

Barbie Basics



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FINISHED SIZE: Fits 11 ½” fashion doll.

BARBIE BASIC TOP AND SKIRT

MATERIALS FOR OUTFIT: DMC size 10 crochet cotton or bedspread cotton; 4 small snaps; sewing thread; sewing needle; No. 7 steel hook. (Notes: Boye needle used to create depicted items.)

GAUGE: 8 dc = 1”, 4 dc rows = 1”.

BODICE

Row 1: With crochet thread, ch 27, sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across, turn. (26 sc) Should fit snugly around doll’s waist with enough overlap for snap.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first 6, 2 sc in next, sc in next 12, 2 sc in next, sc in last 6, turn. (28 sc)

Row 4: Repeat row 2.

Row 5: Ch 2, sc in first 7 st, 2 sc in next, sc in next 12, 2 sc in next, sc in last 7, turn. (30 sc)

Row 6: Repeat row 2.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first 7 st, 2 sc in next, sc in next 14, 2 sc in next, sc in last 7, turn. (32 sc)

Row 8: Repeat row 2.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in first 8, 2 sc in next, sc in next 14, 2 sc in next, sc in last 8, turn. (34 sc)

Row 10: Repeat row 2.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in first 5 st, 2 sc in next, sc in next 2, 2 sc in next, sc in next 16, 2 sc in next, sc in next 2, 2 sc in next, sc in last 5, turn. (38 sc)

Row 12: Repeat row 2.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first 11 sc, 2 sc in each of next 3, sc in next 10, 2 sc in each of next 3, sc in next 11, turn. (44 sc)

Row 14: Repeat row 2.

Row 15: Ch 1, sc in first 16, 2 sc in each of next 3, sc in next 6, 2 sc in each of next 3, sc in next 16, turn. (50 sc)

Row 16: Repeat row 2.

Row 17: Ch 1, sc in first 8, ch 10, skip next 8, sc in next 2, sc next 2 tog, sc in next 10, sc next 2 tog, sc in next 2, ch 10, skip next 8, sc in last 9 st, turn. (32 sc, 20 ch)

Row 18: Ch 1, sc in first 7, skip next st, sc in next 10 ch, skip next st, sc in next 14, skip next st, sc in next 10 ch, skip next st, sc in last 7, turn. (48 sc)

Row 19: Ch 1, sc in first 6 st, skip next st, sc in next 10 st, skip next st, sc in next 12, skip next st, sc in next 10, skip next st, sc in last 6, turn. Fasten off. (44 sc)

Sew 3 snaps evenly up back, lapping left back over right back.

SKIRT

Row 1: With crochet thread, ch 31, sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across, turn. (30 sc) Should fit snugly around doll’s waist with enough overlap for snap.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, (2 sc in next, sc in next) around, sc in last st, turn. (44 sc)

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 4-9: Repeat row 3.

Rnd 10: You will begin to work in rnds. Ch 1, overlap last 3 stitches to inside of first 3 stitches, sc through both layers 3 times, sc in next 38 st, join with sl st in top of first sc, turn. (41 sc)

Rnd 11: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join with sl st in first sc, turn.

Rnds 12-13: Repeat rnd 11.

Rnd 14: Ch 1, sc in first 9 st, sc next 2 st tog, sc in next 19, sc next 2 st tog, sc in last 9, join with sl st in top of first sc, turn. (39 sc)

Rnd 15-25: Repeat rnd 11. Fasten off at end of row 25.

Sew snap at top back of skirt.