

Silver Legacy Vest

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Technique used: Crochet



MATERIALS

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75% Microdenier Acrylic/25% Rayon
from bamboo; 3oz/85g, 251yds/230m);
#0009 Greensleeves, 3 (4, 5) skeins

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[One size US F-5 \(3.75mm\) crochet hook,](#)
or size to obtain gauge.

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One size US J-10 (6mm), or size to
obtain gauge.

4 – 8 stitch markers
Yarn needle



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SIZES

S (M/L, XL/2X).

To fit:

Bust: 35 (42, 50)"/89 (106.5, 127cm)

Hip: 38 (44, 52)"/96.5 (112, 132)cm

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Bust: 37.75 (43.75, 51.75)"/96 (111, 131.5)cm

Hip: 40.75 (45.25, 51.75)"/103.5 (115, 131.5)cm

Length: 22"/56cm

GAUGE

In Main Body pattern, 16 sc and 10 rows = 4"/10cm

STITCHES USED

Chain (ch)

Double crochet (dc)

Single crochet (sc)

Slip stitch (sl st)

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Cl – 2 double crochet cluster: Yo insert hook in indicated stitch or space, yo, pull up a loop, yo, pull thru 2 loops on hook, yo, insert hook in same stitch or space, yo, pull thru 2 loops on hook, yo, pull thru remaining 3 loops on hook.

Shell: (Dc, ch 1, dc, ch 2, dc, ch 1, dc) in indicated stitch or space.

Beg Half Shell: Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, (dc, ch 1, dc) in first stitch or space.

End Half Shell: (Dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in last stitch or space.

Beg Prt Shell—Beginning Partial Shell: Ch 5 (counts as dc and ch-2 space), turn, (dc, ch 1, dc) in first stitch or space.

End Prt Shell—Ending Partial Shell: (Dc, ch 1, dc, ch 2, dc) in last stitch or space.

Sc2tog—single crochet 2 sts together: Insert hook in first indicated stitch or space, yo, pull up a loop, insert hook in 2nd indicated stitch or space, yo pull up a loop, yo, pull thru both loops on hook.

NOTES

1. Vest is worked top down from a shoulder foundation. Back is worked off foundation to underarm, then two fronts are worked to underarm. Fronts are joined to back at underarm and then the body of vest is worked in rows to hip length, 2 points are worked with decreases off the bottom of fronts. Finished fabric is very stretchy.
2. Instructions are written for size S with changes for M/L and XL/2X given in brackets or noted in separate lines. Left and Right directions are written assuming crocheter is working with hook in right hand with stitches moving from right to left.

VEST

Ch 50 (56, 62).

Foundation row: Sc in back bump of 2nd ch from hook and each ch back to beg—49 (55, 61) sc.

Back

Row 1 (RS): Beg Half Shell in first st,*sk 2 sts, sc next st, sk 2 sts, Shell next st*; repeat from * to* until 6 unworked sts remain, sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End Half Shell in last st—7 (8, 9) Shells, 8 (9, 10) sc, 2 Half Shells).

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in next Shell ch-2 sp*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row, repeat from **once, sc in top of beg ch-3—8 (9, 10) Cls, 9 (10, 11) sc, 16 (18, 20) ch-2 sps.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to* to end of row—8 (9, 10) Shells, 9 (10, 11) sc.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn, dc in first st, *ch 2, sc in the ch-2 sp of the next Shell, ch 2, Cl in next sc*; repeat from *to* to end of row—9 (10, 11) Cls, 8 (9, 10) sc, 16 (18, 20) ch-2 sps.

Row 5: Ch 1, turn *sc in Cl, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp*; repeat from * to * until reach last Cl of row, sc in last Cl—49 (55, 61) sc.

Rows 6-15 (6-15, 6-20): Repeat Rows 1-5, 2 (2, 3) times.

Increases for armhole shaping:

Row 16 (16, 21): Beg PrtShell in first st,*sk 2 sts, sc next st, sk 2 sts, Shell next st*; repeat from * to* until 6 unworked sts remain, sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End PrtShell in last st—7 (8, 9) Shells, 8 (9, 10) sc, 2 PrtShells.

Row 17 (17, 22): Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2 sp), turn, sc in ch-2 sp of first PrtShell,*ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in ch-2 sp of next Shell*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row, repeat from **once, sc in ch-5 sp of last PrtShell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5—8 (9, 10) Cls, 9 (10, 11) sc, 18 (20, 22) ch-2 sps.

