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Stained Glass Dress

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SIZES

Child Size 2-4 (5-7, 8-10) year Shown in 8-10 year size

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest/Hip Circumference: 28 (31½, 35)" **Length to Underarm:** 12 (15½, 19)"

MATERIALS

Premier® Yarns *Cotton Sprout*[™] (100% Cotton; 3.5 oz/100g, 230yds/210m)

- MC: 1149-32 Black 2 balls, all sizes
- CC1: 1149-16 Aqua 1 ball
- CC2: 1149-14 Teal 1 ball
- CC3: 1149-13 Mint 1 ball
- CC4: 1149-10 Lime 1 ball
- CC5: 1149-08 Yellow 1 ball
- CC6: 1149-06 Blush 1 ball
- CC7: 1149-04 Cardinal- 1 ball
- CC8: 1149-03 Magenta 1 ball

Hook: US Sizes H-8 (5 mm) and I-9 (5.5 mm) *or size needed to obtain gauge* **Notions:** Tapestry needle

GAUGE

1 Motif = 3½" square with larger hook 15 sts x 16 rows = 4" in single crochet with smaller hook

15 sts x 18 rows = 4" in Moss Stitch with larger hook

Save time, check your gauge.

Skills/techniques used in this pattern:

- Working in the round.
- Single crochet, double crochet, and chains.
- Decreasing (sc2tog).
- Joining motifs with slip stitches.

STITCH GUIDE

Magic Ring: Wrap yarn around your left middle finger twice, leaving a 6" tail. Insert hook under both strands and pull up a loop. Ch 1, and beg working directly into center of ring. This ring can be tightened later by pulling on the yarn tail.

PATTERN NOTES

Motifs are worked individually and joined as you go, into a tube. The waistband and upper body are worked directly onto the tube.

Motif

Begin with **Magic Ring** and smaller hook. **Rnd 1:** Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout), 11 dc in ring, join with sl st to beg dc with new color – 12 dc.

Rnd 2: SI st bet next 2 dc, ch 3, dc in same sp, (2 dc bet next 2 dc) around, join with sI st to beg dc with new color -24 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 5 (counts as dc + ch 2), 2 dc in same sp, * (sk next 2 dc, 2 dc bet next 2 dc) 2 times, sk next 2 dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) bet next 2 dc; rep from * 2 more times, (sk next 2 dc, 2 dc bet next 2 dc) 2 times, dc in same sp as beg dc, join with sl st to beg dc with new color.

Rnd 4: SI st in ch-2 sp, ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in same sp, * (ch 2, sk next 2 sts, hdc bet next 2 sts) 3 times, ch 2, (2 hdc, ch 1, 2 hdc) in corner sp; rep from * 2 more times, (ch 2, sk next 2 sts, hdc bet next 2 sts) 3 times, ch 2, 2 hdc in same sp as beg hdc, ch 1, join with sI st to beg hdc. Fasten off.

Moss Stitch (even number of sts)

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.

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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.

DRESS

Using diagram as a guide, with smaller hook, make 24 (36, 50) **Motifs**, changing colors as indicated, joining motifs entirely into a tube.

Motif 1: Rnd 1: CC8; Rnd 2: CC6, Rnd 3: CC1, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 2: Rnd 1: CC1; Rnd 2: CC5, Rnd 3: CC2, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 3: Rnd 1: CC2; Rnd 2: CC4, Rnd 3: CC3, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 4: Rnd 1: CC3; Rnd 2: CC7, Rnd 3: CC4, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 5: Rnd 1: CC7; Rnd 2: CC8, Rnd 3: CC5, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 6: Rnd 1: CC4; Rnd 2: CC1, Rnd 3: CC6, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 7: Rnd 1: CC5; Rnd 2: CC3, Rnd 3: CC7, Rnd 4: MC.

Motif 8: Rnd 1: CC6; Rnd 2: CC2, Rnd 3: CC8, Rnd 4: MC.

