20" FIESTA Dress

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(Fits 20" Raven)

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING

Fabrics & Notions

45" wide Bubble Gauze-

1/3 yd. pink -- bottom tier, underskirt(stay)

1/4 vd. yellow -- middle tier

1/4 yd. green -- top tier

1 yd. natural -- blouse, bloomers

1/8" wide double-face satin ribbon-

11/2 yd. pink -- top tier

2 yd. green -- middle tier

2 yd. yellow -- bottom tier

1 yd. of 1/4" wide elastic

NOTE:

- 1. Use 1/4" seams unless otherwise indicated.
- 2. WRST = With Right Sides Together.
- Finish Edge = Finish edge with a satin zig zag stitch or serge seam.

BLOUSE:

- WRST, sew each sleeve to Blouse Front matching •'s. WRST, sew each sleeve Blouse Back matching •'s.
- Cut neck ruffle 4" x 30". Sew ends together to form a circle. Finish lower edge. Place right sides up on bodice neck edge. Stitch.
- 3. Cut neck binding 1" x 30". Sew ends together to form a circle. Finish lower edge. Place WRST over neck ruffle. Stitch. Trim seam. Turn binding to inside. Press. Stitch 3/8" from edge forming a casing, leaving 1" open.
- 4. Press under 1/2" on lower edge of neck ruffle. On outside; place pink ribbon 1/8" from pressed edge. Sew ribbon in place. Place yellow ribbon 1/8" from pink. Sew ribbon in place. Place green ribbon 1/8" from yellow ribbon. Sew ribbon in place.
- Cut a 10" piece of 1/4" wide elastic. Insert into upper casing. Sew elastic ends together. Sew remaining casing closed.
- 6. Turn lower edge under 1/4". Turn again 1/4" forming a casing. Insert a 4" piece of 1/4" wide elastic. Anchor at ends. WRST, sew sleeve and blouse side seams with one line of stitching, catching in elastic ends. Finish seam edge. Shirt-tail hem lower blouse edge.

SKIRT:

- Cut underskirt(stay) 5" x 22". WRST, sew back seam. Finish lower edge. Set aside.
- 8. Cut the skirt tiers as indicated on Guide. For bottom pink tier: WRST, sew tier ends together to form a circle. Finish upper and lower edges. Press upper edge under 1/2". Sew gathering stitches 3/8" from edge. Press lower edge under 1/2".
- 9. On top-side of bottom tier; place yellow ribbon 1/8" from pressed lower edge. Sew in place.



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- 10. With Right Sides Up, pin tier upper edge to underskirt having turned under edge even with underskirt lower edge. Pull gathering threads to fit. Stitch over gathering threads.
- 11. For middle yellow tier: Repeat same procedure as bottom tier, sewing green ribbon 1/8" from lower pressed edge. Measure and mark on underskirt 2" from upper edge. Pin upper pressed edge of middle tier even with markings. Pull gathering threads to fit. Stitch over gathering threads.
- 12. For upper green tier: WRST, sew ends together to form a circle. Finish lower edge. Press under 1/2". On outside; place pink ribbon 1/8" from pressed edge. Sew in place.
- 13. With right sides up; sew tier to underskirt with 1/4" seam. Finish edge. Treat as a single fabric. Press upper edge to inside 1/2". Sew casing leaving 1" open for elastic.
- 14. Cut a 9" piece of 1/4" wide elastic. Insert into casing. Sew ends together. Sew remaining casing closed.

BLOOMERS

- 15. WRST, sew front and back center seams. Turn lower legs edges to the inside 1/4". Turn again forming a casing. Insert 5" piece of 1/4" wide elastic. Anchor at ends. WRST, sew inseam catching in elastic ends.
- 16. Turn upper edge to inside 1/4". Turn again and sew casing. Leave 1" open. Cut a 9" piece of 1/4" wide elastic. Insert into casing. Sew ends together. Sew casing closed.

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