Ascot scarf

Adult · US terms



Finished size

About 37 in (94 cm) long, with leaves about 6½ in (17 cm) wide and 8½ in (22 cm) long and a neck about 20 in (51 cm) long and 3½ in (9 cm) wide, all with the edging; the tab about 2 in (5 cm) by 4¾ in (12 cm)

Skill

Intermediate

Increases and decreases in moss stitch, and an edging all round

Yarn

Medium (4), 2 colors

Hook

5 mm (US H-8)

Gauge

14 stitches and 16½ rows to 4 in (10 cm)

In moss stitch.

What you need

Yarn A: deep plum, main color — **about 90 yd (82 m), an estimate**

Yarn B: silver gray, the edging and the tab — **about 50 yd (46 m), an estimate**

By weight: about 70 g in all, an estimate, where 100 g is 200 yd (183 m).

Hook: 5 mm (US H-8), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: a yarn needle, scissors and a tape measure.

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	Finished size, about	Yarn, an estimate
Teen	30¾ in (78 cm) long, 5¾ in (15 cm) wide	about 115 yd (105 m)
Adult (this file)	**37 in (94 cm) long, 6½ in (17 cm) wide**	**about 140 yd (128 m)**

Gauge

14 stitches and 16½ rows to 4 in (10 cm) in moss stitch.

Check it on the scarf itself, laid flat and not stretched, when the first leaf is done: in Adult its widest rows, of 19 stitches, are about 5½ in (14 cm) wide and the 33 rows are about 8 in (20 cm) tall; in Teen the widest rows, of 17 stitches, are about 4¾ in (12 cm) wide and the 27 rows are about 6½ in (17 cm) tall. If they measure more, start again with a smaller hook; if they measure less, with a larger one.

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Notes

- Moss stitch is single crochet and chain 1 in turn; in UK terms it is double crochet and chain 1. Between the two edges each single crochet is worked into a chain space of the row below.
- The ch 1 at the start of a row or a round does not count as a stitch.
- In a row that begins "sc in first ch-1 sp" the first sc of the row below is passed over, and its last sc is left unworked at the end: the row is 1 sc and 1 space shorter.
- Working in the back loop in the neck leaves a ridge on every second row, on both sides: the neck is ribbed and stretches.
- Stitches in parentheses are all worked into the one place named after them. "3 sc in next ch" puts all 3 stitches in that one place.
- Leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) when you begin, when you join a yarn and when you fasten off, unless another length is given. The ends that are not sewn with are woven in.
- When a ball runs out, work the last yarn over of a stitch with the new yarn, and leave a tail of about 6 in (15 cm) on both. In the rows do it in the last stitch of a row; in the rounds of the edging any stitch will do.
- Whip stitch: with the yarn on a yarn needle, pass the needle under both loops of a stitch on one edge and under both loops of the stitch that lies against it on the other edge, and pull the yarn through. Do the same in the next stitch of each edge. On a foundation chain edge, pass the needle under the lower strands of each chain that holds a stitch of row 1. Fasten a length where the sewing begins and where it ends: sew 2 or 3 times into the same place.
- In joined rounds, the first stitch of a round goes into the same stitch as the joining sl st. The joining sl st itself is not a stitch and is not worked into.
- The ch 1 at the start of a round does not count as a stitch.
- To join a yarn with a sl st, make a slip knot of it on the hook, put the hook in the place named, yo, and pull through the place and the loop on the hook.
- Edging: work along the last row, down the ends of the rows, along the other side of the foundation chain and up the ends of the rows. The 3 sc in one place turn a corner.
- Buy whole balls from one dye lot.

Instructions

Adult. US terms.

ch chain, **sl st** slip stitch, **sc** single crochet (UK double crochet), **hdc** half double crochet (UK half treble), **Rnd** round, **sp** space, **st** stitch.
BLO: only the loop away from you. **sk** skip, **yo** yarn over the hook, **RS** right side, the one that shows.
3 sc in next st: all in one stitch. **ch-1 sp**: the gap under the one chain; the hook goes in the gap.
[ ] 2 times: work what is inside 2 times in all. **( )**: all of it goes into the one place.
(1 sc): the stitches you have when the row is done. **How to read a pattern**.

Scarf

Yarn A, deep plum.

☐ **Foundation** With A, ch 2.

The first leaf, from its tip

☐ **Row 1 (RS)** Sc in 2nd ch from hook (1 sc)

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☐ **Row 2**	Ch 1, turn; (sc, ch 1, sc) in first st	(2 sc, 1 ch-1 sp)
☐ **Row 3**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sc in last st	(3 sc, 2 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 4**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, sc in last st	(4 sc, 3 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 5**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 2 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(5 sc, 4 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 6**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 3 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(6 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 7**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, sc in last st	(7 sc, 4 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 8**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(6 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 9**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 10**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, sc in last st	(8 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 11**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 12**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 13**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, sc in last st	(9 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 14**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 15**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 16**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, sc in last st	(10 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 17**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 18**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(10 sc, 9 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 19**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, sc in last st	(11 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 20**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(10 sc, 9 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 21**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, sc in last st	(11 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)

