The Blueberry Swirl Scarf

Alternative version

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Skill level
Beginner/Intermediate (3/5).

Materials
Yarn:
1 yarn cake of [Karamell](#) in the color [Vanilj (204)](#) from [Falkgarn](#); 80 % acrylic, 20 % wool (200 gram = 380 m).

Crochet hook:
Clover Amour 5 mm.

You also need a measuring tape, a pair of scissors and a darning needle.

Abbreviations (US terms)

ch - chain stitch

tch - turning chain*

ch sp - chain space

sc - single crochet

hdc - half double crochet

dc - double crochet

v stitch - (dc + ch 1 + dc)

puff - puff stitch*

tr2bo - treble 2 bobble*

p - picot (ch 3 then slst through the brackets of the previous stitch)
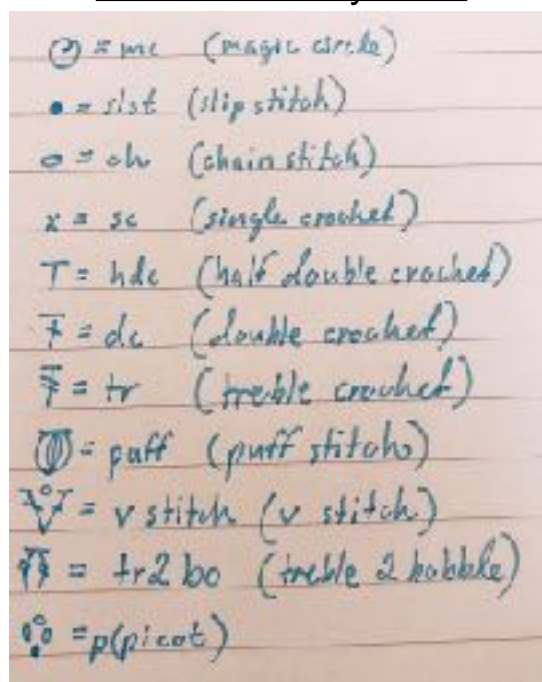
FLO - Front Loops Only

skip - skip the given number of stitches

yo - yarn over

… - repeat instructions for given amount of times

(...) - total number of stitches for the round

Crochet chart symbols

<u>Special stitches</u>
tch - turning chain
A turning chain is simply a regular chain stitch that is used to make the turn easier when starting a new round. Please note that this does not count as a stitch on its own in the pattern.

puff - puff stitch
(yo, insert hook in the stitch and pull up a loop) repeat 4 times in the same stitch. yo again and tilt your hook upwards slightly while you pull through all 9 loops on the hook, chain 1 to close (counts as part of the puff stitch in the pattern and not as a stitch on its own).

tr2bo - treble 2 bobble
Step 1. yo twice, insert hook in the stitch and pull up a loop, *yo and pull through 2 loops* repeat 2 times; do not finish the stitch!
Step 2. yo twice, insert hook back in the same stitch and pull up a loop, *yo and pull through 2 loops* repeat 2 times, yarn over and pull through all 3 loops on the hook.

Other information

•   The pattern is worked in rows, turn after every row and use standing stitches to begin each new (if not stated otherwise).

Please note that the standing stitches can be switched for a chain start if preferred; chain 1 instead of a standing single crochet and chain 2 instead of a standing double crochet.

•   The finished Alternative Blueberry Swirl Scarf measures approximately 18 x 180 cm, unblocked.

•   To keep track of the number repeats you have made; count the number of puff rows (row 27). When finished the 17th repeat unite; you should have 18 repeats of row 27.

Size

One yarn cake of Karamell gives you an approximately 180 cm long scarf (tassels excluded). I recommend that you cut your tassels BEFORE beginning to crochet, see instructions on pages 8-9.

Gauge: 10 cm / 4" = 8 rows + 14 sts in dc.

