

Yarn Candy Scarf Free Pattern



Pattern Description:

This "Yarn Candy Scarf" is a fun and easy, super long crocheted scarf designed to be made with a 12-day yarn advent calendar or any DK weight scrap yarns.

The pattern features color changes to maintain interest, resulting in a beautiful and colorful accessory to keep you warm and fashionable in just a few days.

Materials Needed & Measurements:

- **Yarn:**
 - **12 (20 g) mini skeins SW Merino DK weight yarn** (various colors).
 - **1 skein of contrasting color SW Merino DK weight yarn** (100 g/245 yds).
 - Each mini skein section requires approximately **18 g/50 yds/46 m** of DK wt SW Merino yarn.
 - Each contrast color section requires approximately **9 g/22 yds/20 m** of DK wt SW Merino yarn.
 - You will need approximately **700-800 yds of DK wt yarn** in total.
 - **Substitution:** You can also substitute by holding **2 strands of ANY fingering wt yarn together**.
- **Yarn Weight:** DK (double knit) weight.
- **Hook:** US 10.5/K/6.5 mm crochet hook.
- **Measurements:**

- **Finished Size:** 122"/279 cm long x 8"/20 cm wide.
- **Gauge:** 13 dc (measured at an angle to match direction of sts) + 5 rows (dc) = 4" (10 cm) on a size US 10.5/K/6.5 mm crochet hook (blocked).

Stitches & Abbreviations Used:

- **Bo** = bobble stitch (*YO, insert hook into st and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops; rep from *4 times. YO and draw through all 5 loops)
- **BLO** = back loop only
- **Ch** = chain
- **Dc** = double crochet
- **DK** = double knit
- **G** = gram(s)
- **Sc** = single crochet
- **Sk** = skip
- **St(s)** = stitch(es)
- **SW** = superwash
- **Wt** = weight

Instructions for Making the Yarn Candy Scarf Pattern:



Starting with Mini Skein/Color 1

- **Chain (Ch) 40** using your first 20 g mini skein/color 1.

- **Row 1:** Work **2 dc** in the 3rd ch from the hook. Then, dc in **each** of the next 17 ch. **Sk 2 chs.** Dc in **each** of the next 17 ch. Finally, work **2 dc** in the last ch. Turn your work.
- **Row 2:** Ch 2 (does not count as a st). Work **2 dc** in the first st. Then, dc in **each** of the next 17 sts. **Sk 2 sts.** Dc in **each** of the next 17 sts. Finish with **2 dc** in the last st. Turn.
- **Rows 3-10: Rep Row 2** a total of 8 times, or until you have used up most of your first 20 g mini skein.

Introducing the Contrasting Color

- **Row 11:** Using your contrasting color yarn and **while weaving in the previous color as you crochet**, ch 2 (does not count as a st). Work **2 dc in the BLO** of the first st. Then, dc in the **BLO of each** of the next 17 sts. **Sk 2 sts.** Dc in the **BLO of each** of the next 17 sts. Finish with **2 dc in the BLO** of the last st. Turn.
- **Row 12: Repeat the last row** (Row 11).
- **Row 13:** Ch 2 (does not count as a st). Work **2 dc in the BLO** of the first st. Then, dc in the BLO of each of the next 4 sts, work **Bo** in the BLO of the next st; **rep from 3 times total.** Work 1 dc in the next 2 sts. **Sk 2 sts.** Work dc in the BLO of the next 2 sts. Then, **work Bo in the BLO of the next st, dc in the BLO of the next 4 sts; rep from * 3 times total.** Finish with **2 dc in the BLO** of the last st. Turn.

Continuing with Mini Skein/Color 2 and Beyond

- **Rows 14-22:** Using your next 20 g mini skein/color 2, **repeat Row 2** a total of 10 times, or until you almost run out of your second 20 g mini skein.
- **Rows 23-25:** Using your contrasting color yarn, **repeat Rows 11-13.**
- **Continue in this manner**, changing colors as needed, until you have used all 12 of your mini skeins or your scarf reaches your desired length. This means you will alternate between the 10-row mini-skein sections (following the pattern of Rows 2-10 for each mini-skein) and the 3-row contrasting color sections (following the pattern of Rows 11-13).

Finishing and Blocking

Blocking is an essential step to achieve the finished size and drape.

- **Soak your scarf** in warm water with a mild soap for **at least one hour.**
- **Remove excess water** by wrapping the wet scarf in a towel. **Do not let the wet scarf hang unsupported.**
- **Reshape the scarf** to its finished dimensions (122"/279 cm long x 8"/20 cm wide) and lay it flat to dry.
- Once dry, **weave in all loose ends.**

Your "Yarn Candy Scarf" is now complete! Enjoy your beautiful, colorful, and warm accessory.