¼ in (41.5 cm)	1½ in (4 cm)	29¼ in (74.5 cm)	42½ in (108 cm)	7¾ in (19.5 cm)	4¼ in (11 cm)
M (this file)	**37 in (94 cm)**	**about 300 yd (274 m)**	**16¼ in (41.5 cm)**	**1½ in (4 cm)**	**32¼ in (82 cm)**	**48¼ in (122.5 cm)**	**8¼ in (21 cm)**	**5 in (12.5 cm)**
L	41 in (104 cm)	about 375 yd (343 m)	17 in (43 cm)	1½ in (4 cm)	35 in (89 cm)	54¼ in (138 cm)	9¾ in (25 cm)	5¾ in (14.5 cm)
1X	45 in (114.5 cm)	about 375 yd (343 m)	17¾ in (45 cm)	1½ in (4 cm)	38 in (96.5 cm)	54¼ in (138 cm)	9¾ in (25 cm)	5¾ in (14.5 cm)
2X	49 in (124.5 cm)	about 425 yd (389 m)	17¾ in (45 cm)	1½ in (4 cm)	41 in (104 cm)	60 in (152.5 cm)	10¼ in (26 cm)	6¼ in (16 cm)

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3X	53 in (134.5 cm)	about 425 yd (389 m)	17¾ in (45 cm)	1½ in (4 cm)	43¾ in (111 cm)	60 in (152.5 cm)	10¼ in (26 cm)	6¼ in (16 cm)

Schematic



Capelet, laid half round
A half the neck along the row of eyelets
B half the way around the lace where the points begin
C from top to bottom

Gauge

22 stitches and 12 rows 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 35; begin in the 3rd ch from the hook and work 18 rows of double crochet on 33 sts, about 6 in (15 cm) wide and 6 in (15 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. Lace rows with shells and pineapples: 12 rows to 4 in (10 cm), as in double crochet (UK: treble). In the widths named for the lace every st counts 1, a ch-4 sp 2 and any shorter space 1, at 22 to 4 in (10 cm). Collar: half double crochet (UK: half treble), 22 sts and 18.5 rows to 4 in (10 cm). Edging: single crochet (UK: double crochet), 22 sts and 25 rows to 4 in (10 cm).

Notes

- Women's sizes, S to 3X. The capelet lies over the shoulders and is open below the button; choose by the neck and by the width around the shoulders over your clothes.
- The lace must be wider than your shoulders: measure around both arms just below the shoulders and choose a size whose width where the points begin is larger. No fit is promised beyond the measurements given.
- Worked back and forth in rows, from the upper edge of the collar down to the points. Odd-numbered rows of the capelet and of the lace are right side rows.
- The chain at the start of a row or round (ch 1 for single and half double crochet, ch 2 for double crochet) never counts as a stitch. Work the first stitch into the stitch at the base of that chain, unless the line says otherwise. The last stitch of a row goes into the last stitch of the row below.
- To work into a chain space, insert the hook under the whole chain. In the row above a row of eyelets work one dc in each ch-1 sp and one in each dc.
- A shell is (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in one place. Every shell goes into the ch-2 sp of the shell below it, so a row that begins with a shell passes over 2 dc first, and the ch 2 at its beginning reaches up to the shell. The last 2 dc of such a row stay unworked.

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- A lace pineapple stands between two shells: first dc with ch-1 sps between them, then loops (a ch-3 sp between two sc), one loop fewer in every row, until one sc is left.
- "Pass the ch-4 sp" means: in the row below, skip the chain of 4 that lies before the pineapple or after it, and the dc or sc beside it, and go on to the space that is named next. "Pass both ch-4 sps" means the two chains of 4 and the one sc that stands between them at the end of a pineapple.

Instructions

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ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **hdc** half double crochet (UK half treble), **dc** double crochet (UK treble), **st** stitch, **sp** space.
RS right side, the one that shows.
2 dc in next st: both in one stitch. **dc in next 4 sts**: one in each. **ch-1 sp**: the gap under the one chain; the hook goes in the gap.
[ ] 44 times: work what is inside 44 times in all. **( )**: all of it goes into the one place.
(89 hdc): the stitches you have when the row is done. **How to read a pattern**.

Special stitches

picot (picot, a small loop of 3 chains on an edge): Ch 3, sl st in the first of the 3 chains. A picot is not a stitch and is not counted.

Capelet

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 90.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Hdc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(89 hdc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 6** 2 3 4 5 6	Ch 1, turn; hdc in each st across	(89 hdc)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next st, **[**ch 1, skip next st, dc in next st**] 44 times**	(45 dc, 44 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next st, **[**dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next st**] 44 times**	(89 dc)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 4 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 7 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 4 sts	(100 dc)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 2 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 8 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 7 sts	(111 dc)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 7 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 9 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 3 sts	(122 dc)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 4 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 10 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 7 sts	(133 dc)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 6 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 11 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 6 sts	(144 dc)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 3 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 12 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 10 sts	(155 dc)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 10 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 13 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 4 sts	(166 dc)

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☐ **Row 16**	Ch 2, turn; dc in next 5 sts, **[**2 dc in next st, dc in next 14 sts**] 10 times**, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 10 sts (177 dc)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 2, turn; dc in each st across (177 dc)
☐ **End**	Rows 1 to 6 are the stand collar, with the foundation chain as its upper edge; row 7 is the row of eyelets at the neck. Do not fasten off.

