

tie front top

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LYDIA'S**



Fashion Crochet Thread



free project sheet!



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Intermediate

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Directions are for size Small; changes for sizes Medium and Large are in parentheses.

AUNT LYDIA'S® "Fashion Crochet Thread",
Size 3: 4 (5, 6) Balls No. 775 Warm Rose.

OR

J&P COATS® Royale™ "Fashion Crochet
Thread", Size 3: 4 (5, 6) Balls No. 775 Warm Rose.

Crochet Hook: 3.5mm [US E-4].
Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 20 sts = 4"; 12 rows = 4" in dc.

CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

To Fit Bust: 30-32 (34-36, 38-40)".

TIES: Ch 358 (368, 378).

Row 1 (Right Side): Dc in 6th ch from hook, * ch 1, skip next ch, dc in next ch; rep from * across; turn – 177 (182, 187) sps.

Row 2: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in ch-1 sp, * ch 1, dc in next sp; rep from * to last st; dc in 4th ch of beg ch-5; turn.

Row 3: Ch 4, skip first 2 dc, dc in sp, * ch 1, dc in next sp; rep from * to last 2 sts; ch 1, skip next dc, dc in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 4: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in ch-1 sp, * ch 1, dc in next sp; rep from * to last st; dc in 3rd ch of ch-4. Fasten off.

BODY-Row 1: With right side facing, skip 55 ch-1 sps, join thread in next dc; ch 3, [dc in next sp, dc in next dc] 67 (72, 77) times; turn leaving rem sps unworked – 135 (145, 155) sts.

Rows 2-4: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in each st across and in top of ch-3; turn.

Row 5: Ch 3, skip first dc; [*yo and draw up a lp in next dc, yo and draw through 2 lps*] twice, *yo and draw through all 3 lps on hook* – **dc2tog** made; dc in each dc to last 3 sts; dc2tog, dc in top of ch-3; turn – 133 (143, 153) sts.

Rows 6-12: Rep Row 5 – 119 (129, 139) sts.

Divide for Fronts and Back-RIGHT FRONT-

Row 13: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in next 25 (27, 29) dc; TURN – 26 (28, 30) sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on next 4 (6, 8) rows, then at same edge every other row 6 times – 16 sts. Work even until 32 (34, 36) rows above ties have been completed. Fasten off.

BACK: With right side facing, skip next 2 dc on last long row, join thread in next dc; ch 3, dc in next 62 (68, 74) dc; turn – 63 (69, 75) sts.

Row 2: Ch 3, skip first dc, dc in each dc across and in top of ch-3; turn.

Rep Row 2 until 32 (34, 36) rows above ties have been completed. Fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT: With right side facing, skip next 2 dc on last long row, join thread in next dc; ch 3, dc in next dc, dc in each dc across and in top of ch-3; turn – 26 (28, 30) sts. Work same as Left front, reverse shaping.

FINISHING: Sew shoulder seams.

SLEEVES-Rnd 1: With right side facing, join thread in first skipped dc at underarm; ch 4, dc in next dc, ch 1, working over row ends, * dc over next row end, ch 1; rep from * around; join to 3rd ch of ch-4.

Rnds 2-10: Sl st in ch-1 sp, ch 4, * dc in next sp, ch 1; rep from * around; join to 3rd ch of ch-4.

Rnd 11: Ch 3, dc in each sp around; join to top of ch-3. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

AUNT LYDIA'S® "Fashion Crochet Thread",
Size 3, Art. 182 (150 yard ball).

J&P COATS® Royale™ "Fashion Crochet
Thread", Size 3, Art.164 (150 yard ball).

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = beginning; ch = chain; dc = double crochet; dec = decrease; mm = millimeters; pat = pattern; rem = remaining; rep = repeat; rnd = round; sc = single crochet; sl = slip; sp(s) = space(s); st(s) = stitch (es); tog = together; yo = yarn over; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.

