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CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Ch** = Chain(s)  
**Dc** = Double crochet  
**Hdc** = Half double crochet  
**Pat** = Pattern  
**Rem** = Remain(s)(ing)

**Rep** = Repeat(s)  
**Sc** = Single crochet  
**Sl st** = slip stitch  
**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

## SIZES

To fit child **2 (4-6-8)** year old.

## GAUGE

11.5 sts and 11 rows = 4" [10 cm] in pat.

## INSTRUCTIONS

### Note:

- The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus ( ). 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.

- This pattern is worked in one piece, with minimal seaming. Set aside two 12" [30.5 cm] lengths of yarn before beginning to crochet vest.

## MATERIALS

**Bernat® Pop!™** (4.9 oz/140 g; 280 yds/265 m)

Sizes	2	4	6	8	years
Handcrafted (84036)	1	1	2	2	ball(s)

Size U.S. J/10 (6 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**  
 Yarn needle. Stitch marker.

## Left Front

Ch **35** (35-37-39).

**1st row:** 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 dc in next ch. \*1 sc in next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from \* to end of row. **34** (34-36-38) sts.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next st. 1 dc in next st. Rep from \* across. Turn.

Rep 2nd row **15** (15-17-17) times more.

## Left Underarm

**\*\*1st row:** Ch 1. (1 sc in next st. 1 dc in next st) **10** (10-9-9) times.. Turn. Rem sts left unworked. **20** (20-18-18) sts.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next st. dc in next st. Rep from \* across. Turn.

Rep 2nd row **7** (9-11-13) times more.\*\*

## Back

**1st row:** Ch **15** (15-19-21). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 dc in next ch. (1 sc in next ch. 1 dc in next ch) **6** (6-8-9) times. \*1 sc in the next st. 1 dc in next st. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn. **34** (34-36-38) sts.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next st. 1 dc in next st. Rep from \* across. Turn.

Rep 2nd row **19** (19-21-21) times more.

## Right Underarm:

Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Left Underarm.

## Right Front

**1st row:** Ch **15** (15-19-21). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 1 dc in next ch. (1 sc in next ch. 1 dc in next ch) **6** (6-8-9) times.\*1 sc in the next st.. 1 dc in next st. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn. **34** (34-36-38) sts.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. \*1 sc in next st. 1 dc in next st. Rep from \* across. Turn.

Rep 2nd row **15** (15-17-17) times more.

Place stitch marker in active loop. **Do not** break yarn.

## FINISHING

Using 12" [30.5 cm] lengths of yarn, seam each shoulder to 1" [2.5 cm] from arm opening.

## Ruffle Edging:

Reinsert hook in active loop of yarn.

**1st row:** Ch 1. Work sc evenly along neck edge. Ch 1. Work 5 hdc in each st across back of first row of Left Front. Ch 1. Work sc evenly along bottom hem. Ch 1. Work 5 hdc in each st across last row of Vest. Ch 1. Join to first sc of edging. Fasten off.

