

# double stitchtwins



## Options Topper

*Using two colors of yarn gives you wonderful shadings, the kind of look that adds lasting interest to your crocheting and your style. Front and back are made with two different pattern stitches, so if you do happen to tire of one side, you have the option of switching it around for a new texture.*

LW2695



Designed by Double Stitch Twins.

One size fits most.

Sweater measures 28" wide x 13" long.

RED HEART® Boutique™ Midnight™: 3 Balls 1937 Moonlight **A** and 1936 Misty **B**.

Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9].  
Yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 12 hdc = 4"; 11 rows = 4" in. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

### SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

**Fptr** = Front post triple crochet. Yo twice, insert hook from the front side of the work to back and to front again around the post of the indicated stitch on a previous row; yo and pull up a loop (4 loops on hook), [yo and draw through two loops] twice (2 loops on hook), yo and draw through two loops (1 loop on hook).

### FRONT

With **A**, ch 90.

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Hdc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across.

**Row 2:** Ch 2 (counts as hdc here and throughout), turn, hdc in each hdc across – 89 hdc.

Fasten off.

**Row 3:** Join **B** in last st, ch 2, turn, hdc in first 2 hdc, \*Fptr around next hdc 2 rows below, hdc in next 2 hdc; repeat from \* to end.

**Row 4:** Ch 2, turn, hdc in each st to end.

Fasten off.

**Row 5:** Join **A** in last st, ch 2, turn, hdc in first 2 hdc, \*Fptr around next hdc 2 rows below, hdc in next 2 hdc; repeat from \* to end.

**Row 6:** Ch 2, turn, hdc in each st to end.

**Rows 7-36:** Repeat Rows 2-5.

**Row 37:** With **A**, repeat Row 2.

**Row 38:** Ch 2, turn, hdc in next 27 sts, ch 35, skip 33 hdc, hdc in next 27 hdc.

**Row 39:** Ch 2, turn, hdc in next 26 hdc, 35 hdc in ch-33 space, hdc in next 27 hdc – 89 hdc.

**Row 40:** Ch 2, turn, hdc in each hdc across.

Fasten off.

**Row 41:** Join **B** in last st, ch 2, turn, hdc in next 4 hdc, \*Fptr around next hdc 2 rows below, hdc in next 5 hdc; repeat from \* to end.



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**Row 42:** Ch 2, turn, hdc in each st across.

**Rows 43-58:** Repeat Rows 41-42.

Fasten off.

**Row 59-76:** Join **A** and repeat Rows 41-42.

## FINISHING

With right sides together, fold piece in half lining up sts of first and last rows.

**Joining Row (Wrong Side):** Working through both layers, ch 1, turn, sc in next 25 sts, working through sts of Row 76 only, sc in next 39 sts, working through both layers, sc in next 25 sts.

Fasten off.

Weave in ends.



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E786, Available in 2.5 oz (70g), 153 yd  
(140m) balls.

**Abbreviations:** **A, B, C** = Color A, B, C; **ch** = chain;  
**hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single  
crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tr** = triple or treble crochet; **yo** =  
yarn over; \* **or** \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as  
indicated.



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