



Designed by Double Stitch Twins

# What you will need:

**RED HEART® Soft:** 6 (8, 9, 9, 10) balls 09114 Honey

Crochet Hook: 6mm [US J-10]

Stitch markers, yarn needle

TENSION/GAUGE: 13 sts = 10 cm [4"]; 7 rows = 10 cm [4"] in treble crochet. CHECK YOUR TENSION/GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the tension/gauge.



RED HEART® Soft®, Art. 9809670 solid colours available in 100 g (3.5 oz), 167 m (182 yd) balls



# Caribbean Skirt

Here's a beautiful crocheted skirt to wear over a bathing suit while strolling along the beach or over a tunic in the city. Directions are for size Small; changes for sizes Medium, Large, X-Large and 2X are in parentheses.

Waist: 68 (79, 89, 99, 107) cm [27 (31, 35, 39, 42)"]

Hip: 81 (89, 99, 109, 117) cm [32 (35, 39, 43, 46)"]

Length: 76 cm [30"]

Open stitch of Skirt allows Skirt to fit a variety of different sizes.

## **SKIRT**

#### Waist

Ch 92 (104, 116, 128, 140).

**Row 1:** Tr in 3rd ch from hook and in each ch across.

**Row 2:** Working back and forth in rows, ch 1 (counts as dc here and throughout), turn, dc in each tr across – 90 (102, 114, 126, 138) sts.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, dc in each dc across, slip st to top of beginning ch to join. Continue to work in rounds. Place marker for beginning of round.

**Rounds 4-5:** Ch 1, dc in each dc around, slip st in top of beginning ch to join -90 (102, 114, 126, 138) sts.

Round 6: Ch 3 (counts as tr here and throughout), tr in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc, [tr in next 2 dc, ch 1, skip next dc] around, slip st in top of beginning ch. Turn Skirt inside out and continue working in rounds.

**Round 7:** Ch 3, tr in each ch-1 space and tr around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

**Round 8:** Ch 3, tr in next 4 (5, 6, 7, 7) tr, 2 tr in next tr, [tr in next 5 (6, 7, 8, 8) tr, 2 tr in next tr] 13 times, tr in last 6 (4, 2, 0, 12) tr, slip st in top of beginning ch - 104 (116, 128, 140, 152) sts.

Round 9: Ch 4 (counts as tr and ch 1 here and throughout), skip next tr, [tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next tr] around, slip st in 3rd ch of beginning ch.

Rounds 10-12: Ch 4, [tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next ch-1 space] around, slip st in 3rd ch of beginning ch.

**Round 13:** Ch 3, tr in same space, tr in each ch-1 space and tr around, slip st in top of beginning ch - 105 (117, 129, 141, 153) sts.

Rounds 14-15: Ch 3, tr in each tr around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

Round 16: Ch 3, tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next tr, [tr in next 2 tr, ch 1, skip next tr] around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

Rounds 17-19: Ch 3, tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next ch-1 space, [tr in next 2 tr, ch 1, skip ch-1 space] around, slip st in top of beginning ch

**Round 20:** Ch 3, tr in each ch-1 space and tr around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

**Rounds 21-22:** Ch 3, tr in each tr around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

**Round 23:** Ch 5 (counts as tr and ch 2), [tr in next tr, ch 2, skip 2 tr] around, slip st in 3rd ch of beginning ch.

Rounds 24-26: Ch 5, [tr in next tr, ch 2] around, slip st in 3rd ch of beginning tr.

Round 27: Ch 3, 2 tr in ch-2 space, [tr in next tr, 2 tr in next ch-2 space] around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

**Rounds 28-29:** Ch 3, tr in each tr around, slip st in top of beginning ch.

Fasten off at end of Round 29.

## **Shape Split**

Row 30: Count 40 sts to left of beginning ch, join yarn in next st, ch 3, tr in each tr around – 105 (117, 129, 141, 153) sts.

**Row 31:** Working back and forth in rows, ch 3, turn, tr in next tr, [ch 1, skip next tr, tr in next tr] across to last st. tr in last st.

Rows 32 and 34: Ch 3, turn, tr in next tr, tr in next ch-1 space, [ch 1, tr in next ch-1 space] across to last 2 tr. tr in last 2 tr.

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Row 33: Ch 3, turn, tr in next tr, [ch 1, tr in next ch-1 space] across to last 3 tr, ch 1, skip next tr, tr in last 2 tr.

**Row 35:** Ch 3, turn, tr in each tr and ch-1 space across.

**Row 36:** Ch 3, turn, [tr in next 10 (11, 13, 14, 15) sts, 2 tr in next st] 9 times, tr in each tr across – 114 (126, 138, 150, 162) sts.

Row 37: Ch 3, turn, tr in each tr across.

Row 38: Ch 3, turn, tr in next tr, [tr in next 2 tr, ch 1, skip next tr] across to last 4 sts, tr in last 4 tr.

Row 39: Ch 3, turn, tr in next 2 tr, [ch 1, skip next tr, tr in next ch-1 space, tr in next tr] across to last 3 tr, ch 1, skip next tr, tr in last 2 tr.

Row 40: Ch 3, turn, tr in next tr, [tr in next ch-1 space, tr in next tr, ch 1, skip next tr] across to last ch-1 space, tr in last ch-1 space, tr in last 3 tr.

Row 41: Ch 3, turn, tr in each tr and ch-1 space across.

Rows 42-43: Ch 3, turn, tr in each tr across. Row 44: Ch 3, turn, tr in next tr, [ch 2, skip next 2 tr, tr in next tr] across to last tr, tr in last tr.

Row 45: Ch 3, turn, [tr in next tr, 2 tr in next ch-2 space] across to last 2 tr, tr in last 2 tr.

Rows 46-47: Ch 3, turn, tr in each tr across.

Row 48: Ch 2 (counts as htr here and throughout), turn, [ch 5, skip next 3 tr, slip st in next tr] across to last 5 sts. ch 5, skip next 3

next tr] across to last 5 sts, ch 5, skip next 3 tr, htr in last 2 tr.

Row 49: Ch 2, turn, [htr in next htr, 5 htr in ch-5 space] across to last st, htr in last st, turn to work along edges of rows of Split, ch 2, dc 41 sts evenly spaced along side edge of Split, turn to work along opposite edge of Split, dc 41 sts evenly spaced along edges of rows.

## **FINISHING**

### **Waist Ties**

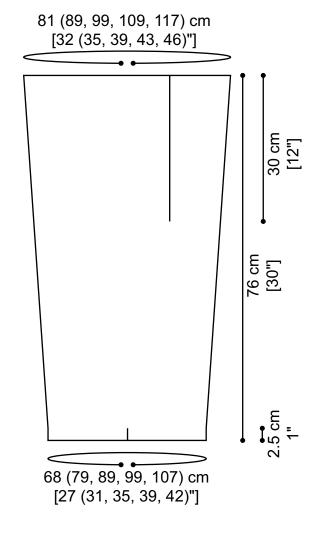
Ch 80, with right side facing, join yarn at beginning edge of Row 1, slip st along edges of Rows 1-3, turn to work along opposite, slip st along edges to last st of Row 1, ch 80. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

#### **Abbreviations**

ch = chain; cm = centimeters; dc = double
crochet; htr = half treble crochet; mm =
millimeters; st(s) = stitch(es); tr = triple
or treble crochet; [] = work directions in
brackets the number of times specified; \* or
\*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as
indicated.







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