

Linen Top



Level: Intermediate

Size: Small: 36"; **Medium:** 39"; **Large:** 42"
Bust: Small: 30" (**Medium:** 34"; **Large:** 40")

Materials:

- DMC Senso Linen Cotton (Art. 720), Size 3, MC color # 1202: Small Size - 9 balls; Medium and Large Sizes - 11 balls; CC color # 1201: Small, Medium and Large Sizes - 4 balls (100 yard balls)
- Crochet Hook: Small Size: 3mm (U.S. C/2 or D/3); Medium Size: = 3.5mm,(U.S. E/4); Large Size: = 4mm (U.S. G/6) or size needed to obtain gauge.
- Yarn needle

Gauge: 4 MC + 4 CC rows: **Small Size** = 3",
Medium Size = 3-1/4", **Large Size** = 3-1/2"

Note: Instructions are the same for all sizes. Changes are made by using larger hooks for medium and small.

Abbreviations:

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| ch = Chain | rep = Repeat |
| CC = Contrasting Color | tr = Treble Stitch |
| st(s) = Stitches | sc = Single Crochet |
| lp(s) = Loop(s) | sk = skip |
| grps_ = Group(s) | cont = Continue |
| MC = Main Color | Crt = center |
| sk = Skip | |
| sp(s) – Space(s) | tch = Turing Chain |
| BPhdc =Back Post Half Double Crochet | FPhdc = Front Post Half Double Crochet |

dc(s) = Double Crochet(s) St Pat(s) – Stitch Pattern(s)

... = Repeat Instruction between Asterisks as many times as directed

Special Stitches:

MC Stitch Pattern:

Row 1: * Make 4 dc in each ch-5 lp * rep across, dc in last sc, ch 3; turn.

Row 2: * Make 4 dc in ctr of 4-dc grp * rep across, dc in last dc, c h3; turn.

Row 3: * Male 4 dc in ctr of 4-dc grp * rep across, dc in T-ch, ch 3; turn.

Row 4: Dc in each dc across.

CC Stitch Pattern:

Row 1: Sc in 4th dc, * ch 5, sk 3, sc in next dc * rep across to last 2 sts, ch 3, dc in T-ch, ch 1; turn.

Row 2: Sc in dc, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep across to last ch-5 lp, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch, ch 6; turn.

Row 3: Sc in 1st ch-5 lp, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep across to last ch-5 lp, ch 3, dc in last sc, ch 1; turn.

Row 4: Sc in dc, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep across to last ch-5 lp, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch.

Notes:

- The body is worked sideways in one piece; the sleeves are worked lengthwise.
- The ch 3 T-ch counts as the 1st st of the following row.
- Always fasten off at the end of each St Pat and attach the new color to the last st of the previous row.
- When changing to CC ch 6, turn. When changing to MC ch 3, turn before starting Row 1.

Instructions:

Back: With MC ch 116.

Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook, dc across, ch 3; turn—114 sts.

Row 2: 4 dc in sp after 3rd dc from hook (4-dc grp made), * 4 dc in sp after 4th dc, skip next 4 dc * rep across row (27 times), dc in T-ch, ch 3; turn.

Row 3: * 4 dc in ctr of 1st 4-dc grp * rep across row, in T-ch, ch 3, turn.

Row 4: Dc in each dc across (114 sts).

Rows 5 - 8: Work Rows 1 - 4 of CC St Pat.

Rows 9 - 44: Alternate MC & CC St Pat instructions.

First Armhole:

Row 45: With CC sc in 4th dc, * ch 5, sk 3, sc in next dc * rep 16 times, ch 3, sk 2, dc in next dc (44 sts remain un-worked), ch 1, turn.

Rows 46 - 48: Work Rows 2 - 4 of CC St Pat. End of armhole.

Front:

With MC ch 44.

Row 49: With MC * 4 dc in next ch-5 lp * rep 17 times; dc in sc: pick up set-aside ch 44, dc across 44 chs, ch 3, turn—114 sts.

Row 50: Rep Row 2 of Back over the first 42 sts, then continue with Row 2 of MC St Pat. **Rows 51 - 60:** Rep rows 3 -12 for back.

Neckline:

Row 61: With CC sc in 4th dc, * ch 5, sk 3, sc in next dc * rep from * 27 times, ch 3, dc in T-ch, ch 1, turn.