My beginning (row 1-14) is 14 cm tall, and ending (row 127-134) is 12 cm. One pattern repeat unite (row 27, 28 and 16-19) measures 8 cm.
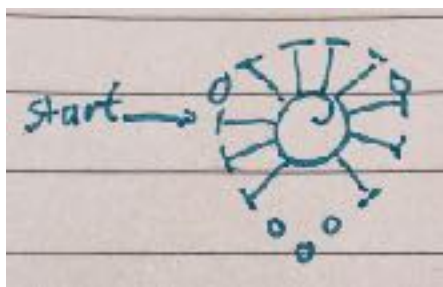
Size adaptions:
The body consists of the following pattern repeat: row 27 (puffs), row 28 (v stitches in puffs) and then row 16-19 (v stitches).

- To make your scarf **longer**; continue the pattern repeat until you have reached the desired size.
- To make your scarf **shorter**; stop after a last row of the pattern repeat and go directly to the finishing rows (127-134).
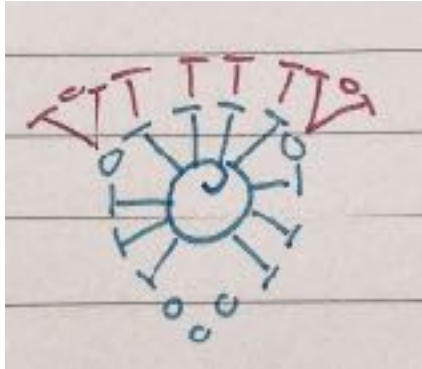
Pattern

Row 1. *In a magic circle;*
3 hdc, ch 3, 3 hdc, ch, 4 hdc, ch 1, slst in the first hdc, tch, turn (10 + 5 ch).

Crochet chart: Row 1

Row 2.

skip 1 st *(the first hdc in the corner)*, (hdc + ch 1 + hdc in ch-1 sp), hdc in next 4 sts, (hdc + ch 1 + hdc) in next ch-1 sp, skip 1 st *(the last hdc of the corner)*, tch, turn (8 + 2 ch).

Crochet chart: Row 1-2

Row 3.

skip 1 st *(the first hdc in the corner)*, (hdc + ch 1 + hdc in ch-1 sp), hdc in next 6 sts, (hdc + ch 1 + hdc) in next ch-1 sp, skip 1 st *(the last hdc of the corner)*, tch, turn (10 + 2 ch).

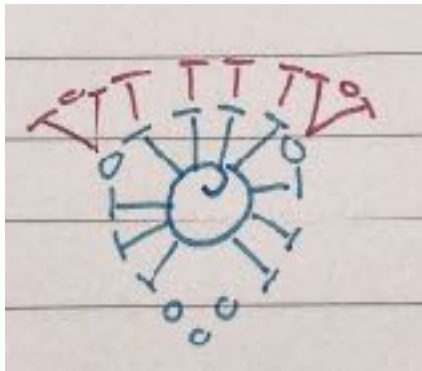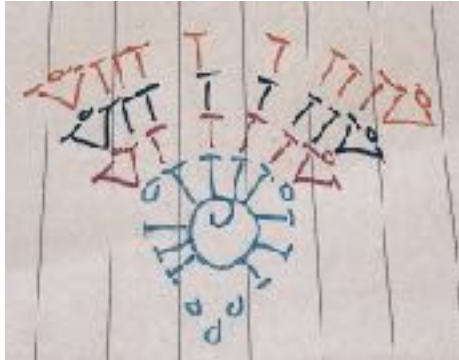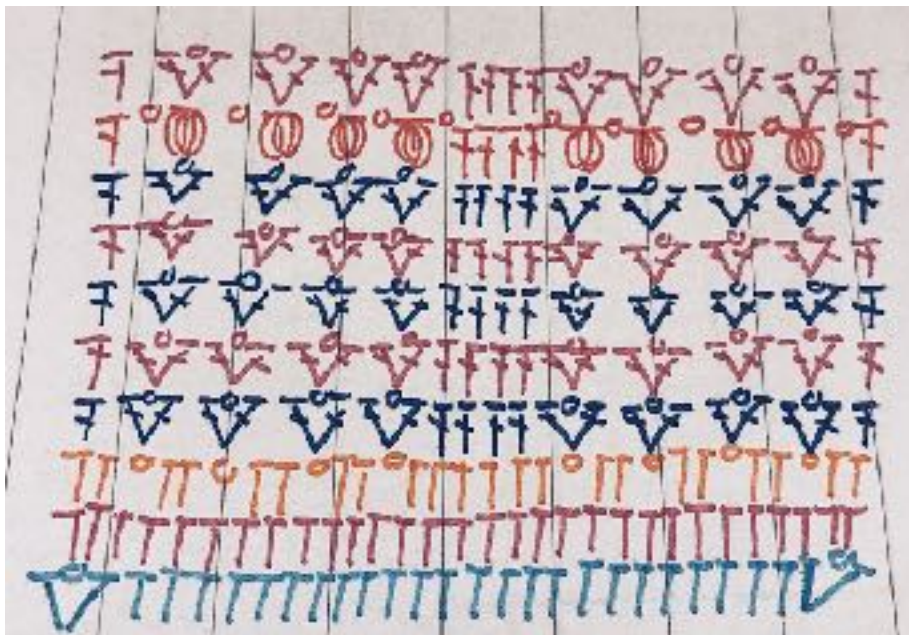*Crochet chart: Row 1-3*

