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Seaside Rendez-Vous

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Skill Level:
Easy

## Material:

BORGO DE' PAZZI, Lebes ( $85 \%$ cotton, $15 \%$ metallic fibre, $50 \mathrm{gr} / 215 \mathrm{~m}, 4$ skeins: color 147)
Crochet Hook $3,5 \mathrm{~mm} / \mathrm{E}$
Tapestry needle
Scissors

## Gauge:

Rows 1-4 of pattern: 4 " width $\times 5$ height

## Construction notes

Seaside Rendezvous is a top-down shawl: starting from a chain ring, it is worked in rows.
It is beginner-friendly: to crochet this project, you have to know chain stitch and US double crochet only.
Border is made with back loop single crochet and picots but, if you prefer, you can just use standard single crochet.
If you want a bigger shawl, keep on working rows 5 and 6 until you have a project of the desired size.
Seaside rendezvous is one of the lesser known Queen songs, and it's mostly made of irony, tongue-in-cheek homour and edonism.
Seaside rendezvous is a transition shawl: perfect to wear on flats, jeans and a shirt for a French feel in the town or for a stealthy date by the seaside.

## Stitches \& abbreviations

chain stitch (ch); double crochet (dc); back loop single crochet (sc blo); picot; space (sp); skip (sk); slip stitch (sl st); space (sp); row (r); repeat (rep).

## Special stitches

Picot: ch 3, sl st in last sc.
NOTE: This pattern is written in US English. UK English readers: please note that an US dc is an UK treble and that an US sc is an UK double.

## Instructions:

Start: ch 5 , join in a ring with a sl st.
1 row: ch 3 (counts as a dc here and and throughout), dc 3 , ch 5 , dc 4 in ch- 5 ring. Turn work.
2 row: ch 4, * dc in next dc, ch 1 * 2 times, dc, ch 2, sc in ch-5 sp, ch 2; rep from * to * 3 more times, dc in last dc. Turn work.

3 row: ch 4, * dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next dc, ch 1 * 2 times, dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next dc, ch 5, dc in next dc , * dc in next dc, dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1 *; rep from * to * 3 times, dc in last dc. Turn work.

4 row: ch 4, (dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next dc twice, ch 1 ) 2 times, dc in ch-1 sp, dc in next dc twice, ch 2 , $s c$ in ch- $5 \mathrm{sp}, \mathrm{ch} 2$ (dc in next dc twice, dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1) 3 times, dc in last dc. Turn work.

5 row: ch 4, dc in ch-1 sp, dc in each dc, * (ch 1, dc in next ch-1 sp), dc in each dc *; rep from * to * until (ch 2, sc, ch 2), ch 5, dc in each dc, * (dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1) dc in each dc *; rep from * to * until last ch-1 sp, dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1, dc in last dc. Turn work.

6 row: ch 4, dc in ch-1 sp, dc in each dc, * (ch 1, dc in next ch-1 sp) dc in each dc * ; rep from * to * until ch-5 sp, ch 2, sc in ch-5 sp, ch 2 *dc in each dc dc in $\mathrm{ch}-1 \mathrm{sp}, \mathrm{ch} 1$ ) *, rep from * to * until the end of the row, dc in last dc. Turn work.

7-58 row: rep rows 5 and 6

## Border

Ch 1, sc blo in each dc, (sc, picot) in each ch-1 sp.

## Finishing

Break yarn, weave in ends.
Wash and block to size.

- Chain stitch
+ Single crochet
F Double crochet


