## DIAMOND INFINITY SCARE







## GAUGE

(Not terribly important, but here to give you a reference point)

Work in DC

4 Rows and 10 sts = 5cm (2 inches)

Pattern is written in US terms.

## DIFFICULTY



Intermediate / Intermédiaire / Intermedio

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

Ch = Chain

BPDC = Back Post Double Crochet BPSC = Back Post Single Crochet

DC = Double Crochet

FPDC = Front Post Double Crochet

FPSC = Front Post Single Crochet

SC = Single Crochet

Sk = Skip stitch

Slst = Slip Stitch

\*-\* Repeat area

# MATERIALS REQUIRED





260 - 400 metres (280 - 440 yards) yarn of choice. I recommend DK or worsted weight.

Hook to match yarn (I used 3.75mm)

Yarn needle for weaving ends.

Optional, sewing needle, thread and buttons.

## RECOMMENDED YARN

I used Noema by Louisa Harding. It's gorgeous and drapes beautifully. It says it's worsted weight (4) but it actually works up more like a DC (3). I recommend getting at least 3 balls. (I used 1.5 - 1.8 balls for the sample) But any yarn that has a nice drape will work. I used Rico Designs Cotton for the middle panel to make it go further, and it also worked nicely.

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# PATTERN NOTES

## Starting chain

This pattern is written to be pretty flexible. If you want to use yarn with a different gauge just adjust your starting chain and your number of section repeats until you're happy with your length. When adding or subtracting stitches from your starting chain, make sure that you use a multiple of 30. (90, 120, 150, 180, 210 etc) My starting chain was about 82cm (32inches) long. You probably don't want your starting chain any longer than this, unless you're planning on wearing your scarf doubled over, so please measure before you start your second row.

## Repeat sections

I have written the pattern with the repeats in the order that I did them on the sample, but you may mix and match them as you wish. I would have liked to do about 5 or 6 repeats and make the scarf wide enough to wear as a hood too, but I just didn't have enough yarn. (Don't ya hate that?)

## Foundation chains and Front/Back Post stitches

The pattern instructions say to use a starting chain, and then stitch into it, but I actually used a Foundation Chain SC on the sample. Feel free to substitute if you're comfortable with chainless foundation stitches. If you're new to Front and Back post stitches there isn't a substitute, but I recommend doing DC not SC for the first and last rows, as they're just a little easier to find the post and work around.

### Section 1

- Chain 150. Slst to join. Take care not to twist your chain!
- 1. Ch1, SC 150. Slst to join. (check that you're happy with length before continuing.)
- 2. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the first SC below. BPDC around each of the next 14 sts. FPDC around the st below. Ch2, sk2, BPDC around each of the next 10 sts, Ch2, sk2\* repeat around. Slst to join.
- 3. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14. FPDC around the FPDC below. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. DC 6. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 4. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14. FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 2, 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. DC 2. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 2.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 5. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14. FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 4, 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into next Ch2 space. DC 4\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 6. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14. FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 4. Ch2, sk2, 2DC into Ch2 space. Ch2, sk2, DC 4.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 7. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14. FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 2, Ch2, sk2, 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2, DC 2.\* repeat around, slst to join.
- 8. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14. FPDC around the FPDC below. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 6. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2.\* Repeat around, slst to join.

#### Section 2

- 1. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC from the row below. Ch2, sk2, BPDC around each of the next 10 sts, Ch2, sk2\* repeat around. Slst to join.
- 2. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. DC 6. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 3. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 2, 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. DC 2. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 2.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 4. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 4, 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into next Ch2 space. DC 4\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 5. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 4. Ch2, sk2, 2DC into Ch2 space. Ch2, sk2, DC 4.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 6. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 2, Ch2, sk2, 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2, DC 2.\* repeat around, slst to join.
- 7. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 6. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2.\* Repeat around, slst to join.

### Section 3

- 1. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. Ch2, sk2, BPDC around each of the next 10 sts, Ch2, sk2. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below. 2DC into the ch2 space. BPDC 10. 2DC into the ch2 space.\* repeat around. Slst to join.
- 2. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. DC 6. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 3. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 2, 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. DC 2. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 2. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 4. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 4, 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into next Ch2 space. DC 4. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 5. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 4. Ch2, sk2, 2DC into Ch2 space. Ch2, sk2, DC 4. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14.\* Repeat around, slst to join.
- 6. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. DC 2, Ch2, sk2, 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2, DC 2. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14.\* repeat around, slst to join.
- 7. Ch 2 \*FPDC around the FPDC below. Ch2, sk2. 2DC into Ch2 space below. DC 6. 2DC into Ch2 space below. Ch2, sk2. FPDC around the FPDC from the row below, DC 14.\* Repeat around, slst to join.

### **Finishing Row**

Once you're happy with the number of section repeats, finish by doing a row of BPSC. (or BPDC if you started with a DC row) Work a BPSC into every DC below, work a FPSC into every FPDC below, and SC2 into each Ch2 space.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

**Optional**. You can also make a little collar as pictured. Mine was about 27 rows of 12x SC. On the second to last row I did SC 2, Ch2, Sk2, SC 4, Ch2, Sk2, SC 2, to make 2 buttonholes. Sew your buttons on the opposite end from the buttonholes.

I hope you enjoy your infinity scarf! ©