

mermaid dreams hooded scarf



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Skill Level

Intermediate

Finished Sizes

Small (Medium, Large)

14 (15½, 17)" [36 (39, 43)cm]

Materials

- Willow Yarns™ Wheels (70% acrylic/30% wool; 139g/377yd)
- -730205-0005 Kingfisher (1 cake): A
- -730205-0001 Nirvana (1 cake): B
- US size H-8 (5mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Stitch markers
- Yarn needle

Gauge

18 sts x 10 rows = 4" (10.2cm)
in pat

Save time, check your gauge.

Stitch Guide

dc2tog (double crochet 2 together): (Yo, insert hook in next st, yo, pull through 2 lps) twice, yo, pull through 3 lps on hook.

dc5tog (double crochet 5 together): (Yo, insert hook in next st, yo, pull through 2 lps) 5 times, yo, pull through 6 lps on hook.

fdc (foundation double crochet):

Step 1: Ch 3; insert hook in third ch from hook, yo and draw up a lp. Yo and draw through first lp (this is the foundation ch), yo and draw through 2 lps, yo and draw through 2 lps—1 fdc.

Step 2: Insert hook in foundation ch just made, yo, draw up a lp, yo and draw through 1 lp, (yo, pull through 2 lps) twice—second fdc. Rep Step 2 for the number of sts indicated in pattern.

Pattern Notes

- Hood is formed after scarf is created by joining in the center back.
- Instructions include lacy outer layer, and optional inner layer for warmth.
- Both layers are joined, and back is rounded, and sl st tog.
- Measurements are fabric, not head circumference. ⅓ is open for face.
- In tail fin section, skipped sts are highlighted, to ease potential confusion.

Dec to 18 sts over next 2 rows as directed for each size:

Small:

Next Row: Ch 2 (counts as dc) dc in next, *ch 1, sk ch, dc2tog over next 2 sts; rep around to last dc, ignore ch-2 sp. Turn.

Next Row: Ch 1, sc in each st and ch sp across.

Medium:

Next Row: Ch 1, dc in next (counts as first dc2tog), *ch 1, sk 1 ch, dc2tog over next 2 sc; rep from * to end of row. Do not ch, do not join. Turn—19 sts.

Next Row: Sl st over first dc2tog, *sc in ch sp, sc in dc2tog; rep across row—18 sc.

Large:

Next Row: Ch 1, dc in next (counts as first dc2tog), *ch 1, sk 1 ch, dc2tog over next 2 sc; rep from * to end of row. Do not ch, do not join. Turn—20 sts.

Next Row: Sl st over first dc2tog, *sc in ch sp, sc in dc2tog; rep across row, skipping last dc2tog—18 sc.

Beg Fin

Ch 2 (counts as dc), dc in next sc, *ch 2, sk 2, dc in next 2; rep across—18 dc. Work Row 4 on 18 sts.

For size Small, move on to Row 1 of Fin. For sizes Medium and Large, rep last 2 rows once.

Pineapple Tail Fin

Row 1: Sc in first sc, ch 3, sk next sc, and ch 2, sc in next sc, sk next sc, and ch sp. 3 tr in next sc, 3 spiked tr in sp bet dc 2 rows below st just worked, and next st, 3 tr in next sc, sk 1 sc, sc in next sc, ch 3, sk (ch 2 and 1 sc), sc in top of last sc.

Row 2: Ch 3, (counts as tr, here, and throughout), 2 tr in same st, (ch 1, tr in next tr) 9 times, ch 1, 3 tr in last sc.

Instructions

First Side

With A, ch 3.

Row 1: Fdc 29 (33, 37)—30 (34, 38) dc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first 2 dc, *ch 2, sk 2, sc in next 2 dc; rep from * across row.

Row 3: Ch 2, dc in next sc, *ch 2, sk 1 ch, dc in next 2 sc; rep from * across row.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first 2 dc, *ch 2, sk 1 ch, sc in next 2 dc; rep from * across row. Rep Rows 3-4 for a total of 17 (24, 30)" [43 (61, 76)cm].

Join for Tail Taper

Work Row 3 to last st, at the last dc, ch 2 and join to top of ch 2 of row, to work rnd. Work Row 4 to last sc, ch 2; join.

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Row 3: Ch 3, 2 tr in same st, sk (2 tr, ch 1, and first tr of Pineapple base), (ch 3, sc in next ch-1 sp) 8 times, ch 3, sk (next tr, ch 1, and next 2 tr), 3 tr in top of ch 3 from previous row—7 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 3-tr groups.

