

Caron® Skinny Cakes™ Mitered Mesh Crochet Cardigan



Skill Level: Easy

Time Required: Over An Hour

Time to complete: 24 Hours

QUANTITIES NEEDED

- Grape (18076) 1 1 2 3 ball(s)
- Spumoni (18048) 1 2 2 3 ball(s)

MEASUREMENTS

SIZES

To fit chest measurement

XS/S/M 28-38" [71-96.5 cm]

L/XL 40-46" [101.5-117 cm]

2/3XL 48-54" [122-137 cm]

4/5XL 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

Finished chest (including front bands)

XS/S/M 40" [101.5 cm]

L/XL 48" [122 cm]

2/3 XL 57" [146 cm]

4/5 XL 65" [165 cm]

MATERIALS

Caron® Skinny Cakes™ (8 oz/250 g; 795 yds/727 m)

Sizes XS/S/M L/XL 2/3XL 4/5XL

Contrast A Grape (18076) 1 1 2 3 ball(s)

Contrast B Spumoni (18048) 1 1 2 3 ball(s)

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hook (10634752) or size needed to obtain gauge.
Yarn needle (10397033). Locking stitch marker (10523765).

GAUGE

17 sts and 8 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Mesh Pat. Take time to check your gauge

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size(s) the instructions will be written thus (). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Dcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at back of work, inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.

Dcfp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of next stitch at front of work, inserting hook from right to left. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice.

Notes:

Ch-1 sps count as sts throughout.

Ch 4 at beg of row counts as (1 dc. Ch 1.)

Ch 2 at beg of row does not count as st.

Stripe Pat

With A, work 4 rows.

With B, work 4 rows.

These 8 rows form Stripe Pat.

RIGHT BACK PANEL

With A ch 150 (158-168-176).

Row 1: (RS). 1 dc in 6th ch from hook (counts as 1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc). (Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch) 20 (24-29-33) times. Ch 1. *(Skip next ch. Yoh and draw up a loop in next ch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook – dc3tog made (PM on this st).* *Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 4. Skip next ch-1 sp. *1 dc in next dc. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to (1 dc. Ch-1 sp) **before** marked st. Dc3tog over next 3 dc (skipping ch-1 sps) (PM on this st). **Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from ** to end of row. Turn.

First 2 rows of Stripe Pat are now in place. Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep Row 2 for Mesh Pat 20 (24-29-33) times more.

Next row: Working vertically along side of work, ch 1. 1 dc in next dc. *Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

LEFT BACK PANEL

With A ch 150 (158-168-176).

Row 1: (RS). 1 dc in 6th ch from hook (counts as 1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc). (Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch) 47 times. Ch 1. Dc3tog (PM on this st). *Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn.

Row 2: Rep Row 2 of Right Back Panel.

First 2 rows of Stripe Pat are now in place. Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep Row 2 for Mesh Pat 19 (23-28-32) times more.

Next row: Ch 4. Dc3tog. *Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Next row: Ch 4. Skip next ch-1 sp. *1 dc in next dc. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last vertical dc from prev row. Join with sl st to vertical dc. Fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT PANEL

With A ch 142 (150-160-168).

Row 1: (RS). 1 dc in 6th ch from hook (counts as 1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc). (Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch) 16 (20-25-29) times. Ch 1. *(Skip next ch. Yoh and draw up a loop in next ch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on*

*hook) 3 times. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook – dc3tog made (PM on this st). **Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from ** to end of chain. Turn.*

Row 2: Rep Row 2 of Right Back Panel.

First 2 rows of Stripe Pat are now in place. Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep Row 2 for Mesh Pat 16 (20-25-29) times more.

Next row: Working vertically along side of work, ch 1. 1 dc in next dc. *Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

LEFT FRONT PANEL

With A ch 142 (150-160-168).

Row 1: (RS). 1 dc in 6th ch from hook (counts as 1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc). (Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch) 47 times. Ch 1. *(Skip next ch. Yoh and draw up a loop in next ch. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 3 times. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook – dc3tog made (PM on this st).* *Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from * to end of chain. Turn.

Row 2: Rep Row 2 of Right Back Panel.

First 2 rows of Stripe Pat are now in place. Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep Row 2 for Mesh Pat 15 (19-24-28) times more.

Next row: Ch 4. Dc3tog. *Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Next row: Ch 4. Skip next ch-1 sp. *1 dc in next dc. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last vertical dc from prev row. Join with sl st to vertical dc. Fasten off.

Sleeve/Bottom Border Stripe Pat

With B, work 4 rows.

With A, work 4 rows.

These 8 rows form Sleeve Stripe Pat.

SLEEVES

With A, ch 59 (59-67-75).

Row 1: 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook. 1 hdc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 57 (57-65-73) hdc.

Row 2: Ch 2. *Dcfp around next hdc. Dcbp around next hdc. Rep from * to last hdc. Dcfp around last hdc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 2. Dcbp around next st. *Dcfp around next st. Dcbp around next st. Rep from * to end of row.

Rows 4 and 5: As Rows 2 and 3.

Break A. Join B.

Proceed in Mesh Pat & Sleeve/Bottom Border Stripe Pat as follows:

Row 1: (RS). With B, ch 4. Skip next dc. 1 dc in next dc. *Ch 1. Skip next dc. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Rows 2 and 3: Ch 4. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Row 4: Ch 4. 1 dc in first dc. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. *1 dc in next st. Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last dc. (1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc) all in last st. Turn. 59 (59-67-75) sts.

First 4 rows of Sleeve/Bottom Border Stripe Pat are now in place. Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep Rows 1 to 4 - 5 times more, then rep Rows 1 and 2 twice more. 73 (73-81-89) sts.

