

LINDA "Cummerbund Cape" C-411

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Directions are given for Small Size Changes for Medium and Large Sizes are in parentheses

COATS & CLARK'S RED HEART SUPER FINGERING, 3 Pty Art. E 239: 5 (5, 6) skeins (1 oz. "Tangle-Proof" Pull-Out Skeins) of No. 678 Peppermint.

Plastic Crochet Hooks Nos. 4 and 6

4 yards of Walco No. 1365 Kelly Green; Flat Schlung Sequins; 4 small hooks.

GAUGE: 2 group st patterns make 1 inch; 4 rows make 1 inch.

CUMMERBUND : Starting at inner edge with No. 6 hook, ch 257 (265, 273) to measure 64 (66, 68) inches.

1st row: Insert hook in 2nd ch from hook, yarn over and draw loop through (basic loop of a sc made), complete the sc; sc in next ch and in each ch across. Ch 1, turn.

2nd row: Picking up the back strand of the basic loop of each sc, then, inserting hook in front loop at top of same sc throughout, make 2 sc in first sc (group st made), * skip next sc, group st in next sc. Repeat from * across to within last 2 sc, sc as before in each of the last 2 sc. Ch 1, turn. Place a marker each side of center 14 group sts.

3rd row: Group st as before in the first sc of each group st to within first marker; increasing 3 group sts evenly spaced, continue across to 2nd marker to inc 1 group st, make a group st in each sc of 1 group st; now continue across without increasing, ending with sc in each of the last 2 sc. Ch 1, turn.

4th and 5th rows: Omitting increases, repeat 3rd row. Ch 1, turn. 6th to 21st rows incl: Repeat 3rd, 4th and 5th rows. Break off at end of last row. There are 148 (152, 156) group sts on last row. Place a marker on each side of center 38 group sts.

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CAPE: 1 st row: Using No. 4 hook, attach yarn to the first sc of first marked group st, sc in same sc, draw loop on hook out to measure 1 inch, yarn over and draw loop through, insert hook between single and double loops, yarn over and draw a loop through, yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook (knot st made) , make another knot st, sc in next sc, * make 2 knot sts, skip next sc, sc in next sc, make 2 knot sts, sc in next sc. Repeat from * across, ending with sc in 2nd sc of next marked group st. Make 2 knot sts, turn.

2nd to 18th rows incl: * Sc under double loop of next knot st to the right of knot, sc under double loop of next knot st to the left of same knot, make 2 knot sts. Repeat from * across, ending with sc under double loop of last knot st to the right and to the left of same knot. Make 2 knot sts, turn. Break off at end of 18th row. Remove markers.

Press through a damp cloth. Measure 18 (19, 20) inches from both ends of Cummerbund on outer edge and mark with pins. Gather narrow edges of Cape to fit spaces between the first row of Cape and the marker. Sew in place. Sew sequin band along first and last rows of Cummerbund and also along the edge at narrow ends. Fasten narrow ends with hooks and eyes.