Row 18 (18, 23): Beg PrtShell in first st, *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to * to last sc of row, sk last ch-2 sp, End PrtShell in 2nd ch of beg ch-4—8 (9, 10) Shells, 9 (10, 11) sc, 9 sc, 2 PrtShells.

Row 19 (19, 24): Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2 sp), turn, sc in ch-2 sp of first PrtShell, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in ch-2 sp of next Shell*; repeat from * to * until one sc and PrtShell remain, repeat from * to ** once, sc in ch-5 sp of last PrtShell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5 sp—9 (10, 11) Cls, 10 (11, 12) sc, 20 (22, 24) ch-2 sps. Fasten off. PM in first and last hdc of row.

Right Front

With RS of back facing attach yarn on free side of Foundation row in the first st on the right to begin work.

Row 1 RS): Beg HalfShell in first st, sk 2 sts, sc next st, sk 2 sts, Shell next st, sk 2 sts, sc in next st, end HalfShell in next st—1 Shell, 2 sc, 2 HalfShells.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,* sc in next Shell ch-2 sp; repeat from * to * once, sc in top of beg ch-3—2 Cls, 3 sc, 4 ch-2 sps.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to * to end of row—2 Shells, 3 sc.

Row 4: Ch 3, turn, dc in first st, *ch 2, sc in the ch-2 sp of the next Shell, ch 2, Cl in next sc*; repeat from * to * to end of row—3 Cls, 2 sc, 4 ch-2 sps.

Row 5: Ch 1, turn, *sc in next st, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp*; repeat from * to * 4 times, sc in last st—13 sc.

Neckline increases only:

Row 6: Beg PrtShell in first st, *sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, Shell in next st*; repeat from *to* until 6 unworked sts remain; sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End HalfShell in last st—1 Shell, 2 sc, 1 PrtShell, 1 HalfShell.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in next Shell ch-2 sp*; repeat from * to* until reach last sc and PrtShell, repeat from *to** once, sc in ch-5 sp of Prt Shell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5—2 Cls, 3 sc, 5 ch-2 sps, 1 hdc.

Row 8: Beg PrtShell in first st, *sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st, sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st*; repeat from *to* until 1 unworked sc remains; sk ch-2 sp, sc in last st—2 Shells, 3 sc, 1 PrtShell.

Row 9: Ch 3, turn, dc in first st, *ch 2, sc in the ch-2 sp of the next Shell, ch 2, Cl in next sc*; repeat from * to * until work in last sc, ch 2, sc in ch-5 sp of PrtShell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5—3 Cls, 3 sc, 6 ch-2 sps, 1 hdc.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in first st *2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to * until reach end of row—19 sc.

Row 11: Beg HalfShell in first st, *sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, Shell in next st*; repeat from *to* until 6 unworked sts remain; sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End PrtShell in last st—2 Shells, 3 sc, 1 PrtShell, 1 HalfShell.

Row 12: Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2 sp), sc in ch-2 sp of PrtShell, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in next Shell ch-2 sp*; repeat from * to* until reach last sc and HalfShell, repeat from *to** once, sc in top of beg ch-3—3 Cls, 4 sc, 7 ch-2 sps, 1 hdc.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first st, *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from *to* to last sc of row; sk ch-2 sp, End PrtShell in 3rd ch of beg ch-4—3 Shells, 4 sc, 1 PrtShell.

Row 14: Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2 sp), sc in ch-2 sp of PrtShell, *ch 2, Cl in next sc**, ch 2, sc in next Shell ch-2 sp*; repeat from * to* until reach last sc; repeat from * to ** once—4 Cls, 4 sc, 8 ch-2 sps, 1 hdc.

Size S only:

Row 15: Ch 1, sc in first st *2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next sc,** 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next Cl*; repeat from * to * until 2 ch-2 sps and one sc remain, repeat from * to ** once, 2 sc in ch-4 sp, sc in 3rd ch of same ch-4—25 sc.

Sizes M/L & XL/2X:

Row 15: (Increases) PM in first 6 ch-2 sps in from armhole side. Ch 1, sc in first st, 3 sc in marked ch-2 sps/2 sc in un-marked ch-2 sps, sc in sts between ch-2 sps, sc in last st—31 sc.

