



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

ABBREVIATIONS

- Approx** = Approximately
- Beg** = Beginning
- Ch** = Chain(s)
- Cont** = Continue(ity)
- Hdc** = Half double crochet
- Pat** = Pattern
- Rem** = Remaining
- Rep** = Repeat
- Rnd(s)** = Round(s)
- RS** = Right side
- Sc** = Single crochet
- Sl st** = Slip stitch
- Sp(s)** = Space(s)
- St(s)** = Stitch(es)
- Tr** = Treble crochet
- WS** = Wrong side
- Yoh** = Yarn over hook

Beg X-st (over next 3 hdc)= (Yoh) twice. Draw up a loop in next hdc.



Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook .



Skip next hdc. Yoh and draw up a loop in next hdc



(Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 4 times – two “legs” and first “arm” made.



Ch 1. Yoh and draw up a loop through 2 front vertical bars of 2 “legs”.



(Yoh and draw through 2 loops) twice.



beg X-st made.
X-st = (Yoh) twice. Draw up a loop in first “arm” of next X-st. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook. Skip next ch-1 sp of same X-st. Yoh and draw up a loop in second “arm” of the same X-st. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 4 times. Ch 1. Yoh and draw up a loop through 2 front vertical bars of 2 “legs”. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops) twice - X-st made.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee Cotton™ (4.2 oz/120 g; 254 yds/232 m)

Sizes	XS/S	M	L	
Fuchsia (69023)	4	4	5	balls
	905/820	1035/940	1185/1075	yds/m

Sizes	XL	2/3XL	4/5XL	
Fuchsia (69023)	6	7	8	balls
	1360/1235	1625/1476	1845/1675	yds/m

Sizes U.S. E/4 (3.5 mm) and U.S. G/6 (4 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hooks **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® steel yarn needle.

SIZES

To fit chest measurement

XS/S	28-34" [71-86.5 cm]
M	36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm]
L	40-42" [101.5-106.5 cm]
XL	44-46" [112-117 cm]
2/3XL	48-54" [122-137 cm]
4/5XL	56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

Finished chest

XS/S	38" [96.5 cm]
M	42" [106.5 cm]
L	46" [117 cm]
XL	50" [127 cm]
2/3XL	58" [147.5 cm]
4/5XL	64" [162.5 cm]

GAUGES

18 sc and 20 rows = 4" [10 cm] with smaller hook.

6 X-sts and 4½ rows = 4" [10 cm] with larger hook in pat.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written **XS/S (M-L-XL-2/3XL-4/5XL)**. Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

Notes:

- Body is worked in one piece to armholes, then divided for Back and Fronts.
- Ch 2 at beg of rnd **does not** count as st.
- Ch 4 at beg of row counts as tr.

BODY

(See Diagram on page 4).

With smaller hook, ch **175 (193-211-229-265-292)**.

1st row: (RS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain. Turn. **173 (191-209-227-263-290)** hdc.

Change to larger hook and proceed as follows:

2nd row: (RS). Ch 4. *Beg X-st over next 3 hdc. Rep from * to last hdc. 1 tr in last hdc. Turn. **57 (63-69-75-87-96)** X-sts.

2nd row: Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Rep last row for pat until work from beg measures 12" [30.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Divide for Right Front and V-neck shaping:

(See Diagrams on page 5). **1st row:** (RS). Ch 4. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. X-st in each of next **10 (11-13-13-16-18)** X-sts. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked. **10 (11-13-13-15-18)** X-sts.

2nd row: Ch 4. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. X-st in each X-st to last 2 tr. Skip next tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn. Rep last row **1 (1-3-3-5-5)** time(s) more. **8 (9-9-9-10-12)** X-sts.

Proceed as follows:

1st row: (WS). Ch 4. X-st in each st to last 2 tr. Skip next tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 4. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn. Rep last 2 rows **1 (1-1-1-0-0)** time(s) more, then 1st row once. **6 (7-7-7-9-11)** X-sts.

