



## Free Spirit Amigurumi Side-to-Side bodice

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### Materials:

- size 10 crochet cotton
- size 5 steel hook or size need to achieve gauge

Gauge: 8sc = 1 inch

1 Rib = two rows of sc worked in back loops only.

Link = ch3, dc in third ch from the hook

Picot = ch2, sl st in top of the last sc made

This bodice is worked from side to side in the back loops only (BLO). It can be used alone as a camisole, as a bodice for combinations, or as a top or dress bodice. It is stlightly stretchy and forgiving.

1. Ch13, sc in second ch from hook and each ch across, ch1, turn. 12sc
- 2-12. Working in BLO, sc in each sc across, ch1, turn. 12 sc

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13. Two sc in the first sc, sc in next 10 sc, two sc in last sc, ch1, turn. 14 sc
14. Sc in each sc across, ch1, turn. 14 sc
15. Repeat row 13, 16 sc.
- 16-25. Repeat row 14. 16 sc
26. Skip first sc, sc in next 13 sc, skip the next sc, sc in the last sc, ch1, turn. 14 sc
27. Repeat row 14. 14 sc
28. Skip first sc, sc in next 11 sc, skip the next sc, sc in the last sc, ch1, turn. 12 sc
- 29-40. Repeat row 14. 12 sc.

Turn the work so you are now working across the bottom of the bodice. In the end of each rib work two sc. 40 sc.

Turn the work so you are now working up the side of the bodice in the beginning chains. Sl st loosely in each ch to the top of the bodice. 12 sl st.

Turn the work so you are now working across the top of the bodice. In the end of each rib work two sc. 40 sc., ch1, turn.

Sc in next six sc, work four links, skip next seven sc, join with a sc in next sc, sc in next 13 sc, work four links, skip seven sc, sc in remaining six sc.

### Neck edge and ties

Ch35, join with a sl st in the first sc at the neck edge. Work (sc in next three sc, picot) across the top, working (three sc, picot) in each link across the top of the arm. At the end, ch35 and fasten off.

### For combinations:

1. Join with sl st in the back loop of the first sc along the bottom edge of the bodice, ch4 (counts as first dc, ch1) then (dc, ch1) in the back loop of each sc across, ch1 and join to the third ch of beginning ch4. do not turn.
2. (Dc, ch1) in each dc across, join, ch4.
3. Repeat round 2 to the last dc, then join the last dc to the first dc. Ch5. We will divide the work for the individual leg openings.
4. Skip first 20 dc, join with sl st in the next dc, ch4 (counts as first dc, ch1), then (dc, ch1) in each dc around to the ch5, skip first ch, (dc, ch1) in the next ch, skip next ch, (dc, ch1) in the next ch, join to the thir ch of beginning ch4, ch4, do no turn.

Work in pattern for leg to desired length.

Work sc in each ch1 space around, 23 sc.

Decrease four sc in next round

Work sc in each sc in next round

For ruffle edging, work (dc, ch1, dc ch1) in each sc around. For final row, work (sc ch2) in each ch1 space.

For second leg, join with sl st to the first skipped dc, ch4 work (dc, ch1) in each dc around to the ch5 sts, skip first ch, (dc, ch1) in next ch, skip next ch, (dc, ch1) in next ch, join to third ch of beginning ch4, ch4, do not turn. Complete as for first leg.