

EASY STRIPED TANK TOP CROCHET PATTERN



This **Easy Striped Tank Top Crochet Pattern** is just that... easy! It's a rectangle with two straps added. No shaping, no increasing or decreasing. Just a simple 1 row repeat! I used [Capra DK](#) from WeCrochet. This is a Merino Wool/Cashmere blend that is oh-so-soft and luxurious.

Materials

WeCrochet Capra in Magnolia Heather & Loganberry Heather (2 of each color for S/M, 3 for L/XL, 4 for 2X/3X)

H/5.0 mm hook

Yarn needle

Scissors

stitch marker

Level

advanced beginner

Pattern notes & stitches to know

ch – chain

sc - single crochet

- written in US terms
- ch 1 counts as sc
- This top is made by making two of the same panel and sewing them together. Both panels are worked from the bottom up.
- The linen stitch (used in this pattern) tightens as it's worked up. The chain will be longer than the suggested finished width, but will tighten as it goes.
- This top is a cropped length. Easily add or remove rows before starting the straps to adjust the length.
- Alternate colors every 2 rows for the stripes. Do not fasten off each time, carry the yarn up the side.
- Gauge (stitch used in pattern): 10 sc x 20 rows

Pattern notes cont.

Sizes:

(S, M, L) (XL, 2X, 3X) - The pattern is written in these sizes consecutively. Example, when the pattern gives the end of row count ((36, 46, 56) (66, 76, 86) sc) the 36 is for S, 46 is M, 56 is L, 66 is XL, 76 is 2X, 86 is 3X.

This top is very close fit with negative ease.

Approx Finished Size:

Bust: S (29") M (33") L (37") XL (41") 2X (45") 3X (49")

Length (from top of strap): S (18") M (18.75") L (19.5") XL (20.25")
2X (21") 3X (21.75")

Size Small pictured. I am 5'0" with 34" bust

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FRONT AND BACK (make 2)

ch (72, 92, 112) (132, 152, 172) (leave a long end for sewing)

Row 1: sc in 4th ch from the hook, *ch 1, skip 1 ch, sc in next* repeat from * to * across, sc in turning ch-space ((36, 46, 56) (66, 76, 86) sc)

Row 2 - (62, 64, 66) (68, 70, 72): ch 2, turn, sc in first ch-1 space, *ch 1, sc in next ch-1 space* repeat from * to * across ((36, 46, 56) (66, 76, 86) sc)

Or until desired length.

Fasten off.

STRAPS

Join yarn in the ch-1 space approx (3.5", 4", 4.5") (5", 5.5", 6") from the right. (or wherever you'd like the straps to be)

Row 1: ch 2, skip 1 stitch, sc in next ch-1 space, *ch 1, sc in next ch-1 space, * repeat from * to * 2 more times (5 sc)

Row 2 - (27, 29, 31) (33, 35, 37): ch 2, turn, sc in first ch-1 space, *ch 1, sc in next ch-1 space* repeat from * to * across, sc in turning ch-space (5 sc)

Or until desired strap length.

Fasten off. Leave an end for sewing.

Turn over so the strap is on the left. Join yarn in the ch-1 approx. (3.5", 4", 4.5") (5", 5.5", 6") space from the right and repeat strap pattern.

(or wherever you'd like the straps to be)



SEWING

Lay the front on top of the back. Sew the shoulder straps together with a whip stitch using the long ends. Use the long ends to sew up the sides with a whip stitch. Weave in all the ends. Turn right side out.

And you're done! I hope you love this top! Please share a pic of your finished product. I'd love to see it! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask!

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