Shell stitch wrap

Wrap · US terms



Finished size
About 41 × 21½ in (104 × 55 cm)

Skill
Easy
Shells, color changes

Yarn
Medium (4), 4 colors

Hook
5.5 mm (US I-9)

Gauge
13 stitches and 8.6 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In shell stitch.

You will need

Yarn A: ink, first stripe	**about 145 yd (133 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: ocean, second stripe	**about 250 yd (229 m), an estimate**
Yarn C: seafoam, third stripe	**about 275 yd (251 m), an estimate**
Yarn D: sand, fourth stripe	**about 140 yd (128 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
Wrap (this file)	**41 × 21½ in (104 × 55 cm)**	**about 810 yd (741 m)**
Wide wrap	55¾ × 25 in (142 × 64 cm)	about 1,290 yd (1,181 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
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
RS	right side
WS	wrong side
sk	skip
st	stitch

Gauge

13 stitches and 8.6 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in shell 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 3.7 in (9 cm) tall. If yours is shorter, use a larger hook; if it is taller, use a smaller one.

Start with any multiple of 6 chains plus 2; work any even number of rows.

Before you start

- 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 ch 1 at the start of a row does not count as a stitch.
- Where several stitches have one place after them, as in "5 dc in next ch", they are all worked into that one place.
- 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 40.9 in (103.9 cm) by 21.4 in (54.4 cm).
- 46 rows in two-row stripes: A, B, C, D, C, B, and begin again.

Instructions

Chosen: Wrap. 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, ink; B, ocean; C, seafoam; D, sand.

☐ **Foundation**	Ch 134.
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Sc in 2nd ch from hook, **[**sk next 2 chs, 5 dc in next ch, sk next 2 chs, sc in next ch**] 22 times** **(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 2 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st **(111 dc, 22 sc)**

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☐ **Row 3 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 4 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 5 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 6 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 7 (RS)**	**Yarn D.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 8 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 9 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 10 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 11 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 12 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 13 (RS)**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 14 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 15 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**

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☐ **Row 16 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 17 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 18 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 19 (RS)**	**Yarn D.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 20 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 21 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 22 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 23 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 24 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 25 (RS)**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 26 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 27 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 28 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**

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☐ **Row 29 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 30 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 31 (RS)**	**Yarn D.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 32 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 33 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 34 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 35 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 36 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 37 (RS)**	**Yarn A.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 38 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 39 (RS)**	**Yarn B.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 40 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 41 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**

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☐ **Row 42 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 43 (RS)**	**Yarn D.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 44 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **Row 45 (RS)**	**Yarn C.** Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st, sk next 2 sts, sc in top of turning ch	**(23 sc, 110 dc)**
☐ **Row 46 (WS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn; 2 dc in same st, **[**sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 5 dc in next st**] 21 times**, sk next 2 sts, sc in next st, sk next 2 sts, 3 dc in last st	**(111 dc, 22 sc)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Finishing

- Weave in the ends.

In all: 46 rows; 6,118 stitches; 46 ends to weave in.

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