Lace

☐ **Foundation**	Go on from row 17 of the capelet.
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next st, **[**ch 4, skip next 4 sts, **[**dc in next st, ch 1**] 12 times**, dc in next st, ch 4, skip next 4 sts, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next st**] 8 times** (140 dc, 9 ch-2 sps, 16 ch-4 sps, 96 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, **[**ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 11 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp**] 8 times**, leave the last 2 sts unworked (36 dc, 9 ch-2 sps, 16 ch-4 sps, 96 sc, 88 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 20**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, **[**ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 10 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp**] 7 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 10 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (50 dc, 16 ch-2 sps, 16 ch-4 sps, 88 sc, 80 ch-3 sps)
☐ **End**	Row 20 has 10 ch-3 sps in each of the 8 pineapples, and the 7 shells between them are doubled. Fasten off.

Point: make 8

☐ **Foundation**	The points are worked one at a time, in rows that are turned, on row 20 of the lace. Row 20 is a wrong side row: hold the lace with the right side facing and row 20 uppermost. For the first point join the yarn in the first ch-2 sp at the right-hand end; for each of the other 7 points join it in the second ch-2 sp of the next group of 6 dc, going to the left. Row 1 goes from that space over one pineapple to the ch-2 sp at its other side and no farther: that is the first ch-2 sp of the next group of 6 dc, or, in the last point, the ch-2 sp at the left-hand end. The 2 dc in the middle of each group stay free, between two points.
☐ **Row 1**	Ch 2; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in that ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 9 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 10 sc, 9 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 8 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 9 sc, 8 ch-3 sps)

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☐ **Row 3**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 7 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 8 sc, 7 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 6 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 7 sc, 6 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 5 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 6 sc, 5 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 4 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 5 sc, 4 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, **[**ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp**] 3 times**, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 4 sc, 3 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, [ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp] twice, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 3 sc, 2 ch-3 sps)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 2 sc, 1 ch-3 sp)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, pass the ch-4 sp, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps, 2 ch-4 sps, 1 sc)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 2, turn; (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, pass both ch-4 sps, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (8 dc, 2 ch-2 sps)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 2, turn; 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, picot, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, leave the last 2 sts unworked (4 dc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off. The picot of row 12 is the tip of the point. Work the sl st of the picot firmly, so that its loop stays small.

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Edging

☐ **Foundation**	With the right side facing, join the yarn in the end of row 17 of the capelet, at the lower end of the right front edge as worn, above the lace; ch 1, then work these edges in order: up the right front edge, along rows 8 to 17 of the capelet, met from the last of them, [sc in the end of the next row, 2 sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows] twice (18 sc); along row 7 of the capelet, 2 sc in the end of the next row (2 sc); along rows 1 to 6 of the capelet, met from the last of them, 2 sc in the end of the next row, sc in the end of each of the next 5 rows (7 sc); across the collar, sc in each of the 89 chs of the foundation chain of the capelet, along their free side (89 sc); down the left front edge, along rows 1 to 6 of the capelet, sc in the end of each of the next 5 rows, 2 sc in the end of the next row (7 sc); along row 7 of the capelet, 2 sc in the end of the next row (2 sc); along rows 8 to 17 of the capelet, [2 sc in the end of each of the next 4 rows, sc in the end of the next row] twice (18 sc). There are 143 sc in all. This is row 1, a right side row.
☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; sc in next 26 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next st, **[**sc in next 3 sts, picot**] 29 times**, sc in next st, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 6 sts, ch 6, skip next 2 sts, sc in next 18 sts (145 sc, 1 ch-6 sp)
☐ **End**	Row 2 goes up the left front edge, across the collar and down the right front edge. Its ch-6 sp is the button loop: it lies over the 2 sc that were worked in the end of row 7, the row of eyelets. Fasten off.

Assembly

1. Button: sew the button to the right side of the left front edge, as worn, on row 1 of the edging, at the 2 sc that were worked in the end of row 7, with sewing thread. The loop of the right front goes over it.

2. Ribbon, if you like: cut 44 in (112 cm) of narrow ribbon. From the right side, take it in through the first ch-1 sp of row 7 at the right front, out through the next and so on through all 44 spaces, with the same length hanging at each front, and tie it in a bow over the button. Work it through after the capelet has been washed and dried, and take it out before every wash.

Finishing

- Weave in all the ends. Wash as the yarn label says, lay the piece out flat to the measurements, pin the points out, and let it dry.

In all: 3,684 stitches (1,953 in the capelet, 410 in the lace, 147 in each point, 145 in the edging).

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