Next row: (RS). Ch 4. X-st in each st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn. Rep last row **0 (1-0-0-2-2)** time(s) more.

Back

With RS facing, skip next **5 (5-5-6-7-9)** X-sts. Join yarn with sl st to ch-1 sp of next X-st.

1st row: (RS). Ch 4. X-st in each of next **21 (25-27-31-35-36)** X-sts. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked. **21 (25-27-31-35-36)** X-sts.

2nd row: Ch 4. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. X-st in each X-st to last X-st. 1 tr in next X-st. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 4. Skip next tr. X-st in each X-st to last 2 tr. Skip next tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows **0 (0-1-1-2-2)** time(s) more. **19 (23-23-27-29-30)** X-sts.

Next row: Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Rep last row **4 (5-4-4-4-4)** times more.

Shape shoulder: Next row: Ch 4. X-st in each of next **6 (7-7-7-9-11)** X-sts. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. Fasten off.

With same side facing as last shoulder row, skip next **5 (7-7-11-9-6)** X-sts. Join yarn with sl st to ch-1 sp of next X-st. Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Fasten off.

Left front and V-neck shaping:

With RS facing, skip next **5 (5-5-6-7-9)** X-sts. Join yarn with sl st to ch-1 sp of next X-st.

1st row: (RS). Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last X-st. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 4. Skip next tr. X-st in each X-st to last X-st. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of last X-st. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Rep last row **1 (1-3-3-5-5)** time(s) more. **8 (9-9-9-10-12)** X-sts.

Next row: (WS). Ch 4. Skip next tr. X-st in each X-st to end of row. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Next row: Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last X-st. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. 1 tr in last tr.

Rep last 2 rows **1 (1-1-1-0-0)** time(s) more, then 1st row once. **6 (7-7-7-9-11)** X-sts.

Next row: (RS). Ch 4. X-st in each st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Rep last row **0 (1-0-0-2-2)** time(s) more.

SLEEVES

With smaller hook, ch **52 (55-58-61-61-64)**

1st row: (WS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain. Turn. **50 (53-56-59-59-62)** hdc.

Change to larger hook and proceed as follows:

2nd row: (RS). Ch 4. *X-st over next 3 hdc. Rep from * to last hdc. 1 tr in last hdc. Turn. **16 (17-18-19-19-20)** X-sts.

3rd row: Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Shape sides: 1st row: (RS). Ch 4. 1 tr in first tr. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 2 tr in last tr. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 4. 1 tr in first tr. 1 tr in next tr. X-st in each X-st to last 2 tr. 1 tr in next tr. 2 tr in last tr.

3rd row: Ch 4. 1 tr in first tr. 1 tr in each of next 2 tr. X-st in each X-st to last 3 tr. 1 tr in each of next 2 tr. 2 tr in last tr. Turn.

4th row: Ch 4. X-st over next 3 tr. X-st in each X-st to last 4 tr. X-st over next 3 tr. 1 tr in last tr.

Rep last 4 rows **2 (2-2-2-3-4)** times more. **22 (23-24-25-27-30)** X-sts.

Next row: Ch 4. X-st in each X-st to last tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn.

Rep last row until work from beg measures 17" [43 cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape Top: 1st row: Sl st in first tr. (Sl st in next st, ch-1 sp, st) **1 (1-1-1-2-3)** times. Sl st in next st and ch-1 sp. Ch 4. Skip next st. X-st in each X-st to last **2 (2-2-2-3-4)** X-sts. Skip next st. 1 tr in next ch-1 sp of next X-st. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked. **18 (19-20-21-21-22)** X-sts.

2nd row: Ch 4. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. X-st in each X-st to last X-st. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of last X-st. 1 tr in last tr. Turn. **16 (17-18-19-19-20)** X-sts

3rd row: Ch 4. Skip next tr. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of next X-st. X-st in each X-st to last X-st. 1 tr in ch-1 sp of last X-st. Skip next tr. 1 tr in last tr. Turn. Rep last row **3 (4-5-5-5-5)** times more. **8 (7-6-7-7-8)** X-sts. Fasten off.

