



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** =

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**Beg** = Begin(ning)(s)

**Bobble** = (Yoh and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 5 times in indicated stitch. Yoh and draw through all 6 loops on hook

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Dc4tog** = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next stitch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 4 times. Yoh and draw through all 5 loops on hook

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

**Inc** = Increase

**Pat** = Pattern

**Picot** = Ch 3. Sl st in 3rd ch from hook

**PM** = Place marker

**Rep** = Repeat

**Rnd(s)** = Round(s)

**RS** = Right side

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

**Sc** = Single crochet

**Sc2tog** = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 stitches. Yoh and draw through all 3 loops on hook

**Sp(s)** = Space(s)

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

## MATERIALS

Sizes	XS/S	M	L	XL	2/3XL	4/5XL	
<b>Caron® Simply Soft®</b> (6 oz/170.1 g; 315 yds/288 m)							
<b>Contrast A</b>							
Pagoda (0014)	1	1	2	2	2	3	ball(s)
<b>Contrast D</b>							
Chartreuse (9771)	1	1	1	1	2	2	ball(s)
<b>Contrast E</b>							
Off White (9702)	1	1	1	1	2	2	ball(s)
<b>Caron® Simply Soft® Brites™ shades</b> (6 oz/170.1 g; 315 yds/288 m)							
<b>Contrast B</b>							
Watermelon (9604)	1	1	1	2	2	2	ball(s)
<b>Contrast C</b>							
Mango (9605)	1	1	1	2	2	2	ball(s)
Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook <b>or size needed to obtain gauge.</b> Stitch markers. Yarn needle.							

## SIZES

### To fit bust measurement

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

### Finished bust

<b>XS/S</b>	43" [109 cm]
<b>M</b>	46" [117 cm]
<b>L</b>	50" [127 cm]
<b>XL</b>	57" [144.5 cm]
<b>2/3XL</b>	60" [152.5 cm]
<b>4/5XL</b>	66" [167.5 cm]

## GAUGES

17 sts and 13 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Stripe Pat.

Motif = 4" [10 cm] square.

## INSTRUCTIONS

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.

### Notes:

- Ch 3 at beg of rnd counts as dc.
- Motifs are joined as you work. Make all Motifs through 3rd rnd and choose color placement before working 4th rnd to join.

### First Motif

With Color 1, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form a ring. See diagram on page 5.

**1st rnd:** Ch 3. [3 dc. (Ch 2. 4 dc) 3 times] all in ring. Ch 2. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

**2nd rnd:** Join Color 2 with sl st to any ch-2 sp. Ch 1. (1 sc. Ch 2. 1 sc) in same sp as sl st. \*Ch 4. Dc4tog. Ch 4. (1 sc. Ch 2. 1 sc) in next ch-2 sp. Rep from \* twice more. Ch 4. Dc4tog. Ch 4. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

**3rd rnd:** Join Color 3 with sl st to any ch-2 sp. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. \*(Ch 4. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp) twice. Ch 4. 1 sc in next ch-2 sp. Rep from \* twice more. (Ch 4. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp) twice. Ch 2. 1 dc in top of first sc.

**4th rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc around post of last dc. \*Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3. (3 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3. \*\* 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Rep from \* twice more, then from \* to \*\* once. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

### Joining 2 Motifs

Work 1st to 3rd rnds as given for First Motif.

**4th rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc around post of last dc. \*Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3. (3 dc. Ch 2. 3 dc) in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Rep from \* once more. Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3. \*(3 dc. Ch 1. Sl st in corresponding ch-2 sp of adjoining Motif. 3 dc) in next ch-4 sp. \*\* (Ch 1. Sl st in corresponding ch-3 sp of adjoining Motif. Ch 1. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp) twice. Ch 1. Sl st in corresponding ch-3 sp of adjoining Motif. Ch 1. Rep from \*\* to \*\* once more. Ch 3. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

### Joining 3 Motifs

Work 1st to 3rd rnds as given for First Motif.

**4th rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc around post of last dc. Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3. \*(3 dc. Ch 1. Sl st in corresponding ch-2 sp of corresponding adjoining Motif. 3 dc) in next ch-4 sp. \*\* (Ch 1. Sl st in corresponding ch-3 sp of adjoining Motif. Ch 1. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp) twice. Ch 1. Sl st in corresponding ch-3 sp of adjoining Motif. Ch 1. Rep from \* to \*\* once more. \* (Ch 3. 1 sc in next ch-4 sp. Ch 3) twice. Rep from \* to \* once more. Ch 3. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

### BODY

Join 9 (10-11-13-14-16) Motifs into ring in the following sequence: Motif 1, Motif 2, Motif 3.

**Motif 1:** Make 3 (3-4-4-5-5) Motifs, having B as Color 1, A as Color 2, C as Color 3.

**Motif 2:** Make 3 (4-4-5-5-6) motifs, having D as Color 1, B as Color 2, E as Color 3.

**Motif 3:** Make 3 (3-3-4-4-5) motifs, having E as Color 1, C as Color 2, B as Color 3.

Fold work flat. PM at each side of folds, both top and bottom.

**Sizes XS/S and XL only:** Because there is an odd number of Motifs, center 1 Motif at front or back when folding flat.

**All sizes: Note:** Ch 2 at beg of row does not count as st.

### Stripe Pattern

Work 2 rows each in the following sequence: A, D, E, B, C, A, B, C. These 16 rows form Stripe Pat

### FRONT – Upper Body

With RS facing, join A with sl st at right marker.

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. Work 76 (84-92-110-118-136) sc evenly across Motifs to next marker. Turn. 77 (85-93-111-119-137) sc. See diagram on page 5.

