Yarnspirations^{**}





0 CROCHET SKILL LEVEL EASY

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What you will need:

RED HEART[®] Shimmer[®]: 1 ball each 1012 Black A and 1929 Red B RED HEART® Buttercup®: 1 ball 4270 White C

Susan Bates[®] Crochet Hooks: 3.75mm [US F-5], 4mm [US G-6], and 6.5mm [K-10.5]

Yarn needle, stitch marker (optional), 1 yd (1 m) ½" (12.7 mm) wide white satin ribbon, 3/4" (19 mm) black button, sewing needle and black thread

GAUGE: 15 sts = 4" (10 cm); 16 rows = 4" (10 cm) in single crochet with medium hook. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.



RED HEART® Shimmer[®], Art. E763 MEDIUM available in 3.5 oz (100

g), 280 yd (256 m) and multicolor 3 oz (85 g), 240 yd (220 m) balls



RED HEART® Buttercup®, Art N396 available in 1.76 oz (50 g), 72 yd (66 m) balls

SHOP KIT



Party Time Doll Out it

This doll is ready to celebrate in her party dress, furry shrug, evening bag and dress shoes. Crochet all the pieces and put a smile on any doll lover's face.

Clothes designed for 18" (45.5 cm) doll. Dress measures 12" circumference around bodice x 11" long (30.5 x 28 cm). Shrug measures: 15" across sleeves x 7" long (38 x 18 cm). Shoe measures: 31/2" (9 cm) long.

Purse measures: 21/2" long by 3" wide (6.5 x 7.5 cm), closed and not including strap.

Special Stitches

sc2tog = [Insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull up a loop] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

Special Technique

Join with sc: Place a slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated stitch, yarn over and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through both loops on hook.

Notes

- 1. Doll set consists of dress, shrug, shoes, and purse.
- 2. Top of dress is made in rows and joined rounds; skirt is worked in joined rounds.
- 3. Shrug begins in continuous rounds to form first sleeve, body is worked in turned rows, and then second sleeve is worked in continuous rounds. You may find it helpful to place a stitch marker for beginning of round and move it up as each round is completed.

DRESS

Note: Work all sections of dress with medium hook.

Bodice

Working from lower edge up, with A, ch 44; join with slip st in first ch.

Round 1 (right side): Ch 1, sc in each ch around; join with slip st in first sc, turn-44 sc.

Rounds 2-8: Ch 1, sc in each sc around; join with slip st in first sc, turn.

Right Back

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in first 10 sc; leave remaining sts unworked, turn-10 sc. Row 10–15: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn. **Right Back Shoulder** Row 16: Ch 1, sc in first 5 sc; leave remaining sts unworked, turn—5 sc. Row 17–20: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn. Fasten off.

Front

Row 9 (right side): With right side facing, skip next 2 sc of Row 8, join A with sc in next st, sc in each remaining sc, turn-20 sc. Rows 10–13: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn.

Left Front Shoulder

Row 14: Ch 1, sc in first 5 sc; leave remaining sts unworked, turn—5 sc. Rows 15–20: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn. Fasten off.

Right Front Shoulder

Row 14: With wrong side facing, skip next 10 sc of Row 8, join A with sc in next st, sc in remaining 4 sc, turn-5 sc. Rows 15–20: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn. Fasten off.

Left Back Shoulder

Row 9: With right side facing, skip next 2 sc of Row 8, join A with sc in next st, sc in each remaining sc, turn-10 sc. Rows 10–15: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn. Fasten off.

Row 16: With wrong side facing, skip next 5 sc of Row 15, join A with sc in next st, sc in each remaining sc, turn-5 sc.

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Row 17–20: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn. Fasten off. Sew front to back at shoulders.

Neck Edging

Row 1: With right side of left back facing, join **A** with sc in first sc of Row 15, ch 6, slip st in 5th ch from hook (button loop made); working in each remaining st and across ends of rows, sc 44 sts evenly around. Fasten off.

