



CROCHET PATTERN

Pastel Patches

Cardigan

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MATERIALS

Amigo Chunky

2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4) skeins of color A59

2 (2, 3, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4) skeins of color A29

(For sleeves, cuffs, ribbing)

1 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4) skeins of color A57

1 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4) skeins of color A35

1 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4) skeins of color A16

1 (2, 2, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4) skeins of color A46

(For the body)

Crochet hook 8 mm (US L)

Scissors

Needle

Tape measure

Stitch markers

Wooden buttons 15 mm (optional, 6 recommended)

YARN QUALITY

 **Amigo Chunky**, Hobbii

100% HB Acrylic

100 g (3.5 oz) = 100 m (109 yds)

GAUGE

10 cm x 10 cm (4" x 4") = 8 DC sts x 5 rows

ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain

sc = single crochet

st(s) = stitch(es)

DC = double crochet

HDC = half double crochet

DC2tog = double crochet 2 sts together

sl st = slip stitch

SIZE (fits a bust up to)

XS (S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL)

MEASUREMENTS

Width: 48 (52, 58, 62, 68, 72, 78, 82) cm

19 (20.5, 23, 24.5, 27, 28.5, 31, 32) inches

Length: 50 (50, 56, 60, 60, 60, 60, 60) cm

19.5 (19.5, 22, 23.5, 23.5, 23.5, 23.5, 23.5) inches

PATTERN INFORMATION

This cute chunky patchwork cardigan is made up of different coloured patches. The cardigan is crocheted with Amigo chunky on a large hook, which means it works up very quickly. The fit is slightly oversized with straight sleeves.

Skill-level: Intermediate

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QUESTIONS

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Happy Crafting!

Pattern



INFO AND TIPS

Your first patch will count as your tension square, so make sure this is measuring as expected. You may wish to adjust your hook size or tension if not. 2 patches side by side will make up the width of the back panel, and 2 patches on top of each other plus the bottom ribbing will make the length of the back panel.

Please note your cardigan will be too small/big if your gauge isn't right so keep an eye on this and change your hook if needed!

Bust circumference

The sizes fit a bust circumference as noted below. Choose the size closest to your bust circumference or size up for an oversized fit:

XS: 80 cm / 31.5"

S: 90 cm / 35.4"

M: 100 cm / 39.4"

L: 110 cm / 43.3"

XL: 120 cm / 47.3"

2XL: 130 cm / 51.1"

3XL: 140 cm / 55.1"

4XL: 150 cm / 59"

BACK PANEL PATCHES

First step, you will need to make 4 patches for the back panel of the cardigan one in each of the the following colours: A57, A35, A16, A46

Ch2 does not count as a st.

Row 1: Using your first colour, chain 21 (23, 24, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35) and then DC in the second CH from the hook, and DC in each ch to the end, then turn.

St count: 19 (21, 22, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33) *plus your initial ch2*

Row 2: Ch2, DC in each st until the end, turn.

St count: 19 (21, 22, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33)

Row 3: Repeat row 2 until your square measures:

Width: 24 (26, 28, 31, 34, 36, 39, 41) cm

Length 24 (24, 27, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29) cm.

Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Repeat for the remaining 3 back panel patches.

Sew back panel patches together

Once you have completed all 4 patches, lay them out in your chosen colour order (make sure you have the right way around for your correct width and length measurements), then take 2 at a time and sew them together by holding them with both right sides facing each other (so you can see the wrong side) and use the tail from one of the patches to sew them together through the back loops only, so when they are turned right side out you can't see the join. Now take your third patch, check which one you want to sew it to, line up those 2 sides with right sides facing each other, and repeat the process. Finally sew your 4th patch on, along both sides, to close the gap.

FRONT PANEL PATCHES

You will now be making 2 front panels made up of 2 squares each (so a total of 4 squares for this section) in the following colours: A57, A35, A16, A46

These will be the same length as the patches you made for the back panels, but the width will be different so make sure to follow the correct st count here.

Ch2 does not count as a st.

Row 1: Using your first colour, chain 17 (19, 20, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31) and then DC in the second CH from the hook, and DC in each ch to the end, then turn.

