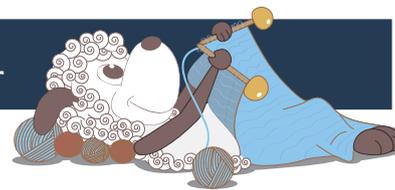


# Andesite - a crocheted jacket with a shawl collar



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*Andesite is a beautiful and elegant classic crocheted jacket. The jacket has a tailored fit with the increases and decreases placed at the sides. The jacket can be used as it is, or it can be closed with a belt or by making a button loop. The sleeve cap shaping gives extra room in the arm holes.  
Note: pattern uses UK terms.*

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## Materials

600 (650) 700 (750) g Peruvian Highland Wool by Filcolana in colour 812 (Granit mélange)  
Hook 6 mm for the jacket, 5 mm for the edge  
2 stitch markers

## Sizes

S (M) L (XL)

## Measurements

Body, chest: 78-88 (88-98) 98-108 (108- 118) cm  
Jacket, chest: 90 (100) 110 (120) cm  
Jacket, lower edge: 90 (100) 110 (120) cm  
Sleeve length: 46 cm  
Full length: 55 cm

## Gauge

17 st and 16 rows in pattern = 10 x 10 cm

## Special abbreviations

Increase (inc): In next chain loop make [ch 1, 1 dc] twice = 2 st increased. Decrease (dec): Ch 1, 2dctog over the next 2 chain loops



## Pattern (multiple by 2)

Row 1: \*Ch 1, skip 1 st, 1 dc in next chain loop\*, repeat from \* to \*. Begin each row with 1 ch. Repeat this row.

**Note:** Ch 1, 1 dc in pattern counts as 2 stitches.

## Directions for crocheting

The jacket is made bottom-up in one piece to the sleeve holes. At this point the fronts and the back are made separately. The collar is made on top of the fronts and joined in the back.

The sleeves are made with increases and a small sleeve cap for better fit. An edging in dc is made along each front edge. There are no button holes, but the jacket can be closed with a shawl needle or you can make a button loop.

## Tip

Avoid changing yarn at the front edge or splice the yarn ends to avoid having to weave in the ends at the edges.

## Back and fronts

Ch 156 (174) 192 (210). Continue in pattern like this: Row 1 (right side): 1 dc in the 3rd ch from the hook, \*ch 1, skip 1 st, 1 dc in next ch\*, repeat from \* to \* to end of row. Turn with 1 ch. Row 2: \*Ch 1, 1 dc in next chain loop\*, repeat from \* to \* to end of row, end with 1 dc in the turning chain. Turn with 1 ch. Repeat row 2 for pattern. Continue like this until it measures 8 cm. End on a row from the wrong side. Place a stitch marker in each side seam = 40 (44) 48 (52) st for each front and 74 (84) 94 (104) st for the back.

## Decreases in the side seams (right side)

Crochet 38 (42) 46 (50) st in pattern, 1 dec, continue in pattern until 41 (45) 49 (53) st are left, 1 dec, continue in pattern to end of row = 4 st decreased = 150 (168) 186 (204) st. Make 5 rows without decreasing. Crochet 36 (40) 44 (48) st in pattern, 1 dec, continue in pattern until 39 (43) 47 (51) st are left, 1 dec, continue in pattern to end of row = 4 st decreased = 146 (164) 182 (200) st. Make 3 rows without decreasing. Crochet 34 (38) 42 (46) st in pattern, 1 dec, continue in pattern until 37 (41) 45 (49) st are left, 1 dec, continue in pattern to end of row = 4 st decreased = 142 (160) 178 (196) st. Continue without decreasing until it measures 20 cm. End on a row from the wrong side.

## Increases in the side seams (right side)

Crochet 34 (38) 42 (46) m in pattern, 1 inc, continue in pattern until 35 (39) 43 (47) st are left, 1 inc, continue in pattern to end of row = 4 st increased = 146 (164) 182 (200) st. Make 7 rows without increasing. Crochet 36 (40) 44 (48) m, 1 inc, continue in pattern until 37 (41) 45 (49) st are left, 1 inc, continue in pattern to end of row = 4 st increased = 150 (168) 186 (204) m. Make 7 rows without increasing.



Crochet 38 (42) 46 (50) st in pattern, 1 inc, continue in pattern until 39 (43) 47 (51) st are left, 1 inc, continue in pattern to end of row = 4 st increased = 154 (172) 190 (208) st.

Now there are 40 (44) 48 (52) st for each front and 74 (84) 94 (104) st for the back. Continue without increases or decreases until it measures 37 (36) 35 (34) cm. End on a row from the wrong side. Now the work is split into fronts and back.

## Right front

Crochet 34 (38) 42 (46) st in pattern from the right side, turn with 1 ch. Continue in pattern over these stitches until it measures 55 cm. End on a row from the right side.

## Right collar (wrong side)

Crochet 16 st in pattern (all sizes), turn, ch 1. Continue in pattern over these stitches until it measures 14 (15) 15 (15) cm. Fasten off. The collar is longer than half the neck as the collar is gathered a bit while sewing it to the neck. The remaining 18 (22) 26 (30) st forms the shoulder.

## Back

Skip 10 (10) 12 (12) st for the arm hole, join yarn from the right side and crochet 66 (76) 82 (92) st in pattern, turn, ch 1. Continue in pattern over these st until it measures 55 cm. Fasten off.

## Left front

Skip 10 (10) 12 (12) m for the arm hole, join yarn from the right side and crochet 34 (38) 42 (46) st, turn, ch 1. Continue in pattern over these stitches until it measures 55 cm. End on a row from the wrong side.

## Left collar (right side)

Crochet 16 st in pattern, turn, ch 1. Continue in pattern over these stitches until it measures 14 (15) 15 (15) cm. Fasten off. The collar is longer than half the neck. The remaining 18 (22) 26 (30) st forms the shoulder.

## Sleeves

Ch 41 (43) 45 (47), turn, ch 1. Continue in pattern. Crochet 12 (10) 10 (8) cm.

1st increase: Increase in the beginning and end of the row = 2 st increase = 42 (44) 46 (48) m.

Make 5 rows without increasing.

2nd increase: Increase in the beginning and end of the row = 2 st increase = 44 (46) 48 (50) m.

Make 5 rows without increasing.

Repeat these 12 rows until you have 56 (60) 62 (66) st. Continue without increasing until it measures 46 cm. Place a marker at each side. Continue without increasing until it measures 49 cm.

## Sleeve cap

Continue in pattern until the last 6 st, \*turn (don't ch), make 1 dc in next chain loop and continue in pattern until the last 6 st\*. repeat from \* to \* until you have turned 3 times in each side. Do not turn, but make 1 sl st in each st to end of row. Fasten off. Make one more sleeve the same way.

## Finishing

Sew the horizontal seams like this: Sew from the right side through the inner loops: 1: Insert needle under the loop from the back and under the loop from the front. \*2: Insert needle under the next loop on the front and the same loop on the back as before. 3: Insert needle under next loop on the back and under the same loop on the front as before \*, repeat from \* to \* (it is like sewing the number eight).

Sew the vertical seams like this: Sew mattress stitches from the right side.

Sew shoulder seams. Join collar in the back, gather the collar a bit when sewing it to the neck. Sew sleeves into the sleeve hole: sew the top of the sleeve (from the marker) along the sleeve hole.

## Front edges

Make a row of dc from the right side along each front edge and collar using hook 5 mm.