Armhole Edging (work 2)

Round 1: With right side of bodice facing, join **A** with sc in any sc in Row 8; working in each remaining st and across ends of rows, sc 28 sts evenly around. Fasten off.

Skirt

Round 1 (right side): With right side facing and working across opposite side of foundation ch of bodice, join **B** with sc in first ch, sc in each remaining ch; join with slip st in first sc, turn—44 sc.

Round 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), dc in first sc, 2 dc in each sc around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch, turn—88 dc.

Rounds 3–12: Ch 3, dc in each dc around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch.

Round 13: Ch 1, (sc, ch 4) in each dc across; join with slip st in first sc—88 sc and 88 ch-4 spaces. Fasten off.

SHRUG

Note: Sleeves are worked in continuous rounds and body is worked back and forth in rows.

First Sleeve

With largest hook and \mathbf{C} , ch 14; join with slip st in first ch.

Round 1 (right side): Ch 1, sc in each ch around—14 sc. Do not join or turn. Optional: Place marker for beginning of round and move marker up as each round is completed. **Round 2:** Sc in each sc around. Repeat Round 2 until piece measures 3½" (9 cm), turn.

Body

Next Row (right side): Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Repeat last row until piece measures 10" (25.5 cm) from beginning edge.

Second Sleeve

Next Round: With same side as first sleeve facing, sc in each sc around. Do not join or turn. Optional: Place marker for beginning of round and move marker up as each round is completed.

Repeat last round until piece measures 13¹/₂" (34.5 cm) from beginning edge. Fasten off.

Edging

Round 1: With right side facing of body facing, join **C** with sc in end of first row, sc in same row, working 2 sc in each st or in end of each row, sc 62 sts around body and sleeve edges; join with slip st in first sc, turn—64 sc. **Round 2:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

PURSE

With medium hook and **A**, ch 21. **Row 1 (right side):** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 18 ch, 3 sc in last ch; working on opposite side of foundation ch, skip first ch, sc in next 19 ch, turn—41 sc. Do not join. Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first 20 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in last 20 sc, turn—43 sc. Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first 21 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in last 21 sc, turn—45 sc. Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first 22 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in last 22 sc, turn—47 sc. Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first 23 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in last 23 sc, turn—49 sc. Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first 24 sc, 3 sc in next sc, sc in last 24 sc—51 sc. Do not turn. Last Row (strap): Ch 51, slip st in first sc of last row; Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Bring bottom edge with strap to 13th st from beginning edge and sew side edges together..

SHOES (make 2)

With smallest hook and **A**, ch 9. **Round 1 (right side):** Ch 1, 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next 6 ch; working on opposite side of foundation ch, 3 sc in first ch, sc in next 6 ch; join with slip st in first sc—18 sc. Optional: Place marker for beginning of round and move marker up as each round is completed.

Round 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join, 2 sc in next 2 sc, sc in next 6 sc, 2 sc in next 3 sc, sc in last 6 sc; join with slip st in first sc—24 sc. Round 3: Ch 1, sc in same st as join, 2 sc in next sc, [sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] twice, sc in next 6 sc, [sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in next 6 sc; join with slip st in first sc—30 sc.

Rounds 4 and 5: Ch 1, sc in each sc around; join with slip st in first sc.

Round 6: Ch 1, sc in first 16 sc, [sc2tog] 4 times, sc in remaining 6 sc; join with slip st in first sc—26 sc.

Round 7: Ch 1, sc in first 14 sc, [sc2tog] 4 times, sc in remaining 4 sc; join with slip st in first sc—22 sc.

Round 8: Ch 1, sc in first 13 sc, ch 6 (shoe strap made), skip next 7 sc, sc in last 2 sc; join with slip st in first sc—22 sc and 1 strap). Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew button near top edge of right back with sewing thread. Tie ribbon around waist and trim ends as desired. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc.; ch = chain; dc = double crochet; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch(es); () = work directions in parentheses into same st; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.