Row 62: Sc in dc, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep 27 times, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch, ch 6, turn.

Row 63: Sc in 1st ch-5 lp, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep from * 27 times, ch 2, dc in last sc, ch 4, turn.

Row 64: Sc in 1st ch-5 lp, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep from * 26 times, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch.

Row 65: With MC * 4 dc in ch-5 lp * rep 27 times, dc in last sc, ch 3, turn—110 sts.

Row 66: Dc in 2nd dc of 1st 4-dc grp * 4 dc ctr of next 4-dc grp * rep 26 times, dc in T-ch, ch 3, turn—107 sts.

Row 67: *4 dc in ctr of 4-dc grp * rep 26 times, dc in last dc, dc in T-ch, ch 3, turn.

Row 68: Dc in each dc across—107 sts.

Rows 69 - 72: Work CC Pat St once.(26 ch-5 lps in rows 2 & 4).

Row 73: With MC * 4 dc ch-5 lp * rep 25 times, 5 dc in last ch 5-lp, dc in last sc, ch 3, & turn—107 sts.

Row 74: 2 dc 1st dc of 5-dc grp, 4 dc in sp after 3rd dc of same 5-dc grp, *4 dc in ctr of 4-dc grp * rep 25 times, dc in last dc, ch 3, turn—108 sts.

Row 75: * 4 dc n ctr of 4-dc grp * rep 26 times, 4 dc in sp between last dc & T-ch), ch, 3, turn—109 sts.

Row 76: Dc in 1st and each dc across—110 sts.

Row 77: With CC sc in 4th dc, * ch 5, sk 3, sc in next dc * rep 26 times, ch 3, tr in T-ch, ch 7, turn.

Row 78: Sc in ch-3-dc lp, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep 26 times, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch, ch 6, turn.

Row 79: Sc in 1st ch-5 lp, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep 26 times, ch 5, sc in T-ch lp, ch 8, turn.

Row 80: Sc in 1st ch-5- lp, * ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep 26 times, ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch, (27 ch-5 lps + T-ch (8).

Row 81: With MC * 4 dc in ch-5 lp * rep 27 times, 4 dc in T-ch (8) lp, dc in 4th ch of T-ch., ch 3, turn—114 sts.

Rows 82 - 84: Work rows 2 - 4 of MC St Pa once..

Rows 85 - 92: Alternate CC & MC St Pat instructions once.

Second Armhole:

Rows 93 - 96: Rep Rows 45-48 of First Armhole. Fasten off.

Sleeves: Make 2.

With MC ch 96.

Row 1: Dc in 4th ch from hook, dc across,, ch 3, turn—94 sts.

Row 2: Make 4 dc in sp after 3rd dc, * 4 dc in sp after 4th dc * rep 22 times, dc in T-ch, ch 3, turn.

Row 3: * Make 4 dc in ctr of 4-dc grp * rep 23 times, dc in T-ch, ch 3, turn.

Row 4: Dc in each dc across—94 sts..

Rows 5 - 8: Work CC St Pat once.

Rows 9 -36: Alternate MC & CC St Pat instructions.

Sleeve Shaping:

Rows 37 & 38: Work Rows 1 & 2 of CC St Pat.

Row 39: Work Row 3 of CC St Pat, then ch 3, sc in next ch-5 lp, ch 1, turn.

Row 40: Sc in ch-3 lp, *ch 5, sc in next ch-5 lp * rep 11 times ch 5, sc in 3rd ch of T-ch, ch 6, turn.

Rows 41 & 42: Rep rows 39 & 40 for 10 reps.

Rows 43 & 44: Rep rows 39 & 40 for 9 reps. Fasten off.

Working into base ch with CC rep rows 37 - 44 on the other side of the sleeve.

Finishing:

- With CC whip stitch the last row of loops and the first row of dcs of the body together.
- Work 1 Round of hdc. Followed by 2 Rounds of alternating 1 FPhdc & 1 BPhdc around bottom edge and across the top (front and back necklines & shoulders) of body.
- Whip stitch shoulder seams together.
- Whip stitch both sleeve seams together.
- Work 2 rounds of sc around each sleeve edge.
- Whipstitch the sleeves to the armholes.



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