**\*\*2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first sc. \*Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 hdc in next sc. Rep from \* to end of row. Fasten off. Turn.

**3rd row:** Join D with sl st to first hdc. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. \*Ch 1. Skip next hdc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last hdc. 1 sc in last hdc. Turn.

**4th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first sc. \*Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 hdc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last 2 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 hdc in last sc. Fasten off. Turn.

First 4 rows of Stripe Pat are complete.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep last 2 rows **3 (2-2-5-5-8)** times more.

**Shape sides: 1st row:** (RS). Join appropriate color with sl st to first hdc. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. Ch 1 (inc made). 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. \*Ch 1. Skip next hdc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last hdc. Ch 1 (inc made). 1 sc in last hdc. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first sc. 1 hdc in next ch-1 sp. \*Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 hdc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last sc. 1 hdc in last sc. Fasten off. Turn. **79 (87-95-113-121-139)** sts (hdc and ch-1 sps).

**3rd row:** Join appropriate color with sl st to first hdc. Ch 1. 2 sc in same sp as sl st. \*Ch 1. Skip next hdc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last 2 hdc. Ch 1. Skip next hdc.

2 sc in last hdc. Turn. **81 (89-97-115-123-141)** sts (sc and ch-1 sps).

**4th row:** Ch 2. 1 hdc in first sc. \*Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 hdc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from \* to last 2 sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. 1 hdc in last sc. Fasten off. Turn.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep last 4 rows **2 (2-2-2-2-0)** time(s) more, then 1st and 2nd rows **1 (0-1-0-0-0)** time(s) more. **91 (99-107-121-129-141)** sts (hdc and ch-1 sps).

**Shape Sleeves: 1st row:** (RS). With appropriate color, ch 8. Join with sl st into first st of Body and pat across **91 (99-107-121-129-141)** sts. Ch 10. Turn. PM at beg of row.

**2nd row:** 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each of next 7 ch. Pat across **91 (99-107-121-129-141)** sts. 1 hdc in each of last 8 ch. Turn. **107 (115-123-137-145-157)** sts.\*\*

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, cont in pat until work from marked row measures **6½ (7-7½-7½-8-8)" [16.5 (18-19-19-20.5-20.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row.

\*\*\***Shape neck: 1st row:** (RS). Join appropriate color with sl st to first hdc. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. (Ch 1. Skip next hdc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp) **18 (20-22-24-25-28)** times. Sc2tog (over ch-1 sp and hdc). Turn. Leave rem sts unworked. **39 (43-47-51-53-59)** sts (sc and ch-1 sps).

**2nd row:** Ch 2. Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Pat to last 2 sts. Sc2tog. Turn. **37 (41-45-49-51-57)** sts.

**4th row:** Work even in pat.\*\*\*

Cont even in pat until work from marked row measures **8½ (9-9½-9½-10-10)" [21.5 (23-24-24-25.5-25.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

\*\*\*\*With RS facing, skip next **27 (27-27-33-37-37)** sts. Join appropriate color with sl st to next st and proceed as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. Sc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

**2nd row:** Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

**3rd row:** As 1st row. **37 (41-45-49-51-57)** sts.

**4th row:** Work even in pat.\*\*\*\*

Cont even in pat until work from marked row measures **8½ (9-9½-9½-10-10)" [21.5 (23-24-24-25.5-25.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

**Front - Bottom Edging:** With RS facing, join A with sl st at left marker.

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. Work **76 (84-92-110-118-136)** sc evenly across Motifs to next marker. Turn. **77 (85-93-111-119-137)** sc.

Proceed in pat as established for Upper Body, work a further 7 rows in Stripe Pat, ending on a WS row.

**Next row:** (RS – Picot row). Join C with sl st to first hdc. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Picot. \*Ch 1. Skip next hdc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Picot. Rep from \* to last hdc. 1 sc in last hdc. Fasten off.

## BACK – Upper Body

With RS facing, join A with sl st in same sp as last st of Front.

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. Work **76 (84-92-110-118-136)** sc evenly across Motifs to next marker (working last sc in same sp as first sc for Front). Turn. **77 (85-93-111-119-137)** sc.

Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Front.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, cont in pat until work from marked row measures 4 rows less than Front before shoulder, ending on a WS row.

Work from \*\*\* to \*\*\* as given for Front. Fasten off.

Work from \*\*\*\* to \*\*\*\* as given for Front. Fasten off.

## Back - Bottom Edging

Work as given for Front - Bottom Edging.

## FINISHING

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

**Note:** To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook and draw new color through last 2 loops, then proceed in new color.

## Neck Edging: 1st rnd:

(RS). Join A with sl st at left shoulder. Ch 1. Work 9 sc down left front neck edge, **19 (21-21-23-27-27)** sc evenly across front neck edge, 9 sc up right front neck edge, 4 sc down right back neck edge, **19 (21-21-23-27-27)** sc evenly across back neck edge and 4 sc up left back neck edge. Join with sl st to first sc. **64 (68-68-72-80-80)** sc.

**2nd rnd:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

**3rd rnd:** (Bobble rnd). With A, ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 3 sc. With C, Bobble. Rep from \* around. Join A with sl st to first sc. Fasten off C.

**4th rnd:** With A, ch 1. 1 sc in each st around. Join B with sl st to first sc. Fasten off A.

**5th rnd:** (Picot rnd). With B, ch 1. \*1 sc in each of next 2 sc. Picot. Rep from \* around. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

**Sleeve Edging: 1st rnd:** (RS). Join A with sl st at bottom sleeve seam. Ch 1. Work **56 (60-64-64-68-68)** sc evenly around. Join with sl st to first sc.

Rep 2nd to 5th rnds as given for Neck Edging.

FRONT



BACK