FINISHING

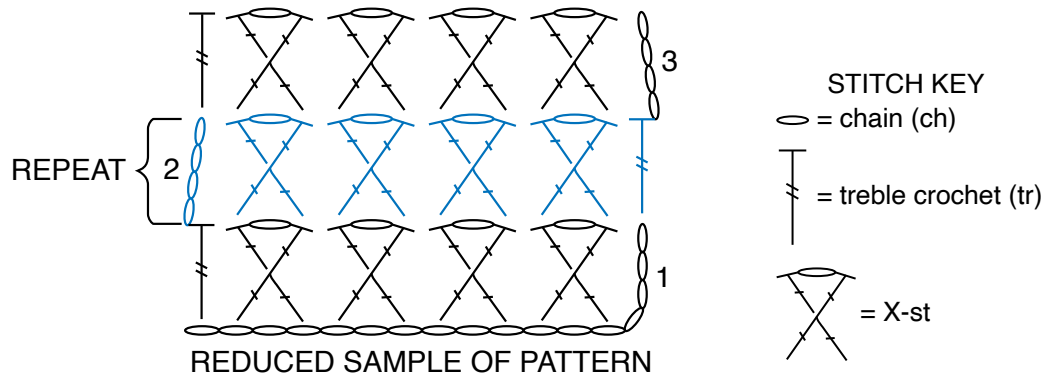
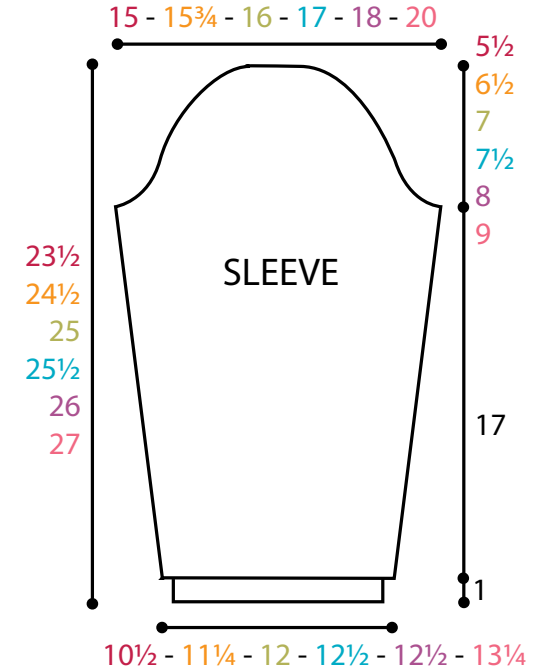
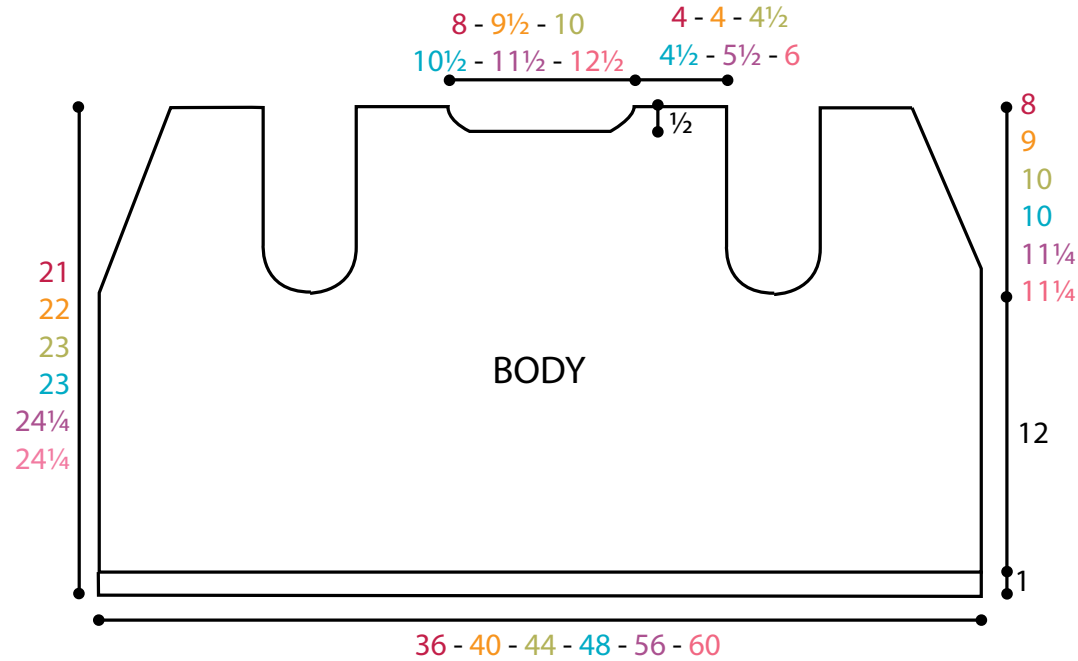
Pin all pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving cloth to dry. PM at beg of V-neck edging on Left and Right Fronts. Sew sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves.

