



TUNISIAN CROCHET PATTERN

# Madeleine

Scarf


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## MATERIALS

1 skein of Twister col. 34

Tunisian crochet hook 3.5 mm (US E/4)

## YARN QUALITY

 **Twister**, Hobbii  
55% cotton, 45% acrylic  
250 g (8.8 oz) = ca. 1000 m (1.094 yrd)

## GAUGE

10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") = 25 sts x 15 rows

## ABBREVIATIONS

FP = Forward Pass;  
RP = Reverse (Return) Pass;  
VB = Vertical Bar(s);  
tss = Tunisian Simple Stitch;  
twtss = Tunisian Twisted Stitch;  
BBInc = Back Bump Increase;  
DoubleBBInc = Double Back Bump Increase;  
standard Dec = standard decrease;  
Twisted Dec = twisted decrease;  
Ch = Chain  
Ss = Slip Stitch

## SIZE

One Size

## MEASUREMENTS

Width: 25 cm / 9.8"  
Length: 225 cm / 88.6"

## PATTERN INFORMATION

The scarf is worked flat, in "leafy" Tunisian crochet, using basic stitches and techniques (tss, decreasing, increasing). It is worked in multiples of 12 in a 6-rows' repetition pattern for the whole length of the item.

## TECHNIQUES VIDEOS

**Main design:** [https://youtu.be/\\_NFTAqVPOc](https://youtu.be/_NFTAqVPOc)

**Back Bump Increase:**

<https://youtu.be/Tul9yzflxDo>

**Twisted Decrease:**

<https://youtu.be/mNPuIV8yj34>

**Tunisian crochet basics:**

<https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLSFrLHTRf4H4iaSf8ulZqGImVl6wIpxSe>

## HASHTAGS FOR SOCIAL MEDIA

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## QUESTIONS

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Happy Crafting!



# Pattern



## INFO AND TIPS

### Basics Of Tunisian Crochet

All Tunisian crochet is created through a so-called Forward Pass – a stage in which all stitches are cast on the hook – and a Reverse Pass (or Return Pass) – a stage in which those stitches are cast off the hook. A single Row, or Round, always consists of a Forward Pass followed by a Reverse Pass.

“NEAT CLOSING STITCH” - When you reach the last stitch of the Forward Pass – it is the stitch right at the edge of the row -, insert the hook under both the Vertical Bar and the Back Bar of that last stitch. Bring the stitch slightly to the front with your fingers to see exactly where its Back Bar is. This closing technique is done to obtain a neat left edge: both beginning and end edges will look the same and the project will look neater overall.

### Increasing And Decreasing

There are several useful ways to increase and decrease in Tunisian Crochet. They all happen in the Forward Pass, while the Reverse Pass is always performed as usual. In this pattern, I am using the so-called “Back Bump Increase” method.

**BACK “BUMP” INCREASE:** to increase, insert the hook under the Back “Bump” (right behind the Vertical Bar you are supposed to be working in), yarn over and pull up a loop. Proceed working under the same Vertical Bar (you have just worked in its Back “Bump”) as usual.

**DOUBLE BACK “BUMP” INCREASE:** make a Back Bump Increase in a stitch, then make a Tunisian Simple Stitch under the Vertical Bar of that same stitch, finally make another Back Bump Increase in that same stitch.

### To Decrease

**2 TOGETHER STANDARD DECREASE:** to decrease, insert the hook under 2 Vertical Bars together (the one you are supposed to be working in and the one right after it), yarn over and pull up a loop.

**2 TOGETHER TWISTED DECREASE:** to decrease, insert the hook under 2 Vertical Bars together BUT from left to right (beginning from the bar right after the one you are supposed to be working in) and twisting the hook (as in a Tunisian Twisted Stitch), yarn over and pull up a loop.

Just like in knitting and unlike crochet, Binding off stitches at the end of a project is very important in Tunisian Crochet. At the end of the RP the row is completed, but the texture looks “unfinished”. Tunisian Bind Off is usually done with Slip Stitches: insert the hook under the first Vertical Bar, as for Tunisian Simple Stitch, yarn over and pull the loop up and through the loop on the hook. Repeat until the end of the row, then fasten off.

[Find video tutorials on all stitches and techniques used in this pattern at “Hookloopsarah Crochet”: <https://www.youtube.com/Hookloopsarahcrochet>.]

## SCARF

Ch 62 (60 sts + 2 border sts).

Foundation Row: FP: insert the hook in each chain across (preferably in the back “bump”), starting from the second chain from the hook.

Standard RP: without turning your work, yarn over and pull through the 1<sup>st</sup> loop (= Chain 1), then yarn over and pull through 2 loops together and repeat until you cast off all stitches and remain with just one loop on the hook.

- Throughout this pattern, the RP will always be a standard one. I will assume you will make a RP at the end of each FP, when all sts are drawn on the hook, but I will not repeat it in my instructions.
- In my instructions, I will NOT mention the 1<sup>st</sup> and last loop on the hook (= border sts).
- Complete each FP with a “Neat Closing Stitch”(see Info and Tips Section above).
- Instructions are meant stitch after stitch, so where I write “2 tss, 3 tss, etc” it means you should work “2 Tunisian Simple stitches in the next 2 sts, then 3 Tunisian Simple Stitches in the next 3 sts” etc. (of course you will work “2 sts together” in a “standard Dec” and you will add “2 sts” in a “DoubleBBInc”).

**Row 1:** \*Twisted Dec in first 2 sts, 2 tss, DoubleBBInc in next st, 5 tss, standard Dec in next 2 sts. Repeat \* 4 more times.

**Row 2:** \*Twisted Dec in first 2 sts, tss, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, 2 tss, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, 3 tss, standard Dec in next 2 sts. Repeat \* 4 more times.

**Row 3:** \*Twisted Dec in first 2 sts, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, 4 tss, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, 2 tss, standard Dec in next 2 sts. Repeat \* 4 more times.

**Row 4:** \*Twisted Dec in first 2 sts, 5 tss, DoubleBBInc in next st, 2 tss, standard Dec in next 2 sts. Repeat \* 4 more times.

**Row 5:** \*Twisted Dec in first 2 sts, 4 tss, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, 2 tss, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, standard Dec in next 2 sts. Repeat \* 4 more times.

**Row 6:** \*Twisted Dec in first 2 sts, 3 tss, BBInc behind next st, tss in same st, 4 tss, BBInc behind next st, standard Dec in same st and next st together. Repeat \* 4 more times.

Repeat the pattern from Row 1 to Row 6 for the total length of the scarf.

## BIND OFF

Proceed with a standard Bind off (see Info and Tips section above). Cut off yarn and weave in all ends. Block the piece, if necessary. Done!

## Enjoy!

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