



CROCHET | SKILL LEVEL: **EASY**

## ABBREVIATIONS

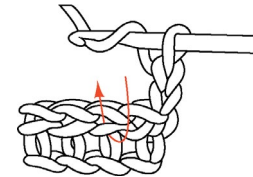
**Beg** = Beginning

**Ch** = Chain(s)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

**Hdchb** = Work 1 hdc into horizontal bar created below in previous row (bar is below loops normally worked on WS – see diagram)



**Hdchb2tog** = (Yoh and draw up a loop into horizontal bar of next stitch) twice. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

**Pat** = Pattern

**PM** = Place marker

**Rem** = Remain(ing)

**Rep** = Repeat

**RS** = Right side

**Scbl** = Single crochet in back loop only

**Sl st** = Slip stitch

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

**WS** = Wrong side

## SIZES

### To fit chest measurement

**XS/S** 28-34" [71-86.5 cm]

**M** 36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm]

**L** 40-42" [101.5-106.5 cm]

**XL** 44-46" [112-117 cm]

**2/3XL** 48-54" [122-137 cm]

**4/5XL** 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

### Finished chest

**XS/S** 40" [101.5 cm]

**M** 44" [112 cm]

**L** 48" [122 cm]

**XL** 52" [132 cm]

**2/3XL** 57" [144.5 cm]

**4/5XL** 62" [157.5 cm]

## GAUGES

13 sts and 10 rows = 4" [10 cm] in hdchb pat.

13 sts and 12 rows = 4" [10 cm] in scbl pat



## MATERIALS

**Red Heart® Super Saver® Ombre™** (10 oz/283 g; 482 yds/440 m)

**Sizes** **XS/S** **M** **L** **XL** **2/3XL** **4/5XL**

Cocoa (3987) **4** **4** **5** **5** **6** **7** **balls**

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.**  
Stitch markers. Yarn needle.

## 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.

### Notes:

- Body is worked in two pieces: Left Side and Right Side. Sides are worked from front edge to center of Back. Left and Right Sides are joined tog at center back.
- Ch 2 at beg of row **does not** count as st.

## BODY

**\*\*Left Side:** Beg at left front edge, ch **105 (106-111-112-117-120)**.

**1st row:** (RS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain. Turn. **103 (104-109-110-115-117)** hdc.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdchb in each st to end of row. Turn.\*\*

Rep last row until work from beg measures **6 (6-6½-7-7½-8)" [15 (15-16.5-18-19-20.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row.

**Shape V-neck: 1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 scbl in each of next 65 sts. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each sc to end of row. Turn.

\*\*\*Work in short-turn rows technique over unworked hdc row as follows:

**3rd row:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each sc to end of sc-row. Sc2togbl over unworked hdc. 1 scbl in each of next 3 hdc of unworked hdc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked. 69 sts.

**4th row:** As 2nd row. Rep last 2 rows **1 (2-3-8-9-8)** time(s) more. **73 (77-81-101-105-101)** sts.

**Sizes XS/S, M, L and 4/5XL only:**

**Next row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 scbl in each sc to end of sc-row. Sc2togbl. 1 scbl in each of next **5 (4-4-2)** hdc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

**Next row:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows **3 (3-3-1)** time(s) more. **97 (97-101-107)** sts.

**All sizes: 97 (97-101-101-105-107)** sts. PM at end of last row.

**Shape armhole: 1st row:** (RS). Ch 2. Working in back loops only, 1 hdc in each of next 66 sc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdchb in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep last row until work from marked row measures **2 (3-3-4-4-5)" [5 (7.5-7.5-10-10-12.5) cm]**, ending on a RS row.

**Shape Back: 1st row:** (WS). Ch **33 (33-37-37-41-43)**. 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook and each of next **30 (30-34-34-38-40)** ch. 1 hdchb in each st to end of row. Turn. **97 (97-101-101-105-107)** hdc. PM at end of row.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdchb in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep last row until work from marked row measures **9 (10-10½-11-12-12½)" [23 (25.5-26.5-28-30.5-32) cm]**, ending on a RS row. Fasten off.\*\*\*

**Right Side:** Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Left Side.

Rep last row until work from beg measures **6 (6-6½-7-7½-8)" [15 (15-16.5-18-19-20.5) cm]**, ending on a RS row.

**Shape V-neck: 1st row:** (WS). Ch 2. 1 scbl in each of next 66 hdc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each st to end of row. Turn.

Work from \*\*\* to \*\*\* as given for Left Side, noting WS and RS rows will be reversed.

**Join back seam:** With WS of both sides tog. Join yarn with sl st to first st at bottom of seam. Ch 1. Working through both thicknesses, 1 sc in each st to end of row. Fasten off.

## SLEEVES

Ch **14 (15-8-10-12-11)**.

**Shape side: 1st row:** (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain. Turn. **13 (14-7-9-11-10)** sc.

**2nd row:** Ch **8 (8-8-8-7-7)**. 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook and each of next **6 (6-6-6-5-5)** ch. 1 scbl in each sc to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows **5 (5-6-6-7-8)** times more, then 2nd row once. **62 (63-63-64-64-65)** sc. PM at end of last row.

**Next row:** (RS). Ch 2. Working in back loops only, 1 hdc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

**Next row:** Ch 2. 1 hdchb in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep last row until work from marked row measures **10 (10-11-11-12-13)**" [**25.5 (25.5-28-28-30.5-33)** cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape side:** Proceed as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). Ch 1. 1 scbl in each st to last **7 (7-7-7-6-6)** sts. Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 scbl in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows **5 (5-6-6-7-8)** times more, then 1st row once. **13 (14-7-9-11-10)** sc. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

**Join back seam of Body:** With WS of both sides tog, join yarn with sl st to first st at bottom of seam. Ch 1. Working through both thicknesses, 1 sc in each st to end of row. Fasten off.

Sew shoulder seams. Sew in Sleeves placing sts above markers along short-turn rows of Front and Back to form square armholes. Sew sleeve seams.

**Front edging: 1st row:** (RS). Join yarn with sl st to right bottom corner. Work in hdc up Right Front, across neck edge and down Left Front. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 2. 1 hdchb in each st to end of row. Turn.

Rep last row for 2" [5 cm], ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

