



ABBREVIATIONS

Beg = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dc = Double crochet

Inc = Increase

Pat = Pattern

Rem = Remain(ing)(s)

Rep = Repeat

RS = Right side

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

WS = Wrong side



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

MATERIALS

Caron® Simply Soft™ (6 oz/170.1 g; 315 yds/288 m)

Sizes	XS/S	M	L	
Contrast A	1	1	1	ball
Sage (39705)	195/178	220/200	260/237	yds/m
Contrast B	1	1	1	ball
Plum Wine (39722)	195/178	220/200	260/237	yds/m
Contrast C	1	1	1	ball
Lt. Country Blue (39709)	195/178	220/200	260/237	yds/m
Contrast D	1	1	1	ball
Dk. Country Blue (39711)	245/230	270/246	300/273	yds/m
Sizes	XL	2XL		
Contrast A	1	2	ball(s)	
Sage (39705)	295/269	340/309	yds/m	
Contrast B	1	2	ball(s)	
Plum Wine (39722)	295/269	340/309	yds/m	
Contrast C	1	2	ball(s)	
Lt. Country Blue (39709)	295/269	340/309	yds/m	
Contrast D	2	2	balls	
Dk. Country Blue (39711)	335/305	380/346	yds/m	

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume crochet hook **or** **size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates® yarn needle. Length of ¾" [2 cm] wide elastic to fit waist measurement.

SIZES

To fit hip measurement

XS/S	34-36" [86.5-91.5 cm]
M	38-40" [96.5-101.5 cm]
L	42-44" [106.5-112 cm]
XL	46-48" [117-122 cm]
2/3XL	50-52" [127-132 cm]

Finished hip

XS/S	38" [96.5 cm]
M	42" [106.5 cm]
L	45" [114.5 cm]
XL	48½" [123 cm]
2/3XL	52" [132 cm]

Skirt Length

XS/S	17" [43 cm]
M	17" [43 cm]
L	18" [45.5 cm]
XL	19" [48 cm]
2/3XL	20" [51 cm]

GAUGE

14 sts and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Zig Zag Pat.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for XS/S. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written XS/S (M-L-XL-2XL). 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.

Stripe Pat

1st to 4th rows: With A.
5th to 8th rows: With B.
9th to 12th rows: With C.
13th to 16th rows: With D.
 These 16 rows form Stripe Pat.

FRONT & BACK (make 2 pieces alike)

With D, ch **68** (74-80-86-92) (multiple of 6 ch + 2).

See diagram on page 3.

Foundation row 1: (WS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn. **67** (73-79-85-91) sts. [**34** (37-40-43-46) sc].

Foundation row 2: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Foundation row 3: Rep Foundation row 2. Break D.

Stripe Pat begins:

1st row: (RS). Join A with sl st to first sc. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as sl st. *Ch 3. Skip next: (Ch-1 sp. 1 sc). Working in **front** of row, sl st in next ch-1 sp 3 rows below (Foundation row). Ch 3. Skip next: (1 sc. Ch-1 sp). 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Working into 2 rows below (Foundation row 3): (Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next sc) twice. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1. Working into previous row, 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Ch 3. Skip next (Ch-1 sp. 1 dc). Working in **front** of row, sl st in next ch-1 sp 3 rows below. Ch 3. Skip next (1 dc. Ch-1 sp). 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

4th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Working into 2 rows below (2nd row of Stripe Pat): (Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc) twice. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Working into previous row: 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Break A. Join B. Turn.

5th row: With B, ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Ch 3. Skip next (Ch-1 sp. 1 dc). Working in **front** of row, sl st in next ch-1 sp 3 rows below. Ch 3. Skip next (1 dc. Ch-1 sp). 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

6th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Working into 2 rows below (4th row of Stripe Pat): (Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc) twice. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Working into previous row, 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

7th row: As 5th row

8th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *Working into 2 rows below (6th row of Stripe Pat): (Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc) twice. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Working into previous row, 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. Break B. Join C. Turn.

First 8 rows of Stripe Pat are complete.

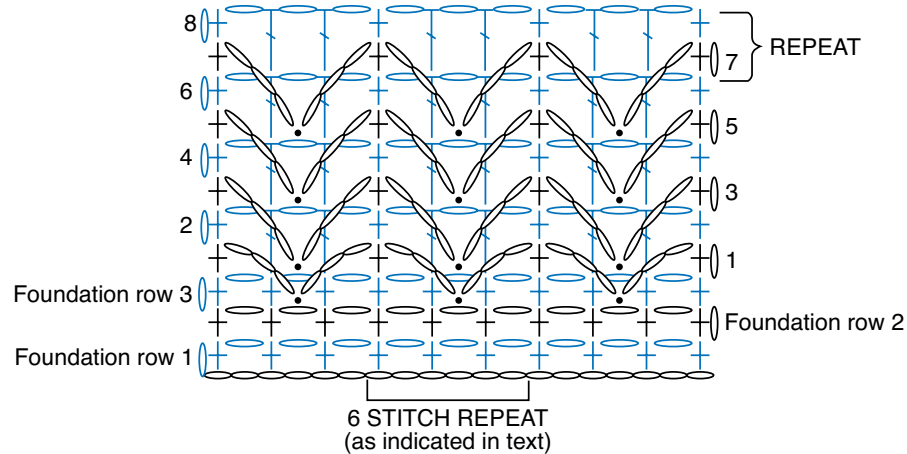
Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep last 2 rows for Zig-Zag Pat until work from beg measures approx **17** (17-18-19-20)" [**43** (43-45.5-48-51) cm], ending on a 4th, 8th or 12th row of Stripe Pat (WS row). Join D. Turn.

Waistband: Next row: (RS). With D, ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. *(1 sc in next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in next dc) twice. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from * to end of row. **57 (62-67-72-77)** sc. Turn.

Next 5 rows: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew side seams taking care to match stripe rep. Fold waistband in half to WS and sew in position leaving a 2" [5 cm] opening at left side seam to insert elastic. Cut elastic to waist measurement and draw elastic through waistband casing. Sew ends of elastic tog securely. Sew waistband opening closed.



REDUCED SAMPLE OF PATTERN

STITCH KEY

- = chain (ch)
- = slip stitch (sl st)
- ⊥ = single crochet (sc)
- ⌋ = double crochet (dc)