Size S only:

Rows 16-20: Repeat Rows 6-10, once [Row 20 ends with 31 sc]

Sizes M/L & XL/2X:

Rows 16-19: Repeat Rows 6-9, once [Row 19 ends with 6 Cl, 6 sc, 12 ch-2 sp, 2 hdc]

Row 20: (Increases) Repeat Row 15—43 sc.

Size XL/2X only:

Rows 21-24: Repeat Rows 11-14, once. [Row 24 ends with 8 Cls, 8 sc, 16 ch-2 sps, 1 hdc]

Row 25: (Increases) PM in first 12 ch-2 sps in from armhole side. Ch 1, sc in first st, 3 sc in marked ch-2 sps, 2 sc in unmarked ch-2 sps, sc in sts between ch-2 sps, sc in last st—55 sc.

Neckline and armhole increases – all sizes:

Row 21 (21, 26): Beg PrtShell in first st, *sk 2 sts, sc next st, sk 2 sts, Shell next st*; repeat from * to* until 6 unworked sts remain, sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End PrtShell in last st—4 (6, 8) Shells, 5 (7, 9) sc, 2 PrtShells.

Row 22 (22, 27): Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2sp), turn, sc in ch-2 sp of first PrtShell, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in ch-2 sp of next Shell*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row, repeat from *to** once, sc in ch-5 sp of last PrtShell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5—5 (7, 9) Cls, 6 (8, 10) sc, 12 (14, 20) ch-2 sps.

Row 23 (23, 28): Beg PrtShell in first st, *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to * to last sc of row, sk last ch-2 sp, End PrtShell in 2nd ch of beg ch—5 (7, 9) Shells, 6 (8, 10) sc, 2 PrtShells.

Row 24 (24, 29): Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2 sp), turn, sc in ch-2 sp of first PrtShell, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in ch-2 sp of next Shell*; repeat from * to * until one sc and PrtShell remain, repeat from * to ** once, sc in ch-5 sp of last PrtShell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5 sp—6 (7, 10) Cls, 7 (8, 11) sc, 2 hdc, 14 (16, 22) ch-2 sps. Fasten off. PM in armhole side hdc of row.

Left Front

With RS of back facing attach yarn on free side of Foundation row 13 stitches in from the left end

Rows 1 -5: Repeat Rows 1-5 from Right Front instructions.

Neckline increases only:**Size S only:**

Rows 6-10: Repeat Right Front Rows 11-15 once. [Row 10 ends with 19 sc]

Sizes M/L & XL/2X:

Rows 6-9: Repeat Right Front Rows 11-14 once.

Row 10: Repeat Right Front Row 10.

Size S only:

Rows 11-15: Repeat Right Front Rows 6-10 once. [Row 15 ends with 25 sc]

Sizes M/L & XL/2X:

Rows 11-14: Repeat Right Front Rows 6-9 once.

Row 15: Repeat Right Front Size M/L & XL/2X Row 15. [Row 15 ends with 31 sc]

Size S only ;

Rows 16-20: Repeat Left Front Rows 6-10, once [Row 20 ends with 31sc]

Sizes M/L & XL/2X:

Rows 16-19: Repeat Right Front Rows 11-14 once.

Row 20: Repeat Right Front Size M/L & XL/2X Row 15. [Row 20 ends with 43 sc]

Size XL/2X only:

Rows 21-24: Repeat Right Front Rows 6-9 once.

Row 25: Repeat Right Front Size XL/2X Row 25.

Neckline and armhole increases (all sizes):

Rows 21-24 (21-24, 26-29): Repeat Right Front Rows 21-24 (21-24, 26-29), except at end of Row 24 (24, 29) **do not fasten off**—6 (7, 10) CIs, 7 (8, 11) sc, 2 hdc, 14 (16, 22) ch-2 sps.

Main Body of Vest

Note: Match armhole st markers to create a continuous line from last rows of fronts and back.

Armhole Joins = sc across with a sc2tog to join marked hdc at underarm.

Row 25 (25, 30): (Armhole join) Ch 1, turn, sc in 1st st, *2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to * until reaching marked sts at under arm, sc2tog in marked sts to join armhole; repeat from * to * until reaching 2nd set of marked sts, sc2tog in marked sts to join 2nd armhole; repeat from * to * to end of row working sc in last st—145 (175, 205) sc.

