



Mignonette's Camidress, Bloomers, and Rompers

for 7 inch crochet Mignonette and other similarly proportioned dolls

Materials:

- Fingering weight yarn . Model used Knit Picks Palette in Clarity and Brown Sheep fingering in yellow
- Size D crochet hook
- 1/4 inch buttons for Camidress and Rompers

Gauge: 11 dc = 2 inches

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Link Stitch = chain 3, dc in the third ch from the hook (one link made); chain 3, dc in the third chain from the hook (second link made). Continue for as many links as called for in the pattern. One side of the link is the chain three, and the other side of the link is the double crochet.

Rib = two sc rows



Camidress with closeup of skirt stitch pattern and bodice

Camidress

The camidress bodice can be made in one or two colors, and worked in the back loops only, or in both loops. Working in the back loops gives a pleated, old-fashioned look, and stripes are really pretty when worked in the vertical. However, I chose to make Mignonette's camidress in both loops and of a solid pastel blue, with yellow trim.

Rib = two sc rows

- 1: With blue, chain 7, sc in the second ch from the hook and each ch across. 6 sc
- 2: Sc in each sc across. If working stripes, change to second color in the last sc.
- 3-32: Sc in each sc across, changing colors every two rows if working in stripes. Do NOT cut the yarn at the end of row 30

Turn the work so you are working along the bottom edge. Work in the end of each rib (there are 16 ribs) work (three sc in the first rib, two sc in the next rib) across. 40 sc. At the end, ch4 and sl st into the first sc along the edge of the bodice. This is the first buttonhole loop.

Turn the work so you are now working up one side of the camisole. Sl st in the next five sts, Ch1.

Turn the work so you are now working across the top of the camisole.

Armholes and neck edge:

- 1: Work 2sc in each rib across, 32sts. Ch1, turn to work back across the top of the camisole.
- 2: Sc in the next six sts, work three links, skip next five sts, sc in the next 10 sts, work three links, skip next five sts, sc in the last six sts, ch4, turn to work back across the top of the camisole. (The chain4 will form the last buttonhole loop on row 3 of the neck edge).
- 3: Skip the first sc, sc in the next four sc, skip the next sc, work 2sc in each link across the top of the armhole opening, skip the next sc, sc in the next eight sc, skip the next sc, work 2sc in each link across the top of the armhole opening, skip the next sc, sc in the last five sc. Finish off leaving a long tail to sew two buttons opposite the buttonhole loops.

Skirt:

1: Join yarn with a sl st in the back loop of the first sc at the waistline, ch3 (counts as the first dc). Working in BLO for this round, dc in the same st as ch3, 2dc in each st across. Join in the top of the first dc, work in rounds and do not turn.

2-4: Ch3, (skip the next st, dc in the next st, then dc in the skipped stitch) around. Ch3. At the end of round 4, fasten off yarn and join yellow.

5: In BLO, (sc, ch1) in each st across. Finish off.

Sleeves:

1: Join yarn with a sc in the first sc under the arm, sc in the next four sc, work four dc in each link across the top of the armhole, join to the first sc. If you like, you can stop here for a cute cap sleeve, or work more rows in dc for longer sleeves.

2-3: Dc in each st around, join, ch2. 17 sts. At the end of round 3, ch1.

4: Sc in each st around, join, finish off.

Trim the dress, if you like, with contrasting yarn (I used yellow). My favorite trim is to work (sl st, ch1) in the back loops, or free loops, around the neck edge, sleeve edge, and waist trim. It looks like a very fine braid.



Comparison of dress untrimmed and trimmed



Rompers with cap sleeve and longer bodice

Rompers:

Make the bodice similar as for the Camidress, with cap sleeves instead of long sleeves. I worked this bodice in the back loops only, and made it a couple of stitches longer (chain nine instead of seven to begin).

Instead of working two double crochet in each stitch as for the skirt, work:

1: (Dc in the next four sts, 2dc in the next) around to begin the rompers, join, ch2. 48 dc.

2: Dc in each st around, join, ch4.

3: Skip the first 24 dc, join in the next dc with a sl st. Ch2, dc in the same st and the next 23 sts, (dc the next two sts tog) twice (forms the crotch), join, ch2. 26 sts.

4: Dc in each st around, join, ch1. 26dc

5: Sc in each st around, join, ch1. 26sc

6: Sl st in the back loop of each st around. Finish off.

Join yarn in the first unused stitch and repeat for the second leg.



Pantaloon with simple leg trim

Pantaloon: with yellow, chain 33

- 1: Sc in the second ch from the hook and each ch across, ch1, turn. 32 sts
- 2: Sc in each st across, ch2 (does NOT count as the first dc), turn. 32 sts
- 3: (Dc in the next three sts, 2dc in the next st) across, join, ch2. Do NOT turn now and throughout. 40 dc
- 4-5: Dc in each dc around, join, ch2. Do NOT turn. 40 dc At the end of round 5, ch4.

Legs

- 6: Skip the first 20 sts, sl st in the next st, ch2 dc the same st and the next 19 sts. (Dc the next two sts tog) twice (these are the four chain at the crotch). Join, ch2. 22dc
- 7: Dc in the next 22 sts
- 8: Sc in each st around.
- 9: (Sc, dc in the first st, skip the next st) around. Finish off.

Join yarn in the first unworked stitch of round 5 and work the second leg the same as the first.

Waistband ties: Chain 30, sc tightly in each sc across the top of the pantaloons, ch30. Fasten off.