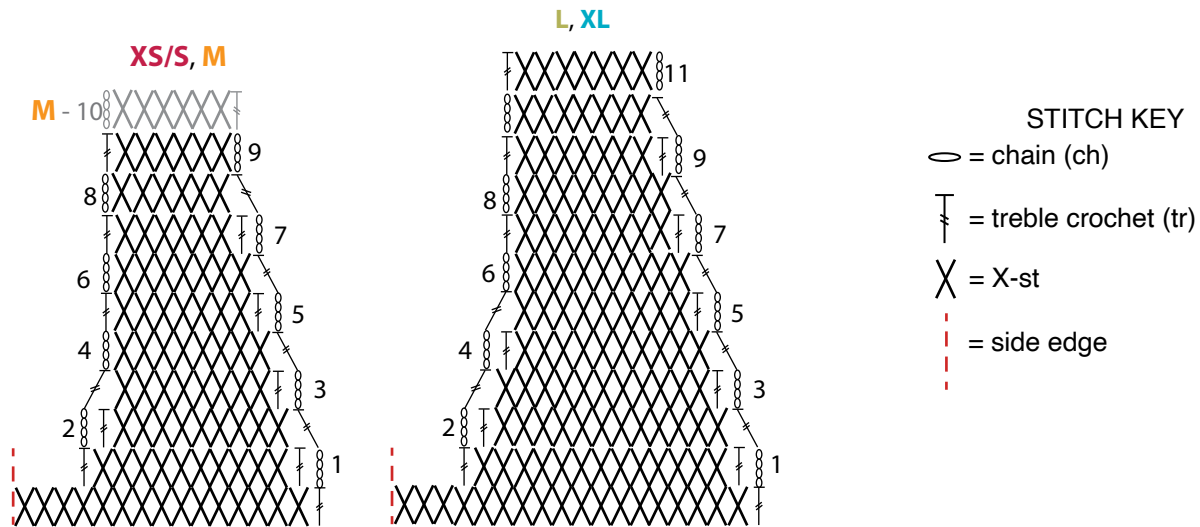
Neck and front Edging: 1st row:

Sew shoulder seams. With RS facing, join yarn with sl st at right bottom corner. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. 3 sc around each post of beg tr to V-neck marker. 2 sc in sp at marked st. PM to 1st st of 2-sc group. 3 sc around each post of beg tr to shoulder seam. 1 sc in each st across back neck edge to next shoulder seam. 3 sc around each post of beg tr to V-neck marker. 2 sc in sp at marked st. PM to 2nd st of 2-sc group. 3 sc around each post of beg tr to left bottom corner. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to marked sc. 2 sc in marked sc. PM to 1st st of 2-sc group. 1 sc in each sc to marked sc. 2 sc in marked sc. PM to 2nd st of 2-sc group. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

3rd row: (Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to marked sc. Ch 40 for tie. *Working in back bumps of esch ch*, sl st in 2nd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain) twice. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Fasten off.





Note: Diagrams show armhole and front V-shaping only

