

Flounce Dress

By Premier Yarns Design Team

Level: Advanced



SIZES

4 (6, 8) Year

Shown in 4 Year Size.

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 22" (23½, 25)"

MATERIALS

Premier Yarns Primo (100% anti-pilling acrylic; 100g/273 yds)

- 28-6 Red (MC) – 4 (4, 5) balls
- 28-1 White (CC) – 1 ball, all sizes

Hook: US Size G-6 (4 mm) *or size needed to obtain gauge*

Notions: Tapestry needle

GAUGE

18 dc x 8 rows = 4"

Save time, check your gauge.

Directions:

PATTERN NOTES

Front and Back top sections are worked in one piece from the Front waist to the neck, then separated for Shoulder Straps. Straps are worked individually and then joined again for the Back. Back piece is worked down to the waist. Front and back pieces are then sewn together at the sides. Underskirt portion is worked in the round, in one piece. Tiers are worked outward from Underskirt.

Picot Edging: [Ch 5, sl st in 3rd ch from hook (picot made), sk next 2 sts/sps, sc in next st/sp] around.

FRONT

With MC, ch 51 (55, 59).

Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook and each ch across – 49 (53, 57) sts.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in next dc and each dc across – 49 (53, 57) sts.

Rep Row 2 until Front meas 6½ (7½, 8½)” from beg.

Front Yoke

Row 1 (WS): Sl st in first 3 (0, 2) dc, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in next 2 dc, [ch 2, sk next 2 dc, dc in next 3 dc] to last 6 dc, dc in next 3 dc, turn – 3 (0, 2) sts rem unworked.

Row 2 (RS): Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 2 dc, [ch 2, sk ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 3 dc] to end.

Row 3: Rep Row 2.

Separate Straps

Left Strap

Next row (RS): Ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc, [ch 2, sk ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 3 dc] 2 times, turn.

Rep last row until Left Strap meas 6 (6½, 7)” ending with WS row.

Right Strap

Attach yarn to Row 3 of Yoke, skipping 17 (27, 27) sts for neck.

Work as for Left Strap, ending with WS row.

Back Yoke

Joining row (RS): (*Working onto Left Strap*) Ch 3, dc in each of next 2 dc, [ch 2, sk ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 3 dc] 2 times, ch 17 (27, 27), (*working onto Right Strap*), dc in each of next 3 dc, [ch 2, sk ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 3 dc] 2 times.

Next row: Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in each of next 2 dc, [ch 2, sk ch-2 sp, dc in each of next 3 dc] to end.

Rep last row until Back meas 3 (3½, 4)” from Joining Row.

Back

Armhole

4, 8 Year old Sizes only:

Next row: Ch 5 (4), dc in 4th ch from hook and each ch, [dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 dc in ch-2 sp] to last 3 sts, dc in last 3 dc – 49 (57) dc. Rep this row, 1 more time.

6 Year old Size only:

Next row: Ch 3, dc in next 2 dc, 2 dc in ch-2 sp, [dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 dc in ch-2 sp] to end – 53 dc.

All Sizes:

Work even in dc until Back meas 6½ (7½, 8½)” from first Armhole row.

Sew Front and Back together at sides.

SKIRT

Attach yarn to either side.

Rnd 1: Ch 5 (counts as dc + 2), sk next dc, [dc in next dc, ch 2, sk next dc] around, join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-5 – 48 (51, 54) ch-2 sps.

Rnd 2: Ch 5 (counts as dc + 2), sk next ch-2 sp, [dc in next dc, ch 2, sk next ch-2 sp] around, join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-5.

Rnds 3-6 (7, 8): Rep Rnd 2, 4 (5, 6) times.

Rnd 7 (8, 9): Ch 3 (counts as dc), 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, [dc in next dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp] around, join with sl st to beg dc – 144 (153, 162) dc.

Rnd 8 (9, 10): Ch 6 (counts as dc + ch 3), sk next 2 dc, [dc in next dc, ch 3, sk next 2 dc] around, join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-6 – 48 (51, 54) ch-3 sps

Rnd 9 (10, 11): Ch 6 (counts as dc + 3), sk next ch-3 sp, [dc in next dc, ch 3, sk next ch-3 sp] around, join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-6.

Rnds 10 (11, 12) – 13 (15, 17): Rep Rnd 9 (10, 11), 4 (5, 6) times.

Flounce 1

Rnd 1: Sl st to next ch-3 sp, ch 4 (counts as tr), [1 tr, ch 2, 2 tr] in same sp, ch 2, sk next 2 ch-3 sp, {[2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr] in next ch-3 sp, sk next 2 ch-3 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 2: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in next tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 2 tr, sk next ch-2 sp, {tr in each of next 2 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 2 tr, sk next ch-2 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 3: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each of next 2 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 3 tr, sk next ch-2 sp, {tr in each of next 3 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 3 tr, sk next ch-2 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 4: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each of next 3 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 4 tr, sk next ch-2 sp, {tr in each of next 4 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 4 tr, sk next ch-2 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 5: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each of next 4 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 5 tr, sk next ch-2 sp, {tr in each of next 5 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 5 tr, sk next ch-2 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 6: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each of next 5 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 6 tr, sk next ch-2 sp, {tr in each of next 6 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 6 tr, sk next ch-2 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 7: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in each of next 6 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 7 tr, sk next ch-2 sp, {tr in each of next 7 tr, [tr, ch 2, tr] in next ch-2 sp, tr in each of next 7 tr, sk next ch-2 sp} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnd 8: Work Picot Edging around. Fasten off.

Flounce 2

Attach MC bet Rows 1 & 2 of Body at side. Work Row 1 of Flounce 2 around dc from Row 1 of Body.

Rnds 1: Ch 4 (counts as tr), [1 tr, ch 2, 2 tr] in same sp, ch 2, sk next 2 dc, {[2 tr, ch 2, 2 tr] in next ch-3 sp, sk next 2 dc} around, join with sl st to beg tr.

Rnds 2-5: Work as for Rnds 2-5 of Flounce 1.

Rnd 6: Work Picot Edging around. Fasten off.

Flounce 3

Attach CC bet Rows 6 (7, 8) and 7 (8, 9) of Skirt. Complete as for Flounce 2.

FINISHING

Work Picot Edging around Armholes and Neck.

Flowers *(make 1 in CC and 1 in MC)*

Ch 4, join with sl st to form ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 1, {[sc, hdc, dc, hdc, sc] in ring} 4 times, join with sl st to beg sc.

Rnd 2: [Ch 5, sk next 3 sts, sc around post of next st from behind] 5 times, join with sl st to ch 1 of beg ch-5.

Rnd 3: [Sc, hdc, 2 dc, hdc, sc] in each ch-5 sp around, join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off.

Sew Flowers to Right Strap near Neck, as seen in photo.

Weave in ends.

Abbreviations

beg	beginning
CC	contrast color
ch	chain
dc	double crochet
hdc	half double crochet
MC	main color
rep	repeat
rnd	round
RS	right side
sc	single crochet
sk	skip
sl st	slip stitch
sp	space
st	stitch
tr	triple crochet
WS	wrong side