



# **Pinkie Blouse**

No. 1006-203-8549

**Sizes:** 18 months, (2Y, 4Y, 6Y, 8Y)

**Skill Level:** Intermediate

**Crochet Hook:** 3.5 mm (US size E) **Materials:** Stitch markers, 1 small button, sewing needle for weaving in the ends,

scissors

**Gauge:** 17 hdc = 10 cm 16 rows in hdc = 10 cm 10 rows in V st = 10 cm

**Yarn:** Rainbow Glitter Silver Antique Rose Silver (#061)

Red Silver (#058)

How much yarn do you need?

18 months, 2 years: 3 skeins of Rose, 1 skein

of red

**4, 6 years:** 4 skeins of Rose, 1 skein of red **8 years:** 5 skeins of Rose, 1 skein of red

Buy your yarn here:

http://shop.hobbii.com/pinkie-blouse



## Abbreviations used in this pattern:

Ch - chain

Sc - single crochet

Hdc - half double crochet

Dc - double crochet

V st - 1 dc, ch 1, 1 dc in the same st

Piccot - after making the last sc, ch 3 and slip stitch in first ch st

Sc 2 tog - 2 single crochet worked together

SI st - slip stitch

St(s) - stitch (es)

Dec - decrease

Ch sp - chain space

\* repeat section

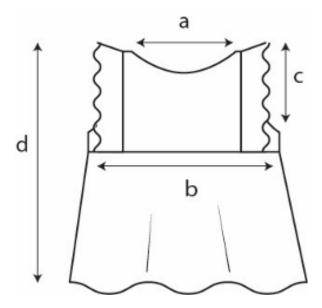
RI - row/round

#### **Final Measurements**

This pattern is available in 5 sizes, from 18 months up to 8 years. If you want to make the blouse between sizes, follow the pattern for the bigger size.

Use final measurements below to decide which size to make.

Sizes 2Y, 4Y, 6Y and 8Y are between brackets.





**Neck Line a:** 13 cm (14, 15, 16, 19)

Chest Width b: 28 cm (30, 34, 36, 38)

**Armhole Depth c:** 11.5 cm (12.5, 13. 5, 14.5, 16.5)

**Length d:** 33 cm (35, 38, 43, 48)

#### Pattern notes

Ch 2 at the beginning of a row or round doesn't count as first hdc

Ch 3 at the beginning of each round in V st counts as first dc



## Instructions

## **Top Part**

Start| Ch 96 (100, 116, 124, 132) sts. Join with a sl st to make a circle

**R1**| Ch 2, 1 hdc in the same st, 1 hdc in each st, join with a sl st with 1<sup>st</sup> hdc, ch 2 and turn.



Repeat R1 until you have 4 (4, 6, 8, 10) rows in total.

Next we will split the work in half and start working the front and back panel separately.

Use the beginning of the round as first reference and use a stitch marker and place it in st number 48 (50, 58, 62, 66). For each side, front and back, you should have 48 (50, 58, 62, 66) sts.



## **Front Panel**

**R5 (5, 7, 9, 11)** 1 dec, 1 hdc in each st until you have 2 sts left (the last st is the marked st), 1 dec, ch 2 and turn.

Repeat **R5** (5, 7, 9, 11)| for 5 (5, 8, 9, 9) rows. After finishing decreasing you should have left 38 (40, 42, 44, 48) sts.

R10 (10, 15, 18, 20)| 1 hdc in each st, ch 2 and turn.

Repeat R10 (10, 15, 18, 20) until you have 14 (16, 20, 23, 28) rows in total.

Next we will shape the neckline. Use 2 stitch markers to mark the middle stitches.

For all sizes

Count for left and right side 16 sts and put a stitch marker into the 16<sup>th</sup> st.

In the middle you will have left 6 (8, 10, 12, 16) sts.





Next, we will work right side and left side separately. Left side is A and right side is B Continue from where your yarn is.

## Side A

R14 (16, 20, 23, 28)| A 1 hdc in each st until you have 2 sts left, 1 dec, ch 2 and turn.

R15 (17, 21, 24, 29)| A 1 dec, 1 hdc in each st.

Repeat previous 2 rows for 8 rows. You will have **22 (24, 28, 31, 36) rows** in total and 8 sts left. Fasten off.





