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## Shoal

crocheted in **Ultra® Alpaca Fine** | [color info](#)  
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## Abbreviations &amp; Terms

Yarn used ...



Ultra Alpaca Fine



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Shoal is a gorgeous crocheted variation on traditional Shetland Hap shawls which have a plain central panel and gracefully wavy lace edges. Crocheted in oceanic shades of **Ultra Alpaca Fine**, this shawl can be worn as a luxurious wrap or used as a small lap throw.

**PDF Pattern Instructions**(If you can't open this PDF file you need Adobe Acrobat Reader. Get it [here](#).)**Skill level:** Easy**FINISHED MEASUREMENTS**

Approximately 54" square

**MATERIALS**

4 Hanks **BERROCO ULTRA ALPACA FINE** (100 grs), #1288 Blueberry Mix (MC) and 2 hanks each #1285 Oceanic Mix (A), #1277 Peat Mix (B) and #1294 Turquoise Mix (C)  
Crochet hook, size 3.25 mm (D-3) OR SIZE TO OBTAIN GAUGE

**GAUGE**

24 sc's = 4" 30 rows = 4" in sc

TO SAVE TIME, TAKE TIME TO CHECK GAUGE

**STITCH GLOSSARY****Dec A**

Yo, insert hook in dc st and draw up a loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook, yo, skip 1 st, insert hook in next st, draw up a loop, yo, pull through 2 loops on hook, yo, draw through all 3 loops on hook

**Dec B**

Yo, insert hook in dc st and draw up a loop, yo and pull through 2 loops on hook, yo, skip 3 sts, insert hook in dc st, draw up a loop, yo, pull through 2 loops on hook, yo, pull through all 3 loops on hook

Inc

Dc, ch 3, dc all in same st

### **SHAWL** (Center Section)

With crochet hook, using MC, ch 203.

Row 1: Sc in 3rd ch from hook, ch 1, skip 1 ch, \* sc in next ch, ch 1, skip 1 ch, rep from \* across, end sc in last ch – 101 ch-1 spaces. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 2, \* sc in ch-1 space, ch 1, rep from \* across. Turn. Rep Row 2 198 times more. Turn. Change to C.

### **BORDER**

**Rnd 1:** With C, ch 4 (counts as 1 dc and ch-1), skip ch-1 space, \* (dc in next sc, ch 1, skip ch-1 space) 3 times, skip next ch-1 space, dec A, ch 1, skip ch-1 space, (dc in next sc, ch 1, skip ch-1 space) 3 times, Inc, rep from \* to corner, dc, ch 3, Inc in corner st, rep from \* around, working in every other row each side, end dc in last row, ch 3, join with a sl st in top of beg ch-4.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc), \* (dc in ch-1 space, dc in next dc) twice, dc in ch-1 space, dec B, (dc in ch-1 space, dc in next dc) 3 times, (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc all in ch-3 space), dc in next dc, rep from \* to corner, 2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc in corner ch-3 space, rep from \* around, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Change to A.

**Rnd 3:** With A, ch 4, skip dc, (dc in next dc, ch 1, skip 1 dc) twice, dec A, ch 1, skip next dc, \* (dc in next dc, ch 1, skip 1 dc) 3 times, inc in ch-3 space, ch 1, skip 1 dc, (dc, ch 1, skip 1 dc) 3 times, dec A, ch 1, skip 1 dc, rep from \* to corner, in corner space work dc, ch 1, dc, ch 3, dc, ch 1, dc, ch 1; rep from \* around, join with a sl st in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

**Rnd 4:** Rep Rnd 2.

**Rnd 5:** Rep Rnd 3.

**Rnd 6:** Rep Rnd 2.

**Rnd 7:** Rep Rnd 3, except in corner spaces, work dc, ch 1, dc, ch 1, dc, ch 5, dc, ch 1, dc, ch 1, dc, ch 1).

**Rnd 8:** Rep Rnd 2.

**Rnd 9:** Rep Rnd 6.

**Rnd 10:** Rep Rnd 2. Change to C.

**Rnd 11:** Rep Rnd 7.

**Rnd 12:** Rep Rnd 2. Change to B.

**Rnd 13:** Rep Rnd 7.

**Rnds 14, 16, 18 and 20:** Rep Rnd 2.

**Rnds 15, 17 and 19:** Rep Rnd 7.

**Rnds 21 and 22:** Rep Rnds 11 and 12. Change to MC.

**Edging:** Ch 1, work 1 sc in each st and ch-1 space around, (in each corner ch-3 space, work 2 sc, ch 3, 2 sc), join with a sl st in beg ch-1. Fasten off.

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