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APatons COLORBLOCK TOP | CROCHET





MATERIALS

Patons® Grace™ (1.75 oz/50 g; 136 yds/125 m) 4/5XL Sizes XS/S XL 2/3XL Contrast A Ginger (62027) 5 6 6 balls Contrast B Aquifer (62205) 5 5 balls

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.

ABBREVIATIONS:

Approx = Approximately **Beg** = Beginning **Ch** = Chain

Dc = Double crochet

Dc2tog = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next stitch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook. Rep = Repeat(s)

RS = Right side **Sc** = Single crochet **SI st** = Slip stitch St(s) = Stitch(es)**WS** = Wrong side **Yoh** = Yarn over hook CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: BEGINNER

SIZES

To fit bust measurement

Extra-Small/Small 28-34" [71-86.5 cm] Medium 36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm] 40-42" [101.5-106.5 cm] Large **Extra-Large** 44-46" [112-117 cm] 2/3 X-Large 48-54" [122-137 cm] 4/5 X-Large 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

Finished bust

Extra-Small/Small 36" [91.5 cm] Medium 40" [101.5 cm] Large 44" [112 cm] **Extra-Large** 48" [122 cm] 2/3 X-Large 56" [142 cm] 4/5 X-Large 64" [162.5 cm]

GAUGE

18 dc and 10 rows = 4'' [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) 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.

BACK

With A, chain (ch) **84 (**92-102-110-128-**146).

1st row: Right side (RS). 1 double crochet (dc) in 4th ch from hook. 1 dc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 82 (90-100-108-126-144) dc.

2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn.

Repeat (rep) last row until work from beginning (beg) measures approximately (approx) 13 (13½-14-14-14½-15)" [33 (34.5-35.5-35.5-37-38) cm], ending on a wrong side (WS) row. Fasten off.

Shape Sleeves: 1st row: With B, ch 9. Working across last row of Back with RS facing, 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Ch 11. Turn.

2nd row: 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (skipped ch-3 counts as dc). 1 dc in each ch and dc to end of row. 100 (108-118-126-144-162) dc. Turn.



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3rd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn.**

Rep last row until work from beg measures 23 (24-25-25-26-27)" [58.5 (61-63.5-63.5-66-68.5) cm] from beg. Easten off.

FRONT

Work from ** to ** as given for Back.

Rep last row until work from beg measures approx 21 (22-23-23-24-25)" [53.5 (56-58.5-58.5-61-63.5) cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape neck: Left Side: 1st row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 33 (37-39-43-51-59) dc. [Yarn over hook (yoh) and draw up a loop in next stitch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook] twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook - Double crochet 2 together (Dc2tog) made. Turn. Leave remaining stitches (sts) unworked.

2nd row: Ch 3. 1 dc in next dc (counts as sc. Fasten off. dc2tog). 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn.

Rep 1st and 2nd row once more, then 1st row once. **30** (**34-36-40-58-56**) dc.

Fasten off.

Right Side: With RS facing, skip next **28** (**28-34-36-38**) sts. Join B with slip stitch (sl st) to next dc.

1st row: (RS). Ch 3. 1 dc in next dc (counts as dc2tog). 1 dc in each dc to end of row.

Turn. **34** (**38-40-44-52-60**) dc.

2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each dc to last 2 sts. Dc2tog. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows once more, then 1st row once. **30** (34-36-40-58-56) dc.

Fasten off.

Finishing

Sew shoulder and side seams.

Neck edging: With RS facing, join B with sl st to left shoulder seam at neck edge. Ch 1. Work single crochet (sc) evenly around neck edge. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

