



DOLL DRESS MODEL 1



Material:

DMC cotton thread, size 10.

Crochet hook Boye size 8

Size:

The dress will fit a crochet doll approx 11 cm (4 1/3") tall.

To fit a smaller doll the thread can be replaced by DMC 20 and a hook size 11.

Abbreviations:

ch = chain

sl st = slip stitch

sc = single crochet (UK double crochet=dc)

hdc = half double crochet (UK half treble crochet=htr)

dc = double crochet (UK treble crochet=tr)

tog = together

st = stitch

nxt = next

skip = UK miss

Buttons:

Buttons doesn't have to be miniature buttons, they can be hard to come by. It can just as easily and better be little pearls of a fitting size. If you can't find the right color, a transparent button/bead can be used instead.

Button hole:

The size of the button hole depends on the size of the button/bead. One chain for each millimeter will be just right, so if the button is 4 mm across, use chain 4.

In these patterns I have consequently used 4 mm buttons and chain 4 for each button hole. If you have another sized button, please adjust this.

Note!

Each row starts with:

Ch 1 if the first stitch is a single crochet (not counted as one)

Ch 2 if the first stitch is a half double crochet

Ch 3 if the first stitch is a double crochet

End each row with a slip stitch in the last ch of the previous row.

The dress is crocheted from the waist up, continues along the side and is then crocheted from the waist down.

Row

1 Ch 29. Leave a long tail that can be used later for sewing on the buttons.

2-6 (1 sc, 1 dc) to the end of the row, begin in the 2nd st from the hook = 28 st

7 (1 sc, 1 dc) 3 times, Ch 6, skip 3 st, (1 dc, 1 sc) 5 times, Ch 6, skip 3 st, (1 sc, 1 dc) 3 times = 34

Ch 4 = the first button hole. Crochet 2 sc along the side of the dress in row 5 and 4.

Ch 4 = the second button hole. Crochet 1 sc in the last st from the first row. From now on the work continues from the waist down.

Continue with one of the variants below and finish the dress. Fasten off and sew on two tiny buttons.

Variant 1 - Yellow dress

Row

8-13 *(2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in the next st, skip 1 st*, repeat ** to end of row = 14 groups.

For a wider dress, crochet 3 dc instead of 2 dc.



Variant 2 - Green dress

Row

8 *(Ch 3, skip 1 st, 1 sc in the next st)* repeat ** to end of row.

9-17 *Ch 3, 1 sc in the ch 3 space* repeat ** to end of row.



Variant 3 - Peach dress

Row

8-13 *3 dc in the next st, ch 2, skip 1 st*, repeat ** to end of row. = 14 groups

Variant 4 - Blue dress

Row

8 *3 dc in the next st, 1 sc* repeat ** to end of row.

9-15 Ch 3, *(1 sc in the second dc on the previous row, 3 dc in the sc from the previous row)* repeat ** to end of row

