

Granny Stitch Tank

## SIZES

Adult XS (S, M, L, 1X) (2X, 3X, 4X, 5X)
Shown in $L$ size.

## FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust Circumference: $2511 / 4$ ( $39,423 / 4,461 / 2,501 / 4$ ) (54, 58, 6133/4, 651/2)"
Length: $191 / 2(21,213 / 4,221 / 2,231 / 2)(231 / 2,25$,
$253 / 4,261 / 2)^{\prime \prime}$

## MATERIALS

Premier ${ }^{\circledR}$ Yarns Cotton Sprout ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ (100\% Cotton; 3.5 oz/100g, 230yds/210m)

- MC: 1149-32 Black - $3(3,4,4,4)(5,5$, $6,6)$ balls
- CC: 1149-14 Teal - 1 ball (all sizes)

Hook: US Sizes 7 ( 4.5 mm ) and I-9 ( 5.5 mm ) or size needed to obtain gauge
Notions: Tapestry needle

## GAUGE

17 sts $\times 10$ rows $=4 \prime$ in Granny Stitch with smaller hook
17 sts $\times 18$ rows $=4$ " in single crochet with smaller hook
17 sts x 20 rows = 4" in Moss Stitch with larger hook
Save time, check your gauge.
Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Working in the round, working flat.
- Chain, single, and double crochet stitches.
- Decreasing (dc2tog).
- Seaming.

Moss Stitch (odd number of sts, worked flat) Row 1: Ch 1, sc in first st, ch 1, sk next st, (sc in next st, ch 1, sk next st) across to last st, sc in last st, turn.
Row 2: Ch 2 (counts as sc + ch 1), (sc in next sp, ch 1) across to last $s p, s c$ in last $s p, s c$ in last sc, turn.
Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, (ch 1, sc in next sp) to last sc, ch 1, sc in last sc, turn.
Rep Rows 2-3 for patt.
Moss Stitch (even number of sts, worked in the rnd)
Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc in first st, ch 1, sk next st, (sc in next st, ch 1, sk next st) around, join with sl st to beg sc.
Rnd 2: Ch 2 (counts as sc + ch 1), (sc in next sp, ch 1; rep from * around, sc in last sp , join with sl st to beg ch-2.
Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 1, (sc in next sp, ch 1; rep from * around, join with sl st to beg sc.
Rep Rnds 2-3 for patt.

Granny Stitch (multiple of 4 sts +3 )
Row 1: Ch 4 (counts as dc + ch 1), sk next 2 sts/ sps, * 3 dc in next st/sp, ch 1, sk 3 sts/sps; rep from * to last 4 sts, 3 dc in next st/sp, ch 1, sk next 2 sts/sps, dc in last st, turn.
Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in ch-1 sp, ch 1, * 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * to last ch-1 sp, 2 dc in last sp, dc in last dc, turn.
Row 3: Ch 4 (counts as dc + ch 1), * 3 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1; rep from * to last dc, dc in last dc, turn.
Rep Rows 2-3 for patt.

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Tank is worked in two pieces from the bottom up. Armhole and neck edgings are crocheted directly onto the body after seaming.

## TANK

## Front Hem

With smaller hook and CC, ch 76 (84, 92, 100, 108) (116, 124, 132, 140), sc in second ch from hook and each ch across, turn - $75(83,91,99,107)(115,123$, $131,139)$ sc. Switch to larger hook. Work in Moss Stitch patt until Hem meas approx. 1", ending with a Row 3.

## Main Front

Switch to MC and smaller hook. Work in Granny Stitch patt for $26(28,28,30,30)(30,32,32,32)$ total rows, ending with a Row 2.

## Shape Armholes

Note: Please refer to chart for examples of how to decrease one stitch at each side.
Set-up Row: SI st in first $8(12,12,16,16)(20,20,20$, 20) sts/sps, sl st in next dc, work Row 3 of Granny

Stitch patt to last $8(12,12,16,16)(20,20,20,20)$ sts/ sps, turn.
Dec Row: Ch 3, dec 1, work in est'd patt to last 2 sts/ sps, dec 1, turn - 2 sts dec'd.
Rep Dec Row every row, 1 (1, 3, 3, 6) (6, 9, 13, 16)
more time(s) - $55(55,59,59,61)(61,63,63,65)$ sts/ sps rem.
Work even in patt for another $5(7,7,7,6)(6,5,3,2)$
rows until a total of $8(10,12,12,14)(14,16,18,20)$
Armhole rows have been worked.

## Shape Neck

Row 1: Work in patt over $13(13,15,15,15)(15,15$,
$15,16)$ sts/sps, turn, leaving rem sts/sps unworked.
Row 2: Ch 3, dc2tog, work in patt to end, turn - 1 st dec'd at Neck edge.
Row 3: Work in patt to last $3 \mathrm{sts} / \mathrm{sps}$, dc2tog, dc in last st, turn - 1 st dec'd at Neck edge.
Row 4: Rep Row 2, turn - 1 st dec'd at Neck edge, 10 $(10,12,12,12)(12,12,12,13) \mathrm{sts} / \mathrm{sps}$ rem.
Rows 5-8: Work even in patt. Fasten off.
Sk $29(29,29,29,31)(31,33,33,33)$ center Neck sts, join yarn in next st.
Row 1: Work even in patt over rem $13(13,15,15,15)$ $(15,15,15,16)$ sts/sps, turn.
Row 2: Work in patt to last $3 \mathrm{sts} / \mathrm{sps}$, dc2tog, dc in last st, turn - 1 st dec'd at Neck edge.
Row 3: Ch 3, dc2tog, work in patt to end, turn - 1 st dec'd at Neck edge.
Row 4: Rep Row 2, turn - 1 st dec'd at Neck edge, 10 $(10,12,12,12)(12,12,12,13)$ sts/sps rem.
Rows 5-8: Work even in patt. Fasten off.

## Back

Work as for Front.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends. Block piece to finished measurements. Sew Shoulder and Side seams.

## Armhole Edging

With CC and smaller hook, beg at center of underarm, work approx. $88(104,112,120,128)(136,144,152$,
160) sc evenly around Armhole opening (1 sc for each
st/sp along unworked lower Armhole edge, and 2 sc
for each dc row), join with sl st to beg sc. Switch to larger hook. Work in Moss Stitch patt until Edging meas approximately $3 / 4$ ". Fasten off.

## Neck Edging

With CC and smaller hook, beg at Back Right shoulder seam, work approx. 114 (114, 114, 114, 118) (126, 130, 130, 130) sc evenly around Neck opening (1 sc for each st/sp along unworked lower Armhole edge, and 2 sc for each dc row), join with sl st to beg sc. Switch to larger hook. Work in Moss Stitch patt until Edging meas approx. $3 / 4$." Fasten off.

## Abbreviations

beg beginning
ch chain(s)
dc double crochet
dec'd decreased
est'd established
hdc half double crochet
meas measures
mult multiple
patt pattern
rem remain
rep repeat
RS right side
sc single crochet
sc2tog single crochet 2 stitches together
sk skip
sl st slip stitch
sp(s) space(s)
st(s) stitch(es)
WS wrong side

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