

Fit for a princess (or a queen!)

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Materials: Size I, 9mm hook

Worsted weight yarn, 450 yards for the teal one, 900 yards for the pink and blue

Key: US Terms

Ch = chain

Sc = single crochet

Dc = double crochet

Shell= (2dc, ch2, 2dc) in designated space or stitch

V-st = (dc, ch2, dc) in designated space or stitch

St= stitch

Sp = space

### **PATTERN**

Ch 41/53, (or a multiple of 2 plus 3 for a turning chain)it needs to be long enough to reach around the neck comfortably

Row 1: Work 2 dc's in fourth ch from hook, ch2, dc in next 36/48 ch's, ch2, 3dc in last ch. **Turn work at end of each row**

Row 2: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, **sk 2 dc's and ch2 sp**, work (dc in next st, ch2, dc in next st) to the ch2 sp, then ch 2, sk ch 2 sp and 2 dc's, 3dc in last stitch. There should be a total of 20/26 ch2 sps across the row

Row 3: Ch3, 2 dc in same st, ch2, sk ch 2 sp and next dc, shell st in each ch 2 sp between dc's across row to the last ch2 sp, then ch2, sk ch2 sp, 3 dc in last st. 18/24 shells

Row 4: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk first dc of shell, dc in next st, V-st in ch2 sp, dc in next st, skip the last st of shell) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st .

Rows 5-6: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next st, V-st in ch2 sp, dc in next st, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st. *The two central dc's of each trough will be skipped from now on.*

Row 7: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next st, Shell in ch2 sp, dc in next st, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

Rows 8-10: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 2 sts, V-st in ch2 sp, dc in next 2 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

Row 11: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 2 sts, Shell in ch2 sp, dc in next 2 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

Rows 12-14: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 3 sts, V-st in ch2 sp, dc in next 3 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

Row 15: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 3 sts, Shell in ch2 sp, dc in next 3 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

Rows 16-18: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 4 sts, V-st in ch2 sp, dc in next 4 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

Row 19: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 4 sts, Shell in ch2 sp, dc in next 4 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st

I stopped after row 19 for mine, the adult capelet (teal in the pictures). On the final row I worked:

Edging: Ch3, 2dc in same st, ch2, sk ch2 sp, (sk one dc, dc in next 5 sts, ch2, (dc, ch2) **twice** in the ch 2 sp, ch2, in next 5 sts, skip next dc) 18/24 times, ch2, skip ch2 sp, 3dc in last st.

For my daughters, I kept working the four row repeats (rows 16-19) increasing the dc 's along the sides of each peak until it was the length she wanted.