

Miss Annabelle Panel Set fits 18" American Girl Doll DEMO

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Inspired by the panel-style skirts, this uniquely designed skirt has elements that prevent that curl found in many skirt patterns. Skirt is worked in the round up to split for the back, and then worked flat with crocheted button band loop and optional crocheted bottom edge. Vest is worked flat and seamed only with 3-needle bind-off at shoulders.

Materials

Yarn: Vanna's Choice/similar aran-weight yarn Color A: 3 oz or 90 g; Color B: 5 g or about 10 yds for all three pieces.

Shown in photo: Cheery cherry and charcoal grey

Gauge: 17 sts and 24 rows in 4"/10 cm

Needles: For gauge. I use US 7 or 4.5 mm 16"/40 cm circular for working circularly, using 2 of them for working flat after the split. You could also use dpns. Yarn needle. Crochet hook needed for button loop and edging size US H or 5.0 mm

Notions: One 1/2"/14 mm button with large eye, 3 regular 3/8"/10 mm buttons for vest, one button for headband if desired

Measurements: Skirt flares at bottom, and fits with no ease and stretching on open back buttoned top. It is about 4.75"/12 cm long. The vest fits snugly and is about 6"/15 cm from shoulder to bottom. The headband fits snugly.

Stitches and Abbreviations

k and p: knit and purl

st/s: stitch/es

k2tog: knit 2 sts together

p2tog: purl 2 stitches together

p2togtbl: purl 2 sts together through back loops

RLpurlincrease: right lifted purl increase, lift st from row below on next st to left needle, and purl it

BOR: beginning of round

sc: single crochet

sc2tog: insert hook in first st, yo, pull up a loop; insert hook in second st, yo, pull up a loop, yo, pull through both loops