After the first **Motif** is made, join as you go on Rnd 4: **Joining Rnd 4:** SI st in ch-2 sp, ch 2 (counts as hdc), hdc in same sp, (ch 2, sk next 2 sts, hdc bet next 2 sts) 3 times, ch 2, 2 hdc in corner sp, ch 1, sI st in corresponding corner sp from previous motif, 2 hdc in same corner sp, (ch 1, sI st in corresponding ch-2 sp from previous motif, ch 1, sk 2 sts, hdc bet next 2 sts) 3 times, ch 1, sI st in corresponding ch-2 sp from

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previous motif, ch 1, 2 hdc in corner sp, ch 1, sl st in corresponding corner sp from previous motif, 2 hdc in same corner sp); either cont joining to other motifs as est'd, or finish Rnd 4 as described in Stitch Guide.

Lower Edging

With larger hook and MC, join yarn to any join between **Motifs** along one open edge of tube. **Set-up Rnd:** Ch 1, sc in same join, *sc in corner sp, work 1 sc in each sc and each ch-2 sp to next corner, 1 sc in corner, sc in join (working approx. 13 sc for each **Motif**); rep from * around, skipping last sc in join, join with sl st to beg sc – 104 (118, 130) sc. With larger hook, work Rnds 1-3 of **Moss Stitch** patt, then rep Rnds 2-3 until Edging meas 1%". Fasten off.

Upper Body

With larger hook and MC, join yarn between **Motifs** along the other open edge of tube. Work Set-up Rnd as for Lower Edging, working a sc2tog twice evenly across rnd -102 (116, 128) sc rem.

Upper Front

Break yarn. Skip next 12 sc, join yarn with sl st in next sc.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 1, sc2tog, (sc in next sc, ch 1, sk next sc) 12 (15, 18) times, sc in next sc, sc2tog, turn – 2 sts dec'd, 27 (33, 39) sts/sps rem.

Row 2 (WS): Ch 1, sc in first sc, (ch 1, sc in ch-1 sp) across, ending sc in last sc, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc2tog, work in est'd patt to last 2 sts, sc2tog, turn – 2 sts dec'd, 25 (31, 37) sts/sps rem.

Row 4: Work in est'd patt to end.

Rep Rows 3-4, 3 (5, 7) more times – 19 (21, 23) sts/sps rem.

Switch to smaller hook and CC6.

Next row: Ch 1, hdc in each st/sp across. Fasten off. Armhole Edging/Straps

With CC6 and smaller hook, ch 24 (28, 32). Fasten off, set aside. With CC6 and smaller hook, ch 26 (30, 34), dc in fourth ch from hook and each ch across, working along armhole of Right Front beginning at top of Right Front, dc evenly down Right Front, across Back, and up Left Front, dc in each ch from reserved ch. Fasten off.

FINISHING

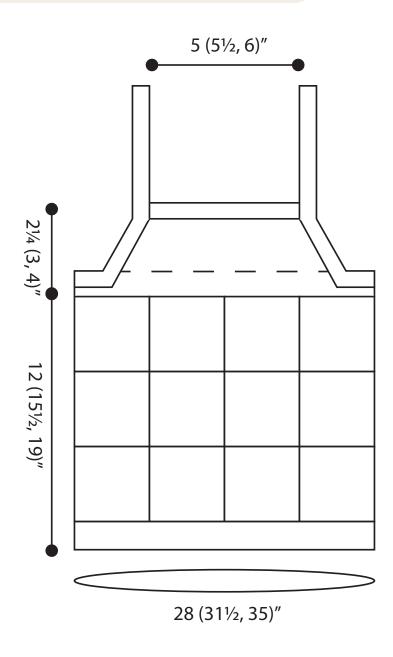
Weave in ends. Block piece to finished measurements. Sew Straps to Back.

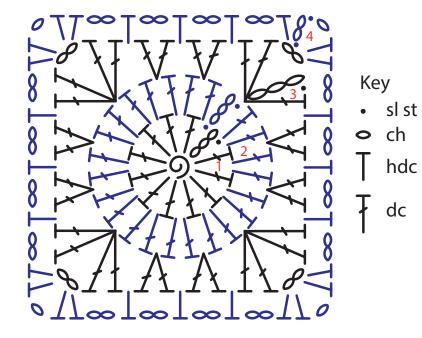
Abbreviations

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

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