## Side B

Join the yarn into the second st marker and ch 2.

R14 (16, 20, 23, 28)| B 1 dec, 1 hdc in each st, ch 2 and turn.

R15 (17, 21, 24, 29)| B 1 hdc in each st until you have 2 sts left, 1 dec, ch 2 and turn.

Repeat previous 2 rows for 8 rows. You will have  $\bf 22$  ( $\bf 24$ ,  $\bf 28$ ,  $\bf 31$ ,  $\bf 36$ ) rows in total and 8 sts left.

Fasten off.





## **Back Panel**

**Start**| Rejoin yarn in the next available st, after the front panel edge.

**R5** (5, 7, 9, 11)| 1 dec, 1 hdc in each st until you have 2 sts left, 1 dec, ch 2 and turn.

Repeat R5 (5, 7, 9, 11)| for 5 (5, 8, 9, 9) rows. After finishing decreasing you should have left 38 (40, 42, 44, 48) sts.

R10 (10, 15, 18, 20)| 1 hdc in each st, ch 2 and turn.

## For all sizes

Next, split the back panel in half, skipping 2 sts in the middle and work left and right side separately until you will have the same number of rows as for the front panel. See photo below. Join the shoulders using single crochet sts.





#### Ruffles

The ruffles are worked transversal, starting from the bottom front and ending on the bottom back. Count from the left side and right side 10 sts on back and front and place a stitch marker.

To make it easier to follow a straight line you can use a yarn needle and some contrasting yarn to trace a line where your stitches have to be placed.

The ruffles are worked in V st and you will make 1 V st around each st.

When working the ruffles on the right side of the blouse, start working from the bottom back. When working on the left side, start the row on the bottom front.

#### For all sizes

Start| Rejoin yarn around first st, ch 4

**R1**| \*1 V st around the next st, ch 1\* Repeat to the end of the row until you have 1 st left, 1 dc in last st, ch 4 and turn.

**R2**| \*1 V st in the next V st, ch 1\* Repeat to the end of the row, 1 dc in the 3<sup>rd</sup> st of the starting ch.



### **R3 – R4**| Repeat R2.

At the end of the **R4** change to red and make 1 row in sc.

Fasten off.

Repeat the same pattern on the other side.



After finishing the ruffles, the top part is done. An edging will be added on the neck line. You can work the edge now, or at the end. You can find the pattern for edging, farther below.

## **Bottom Part (Skirt)**

#### For all sizes

**Start**| Join the contrasting color on one side of the dress. Ch 1

**R1** 1 sc in each st, sl st using the main color.

**R2**| ch 4, 1 dc in the same st, ch 1, skip 1 st, \*1 V st in next, ch 1, skip 1\* Repeat to the end of the round, join with a sl st with the 3<sup>rd</sup> st of the starting ch.

Each of the next rounds will start in the ch sp, between the first ch 3 and the next dc.

**R3**| Ch 4, 1 dc in the same ch sp, \*1 V st in the next V st, ch 1\* Repeat to the end of the row, join with a sl st with the 3<sup>rd</sup> st of the starting chain.





Repeat R3| until you have the desired length or until you have in total 19 (20, 21, 23, 25) rows.

## **Edging**

## **Neck line edging**

We will work 2 rounds for edging using a contrasting color.

**Start**| Join the yarn into the left corner of the back panel

**R1**| ch 1, 3 sc in the same st, 1 sc in each st except the st of the right back panel corner, 3 sc in the corner, 1 sc in each side st of right side back panel except last side st, sc 2 tog x 2, 1 sc in each side st, join with a sl st with first sc.

**R2**| ch 1, 1 sc in the same st, ch 4, sl st into the first ch, \*4 sc, 1 piccot\* Repeat all around the neck line edge





## **Bottom Edge**

**Start**| Join the contrasting color in the right side st.

R1| ch 1, 1 sc in each st, join with a sl st into the first sc.

**R2**| ch 1, 1 sc in the same st, 3 sc, \*1 piccot, 4 sc\* Repeat to the end of the round, sl st with 1<sup>st</sup> sc

Fasten off.

## To finish

Weave in all ends, sew the button and block to measurements.





## Enjoy!

