

DRAGON BLOODSTONE SHAWL

Designed by Spiffy Handmade



Using any yarn and any hook. The larger the hook with whatever yarn you choose will create more drape. I went up a size or two on most of my shawls. The one pictured I used the same hook recommended. Pictured: Premier Yarns Gradient in Green Tones and a 5.5mm or I crochet hook.

Stitch marker is recommended for the center of your shawl to make sure you do not forget to increase, and it is your midway point. Beads can be added to the edge, but it is optional. Your needed number of beads depends on how many you desire, size of your shawl, etc. If you are going to put an edge on your shawl end on a row five.

The repeat section of the shawl is on a separate page at the end of this pattern so if you want to just have that page with you, I have made it easier for you to do so. It is written with abbreviations.

Stitches used on this shawl are listed as well as their abbreviations:

Chain(ch), single crochet(sc), half double crochet(hdc), double crochet(dc), cluster stitch(CL). Treble crochet. Stitch is abbreviated st or sts. Space is abbreviated sp.

Special stitches:

Cluster stitch: Yarn over hook, go into stitch or space, yarn over and pull up. Three loops on hook, yarn over and pull through two. Two loops on hook now. Yarn over and go back into the space, yarn over and pull up. Four loops on hook now, yarn over and pull through two. Three loops on the hook now. Yarn over and go back into space one more time, yarn over and pull up. Five loops on your hook now. Yarn over and pull through two. Four loops left, yarn over and pull through all loops, chain one.

Please read the pattern before starting your project.

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There is a video tutorial of this shawl including the edging and bead work. You can find it here.

https://youtu.be/_MOMESg_OME

PATTERN

Row one

Three methods to start the shawl:

The first way is to chain three and put seven double crochets in the first chain. (8dc)

The second way is to make a magic ring, chain three and put seven double crochets in ring. (8dc)

The third way is to chain four, slip stitch to your first chain to make a ring. Chain three and put seven double crochets in ring. (8dc)

Row two

Chain three, 2 dc in between the first and second double crochet.

Two double crochets in between the next two double crochets. Repeat that until

Center stitch.

Two double crochet, chain two, two double crochets.

Two double crochet in between next two double crochet, repeat that until last stitch.

Double crochet in last stitch.

(20dc, one ch2 space)

Row three

Chain three, put a double crochet in the same stitch as your chain three.

Put two double crochets in between the next two double crochet, this is right next to the stitch you just made.

Two double crochet in between next two double crochet, repeat from *to * until you get to the center chain two space.

At center chain two space:

Two double crochet, chain two, two double crochet in between next two double crochet.

*Two double crochets in between the next two double crochet. *

Repeat from * to * until the end.

Two double crochets in the last stitch. (28dc, one ch2 space)

Row Four

Chain four, cluster, chain one in between next two dc. Do this in between each two double crochets until the middle center stitch is reached.

At center chain two space:

Cluster stitch, chain two, cluster stitch.

Place a cluster stitch in the middle of each set of two double crochet like you did on the first half of the shawl this row.

Cluster in between last stitch and double crochet.

Double crochet in last stitch. (2dc, 16 ch1 spaces, 16 CL sts, one ch2 space)

Row five

Chain one, single crochet in the same stitch as chain one.

Chain two and *single crochet in chain one space.

Chain two*, repeat from * to center marked chain two space.

Single crochet, chain two, single crochet in the middle-marked stitch.

Chain two, single crochet in chain one space to e.

Two single crochets in last stitch. (4sc, 17 ch2 spaces)

Row six

Chain three, double crochet in the same stitch as chain three.

Two double crochets in each chain two space until center stitch.

Center stitch:

Two double crochet, chain two, two double crochets.

Two double crochets in each chain two space to end.

Two double crochets in the last stitch.

(40dc, one ch2 space)

Repeat Row 3-6 to size desired.

EDGE-Optional

Edging is optional. If you have your favorite edging feel free to use it. I have shown a few on the video tutorial if you want my suggestions. I will give general instruction for the one that I prefer.

Ending on ROW FIVE of your shawl.

Chain one and turn your work. Put a single crochet in your same space as your chain one. Put a single crochet in the next single crochet. You are now to your chain two space.

You can choose where and how many of these sets of stitches go on your edge, but this is what worked best for my shawl and the yarn that I had left out of the two cakes.

So, in the chain two space but these stitches:

Half double crochet, double crochet, then if you are using beads-pull a bead up close to your hook and chain one as snugly as you can. If you are not using beads, just chain one as normal.

Then you will put a double crochet and a half double crochet back into that same chain two space.

Put a single crochet in the single crochet that is in between the chain two spaces.

The above set of stitches can be worked in every chain two space, or you can do the following sequence of stitches in between.

To make space and conserve yarn, I put two single crochets in each chain two space that I did not want to put a bead. I always put a single crochet in the single crochet stitches that separate the chain two spaces.

On the center stitch:

Half double crochet, double crochet, treble crochet, pull bead up close and chain one, or if not adding beads just chain one. Then treble crochet, double crochet, half double crochet all in the center chain two space. Continue to mirror on the last side everything you did on the first side of your shawl and end with two single crochets.

REPEAT ROWS----

Row Three

CH 3, DC in the same st as your CH3.

2DC in between the next two DC, this is right next to the stitch you just made.

2DC in between next two dc, repeat from *to * until you get to the center ch2 space.

At center ch2 sp: 2DC, ch2, 2DC in between next 2DC.

2DC in between next 2DC. Repeat from * to * until end. 2DC in the last stitch.

Row Four

Ch4, cluster, ch 1 in between next two dc. Do this in between each two double crochets until the middle center stitch is reached.

At center ch2 sp: Cluster stitch, ch2, cluster stitch.

Place a cluster stitch in the middle of each set of two double crochet like you did on the first half of the shawl this row.

Cluster in between last stitch and double crochet. DC in last stitch.

Row five

CH 1, SC in the same st as ch1.

Ch2 and *sc in ch1 sp. CH2 * repeat from * to center marked ch2 sp.

SC, ch2, sc in the middle-marked stitch. CH2, sc in ch1 sp to end.

2 SC in last stitch.

Row six

Ch3, dc in the same st as ch3.

2dc in each ch2 sp until center stitch. Center stitch: 2DC, ch2, 2DC.

2DC in each ch2 space to end.

2DC in last stitch.