Keeping cont of Sleeve Stripe Pat, rep Row 2 until Sleeve measures approx 18 (18-16-16)" [45.5 (45.5-40.5-40.5) cm], ending on Row 4 or 8 of Stripe Pat. Fasten off.

Assembly and Finishing

With RS facing using whipstitch, join Panels tog as shown in assembly diagram. Sew shoulder seams, noting 4" [10 cm] of Back is left open for Back Neck.

BOTTOM BORDER

With RS facing and bottom of Cardigan facing up, join B with sl st to far right corner of work. Working into rem loops of foundation ch, and noting that each seam will be treated as 1 ch, ch 4. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch.

*Ch 1. Skip next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

First row of Sleeve/Bottom Border Stripe Pat is now in place.

Next row: Ch 4. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. *Ch 1. Skip next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next dc. Rep from * to end of row. Turn.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, rep last row until Bottom Border measures approx 6 (6-8-8)" [15 (15-20.5-20.5) cm], ending on Row 4 or 8 of Stripe Pat.

Ribbing: Row 1: (RS). Ch 2. 1 hdc in each dc and ch-1 sp to end of row. Turn.

Row 2: Ch 2. *Dcfp around next hdc. Dcbp around next hdc. Rep from * to last hdc. Dcfp around last hdc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 2. Dcbp around next st. *Dcfp around next st. Dcbp around next st. Rep from * to end of row.

Rows 4 and 5: As Rows 2 and 3.

Fasten off.

Front Band: Row 1: (RS). Join B with sl st at lower corner of Right Front. Ch 2. Work hdc evenly up Right Front, across back neck edge and down Left Front to opposite corner (must total an odd number). Turn.

Row 2: Ch 2. *Dcfp around next hdc. Dcbp around next hdc. Rep from * to last hdc. Dcfp around last hdc. Turn.

Row 3: Ch 2. Dcbp around next st. *Dcfp around next st. Dcbp around next st. Rep from * to end of row.

Rows 4 to 7: Rep Rows 2 and 3 twice.

Fasten off.

ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly)

Beg = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

Cont = Continue(ity)

Contrast A = Grape (18076)

Contrast B = Spumoni (18048)

Dc = Double Crochet

Dc3tog = Double Crochet 3 Stitches Together

Dcbp = Double Crochet Back Post

Dcfp = Double Crochet Front Post

Hdc = Half Double Crochet

Pat = Pattern

PM = Place Marker

Prev = Previous(ly)

Rem = Remain(ing)(s)

Rep = Repeat

RS = Right Side

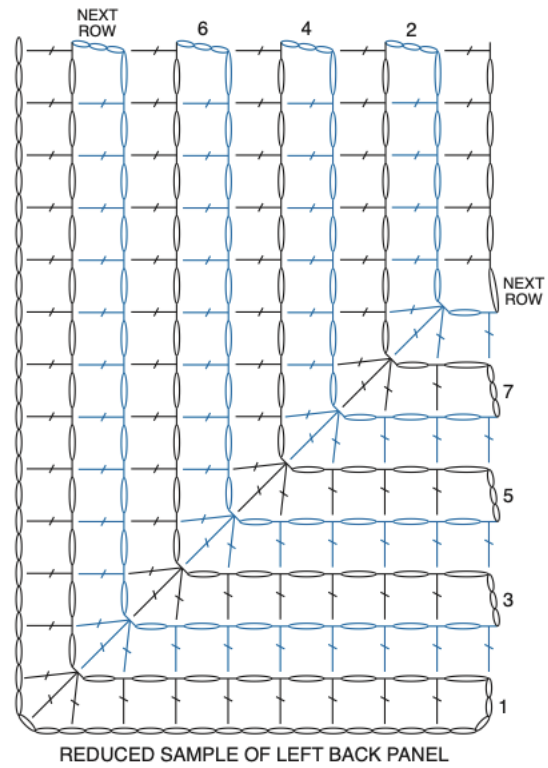
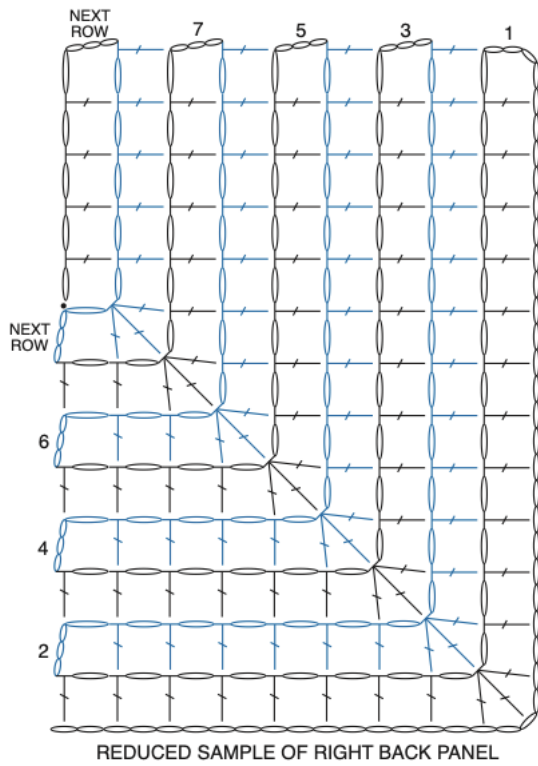
Sl st = Slip Stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together

Yoh = Yarn Over Hook



STITCH KEY

○ = chain (ch)

• = slip stitch (sl st)

┐ = double crochet (dc)

┐ = double crochet
3 together (dc3tog)

