

Precious Wildflower Shawl

the crocheted version

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Materials

2 skeins of Knit Collage Wildflower
Size 20mm crochet hook

Finished Dimensions

approximately 70" x 12" without fringe

Abbreviations

ch - chain
dc - double crochet

st - stitch

Notes

Cut your fringe strands in advance. Cut half from one skein and half from the other. We used 35 that were about 20" long. You'll want to use 1 skein for the increase section and the other for the decrease section, so if you start running out of the first skein before you get the middle, simply omit a repeat.

Pattern

Ch 4, leaving a 10" tail.

Set up row (work only once):

Dc into 3rd ch from hook, 2 dc into next st. (3 sts)
Ch 2. Turn.

Begin increase section:

Row 1 (RS): Dc into 3rd dc from hook and in each dc across to the end of the row. Ch 2. Turn.

Row 2 (WS): Dc into 3rd dc from hook and each dc across until the last dc, 2 dc into last dc. (1 st increased). Ch 2. Turn.

Place marker to mark your RS. Repeat rows 1 & 2 until you have 11 sts then work the decrease section:

Row 1 (RS): Dc into 3rd dc from hook and in each dc across to the end of the row. Ch 2. Turn.

Row 2 (WS): Dc into 3rd dc from hook and each dc across until the last 2 dc, dc2tog. (1 st decreased).
Ch 2. Turn.

Work decreases until 3 sts remain. Work one final row:

Dc in each dc across. Fasten off with a 10" tail. Use your crochet hook or your fingers to attach fringe pieces along the diagonal at each row. Tie off beginning and end as part of the fringe.

Blocking

One option is to wet block it. If you do this, there's a chance it will dry very stiff like blue jeans do. After it is dry, scrunch it a bunch to restore its softness and drapiness. I also threw mine in the dryer on no heat/fluff for about 4 minutes. Alternatively, you can just stretch it out with your hands when you are finished crocheting.