



## Pocket Spirit Camisole Top and Pantaloons

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### Materials:

- Size 20 crochet cotton or size 8 perle cotton; main color and contrasting colors if desired.
- Size 7 or 8 crochet hook
- Two 1/4" buttons

Gauge: 10sc = 1 inch

Picot = ch2, sl st in top of the stitch just made (sc or dc)

Rib = two sc rows

Link = ch3, dc in third ch from the hook.

**Camisole Bodice;** worked side to side in one or two colors. If working in two colors, work two rows, then change color, across. Work in the Back Loop Only (BLO)

1: Ch11, sc in second ch from hook and each ch across. 10sc  
2-12: Sc in BLO of each sc across, ch1, turn. 10sc  
13: Sc in BLO of each sc across to the last sc. In last sc, work two sc, ch1, turn. 11 sc  
14: Sc in BLO of each sc across, ch1, turn. 11 sc  
15: Sc in BLO of each sc across to the last sc. In last sc, work two sc, ch1, turn. 12 sc  
16-26: Sc in BLO of each sc across, ch1, turn. 12 sc  
27: Sc in BLO of each sc across to last two sc, skip next sc, sc in last sc, ch1, turn. 11 sc  
28: Sc in BLO of each sc across. 11sc  
29: Sc in BLO of each sc across to last two sc, skip next sc, sc in last sc, ch1, turn. 10 sc  
30-42: Sc in BLO of each sc across, ch1, turn. 10sc

Turn the work so you are now working across the top of the bodice. In the end of each rib work two sc. 42 sc, ch1, turn.

Turn the work so you are now working down the side of the bodice in the beginning chains. Sc in first st, ch2, skip two, sc in next two, ch2, skip two, sc in last st, ch1. Buttonhole loops made

Turn the work so you are now working across the bottom of the bodice. In the end of each rib work (two sc in first rib, three sc in next rib) across 52 sc.

Turn the work so you are now working up the last side of the bodice; sl st loosely in each st to the top of the bodice. Do not finish off.

### Armholes and neck edge:

1: Turn the work so you are now working across the top of the bodice. Sc in next eight sc, work three links, skip next five sc, sc in the next 16 sc, work three links, skip five sc, sc in remaining eight sc. Ch1, turn.

2: (Sc in the next two sc, sc next two sc tog) twice, two sc in each link across the top of the armhole, sc next two sc tog, (sc in next two sc, sc next two tog) across to the next link, two sc in each link across the top of the armhole, (dec, sc in next two sc) twice. Finish off.

For camisole lace along the bottom edge, join contrasting thread in back loop of first sc, ch5, sl st in second ch from hook, (dc, ch2, sl st in second ch from hook) in BLO of each sc across. Finish off.

For camisole lace across the top edge, join contrasting thread in back loop of first sc, (sc, ch2) in BLO of each st across. Finish off.

For camisole lace along top edge of sleeve opening, join contrasting thread in last ch of underarm, ch3, (dc, ch2, sl st in second ch from hook) five times in each link across; ch3, sl st in first ch of underarm. Finish off.

In the unworked loops across the top and bottom of the camisole, you can work a (sl st, ch1) trim in a second contrasting color, if you like.

**You can use this bodice for a camisole, as above, or as a bodice for a dress or rompers. If so, you may want to make the bodice without the 'dip' in the center; just work 12 sc evenly for the 42**

**rows of the bodice. Below is a skirt and sleeve alternative for this bodice.**

**Cap Sleeve:** Use CC

1: Join with sl st in first underarm sc next to an armhole link, In each link work (two dc, picot, two dc, picot), join with sl st in the next sc at the underarm, finish off.

**Skirt:**

1: Join MC with sl st in first sc at waist edge, ch3, work (four dc in first sc, dc in next sc) across, ch1, turn.

2: Work (sc in first st, dc in next st) across, ch1, turn.

3: Sc in each dc and dc in ea sc across, join, ch1, turn.

4: Sc in each dc, and dc in each sc across, join, ch1, turn.

5-8: Repeat round 4, at the end of round four change to CC.

9-10: Repeat round 4.

11: In each sc work (sc, 2dc) around. Fasten off.

Sew button to back of bodice opposite buttonhole loops.

**Pantaloons:** Use a very small ponytail holder or elastic band for the waistband. Find one that fits snugly around the waist of your doll.

1: Work 40 sc around the elastic ponytail holder, ch1, turn (Do Not Join this round).

2: Sc in each sc around, join to the first sc of this row, ch2 (Does Not Count as First DC), do not turn.

3: Dc in each sc around, join, ch2, do not turn.

4-5: Repeat round 3. At the end of round 5, ch4, do not turn.

6: Skip first 20 dc, join in the next dc, ch2, dc in each remaining dc and each ch of ch4. Join to the first dc, ch2, do not turn. 24 dc

7: Dc in each dc around, join, ch1, do not turn.

8: (Two sc in first sc, skip next sc) around, join, ch1, turn. 24 sc

9: (two sc in first sc, skip next sc) around, join, ch4, turn. 24 sc

10: Working in BLO, (dc, ch1) in each sc around, join, finish off.

Join thread in first unused st of round six and repeat for second leg.

For fuller pantaloons, work 46 sc around the elastic band. On round 6, skip 23 stitches instead of 20 for the first leg opening. Replace rounds 8 and 9 with a round worked as (dc in next st, dc next two sts together) to gather the lower edge of the leg. Work the next round as sc in each dc, then work a final round of a ruffled edge by working (two dc, picot) in each sc around.