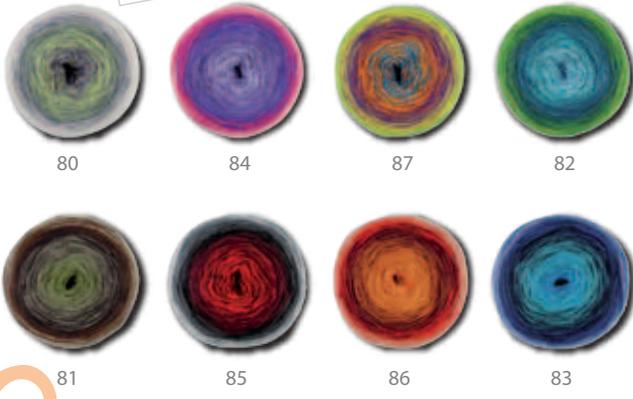




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Top Rainbow



SHAWL/PONCHO



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If you knit two pieces the same and join them together with a couple of snap fasteners, you will have a stylish poncho.

MEASUREMENTS:

each piece measures 20½" (52 cm) wide x 74¾" (190 cm) long, approximately

MATERIALS

TOP RAINBOW col. 85; **For the shawl:** 1 ball; **For the poncho:** 2 balls

2 snap fasteners for the poncho

Knitting needles: size US 7/4.5mm

STITCHES

Garter st: (see basic instructions in our magazines or www.katia.com)

Pattern st: see graph A

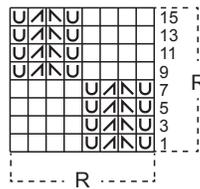
GAUGE: Using size 7 needles in *pattern st*: 21.5 sts & 28 rows = 4x4"

INSTRUCTIONS

Shawl: cast on 112 sts and work in *garter st*. When shawl measures 1⅝" (4 cm), measuring from the start, continue working as follows: 4 sts in *garter st*, 104 sts in *pattern st* following graph A, 4 sts in *garter st*. Use the whole ball of yarn finishing with 1⅝" (4 cm) in *garter st*. Loosely bind off all the sts.

Poncho: work 2 pieces like the shawl. Place them together horizontally with right sides facing out and **sew** the snap fasteners at the edge, on top of the 4 sts of *garter st*, leaving a separation of 15¾" (40 cm) between them for the neckline (see photograph).

Graph A



On alternate rows work all sts and YO's in purl st. /

- R Repeat / K2 tog
- 1 knit st \ slip 1 st, K1, pss0
- U 1 YO

MEASUREMENTS: 33½" (85 cm) high x 63" (160 cm) wide at the upper part, approximately

MATERIALS: TOP RAINBOW col. 83: 1 ball

Crochet hook: size US C2/2.5 mm

Stitches

Chain st, double crochet, single crochet: (see basic instructions in our magazines or www.katia.com)

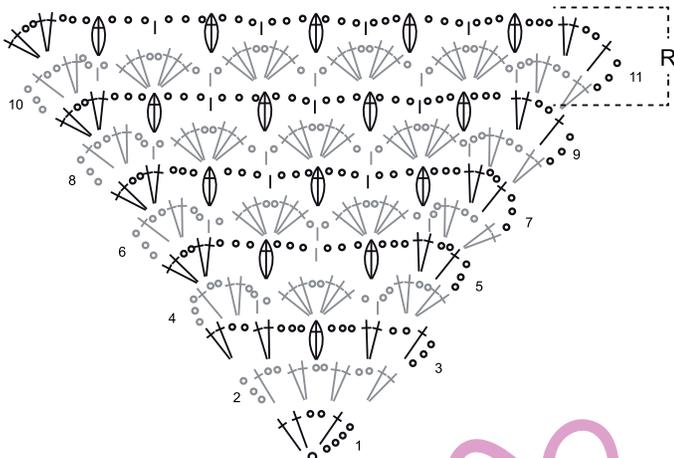
Pattern st: see graph A

GAUGE: Using size C2 hook in pattern st: 2½ motifs and 5 rows = 4x4"

INSTRUCTIONS

Chain 5 sts and continue working in pattern st following graph A. Work until the end of the ball of yarn. Cut the yarn and fasten off.

Graph A



- R Repeat
- o 1 chain st
- | 1 single crochet
- † 1 double crochet

1 popcorn st: draw out the loop on the hook to lengthen it * wrap yarn over hook, insert the hook and draw out a loop, draw out the loop to lengthen all the sts on the hook *. Work from * to * a total of 4 times = 9 loops on the hook, wrap yarn over hook and pass through 8 loops, wrap yarn over hook again and pass through the 2 loops on the hook, work 1 chain st. /



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