



# Perfectly Panache Chic Poncho

Ooh! Everyone will enjoy having this poncho as the perfect layer of warmth and style. The one size fit makes it easy to crochet for gifting.



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INTERMEDIATE

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### What you will need:

RED HEART® Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™: 10 balls of 5619 Regal

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5mm [US H-8]

Yarn needle. Stitch Markers

**GAUGE:** 3 shells = 4" (10 cm): 8 rows = 3.25" (8cm). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

## **BUY YARN**



RED HEART® Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™, Art. R170 100% Merino Wool available 3.5 oz (100 g), 186 yd (170 m) balls



Project measures 48" [122cm] in width, 22" [56 cm] in length.

#### **FRONT**

Chain 218

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook. \*skip 2 ch. 5 dc in next ch (shell made). skip 2 ch, sc in next ch; repeat from \* across. Turn- 36 shells.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1 throughout), dc in first sc, \*skip 2 dc, sc in next dc, skip 2 dc\*\*, (dc, ch 3, dc) in next sc; repeat from \* across ending at \*\*. (dc. ch 1. dc) in last sc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as dc throughout), 2 dc in first dc, \*sc in next sc\*\*, 5 dc in next ch-3 space; repeat from \* across ending at \*\*, 3 dc in 3rd ch of tch. Turn.

Row 4: Ch 1. sc in first dc. \*skip 2 sc. (dc. ch3, dc) in next sc, skip 2 sc, sc in next dc; repeat from \* across to tch, sc in top of tch. Turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc. \*5 dc in next ch-3 space, sc in next sc; repeat from \* across. Turn.

Repeat Rows 2-5 twelve more times. Fasten off.

### BACK

Note: Back panel starts by working in the opposite side of the foundation chain on the front panel.

Row 1: Join yarn with slip st to opposite side of foundation chain on RS of Front (in the same ch as the first sc of Row 1 on Front), ch 1, sc in same ch. \*skip 2 ch, 5 dc in next ch, skip 2 ch, sc in next ch; repeat from \* 14 more times. Ch 35 (creates neck opening), skip 35 ch; sc in next ch. Repeat from \* across to end. Turn- 30 shells.

Row 2: Ch 4, dc in first sc, \*skip 2 dc, sc in next dc, skip 2 dc, (dc,ch 3, dc) in next sc: repeat from \* across to neck opening. [Skip 2 ch, sc in next ch, skip 2 ch, (dc, ch 3, dc) in next ch] 5 times, skip 2 ch, sc in next ch, skip 2 ch, (dc, ch 3, dc) in next sc on back. Repeat from \* across to end. Turn.

Rows 3 - 5: Repeat Rows 3-5 of Front Repeat Rows 2-5 of Front twelve more times. Fasten off.

#### COWI

**Note:** Cowl is worked in opposite side of foundation chain of Front and Back Panel for seamless stitch pattern.

Note: The stitch pattern was worked in rows for Front and Back and is now worked in rounds for Cowl.

Round 1: Join yarn with slip st on RS Back on opposite side of foundation chain in any chain which a sc was worked on Row 1. Ch 1. sc in same ch. \*skip 2 ch. 5 dc in next ch. skip 2 ch\*\*, sc in next ch; repeat from \* around ending at \*\*, slip st to first sc. Do not turn- 12 shells.

Round 2: Ch 6 (counts as dc. ch 3 throughout), dc in first sc, \*skip 2 dc, sc in next dc, skip 2 dc\*\*, (dc, ch3, dc) in next sc; repeat from \* around ending at \*\*, slip st to 3rd ch of beginning ch. Do not turn.

Round 3: Slip st into first ch-space (formed by beginning ch), ch 3, 4 dc in same ch-space, \*sc in next sc\*\*, 5 dc in next ch-3 space; repeat from \* around ending at \*\*, slip st to top of beginning ch 3. Do not turn.

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**Round 4:** Slip st in next 2 dc, ch 1, sc in same dc, \*skip 2 dc, (dc, ch 3, dc) in next sc, skip 2 dc\*\*, sc in next dc; repeat from \* around ending at \*\*, slip st to first sc. Do not turn.

**Round 5:** Ch 1, sc in first sc, \*5 dc in next ch-3 space\*\*, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around ending at \*\*, slip st to first sc. Do not Turn.

Repeat Rounds 2 - 5 three more times. Fasten off.

#### **FINISHING**

Weave in all loose ends. Soak project in cool bath, wrap in towels and gently roll out water. Lay project out to schematic size and pin in place to dry.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

ch = chain; st(s) = stitch(es); slip st =
slip stitch; sc = single crochet; dc =
double crochet; tch = turning chain;
RS = right side; WS = wrong side; () =
work directions in parentheses in same
st; [] = work directions in brackets the
number of times specified; \* = repeat
whatever follows the \* as indicated.

Note from Marly: I would like to thank my long time friend Kristin Omdahl, for her contribution to the Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™ collection. I've always admired Kristin's ability to design the perfect items for every yarn she uses. No matter if it is a solid stitch or crazy lace, you can count on something that is fashionable and stylish. Her timeless design, Perfectly Panache Poncho, is a favorite of the collection. To learn more about Kristin Omdahl and her designs visit KristinOmdahl.com

See next 2 pages for schematic, stitch diagram and alternate photo











