



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx =

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Beg = Beginning

Beg dc2tog = Ch 2

(does not count as

stitch). Yoh and draw

up a loop in first

stitch. Yoh and draw

through 2 loops on

hook. Yoh and draw

up a loop in next

stitch. Yoh and draw

through 2 loops on

hook. Yoh and draw

through all 3 loops

on hook

Ch = Chain(s)

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dc = Double crochet

Dc2(3)tog = (Yoh

and draw up a loop

in next stitch. Yoh

and draw through

2 loops on hook)

2(3) times. Yoh and

draw through all 3 (4)

loops on hook

Dtr = (Double treble

crochet). (Yoh) 3

times and draw up

a loop in indicated

stitch. (Yoh and draw

through 2 loops on

hook) 4 times

Inc'd = Increase(d)

Pat = Pattern

Rep(s) = Repeat(s)

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

WS = Wrong side

Yoh = Yarn over hook

MATERIALS

Red Heart® Croquette™ (1.6 oz/45 g; 239 yds/219 m)

Sizes XS/S M L XL 2/3XL

Red Hot (9930) 4 4 5 7 9 balls

Size U.S. D/3 (3.25 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume™ crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® Steel Yarn Needle. Susan Bates® Split-Lock Stitch Count Markers.

SIZES

To fit bust measurement

XS/S 28-34" [71-86.5 cm]

M 36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm]

L/XL 40-46" [101.5-117 cm]

2/3XL 48-54" [122-137 cm]

4/5 XL 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

Finished bust

XS/S 35" [89 cm]

M 42" [106.5 cm]

L/XL 49" [124.5 cm]

2/3XL 56" [142 cm]

4/5XL 63" [160 cm]

GAUGES

24 dc and 10 rows = 4" [10 cm].

1 pat rep (20 sts) = 3½" [9 cm].

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:

- Top is worked in rnds from neck edge down.
- Turn work at end of each rnd.
- Ch 3 at beg of rnd counts as dc.
- Join all rnds with sl st to first st.

Ch **96** (106-106-118-138) loosely. Join with sl st to first ch, taking care not to twist ch. See diagrams on page 4.

1st rnd: (RS). Ch 3. 1 dc in each ch around. Join. Turn. **96** (106-106-118-138) dc.

2nd rnd: (WS). Ch 7 (counts as dtr and ch 2). Skip first 2 dc. *1 dtr in next dc. Ch 2. Skip next dc. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to 5th ch of ch-7. Turn.

3rd rnd: Sl st to next ch-2 sp. Ch 3. 2 dc in same sp as sl st. *Skip next dtr. 3 dc in next ch-2 sp. Rep from * to last dtr and ch-2 sp. Skip next dtr. **3** (4-4-2-4) dc in last ch-2 sp. Join. Turn. **144** (160-160-176-208) dc.

4th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 2 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 6 dc. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **18** (20-20-22-26) pat reps.

5th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 2 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 6 dc. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 2 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **36** (40-40-44-52) sts inc'd.

6th rnd: Ch 6 (counts as dtr and ch 1). Skip first 2 sts. *1 dtr in next st. Ch 1. Skip next st. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to 5th ch of ch-6. Turn.

7th rnd: Sl st in next ch-1 sp. Ch 3. 1 dc in same sp as sl st. *Skip next dtr. 2 dc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * around. Join. Turn.

8th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 3 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 3 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 8 dc. 1 dc in each of next 3 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 3 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **36** (40-40-44-52) sts inc'd.

9th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 4 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 4 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 10 dc. 1 dc in each of next 4 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 4 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **36** (40-40-44-52) sts inc'd.

10th and 11th rnds: As 6th and 7th rnds.

12th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 5 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 5 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 12 dc. 1 dc in each of next 5 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 5 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **36** (40-40-44-52) sts inc'd.

13th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 6 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 14 dc. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 6 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **36** (40-40-44-52) sts inc'd.

14th and 15th rnds: As 6th and 7th rnds.

16th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 7 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 7 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 16 dc. 1 dc in each of next 7 dc. 5 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 7 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn. **36** (40-40-44-52) sts inc'd.

17th rnd: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 18 dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc2tog over last st and same first st as beg dc2tog. Join. Turn.

18th and 19th rnds: As 6th and 7th rnds.

20th rnd: As 17th rnd.

Rep 17th to 20th rnds **0** (0-0-1-2) time(s) more.

Divide for Body and Sleeves:

1st rnd: (RS). Beg dc2tog. (1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc3tog) **2** (3-3-4-4) times. Ch **0** (0-20-20-20). Skip next **80** (80-80-100-120) sts - [4 (4-4-5-6) pat reps for left sleeve]. Pat across next sts as follows: (1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc3tog) **5** (6-6-7-8) times. Ch **0** (0-20-20-20). Skip next **80** (80-80-100-120) sts - [4 (4-4-5-6) pat reps for right sleeve]. Pat across next sts as follows: (1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc3tog) **2** (2-2-2-3) times. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc2tog over last st and first st. Join. Turn.

Body: 2nd rnd: Ch 6 (counts as dtr and ch 1). Skip first 2 sts. *1 dtr in next st. Ch 1. Skip next st. Rep from * around. Join with sl st to 5th ch of ch-6. Turn.

3rd rnd: Sl st to next ch-1 sp. Ch 3. 1 dc in same sp as sl st. *Skip next dtr. 2 dc in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * around. Join. Turn.

4th and 5th rnds: Beg dc2tog. *1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc3tog. Rep from * to last 18 dc.

1 dc in each of next 8 dc. 3 dc in next dc. 1 dc in each of next 8 dc. Dc2tog over last st and first st. Join. Turn.

Rep 2nd to 5th rnds until Body from dividing rnd measures approx **12** (12-12-14-14)" [30.5 (30.5-30.5-38-38) cm], ending on 5th rnd. Fasten off.



