



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
Ch = Chain(s)
Hdc = Half double crochet
Rem = Remaining
Rep = Repeat

RS = Right side
Sc = Single crochet
Sl st = Slip stitch(es)
Sp(s) = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side

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 47" [119.5 cm]
XL 52" [132 cm]
2/3XL 58" [147.5 cm]
4/5XL 61½" [157 cm]

GAUGE

13 single crochet (sc) and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm]

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for **XS/S**. 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: Chain (ch) 2 at beginning (beg) of row **does not** count as half double crochet (hdc).

MATERIALS

Caron® Simply Soft® Speckle™ (5 oz/141 g; 215 m/235 yds)

Sizes	XS/S	M	L	
Honeycomb (61020)	2	2	3	balls
	401/366	455/416	524/479	yds/m
Sizes	XL	2/3XL	4/5XL	
Honeycomb (61020)	3	4	4	balls
	618/565	724/662	821/750	yds/m

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® yarn needle.

FRONT & BACK (make 2 pieces alike)

Chain (ch) **64 (70-79-87-96-102)**.

1st row: [Right side (RS)]. 1 hdc in each of next **8 (11-9-13-11-14)** ch. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. *1 hdc in each of next 8 ch. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. Repeat (rep) from * to last **9 (12-10-14-12-15)** ch. 1 hdc in each of last **9 (12-10-14-12-15)** ch. Turn. **42 (48-52-60-64-70)** hdc and **4 (4-5-5-6-6)** ch-5 sps).

2nd row: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of first **9 (12-10-14-12-15)** hdc. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. *1 hdc in each of next 8 hdc. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. Rep from * to last **9 (12-10-14-12-15)** hdc. 1 hdc in each of last **9 (12-10-14-12-15)** Turn.

Rep 2nd row until work from beg measures approximately (approx) **11¾ (11¾-11¾-12½-13-14)" [30 (30-30-32-33-35.5) cm]**, ending on a Wrong Side (WS) row.

Armhole Shaping: 1st row: (RS). Slip stitch (sl st) in each of first 4 hdc. Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of next **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. *Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. 1 hdc in each of next 8 hdc. Rep from * to last **14 (17-15-19-17-20)** sts. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. 1 hdc in each of next **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. **Turn.** Leave remaining (rem) 4 stitches (sts) unworked. **34 (40-44-52-56-62)** hdc and **4 (4-5-5-6-6)** ch-5 sps.

2nd row: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of first **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. *1 hdc in each of next 8 hdc. Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. Rep from * to last **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. 1 hdc in each of last **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. Turn.

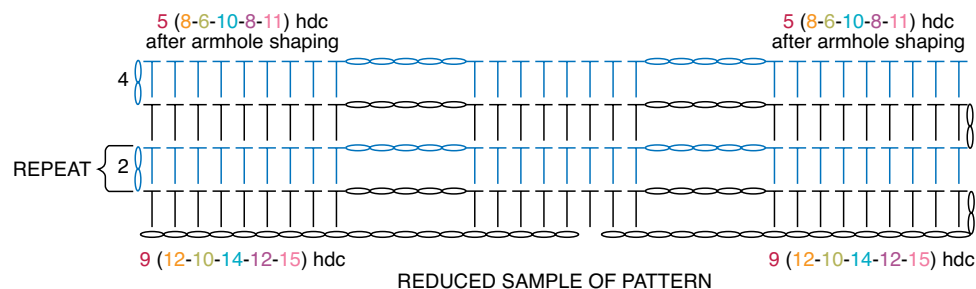
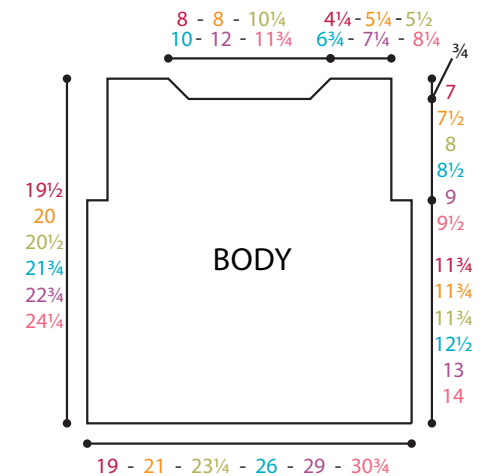
Rep 2nd row until Armholes measure approx **7 (7½-8-8½-9-9½)" [18 (19-20.5-21.5-23-24) cm]**, ending on a WS row.

Neck Shaping: 1st row: (RS). Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of first **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. Ch **9 (9-12-12-16-16)**. Skip next 5 ch. 1 hdc in each of next 8 hdc. *Ch 5. Skip next 5 ch. 1 hdc in each of next 8 hdc. Rep from * to last ch-5. Ch **9 (9-12-12-16-16)**. Skip next 5 ch. 1 hdc in each of last **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 2. 1 hdc in each of first **5 (8-6-10-8-11)** hdc and **4 (4-7-7-11-11)** ch, skipping 5 ch. Ch 2. Loosely sl st in each st and ch to last ch-**9 (9-12-12-16-16)**. Loosely sl st in each of next 5 ch. Ch 2. 1 hdc in each st and ch to end of row. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Pin all pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving cloth to dry. Sew shoulder and side seams.



STITCH KEY

- = chain (ch)
- = slip stitch (sl st)
- ⌋ = half double crochet (hdc)