



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: EASY

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
Dc = Double crochet
Dc2tog = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next stitch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook.
Dec = Decrease
Inc = Increase
Rem = Remaining

Rep = Repeat
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS = Right side
Sl st = Slip stitch
Shell = 3 dc in indicated stitch or space
Sp(s) = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
Tr = Treble crochet
WS = Wrong side
Yoh = Yarn over hook

SIZES

To fit chest measurement

6 mos **17" [43 cm]**
9 mos **17½" [44 cm]**
12 mos **18" [45.5 cm]**
18 mos **19" [48.5 cm]**
24 mos **20" [51 cm]**

Finished chest

6 mos **20" [51 cm]**
9 mos **22" [56 cm]**
12 mos **24" [61 cm]**
18 mos **26" [66 cm]**
24 mos **27" [68.5 cm]**

GAUGE

16 dc and 7 rows = 4" [10 cm].

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (.). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

MATERIALS

Red Heart® Baby Hugs™ Light (4.5 oz/127 g; 318 yds/290 m)

Sizes	6	9	12	18	24	mos
Contrast A Pool (3830)	1	1	1	1	1	ball
Contrast B Frosting (3001)	1	1	1	1	1	ball
Contrast C Pinkie (3724)	1	1	1	1	1	ball

Size U.S. F/5 (3.75 mm) crochet hook **or sizes needed to obtain gauge.**

Notes:

- Garment is worked in one piece from neck down.
- Garment is divided at underarms and body is then worked to lower edge.
- To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook and draw new color through last 2 loops, then proceed in new color.
- Ch 2 at beg of rnd **does not** count as a st.
- Ch 3 does at beg of rnd counts as a dc.

SWEATER

Beg at neck edge, with A, ch **44** (49-54-59-64).

1st row: (WS). 1 dc in 3rd ch from hook and each of next **6** (7-8-9-10) ch. (1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) in next ch. 1 dc in each of next **4** (5-6-7-8) ch. (1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) in next ch. 1 dc in each of next **16** (17-18-19-20) ch. (1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) in next ch. 1 dc in each of next **4** (5-6-7-8) ch. (1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) in next ch. 1 dc in last **7** (8-9-10-11) ch. Turn. **46** (51-56-61-66) dc.

2nd row: Ch 3. *1 dc in each dc to next ch-1 sp. (1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) in next ch-1 sp. Rep from * 3 times. 1 dc in each dc to end of row. Turn. **54** (59-64-69-74) dc.

Rep last row **3** (3-4-5-5) times more. **78** (83-96-109-114) dc at end of last row. Join B at end of last row.

Next row: With B, ch 1. 1 sc in each dc and ch-1 sp to end of row. Turn. **82** (87-100-113-118) sc.

Next row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first **13** (14-16-18-18) sts. Ch **9** (12-13-14-16). Skip next **14** (15-18-21-24) sts (first armhole). 1 sc in each of next **28** (29-32-35-34) sts. Ch **9** (12-13-14-16). Skip next **14** (15-18-21-24) sts (2nd armhole). 1 sc in each of last **13** (14-16-18-18) sts. Join A. Turn.

Note: In next, when instructed to work into a stitch, you may be working into a sc or ch.

Body: 1st row: With A, ch 2. 1 dc in first st. Ch 1. Skip next st. Shell in next st. *Ch 1. Skip next 2 sts. Shell in next st. Rep from * to last 3 sts. Ch 1. Skip next 2 sts. 1 dc in last st. Turn. **23** (26-29-32-33) shells.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. (Ch 3. 1 sc) in each ch-1 sp to end of row. 1 sc in in last dc. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 2. 1 dc in first sc. *(Ch 1. Shell) in next ch-3 sp. Rep from * to last sc. Ch 1. 1 sc in last sc. Turn.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows **3** (4-4-5-6) times more, then 2nd row once. Fasten off.

FINISHING Edging

1st rnd: With RS facing and working in rem loops of foundation ch, join A with sl st in center ch of 1st row. 1 sc in each ch to front edge. *Working* in ends of rows down front edge, work 2 sc around post of each dc and 1 sc around each sc. Work across bottom edge of Sweater: 1 sc in each of first 2 sc. (Sl st. Ch 3. 1 dc. Ch 3. Sl st) in each ch-3 space to last 2 sc. 1 sc in each of last 2 sc. *Working* in ends of rows down front edge, work 2 sc around post of each dc and 1 sc around each sc. *Working in rem loops of foundation ch*, 1 sc in each ch to end of rnd. Join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Rosette

With C, ch 21.

1st rnd: 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 2 sc in each of next 4 ch. 2 hdc in each of next 10 ch. 2 dc in each of last 5 ch. Ch 2. Join with sl st in first ch. Fasten off, leaving 12" [30.5 cm] end of yarn for sewing. Beg with

sc end, coil strip to form rosette. With end of yarn, secure through all layers. Sew rosette to sweater where desired.

Weave in ends.