Row 26 (26, 31): Beg PrtShell in first st,*sk 2 sts, sc next st, sk 2 sts, Shell next st*; repeat from * to* until 6 unworked sts remain, sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End PrtShell in last st—24 (28, 33) Shells, 25 (29, 34) sc, 2 PrtShells.

Row 27 (27, 32): Ch 4 (counts as hdc and ch-2 sp), turn, sc in ch-2 sp of first PrtShell, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in ch-2 sp of next Shell*; repeat from * to * until reach last sc of row, repeat from *to* once, sc in ch-5 sp of last PrtShell, ch 2, hdc in 3rd ch of same ch-5 sp—25 (29, 34) CIs, 26 (30, 35) sc, 2 hdc, 52 (60, 70) ch-2 sps.

Row 28 (28, 33): Beg HalfShell in first st,*sk ch-2 sp, sc next st, sk ch-2 sp, Shell next st*; repeat from * to* until 2 unworked ch-2 sps remain, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st, sk ch-2 sp, End HalfShell in last st—25 (29, 34) Shells, 26 (30, 35) sc.

Row 29 (29, 34): Ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in next Shell ch-2 sp*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row, repeat from *to** once, sc in top of beg ch-3—26 (30, 35) CIs, 27 (31, 36) sc, sc, 52 (60, 70) ch-2 sps.

Row 30 (30, 35): Ch 1, turn, *sc in next st, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp*; repeat from * to * until reach last st of row, sc in last st—157 (181, 211) sc.

Row 31 (31, 36): Ch 1, sc in first sc *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from * to* to end of row—26 (30, 35) Shells, 27 (31, 36) sc.

Row 32 (32, 37): Ch 3, turn, dc in first st, *ch 2, sc in the ch-2 sp of the next Shell, ch 2, Cl in next sc*; repeat from *to* to end of row—27 (31, 36) CIs, 26 (30, 35) sc, 52 (60, 70) ch-2 sps.

Row 33 (33, 38): Beg HalfShell in first st,* sk 2 sts, sc next st, sk 2 sts, Shell next st*; repeat from * to* until 6 unworked sts remain, sk 2 sts, sc in next st, sk 2 sts, End HalfShell in last st—25 (29, 34) Shells, 26 (30, 35) sc, 2 HalfShells.

Row 34 (34, 39): Ch 1, sc in first dc, *ch 2, Cl in next sc, ch 2,** sc in next Shell ch-2 sp*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row, repeat from *to** once, sc in top of beg ch-3—26 (30, 35) CIs, 27 (31, 36) sc, 52 (60, 70) ch-2 sps.

Size S only:

Row 35:(Increase) Ch 1, turn, sc in first st,(**2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st**) 4 times, *(2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st) 11 times, (3 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st) 3 times*; repeat from * to * once; repeat from ** to ** 14 times—163 sc.

Size M/L only:

Rows 35-58: Repeat Rows 30-34 four times, then repeat Rows 30-33 once. [Row 58 ends with 30 Shells, 31 sc, 2 HalfShells]

Size S only:

Rows 36-44: Repeat Rows 31-34 once, then repeat Rows 30-34 once. [Row 44 ends with 27 CIs, 28 sc, 56 ch-2 sps]

Size XL/2X only:

Rows 40-44: Repeat Rows 35-39 once. [Row 44 ends with 35 Cl, 36 sc, 70 ch-2 sps]

Size S only:

Row 45: (Increase) Ch 1, turn, sc in first st,(**2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st**) 6 times, *(2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st) 11 times, (3 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st) 3 times*; repeat from * to * once; repeat from ** to ** 16 times—169 sc.

Size XL/2X only:

Row 45: (Increase) Ch 1, turn, sc in first st,(**2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st**) 10 times, *(2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc

next st) 13 times, (3 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next sc, 2 sc in next ch-2 sp, sc next st) 3 times*; repeat from * to * once; repeat from ** to ** 22 times.—217 sc.

Sizes S & XL/2X:

Rows 46-58: Repeat Rows 31-34 once; repeat Rows 30-34 once; repeat Rows 30-33 once. [Row 58 ends with: 27 (35) Shells, 28 (36) sc, 2 HalfShells.

Do not fasten off. PM in ch-2 sp of 7th [9th, 11th] full Shell in from ends of row 58.

Points – all sizes:

Note: First point is worked off body of vest without cutting yarn..