Row 4: Ch 3, 2 tr in same st, sk (2 tr and 1 ch-3 sp), (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) 7 times, ch 3, sk (next ch-3 sp and 2 tr), 3 tr in top of ch 3 from last row—6 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 3-tr groups.

Row 5: Ch 3, 2 tr in same st, sk (2 tr and 1 ch-3 sp), (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) 6 times, ch 3, sk (next ch-3 sp and 2 tr), 3 tr in top of ch 3 from last row—5 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 3-tr groups.

Row 6: Ch 3, tr, ch 1, 2 tr in same st, sk (2 tr and 1 ch-3 sp), (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) 5 times, ch 3, sk (next ch-3 sp and 2 tr), 2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr in top of ch 3 from previous row—4 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 2-tr/ch-1/2-tr groups.

Row 7: Ch 3, (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in ch-1 sp, sk (2 tr and 1 ch-3 sp), (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) 4 times, ch 3, sk (next ch-3 sp and 2 tr), (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in ch-1 sp, tr in top of ch 3 from last row—3 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 2-tr/ch-1/2-tr groups, 2 tr.

Row 8: Ch 3, 2 tr in same st, (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in ch-1 sp, sk (2 tr and 1 ch-3 sp), (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) 3 times, ch 3, sk (next ch-3 sp and 2 tr), (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in ch-1 sp, 3 tr in top of ch 3 from previous row—2 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 2-tr/ch-1/2-tr groups, two 3-tr groups.

Row 9: Ch 3, 2 tr in same st, ch 2, (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in ch-1 sp, sk 1 ch-3 sp, (ch 3, sc in next ch-3 sp) twice, ch 3, sk (next ch-3 sp and 2 tr), (2 tr, ch 1, 2 tr) in ch-1 sp, ch 2, 3 tr in top of ch 3 from previous row—2 ch-3 sps to form pineapple, two 2-tr/ch-1/2-tr groups, two 3-tr groups.

Row 10: Ch 5, (tr, ch 1, tr) in same st, ch 1, (dc, ch 1, dc) in ch-2 sp, (ch 1, dc) 3 times in ch-1 sp, ch 3, sc in pineapple's ch-3 sp, ch 4, (dc, ch 1) 3 times in ch-1 sp, (dc, ch 1, dc) in ch-2 sp, ch 1, (tr, ch 1) twice, dtr in ch 3 from previous row.

Second Side

With RS facing, join B to fdc, ch 2, dc in the base of each st across.

Rep as for First Side, beg with Row 2.

Inner Hood

Note: For color layout, you may separate 3 colors from your yarn supply or just work as it flows.

Fdc 25, (29, 33).

Row 1: Ch 2, dc in each st across
Rep Row 1 until piece measures 16 (17, 18)" [41 (43, 46)cm] from beg. Do not cut yarn, unless you want to change color here.

Rotate to work Edging over long side of inner hood.

Edging

Work sc in side of dc, *ch 1, sc in top section of next dc; rep from * to base of edge, sc, ch 1, sc in last dc.

Rotate to work over base of fdc, *ch 1, sk 1, sc in next st; rep from * across Foundation Row to last st of row, sc, ch 1, sc to form third corner.

Rotate to work long edge as first.

Work final side as the foundation side. Do not join, rather work next row in spiral fashion.

*Ch 1, sc in next ch-1 sp; rep from * around, sl st to top of first sc. Cut yarn, weave in ends.

Assembly

Use scrap yarn or m to line up inner hood panel and scarf, keeping pieces tog. Sc the layers tog across front of hood.

For the back of the hood, work sc, ch 1, sc across the width of the inner hood, placing sc over dc post and the ch-1 sp.

Ch 2, turn, dc in each st and ch sp to center of outer hood where 2 rows of dc are, work dc5tog to round the center top of the hood. Work dc in each st and ch sp to end of inner hood.

Sl st the 2 sides tog to close the hood.

Ch 5, position over post of dc directly under 2 layers of hood, sl st to first ch.

Ch 25 more. Cut yarn. Rep on other side of the scarf, below the 2 layer hood. Weave through mesh of scarf tie in a bow to create a slight taper under the hood.

Work the other side of scarf to match.

ABBREVIATIONS

- beg:** begin/beginning
- bet:** between
- ch:** chain
- cm:** centimeter
- dc:** double crochet
- dtr:** double treble crochet
- lp/lps:** loop/loops
- m:** marker
- rep:** repeat
- sc:** single crochet
- sk:** skip
- sl st:** slip stitch
- sp/sp:** space/spaces
- tog:** together
- tr:** treble crochet
- yo:** yarn over