Row 4.
skip 1 st *(the first hdc in the corner)*, (hdc + ch 1 + hdc in ch-1 sp), hdc in next 8 sts, (hdc + ch 1 + hdc) in next ch-1 sp, skip 1 st *(the last hdc of the corner)*, tch, turn (12 + 2 ch).

Crochet chart: Row 1-4

Row 5-12. Continue like this (adding 2 stitches every row) for the next 8 rows.

Crochet chart: Row 12-21

Row 13.
skip 1 st *(the first hdc in the corner)*, (2 hdc in ch-1 sp), hdc in next 26 sts, (2 hdc in next ch-1 sp), skip 1 st *(the last hdc of the corner)*, turn (30 hdc). *Please note that there is no tch in the end of this row.*

From here on all rows begin with a standing stitch (alternative a ch start, see other information on page 3).

Row 14.
hdc in next 2 sts, ch 1, skip 1 st repeat 4 times, hdc in next 6 sts, *ch 1, skip 1 st, hdc in next 2 sts* repeat 4 times, turn (22 hdc, 8 ch-1 sp).

Row 15. *v stitches are worked in the ch-1 sps from the previous row.*
dc in first st, skip 1 st, v stitch, *skip 2 sts, v stitch* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next 4 sts, *skip 2 sts, v stitch* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next st, turn (6 dc, 8 v stitches).

Row 16. *v stitches are worked in the v stitches from the previous row (i.e. around the ch-1 sp).*
dc in first st, *skip 1 st, v stitch* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next 4 sts, *skip 1 st, v stitch* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next st, turn (6 dc, 8 v stitches).

Row 17-19.
Repeat row 16; 3 times (3 rows).

Row 20. *puff stitches are worked in the v stitches from the previous row (i.e. around the ch-1 sp).*
dc in first st, ch 1, *skip 1 st, puff, ch 1* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next 4 st, ch 1, *skip 1 st, puff, ch 1* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next st, turn (6 dc, 10 ch-1 sp 8 puff).

Row 21. *v stitches are worked on top off the puff stitches from the previous row (i.e. in the closing chain).*

dc in first st, *skip 1 st, v stitch* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next 4 sts, *skip 1 st, v stitch* repeat 4 times, skip 1 st, dc in next st, turn (6 dc, 8 v stitches).

Row 22-25.

Repeat row 16; 4 times (4 rows).

Continue on crocheting this pattern repeat 17 more times:

Row 20 (puffs), row 21 (v stitches in puffs) and then repeat row 16-19 (v stitches).

Crochet chart: Row 126-134

Row 127. *puff stitches are worked in the v stitches from the previous row (i.e. around the ch-1 sp).*

ch 3, skip 1, *puff, ch 2, skip 2 sts* repeat 3 times, puff, ch 1, skip 1 st, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 1 st, *puff, ch 2, skip 2 sts* repeat 3 times, puff, skip 1, dc in next st, turn (5 dc, 8 puffs, 1 ch-3 sp, 6 ch-2 sp, 2 ch-1 sp).

