


CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

### ABBREVIATIONS

**Approx** = Approximately

**Beg** = Beginning

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Fsc** = (Foundation single crochet). \*Insert hook in “chain” of previous stitch and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through 1 loop on hook (the “chain”). Yoh and draw through both loops on hook. Repeat from \* for indicated number of stitches.

**Note:** A foundation single crochet consists of a base chain and a single crochet worked at same time

**Pat** = Pattern

**PM** = Place marker

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**Sp(s)** = Space(s)

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**Tog** = Together

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

### SIZES

**To fit chest measurement**
**XS/S/M** 28-38" [71-96.5 cm]

**L/XL/2XL** 40-50" [101.5-127 cm]

**3/4/5XL** 52-62" [132-157.5 cm]

**Finished chest measurement**
**XS/S/M** 43½" [110.5 cm]

**XL/2XL** 55½" [141 cm]

**3/4/5XL** 65" [165 cm]

**(according to schematic)**

### GAUGE

14 stitches (sts) and 5 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Mesh pattern (pat).

### MATERIALS

**Caron® Funfetti Cakes™** (8 oz/227 g; 239 yds/218 m)

Sizes	XS/S/M	L/XL/2XL	3/4/5XL	
Pink Frosting (10023)	3	4	6	<b>balls</b>
	700/640	946/865	1196/1093	<b>yds/m</b>

Size U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® yarn needle. Susan Bates® stitch markers.

## INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for size **XS/S/M**. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written **XS/S/M (L/XL/2X-3/4/5XL)**. When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

**Note:** Chain (ch) 5 at beginning (beg) of row counts as double crochet (dc) and ch-2 space (sp).

## FRONT & BACK (Make 2 alike).

Ch **80 (101-125)** [multiple of 3 ch +5].

**\*\*1st row:** [Right Side (RS)]. 1 dc in 8th ch from hook (counts as skipped 2 ch, 1 dc, and ch-2). \*Ch 2. Skip next 2 ch. 1 dc in next ch. Repeat (rep) from \* to end of chain. Turn. **25 (32-40)** ch-2 sps. **26 (33-41)** dc.

**2nd row:** Ch 5 (counts as dc and ch-2 sp here and throughout). Skip next ch-2 sp. 1 dc in next dc. \*Ch 2. Skip next ch-2 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.\*\* Rep last row until work from beg measures **34 (36-38)" [86.5 (91.5-96.5) cm]**. Fasten off.

## SLEEVES (Make 2 alike)

Ch **56 (74-83)** [multiple of 3 ch +5]. Rep from \*\* to \*\* as given for Front and Back.

**17 (23-26)** ch-2 sps. **18 (24-27)** dc. Rep last row until Sleeve measures **8½ (8½-7½)" [21.5 (21.5-19) cm]**. Fasten off.

## BELT

Ch 2.

**1st row:** Insert hook in 2nd chain from hook and draw up a loop. Yarn over hook (yoh) and draw through 1 loop on hook. Yoh and draw through both loops on hook - 1 foundation single crochet (fsc) made. Work **142 (181-220)** more fsc. Fasten off.

Tie knot approx 1" [2.5 cm] in from each end of Belt.

## FINISHING

Place markers (PM) **5¾ (8½-11¾)" [14.5 (21.5-30) cm]** in from each side edge for Neck Opening. With Wrong Sides (WS) of Front and Back together (tog), using flat seam, sew shoulder seams from markers to side edges.

PM **7½ (10-11¼)" [19 (25.5-28.5) cm]** down each side edge from shoulder seam for armholes. Sew bottom of Sleeves around armhole opening, between armhole markers.

PM 10" [25.5 cm] up each side edge from bottom for side slits. Sew sleeve and side seams to markers for slits. Weave in ends.

Weave Belt through ch-2 sps that sit at natural waist (try on Cover-Up to mark these sps). Ends of Belt meet at center front.