St count: 15 (17, 18, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29) *plus initial ch2*

Row 2: Ch2, DC in each st until the end, turn.

St count: 15 (17, 18, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29)

Row 3: Repeat row 2 until your square measures:

Width: 19 (21, 23, 26, 29, 31, 34, 36) cm.

Length: 24 (24, 27, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29) cm.

Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Repeat for the remaining 3 front panel patches.

Sew front panel patches together

Same procedure as for your back panel patches. Make sure you have the right way around for your correct width and length measurements.

JOIN THE FRONT AND BACK PANELS

Take your back panel and one of the front panels ready to join. Put the right sides facing each other so the wrong sides are facing out. Line up both the shoulder edges (think which colours you want at the top) and sew through the back loops only to join.

Repeat this for the second front panel. Weave in all ends and then turn the right way around ready to try on.

SLEEVES

With colours: A59, A29

Before you start your sleeves make sure the rest of your cardigan is sewn together because it's helpful to try it on at this point to determine your ideal sleeve length!

I have provided st counts for an average sleeve length but it's easily customisable.

To choose your own length try the cardigan on and measure from where the sleeve will attach to the dropped shoulder down to where you want your cuff to end.

Take 5 cm off this measurement to allow for the cuff which is worked separately at the end, and then divide by 2 to find out the ideal length for both sleeve patches. (E.g total ideal sleeve length 50 cm, so $50 - 5 = 45$. Divide by 2 to find the ideal length per sleeve patch: $45 / 2 = 22.5\text{cm}$)

Row 1: Take chosen colour (the one that will sit at the top of the sleeve) and leave a nice long tail for attaching to the cardigan later

Chain 22 (24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34) and then DC in the second CH from the hook, and DC in each ch to the end, then turn.

St count: 20 (22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32) plus ch2.

Row 2: Ch2 and DC in each st until the end, turn.

St count 20 (22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32)

Row 3: Continue with Row 2 until your patch measures either 21cm OR your chosen patch length (remember you are making 2 of them so it's half your sleeve measurement).

Leaving a long tail of this colour swap to your second colour (this will be the bottom half of your sleeve) and continue repeating Row 2 until it measures either 42cm in total (counting both colours now) or your chosen total sleeve length (patch length x 2) then do not fasten off. Leaving a long tail of this colour swap back to your first sleeve colour and move on to cuff.

CUFFS

Row 1: Ch2, DC2tog across the first 2 sts, DC2tog across the next 2 sts, DC in each st until 4 remain, DC2tog across 2 sts, DC2tog across the last 2 sts, turn

Row2: Ch2, DC in each st across to the end, turn.



Row 3: Ch1, loosely sc in each st until the end and fasten off leaving a tail long enough to sew up the cuff.

Repeat from start again to make another identical sleeve (you may wish to switch up the colour order this time though)

Fold your sleeve in half with the wrong side facing out. Use the tails you left to sew up the cuff then sleeve, and once you reach the arm hole use the the tail to sew the sleeve to the main body (make sure sleeve AND body are inside out). Once it's sewn on, sew together down the side of the body panels.

Repeat this for the other sleeve. When both are done weave in all ends and turn back the right way around again.

WAISTBAND/NECKBAND RIBBING

With colours: A59, A29

Row 1: With the right side facing you attach your chosen colour yarn at the bottom of the cardigan at the back (where 2 colours meet in the middle). You will be holding the cardigan upside down. Ch2, hdc in each st along the back. When you reach the corner at the front of the cardigan do '2hdc ch1 2hdc' all in the same sp, then continue with hdc in each st/end of row up the side of the cardigan towards the neck.

If you want to do a second colour for the other half of the ribbing like the one in the photo, then swap to this at the back of the neck in the middle where the panel colours meet.

Continue with hdc in each st all the way down and repeat '2hdc ch1 2hdc' in the corner before continuing along until you get to your first st. Sl st to join and fasten off.

Weave in your ends and move on to buttons.

BUTTONS (optional)

Use st markers to position your buttons evenly down the front of the cardigan. Once you are happy with their positions, sew them in one by one. You don't need buttonholes on the other side as they should fit through your hdc stitches from the ribbing!

Enjoy!

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