Row 128. *v stitches are worked in v stitches from the previous row (i.e. around the ch-1 sp).*

ch 3, skip 1 st, *v stitch, skip puff* repeat 3 times, ch 1, skip ch-1 sp, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 2 sts, *v stitch, skip puff* repeat 3 times, dc in the 3rd ch from previous row, turn (6 v stitches, 5 dc, 1 ch-3 sp, 2 ch-1 sp).

Row 129.

ch 3, skip 1 st, *puff, ch 2, skip 2 sts* repeat 2 times, puff, ch 1, skip 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 2 sts, *puff, ch 2, skip 2 sts* repeat 2 times, puff, skip 1 st, dc in the 3rd ch from previous row, turn (6 puffs, 5 dc, 1 ch-3 sp, 4 ch-2 sp, 2 ch-1 sp).

Row 130.

ch 3, skip 1 st, v stitch, skip puff, v stitch, ch 1, skip 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 2 sts, v stitch, skip puff, v stitch, dc in the 3rd ch from previous row, turn (4 v stitches, 5 dc, 2 ch-1 sp, 1 ch-3 sp).

Row 131.

ch 3, skip 1 st, puff, ch 2, skip 2 sts, puff, ch 1, skip 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 2 sts, puff, ch 2, skip 2 sts, puff, skip 1 st, dc in the 3rd ch from previous row, turn (4 puffs, 5 dc, 2 ch-2 sp, 2 ch-1 sp, 1 ch-3 sp).

Row 132.

ch 3, skip 1 st, v stitch, ch 1, skip 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 2 sts, v stitch, skip 2 sts, dc in the 3rd ch from previous row, turn (2 v stitches, 5 dc, 1 ch-3 sp, 2 ch-1 sp).

Row 133.

ch 3, skip 1 st, puff, ch 1, skip 2 sts, dc in next 4 sts, ch 1, skip 2 sts, puff, skip 1 st, dc in the 3rd ch from previous row, turn (2 puff, 5 dc, 1 ch-3 sp, 2 ch-1 sp).

Row 134.
ch 4, skip 3 sts, tr2bo in next st, p, tr2bo in next st, ch 4, skip 3 sts, close with a sl st in next st, fo (2 ch-4 sp, 2 tr2bo, 1 p, 1 sl st).

Alternative tasseled ending
You may now keep the scarf as it is and be finished, or choose to add tassels to the two ends. If you choose to add tassels please do them before you start crocheting to make sure you have enough yarn for them.

The Blueberry Swirl Scarf is approximately 18 cm wide so my tassel length is about 20 cm. I simply used a book that was 20 cm across and wrapped my yarn around it 20 times and then cut them into fringes.

As the Karamell is multicolored so if you want the tassels to have the same color as the beginning and end v; make one tassel from the beginning yarn tail, and the second from the finishing yarn tail (pulled from the middle).

How to do a tassel (step 1-6.1):

Step 1.

Wrap the yarn around a book 20 times.

Step 2.

Thread a darning needle with 20 cm yarn (that is in the same color as the end it's gonna be placed at), push it under all of the top strands of the tassel and tie a tight double knot.

Step 3.

Cut the threads at the bottom of the tassel, and then remove from the book.

Step 4.

Thread the darning needle with a piece of yarn longer than the tassel (*but in the same color as it*); wrap around (*creating a head*) and tightly tie a double knot around it.

Step 4.1

Thread the long ends on the darning needle, push it into the tassel over the knot and down among the rest of the threads. Step 4.2 Repeat step 4 and 4.1 for the second end.

Step 5.

Trim the ends.

Step 6.

Attach the first tassel through the ch-3 sp of row 1 with a double knot and then weave in the ends on the backside.

Step 6.1.

Attach the second tassel in the same way but through the middle of the picot made in the final row (134).

Finished!