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**Fontana**

**Crocheted  
Dress**

IN  
4-PLY

(SIZES 34-38 inch BUST)

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**NOTE:** To be certain of obtaining a correct reproduction of the garments illustrated on the cover of this leaflet it is important that one of the Fontana yarns listed under "MATERIALS" be used. Please also read carefully the paragraph headed "TENSION".

# Crocheted Dress

Model No. 5002

**MATERIALS**

Size 14 16 18  
 Bust size 34 36 38 ins  
 Wool required  
 Fontana SUZETTE CREPE or 4-PLY  
 27 28 30 ozs  
 31 32 34 25gr balls  
 One each 3.50mm (No. 9) and 3.00mm (No. 11) Fontana crochet hooks. 10 Beutron buttons. 1 buckle.

**MEASUREMENTS**

Length from shoulder 40 40½ 41 ins  
 Sleeve seam 17½ 18 18½ ins

**TENSION**

21 sts to 4 ins over patt on 3.50mm hook.

In order to obtain the correct measurements, it is essential you work to the tension stated above, and the rule on the opposite page is provided for your convenience.

We suggest you work a small sample in this stitch before commencing the garment, then place the rule across it and see if your tension corresponds. If you are unable to obtain the correct tension, proceed as follows: If you have less stitches than the number stated use a smaller needle. If you have more stitches than the number stated use a larger needle.

**ABBREVIATIONS**

Alt, alternate; beg, beginning; cont, continues(ing); dec, decrease; fin, finishing; foll, following; ins, inches; inc, increase; patt, pattern; rep, repeat; rem, remains(ing); sl, slip; sts, stitches; tog, together; ch, chain; dc, double crochet; tr, treble; grp, group (of 3 tr); 2 tr tog, wool over hook, insert hook into next st and draw through loop.

wool over hook and draw through 2 loops, rep into next st, then wool over hook and draw through all 3 loops.

**BACK**

Using 3.50mm hook make 132 (138) (144) ch.

**1st row:** Tr in 4th ch from hook and into every foll ch. 130 (136) (142) sts.

**2nd row:** 3 ch as first st, tr in next tr, miss 1 tr, \* 3 tr (group) in next tr, miss 2 tr; rep from \* to last 4 tr. grp in next tr, miss 1 tr, tr in next tr and turning ch.

**3rd row:** 3 ch as first st, grp between tr and grp, grp between each grp to end, grp between last grp and tr, tr on turning ch.

**4th row:** 3 ch as first st, tr on first tr of grp, grp between grp to last grp, tr on last tr of grp, tr on turning ch.

**5th row:** 3 ch as first st, tr on each st to end, tr on turning ch.

**6th row:** As 5th row.  
 The 2nd to 6th rows form the rep of patt. Cont in patt for 9 more rows, thus fin with 5th row.

**Next row:** 3 ch, 7 (6) (5) tr, \* 2 tr tog, 12 (13) (14) tr; rep from \* 7 times more, 2 tr tog, 8 (7) (6) tr. 121 (127) (133) sts. Cont in patt for 14 rows.

**Next row:** 3 ch, 7 (6) (5) tr, \* 2 tr tog, 11 (12) (13) tr; rep from \* 7 times more, 2 tr tog, 7 (6) (5) tr. 112 (118) (124) sts.

Cont to dec in this way on every 15th row twice more. 94 (100) (106) sts. Then cont straight until work measures 33 ins from beg.

**Shape Armholes:**

**Next row:** Sl st over first 6 sts, patt to last 6 sts, turn. 82 (88) (94) sts.

Keeping patt correct, dec 1 st at each end of next 6 (7) (8) rows. 70 (74) (78) sts. Cont straight until armhole measures 7 (7½) (8) ins.

**Shape Shoulder:**

**Next row:** Sl st over first 6 (7) (7) sts, patt to last 6 (7) (7) sts, turn.

Rep this row once more.

**Next row:** Sl st over first 7 (6) (7) sts, patt to last 7 (6) (7) sts. Fasten off, leaving 32 (34) (36) sts for neck.



## FRONT

Work as given for back until 94 (100) (106) sts rem, fin with the dec row.

**Next row:** 3 ch, tr in next tr, miss 1 tr, (grp in next tr, miss 2 tr) 12 (13) (14) times, grp in next tr, miss 1 tr, tr in next 2 tr, turn.

Cont in patt on these 43 (46) (49) sts until work measures the same as back to armholes, fin with a wrong side row.

### Shape Armholes:

Work to match back, then cont on rem 31 (33) (35) sts until armhole measures 5 (5½) (6) ins, fin at inside edge.

### Shape Neck:

**Next row:** Sl st over first 5 (6) (7) sts, patt to end.

**Next row:** Patt to last 2 sts, turn.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows, thus fin at outside edge.

### Shape Shoulder:

**Next row:** Sl st over first 6 (7) (7) sts, patt to end.

**Next row:** Patt to last 6 (7) (7) sts.

Fasten off.

Return to where work was left at opening; leave first 8 sts, rejoin wool to next st, 3 ch, tr in next tr, miss 1 tr, (grp in next tr, miss 2 tr) to last 4 tr, grp in next tr, miss 1 tr, tr in next tr and turning ch. Cont to match first side.

## SLEEVES

Using 3.50mm hook make 69 (72) (75) ch and work in patt as on back. 67 (70) (73) sts, until work measures 15½ ins from beg.

### Shape Top:

**Next row:** Sl st over first 6 sts, patt to last 6 sts, turn.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 7 rows, 2 sts at each end of next 3 rows, then 3 sts at each end of next 3 rows. 11 (14) (17) sts. Fasten off.

## CUFFS:

(make 2). Using 3.00mm hook make 45 (48) (51) ch and work in dc for ½ in.

**Next row:** 3 dc, 3 ch, miss 3 dc, dc to end.

Cont in dc until work measures 2 ins from beg, making a second buttonhole 1 inch above first.

## Button Band:

Using 3.00mm hook make 11 ch and work in dc until band is the same length as front opening. Fasten off.

Tack band in place and mark position of buttons with pins. 1st pin ½ inch below neck edge, then 5 more pins at equal distances between this pin and lower edge of band.

## Buttonhole Band:

Work to match button band, making buttonholes at pin positions by working 3 ch, miss 3 dc over the centre 3 dc.

## BELT:

Using 3.00mm hook, make 9 ch and work in dc for 30 (32) (34) ins. Fasten off.

## COLLAR

Using 3.00mm hook, make 80 (84) (88) ch and work 1 row in dc.

**Next row:** 56 (59) (62) dc, turn.

**Next row:** 32 (34) (36) dc, turn.

**Next row:** 38 (40) (42) dc, turn.

**Next row:** 44 (46) (48) dc, turn.

Cont to work 6 more dc on next 4 rows, then 6 (7) (8) dc on next 2 rows, all sts should be worked in.

Cont in dc, inc 1 st at beg of next 24 rows. Fasten off.

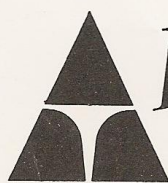
Work 1 row of dc from neck edge to peak of collar.

## MAKE UP

Press work, using a warm iron over a damp cloth.

Join shoulder, side and sleeve seams and sew in sleeves. Gather lower edge of sleeves and sew to cuffs. Sew on front bands and collar. Press seams. Sew on buttons. Sew on buckle. **END**

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