



Granny Square Crop Top INTERMEDIATE CROCHET **#P005**

A crop top pattern that features repeated granny square motifs and a back or front button closure. This pattern is easy to pick up and put down, making it a great summer project. The crop top can be worn at the beach or over other items of clothing as shown. We've also included instructions to create a slightly longer top or to for resizing the bust to fit yourself.

MEASUREMENTS

Size		S	М	L	XL
		8-10	12-14	16-18	20-22
Fits Bust		80	90	100	110
Garment Measures (at bust)		85	95	105	115
Length (approx)		33	34	35	36
Yarn Required: Makr Cotton 8ply	50g balls				
Crop Top: Main colour (M)		2	3	3	3
Contrast Colour (C)		2	3	3	3
1st Colour (C1)		1	1	1	1
2nd Colour (C2)		1	1	1	1
3rd Colour (C3)		1	1	1	1
4th Colour (C4)		1	1	1	1
Longer Top: Main Colour (M)		3	4	4	4
Contrast Colour (C)		3	4	4	4
1st Colour (C1)		1	1	1	1
2nd Colour (C2)		1	1	1	1
3rd Colour (C3)		1	1	1	1
4th Colour (C4)		1	1	1	1

Please use only the yarn specified. Another yarn is likely to yield different results. Quantities are approximate as knitting styles may vary between knitters. Check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

DIFFICULTY ●●●

CROCHET HOOK AND EQUIPMENT:

A 4.00mm crochet hook. Wool needle for sewing in ends. 3 x buttons for crop top **OR** 4 x buttons for longer top.

TENSION:

One granny square measures 6cm x 6cm, using 4.00mm hook.

CROCHET ABBREVIATIONS:

ch:	chain
dc:	double crochet
tr:	treble crochet

- st: stitch
- mr: magic ring, alternatively 6ch, sl st into beg ch and tr into ring

CROP TOP

Colour Motifs:

Make a total of 42 (48-54-60) motifs. Changing yarn colour for beginning and 1st round as follows:

C1 – 11	(12-14-15) motifs.	
C2 – 10	(12-13-15) motifs.	
C3 – 10	(12-13-15) motifs.	
C4 – 11	(12-14-15) motifs.	

LONGER TOP

Colour Motifs:

To add an extra row of motifs, add 14 (16-18-20) motifs. Changing yarn colour as follows:

C1 – 3 (**4**-4-**5**) motifs. **C2** – 4 (**4**-5-**5**) motifs. **C3** – 4 (**4**-5-**5**) motifs. **C4** – 3 (**4**-4-**5**) motifs.

MOTIF

Using first colour and 4.00mm hook, make a mr. **Round 1:** 3ch (counts as tr throughout), 2tr in ring, 2ch, [3tr in ring, 2ch] 3 times. Sl st in top of 3ch to join. Fasten off. **Round 2:** Join M to 2ch sp, [3ch, 2tr, 2ch, 3tr] in same sp, 1ch, * [3tr, 2ch, 3tr] in next sp, 1ch, rep from * twice, 1ch. Sl st to join. Fasten off. **Round 3:** Using C, work 1 round of dc.

SI st to join. Fasten off.

JOIN MOTIFS:

Lay out Motifs, having 14 (16-18-20) across and 3 high for Crop Top (or 4 high for Longer Top). Colours are placed in sets of C1, C2, C3, and C4, rep across row.

For 2nd row, begin with C2 keeping sequence correct. For 3rd row begin with C3 and for 4th row begin with C4.

Join motifs together in rows using C. Then join rows together to form Top.

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BUTTON BAND

Using C, work 1 row of tr around all sides.

NOTE: Extra rows of treble may be added to adjust for bust and waist sizing.

Fold sides in, to create opening at Front (or Back as desired). Work an extra 2 rows of tr along Left edge of opening.

For button band work along Right edge of opening, as follows: **Row 1:** Work 1 row of tr, (miss 2tr and work 2ch) 3 (or 4) times to form button loops, aligning with middle of each Motif. **Row 2:** Work 1 row tr.

SHOULDER STRAPS (MAKE 2)

Using C, make 5ch. **Row 1:** 1dc in 2nd ch from hook, dc to end of row, turn ... 4 sts. **Row 2:** Ch1, 1dc in each st to end of row, turn ... 4 sts. Rep last row until Strap measures 28 (**29**-30-**31**) cm. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Pin Shoulder Straps to Top, approx. 20cm apart.

Check placement before attaching. Add buttons. Sew in ends.

ITEM A: Flat lay of front of garment



ITEM B: Flat lay of back of garment