Row 1: Ch 1, turn, sc in 1st dc, (ch 2, sk 3 sts, Cl in next sc, ch 2, sk 3 sts, sc in next ch-2 sp) 7 (9, 11) times. Row should end at st marker—7 (9, 11) Cls, 8 (10, 12) sc, 14 (18, 22) ch-2 sps.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in 1st st, *2 sc in ch-2 sp, sc in next st, 2 sc next ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from *to* until reach last st of row—43 (49 55) sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, sc in 1st st, *sk 2 sts, Shell in next st, sk 2 sts, sc in next st*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row—7 (9, 11) Shells, 8 (10, 12) sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn, sk 1st st, sl st in next 4 sts and ch sps, ch 1, sc in same ch-2 sp as last sl st, *ch 2, sk 3 sts, Cl in next sc, ch 2, sk 3 sts, sc in next ch-2 sp*; repeat from *to* until reach last ch-2 sp of row—6 (8, 10) Cls, 7 (9, 11) sc, 12 (16, 20) ch-2 sps.

Row 5: Ch 1, turn, sc in 1st st, *sk ch-2 sp, Shell in next st, sk ch-2 sp, sc in next st*; repeat from *to* until reach last sc of row—6 (8, 10) Shells, 7 (9, 11) sc.

Row 6: Repeat Row 4—5 (7, 9) Cls, 6 (8, 10) sc, 10 (14, 18) ch-2 sps.

Rows 7-16 (7-21, 7-26): Repeat Rows 2-6, 2 (3, 4) times—1 Cl, 2 sc, 2 ch-2 sps.

Row 17 (22, 27): Repeat Row 5—1 Shell, 2 sc.

Row 18 (23, 28): Ch 1, turn, sk 1st st, sl st in next 4 sts and ch sps, ch 1, (2 sc, sl st) in same ch-2 sp as last sl st. Fasten off.

Second Point

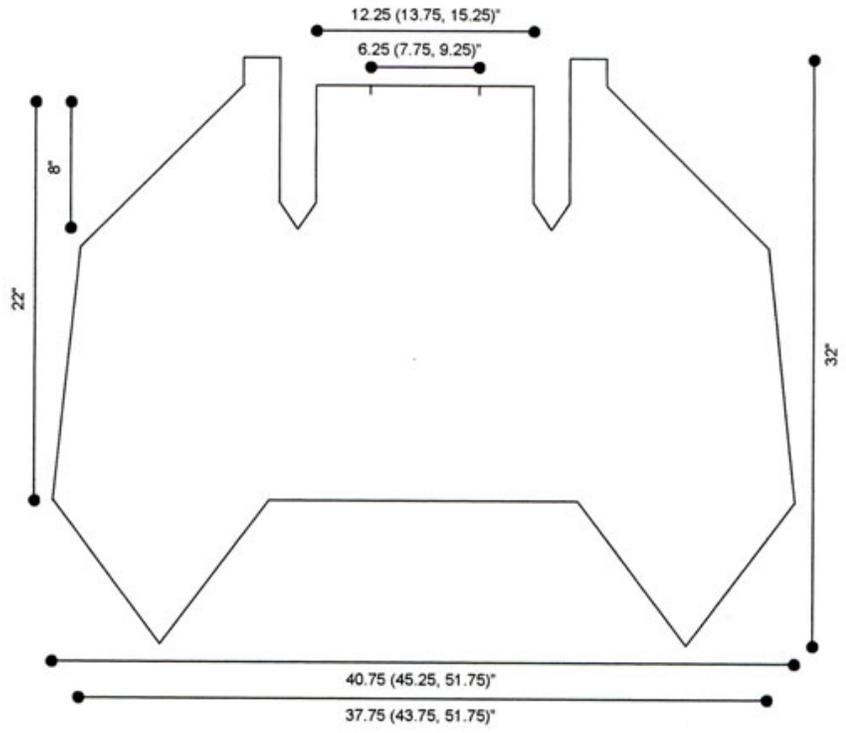
Note: Attach yarn at un-used st marker working from center of body to front edge.

Row 1: Ch 1, turn, sc in same ch-2 sp where attached yarn, (ch 2, sk 3 sts, Cl in next sc, ch 2, sk 3 sts, sc in next ch-2 sp) 7 (9, 11) times.

Rows 2-18 (2-23, 2-28): Repeat Rows 2-18 (2-23, 2-28) from first point.

FINISHING

Using yarn needle, weave in all ends. Wet block gently, if desired.



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