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☐ **Row 22**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(10 sc, 9 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 23**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 24**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, sc in last st	(10 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 25**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 26**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 27**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, sc in last st	(9 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 28**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 29**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 30**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, sc in last st	(8 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 31**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 32**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(6 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 33**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(5 sc, 4 ch-1 sps)

The neck

☐ **Row 34**	Ch 1, turn; hdc in first st, **[**hdc in next ch-1 sp, hdc in next st**] 4 times**	(9 hdc)
☐ **Rows 35 to 93**	Ch 1, turn; hdc in BLO of each st across	(9 hdc)

35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62
63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90
91 92 93

The second leaf, down to its tip

☐ **Row 94**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st**] 4 times**	(5 sc, 4 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 95**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 3 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(6 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 96**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 97**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, sc in last st	(8 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)

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☐ **Row 98**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 99**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 100**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, sc in last st	(9 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 101**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 102**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 103**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, sc in last st	(10 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 104**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 105**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, ch 1, sc in last st	(10 sc, 9 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 106**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, sc in last st	(11 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 107**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(10 sc, 9 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 108**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, sc in last st	(11 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 109**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(10 sc, 9 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 110**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 8 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 111**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, sc in last st	(10 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 112**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(9 sc, 8 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 113**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 7 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 114**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, sc in last st	(9 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 115**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(8 sc, 7 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 116**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 6 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)

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☐ **Row 117**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, sc in last st	(8 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 118**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(7 sc, 6 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 119**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 5 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(6 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 120**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, sc in next ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, sc in last st	(7 sc, 4 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 121**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first st, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, ch 1, sk next st, sc in last st	(6 sc, 5 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 122**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 4 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(5 sc, 4 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 123**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 3 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(4 sc, 3 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 124**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, **[**ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp**] 2 times**, leave remaining st unworked	(3 sc, 2 ch-1 sps)
☐ **Row 125**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, ch 1, sk next st, sc in next ch-1 sp, leave remaining st unworked	(2 sc, 1 ch-1 sp)
☐ **Row 126**	Ch 1, turn; sc in first ch-1 sp, leave remaining st unworked	(1 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Edging

Yarn B, silver gray.

Hold the scarf with the right side (row 1) facing you and the second tip, row 126, at the top. The "first st" is the one sc of row 126, and the "next ch" at the other tip is the chain that row 1 was worked into: work 3 sc in each, to turn the point. Round 1 goes from row 126 down the left-hand side, round the first tip and up the right-hand side.

"Sc in end of each of next 32 rows" means 1 sc in the side edge of each of those rows, through the stitch or over the chain that stands there. Each side runs along a leaf of 33 rows, the 60 rows of the neck and the other leaf of 33 rows.

Nothing is worked before round 1. The next line only names the places that round 1 goes into, in their order.

☐ **Foundation**	Round 1 goes once around the edge of the piece, right side facing: the 1 st of the last row, the ends of the 126 rows, the 1 ch of the foundation, the ends of the 126 rows.	
☐ **Rnd 1**	Join B with sl st in first st, ch 1, 3 sc in first st, 2 sc in end of next row, sc in end of each of next 32 rows, **[**2 sc in end of next row, sc in end of each of next 4 rows**] 12 times**, sc in end of each of next 32 rows, 2 sc in end of next row, 3 sc in next ch, 2 sc in end of next row, sc in end of each of next 32 rows, **[**2 sc in end of next row, sc in end of each of next 4 rows**] 12 times**, sc in end of each of next 32 rows, 2 sc in end of next row; join with sl st in first sc	(286 sc)

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☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 1, sc in same st as join, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 142 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 141 sts; join with sl st in first sc	(290 sc)
☐ **End**	Fasten off.	

Tab

Yarn B, silver gray.

☐ **Foundation**	With B, ch 8.	
☐ **Row 1 (RS)**	Hdc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across	(7 hdc)
☐ **Rows 2 to 14**	Ch 1, turn; hdc in BLO of each st across	(7 hdc)

2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a tail of about 14 in (36 cm) to sew with.	

Assembly

1. Weave in all the ends but the long tail of the tab.

2. Lay the scarf right side up with the first leaf, the one with row 1, toward you. Find the place of the tab on the gray edging, just above that leaf: in round 2, begin at the middle one of the 3 sc at the tip of the leaf, do not count that sc, and count 37 sc from it up one side. The 7 sc of round 2 after these are the place of the tab on that side. Mark it, and mark the 7 sc at the same count up the other side.

3. Lay the tab across the neck, right side up, its last row against the 7 marked sc on the left and its foundation chain against the 7 marked sc on the right. It is longer than the neck is wide, so it stands up in the middle like a belt loop.

4. With the long tail whip stitch the 7 hdc of the last row to the 7 sc on the left, 1 stitch to each, and go back over the seam once. Fasten off.

5. With a length of B about 14 in (36 cm) long whip stitch the 7 chains of the foundation chain to the 7 sc on the right, 1 chain to each, and go back over the seam once. Fasten off, and weave in the ends of both seams. The two side edges of the tab stay open.

6. To wear it, put it round the neck, fold the second leaf together along its middle, draw it down through the tab, and open it out again.

Finishing

- Weave in the ends with the yarn needle, changing direction once or twice.

In all: 2 pieces; 1,708 stitches (1,034 in the scarf, 576 in the edging, 98 in the tab).

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