



Free Spirit Amigurumi Simple Skirts

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Materials:

- size 10 crochet cotton; main color and contrast color (for the longer skirt, three contrast colors A, B, and C)
- size 5 steel hook or size needed to achieve gauge
- ponytail holder that fits around the dolls waist

Gauge: 8sc = 1 inch

BLO = back loops only

Picot = ch3, sc in the top of the last sc made

Simple Short Skirt:

Row 1: (This is the right side of the work). With the main color, work 48 sc around the ponytail

holder, ch1, turn. 48 sc.

2: Sc in each sc around, join, ch2 (does not count as the first dc), turn. 48 sc

3: Dc in each sc around, join, ch1, turn. 48 dc

4: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 48 sc

5: In the BLO, (dc in next five sc, two dc in next sc) around. Join, ch1, turn. 56 dc

6: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 56 sc

7: In the BLO, dc in each sc around, join, ch1, turn. 56 dc

8: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 56 sc

9: In the BLO, (dc in next six sc, two dc in next sc) around, join, ch1, turn. 64 dc

10: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 64 sc

11: In the BLO, dc in each sc around, join, ch1, turn. 64 dc

12: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 64 sc

13: In the BLO, work two dc in each sc around. Fasten off.

14: With the contrast color, join in any dc and work (sc in next three dc, picot in the top of the last sc made) around. Join to the first sc and finish off.

For a really girly-girl skirt, you can work ruffles in the unused loops of the sc rows around, in the same or in contrasting colors.

Simple Longer Skirt:

Row 1: (This is the right side of the work). With the main color, work 48 sc around the ponytail holder, ch1, turn. 48 sc.

2: Sc in each sc around, join, ch2 (does not count as the first dc), turn. 48 sc

3: Dc in each sc around, join, ch1, turn. 48 dc

4: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 48 sc

5: (Dc in next five sc, two dc in next sc) around. Join, ch1, turn. 56 dc

6: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 56 sc

7: Dc in each sc around, join, ch1, turn. 56 dc

8: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 56 sc

9: (Dc in next six sc, two dc in next sc) around, join, ch1, turn. 64 dc

10: Sc in each dc around, join, ch2, turn. 64 sc

11: Dc in each sc around, join, ch1, turn. 64 dc

12: (Sc, ch1, skip next dc) around. At end of this row pick up contrast color A. Join, turn.

13: Sl st in the first ch1 space, sc in same space, (ch1, sc in next ch1 space) around. For the last ch1 space work sc in top of the first sc, ch1, turn.

14: Sc in same space, (ch1, sc in next ch1 space) around, for the last ch1 space, work sc in top of the first sc, changing to contrast color B

15-16: Repeat round 14 with color B. At end of round 16 change to contrast color C

17-18: Repeat round 14 with color C. At end of round 18 change to contrast color B

19-20: Repeat round 14 with color B. At end of round 20 change to contrast color A

21-22: Repeat round 14 with color A. At end of round 22 change to main color.

23: Repeat round 14. At end of round 14 ch1, join to top of first sc, ch1, turn.

24: Sc in each sc and ch1 space around, join, ch1, turn.

25: (Sc, 2dc) in first sc, [skip next two sc, (sc, 2dc) in next sc] around. Join to the first sc, finish off.

Weave in all the loose ends.