Your little princess loves to play dress-up, right? And bet she loves when her little dolly can match too. So use our free pattern below to crochet a

fun, frilly poncho

for her size and one for her mini-me!

poncho palooza

Size: 22" x 22" (child); 9" x 9" (doll)

Materials:

- Yarn Bee® First Love (shown in Kisses and Plum Out of Luck), 5 oz. skeins of 143 yds.

    Color 1 (MC) – 5 skeins (child); 1 skein (doll)

    Color 2 (CC) – 2 skeins (child); 1 skein (doll)

    5 Bulky

- Yarn needle

Crochet hook: Size K-10 ½ (6.5 mm) or size needed to obtain gauge

Gauge: Each square = 5" x 5" (child); 2" x 2" (doll)

Special Stitches:

Cluster Stitch (cl-st): Keeping last lp of each st on hook, 3 dc in ring, yo and draw through all 4 lps on hook.

Shell: (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp.

Abbreviations:

Beg – beginning
Ch – chain
Dc – double crochet
Hdc – half double crochet
Lp – loop
Rep – repeat
Rnd – round
Sc – single crochet
Sl st – slip stitch
Sp – space
St – stitch
Tr – treble crochet
Yo – yarn over

Child Poncho Square (Make 30)

Rnd 1 (right side): With CC, ch 4, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 3 (counts as first dc now and throughout). Keeping last lp of each st on hook, 2 dc in ring, yo and draw through all 3 lps on hook (beg cl-st made), ch 2, (cl-st, ch 2) 7 times; join with a sl st to beg cl-st (8 cl-sts). Finish off.

Rnd 2: With right side facing, join MC in any ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, 3 hdc in next sp, ch 1, * shell in next sp, ch 1, 3 hdc in next sp, ch 1, rep from * twice more; join with a sl st to first dc (24 dc and 12 hdc).

Rnd 3: Sl st in next 2 dc and ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next sp, ch 1) twice, * shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next sp, ch 1) twice, rep from * twice more; join with a sl st to first dc (48 dc).

Rnd 4: Sl st in next 2 dc and ch-2 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in same sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next sp, ch 1) 3 times, * shell in next ch-2 sp, ch 1, (3 dc in next sp, ch 1) 3 times, rep from * twice more; join with a sl st to first dc (60 dc). Finish off, leaving long end.

Doll Poncho Square (Make 30)

Ch 4, sl st to form a ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 1 dc in ring, ch 2, *2 dc in ring, ch 2, rep from * twice more, sl st to join.

Rnd 2: Ch 4 (counts as first tr), 2 tr into same ch-2 sp, ch 1, *3 tr in next ch 2 sp, ch 1, rep from * twice more, sl st to join. Finish off and weave in ends.
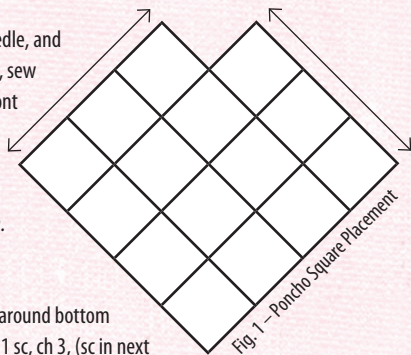
Assemble and work edging as for adult poncho.

Assembly:

Using long ends and yarn needle, and using Fig. 1 (right) as a guide, sew squares together. Make 2 (front and back).

Note: Sew sides together, leaving neck and bottom open.

Fig. 1 – Poncho Square Placement

Edging:

Join CC with a sc in any ch sp around bottom of poncho (17 sc per square). 1 sc, ch 3, (sc in next dc, ch 3) rep all around bottom edge. Join CC with sc in any ch around neckline. Work reverse sc around neckline. Finish off and weave in ends.

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