



# Maite Shawl

BY CLAIRE MONTGOMERIE

A simple twist on the beloved granny shawl, this stunning Mexican-inspired colourway is the perfect way to brighten your autumn wardrobe.



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## MATERIALS

- Patons Merino Extrafine DK, 100% wool, 50g/120m/131yds
- Yarn A:** Chartreuse 174 x 1 ball
- Yarn B:** Pale Pink 135 x 1 ball
- Yarn C:** Majesty 153 x 1 ball
- Yarn D:** Wine 132 x 1 ball
- Yarn E:** Scarlet 130 x 1 ball
- Yarn F:** Teal 169 x 1 ball
- Yarn G:** Pink 137 x 1 ball
- Yarn H:** Mint 167 x 1 ball
- 4mm hook

## TENSION

Exact tension is not essential for this design.

## MEASUREMENTS

**Width at widest point:**

150cm/59in.

**Depth at deepest point:**

100cm/39½in.

## DESIGNER BIOGRAPHY

Claire Montgomerie is a textiles designer specialising in knitting and crochet, constructing fabrics, garments, creatures and accessories which are fun, quirky and modern. Find out more at [www.montyknits.blogspot.com](http://www.montyknits.blogspot.com).

## PATTERN NOTES

3ch at beginning of row counts as 1tr unless otherwise stated.

4ch at beginning of row counts as (1tr, 1ch) unless otherwise stated.

1ch at beginning of row does not count as a st unless otherwise stated.

Turn every row unless otherwise stated.

Change colour at end of each row and work in one-row stripes of each yarn in order of yarn A through to yarn H.

## START SHAWL

Using 4mm hook and yarn A, 4ch, join with sl st in first ch to form a ring. (Change colour every row, working in stripe sequence.)

**Row 1:** 4ch (counts as 1tr, 1ch here and throughout), 3tr in ring, 3ch, 3tr in ring, 1ch, 1tr in ring, turn.

**Row 2:** 4ch, 3tr in 1ch-sp, 1ch, (3tr, 3ch, 3tr) in 3ch-sp, 1ch, 3tr in 1ch-sp, 1ch, 1tr in third ch of t-ch, turn.

**Row 3:** 4ch, (3tr, 1ch) in each

1ch-sp to point, (3tr, 3ch, 3tr) in 3ch-sp at point, 1ch, (3tr, 1ch) in each 1ch-sp to end, 1tr in third ch of t-ch, turn.

**Row 4:** As Row 3.

**Row 5:** 3ch, 1tr in each tr and 1ch-sp to point, (3tr, 3ch, 3tr) in 3ch-sp at point, 1tr in each tr and 1ch-sp to end, turn – 40tr.

**Row 6:** 4ch, miss next tr, [(1tr, 1ch) in next tr, miss next tr] across to point, (3tr, 3ch, 3tr) in 3ch-sp at point, [1ch, miss next tr, 1tr in next st] to end, turn – 26tr.

**Row 7:** 3ch, 1tr in each tr and 1ch-sp to point, (3tr, 3ch, 3tr) in 3ch-sp at point, 1tr in each tr and 1ch-sp to end, turn – 52tr.

**Row 8:** 4ch, miss next tr, [1tr in each of next 3 sts, 1ch, miss next tr] across to point, (3tr, 3ch, 3tr) in 3ch-sp at point, 1ch, miss next tr, [1tr in each of next 3 sts, 1ch, miss next tr] to last st, 1tr in last st, turn – 44tr.

**Rows 9–11:** As Row 3.

**Row 12:** As Row 5 – 88tr.

**Row 13:** As Row 6 – 50tr.

**Row 14:** As Row 7 – 100tr.

**Row 15:** As Row 8 – 80tr.

Rep Rows 9–15 until Row 50 or to desired length, working in stripe sequence as set.

If working to Row 50, you will finish with a Row 15 and yarn B.

Change to yarn C and work edge.

**Row 51:** 1ch, 1dc in first st, \* (1dc,

1ch) in 1ch-sp, miss next tr, (1dc, 1ch) in next tr, miss next tr; rep from \* to point, (3dc, 3ch, 3dc) in 3ch-sp at point, 1ch, \*\* miss next tr, (1dc, 1ch) in next tr, miss next tr, (1dc, 1ch in 1ch-sp); rep from \*\* to last tr, 1dc in last tr, turn.

Change to yarn D.

**Row 52:** 1ch, 1dc in first st, 1ch, [miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in ch-sp] across to 3dc at point, miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in next dc, miss next dc, (3dc, 3ch, 3dc) in 3ch-sp, 1ch, miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in next dc, [miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in ch-sp] to last 2 sts, miss next dc, 1dc in last dc, turn.

Change to yarn E.

**Row 53:** 1ch, 1dc in first st, (1dc, 1ch) in 1ch-sp, [miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in ch-sp] across to 3dc at point, miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in next dc, miss next dc, (3dc, 3ch, 3dc) in 3ch-sp, 1ch, miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in next dc, [miss next dc, (1dc, 1ch) in ch-sp] to last ch-sp, 1dc in last ch-sp, 1dc in last dc, turn.

Change to yarn F.

**Row 54:** As Row 52.

Fasten off yarn.

#### FINISHING

Block lightly to shape and weave in all ends.

END



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