



BERNAT® Cross Stitch Christmas Stockings



7  EASY

MEASUREMENT

Approx 15" [38 cm] long from cuff to heel.

GAUGE

13 sc and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm].

MATERIALS

Bernat® Super Value™ (7 oz/197 g; 426 yds/389 m)

Version I (Snowman)

Main Color (MC) Forest Green (53243)	1 ball
Contrast A Cherry Red (53436)	1 ball
Contrast B Winter White (07407)	1 ball
Contrast C Black (07421)	1 ball

Version II (Santa)

Main Color (MC) Teal Heather (53203)	1 ball
Contrast A Oatmeal (53010)	1 ball
Contrast B Cherry Red (53436)	1 ball
Contrast C Winter White (07407)	1 ball
Contrast D Black (07421)	1 ball

Version II (Tree)

Main Color (MC) Oatmeal (53010)	1 ball
Contrast A Taupe (53012)	1 ball
Contrast B Forest Green (53243)	1 ball
Contrast C Cherry Red (53436)	1 ball

Size U.S. H/8 (5 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stitch marker. Embroidery needle.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: When working Cuff, sl st loosely and **do not** ch at beg of rows.

Cuff: With A, ch 6.

1st row: (RS). 1 sl st in 2nd ch from hook. 1 sl st in each ch to end of chain. Turn. 5 sl sts.

2nd row: *Working in back loops only*, 1 sl st in each sl st across. Turn.

Rep 2nd row until work from beg measures 14" [35.5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Join Cuff: *Working in back loops only*, sl st last row and rem loops of foundation ch tog. Fasten off.

Note: When working Leg, turn work at the end of each row.

Leg: Join MC with sl st to side edge of Cuff.

1st rnd: Ch 1. Work 46 sc evenly around side edge of Cuff. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.**

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.**

Rep 2nd rnd until work from bottom of Cuff measures 9" [23 cm]. Fasten off.

Heel: (RS). Join A with sl st to first sc.

1st row: Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each of next 22 sc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Rep 2nd row for 2" [5 cm], ending on a WS row.

Shape heel: 1st row: (RS). Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 15 sc. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

2nd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 9 sts. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Turn.

3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 10 sts. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Turn.

4th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 11 sts. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Turn.

5th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 12 sts. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Turn.

6th row: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 13 sts. Sc2tog. 1 sc in next sc. Turn.

7th and 8th rows: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 14 sts. Sc2tog. Turn. 15 sts. Fasten off at end of 8th row.

Joining rnd: With RS facing, join MC with sl st at left side of Heel Base. Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 23 sc of instep. Pm. Work 7 sc up right side of Heel, 1 sc in each of next 15 sc across end of Heel and 7 sc down left side of Heel. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.** 52 sc.

2nd rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to marker. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each sc to last 2 sc. Sc2tog. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.** Rep 2nd rnd until 44 sts rem.

Next rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.**



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Rep last rnd until work from joining rnd measures 5½" [14 cm]. Join A at end of last row. Break MC.

Shape toe: 1st rnd: With A, ch 1. (1 sc in each of next 9 sc. Sc2tog) 4 times. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.**

2nd rnd: Ch 1. (1 sc in each of next 8 sc. Sc2tog) 4 times. Join with sl st to first sc. **Turn.**

Cont in same manner, dec 4 sts on every row until 12 sts rem. Break yarn, leaving a long end. Draw end tightly through rem sts and fasten securely.

Hanging Loop: With MC, ch 25. Sl st in 2nd ch from hook and each ch to end of chain. Fasten off. Fold in half and sew in position.

FINISHING

Note: Placing a piece of cardboard into your stocking will help prevent catching stitches as you embroider.

Measure approx 2" [5 cm] down from beg of Leg and mark center sc of Stocking Front. Line up marked stitch with center stitch of chart and work cross stitch embroidery. Each square of chart represents 1 sc.

Version I: Cross stitch Chart I to stocking as shown in picture.

Version II: Cross stitch Chart II to stocking as shown in picture.

Version III: Cross stitch Chart III to stocking as shown in picture.



Center st (match with marked st on Stocking)

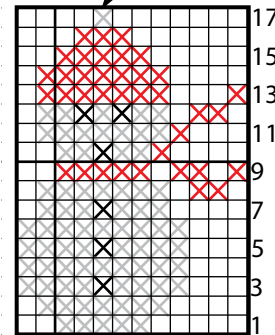


Chart I

- Key
- = Contrast A
 - = Contrast B
 - = Contrast C

Center st (match with marked st on Stocking)

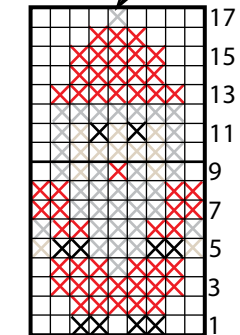


Chart II

- Key
- = Contrast A
 - = Contrast B
 - = Contrast C
 - = Contrast D

Center st (match with marked st on Stocking)

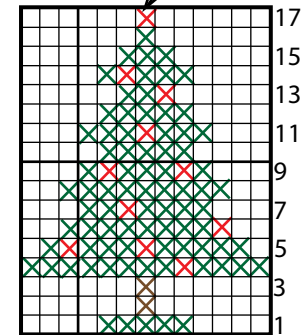


Chart III

- Key
- = Contrast A
 - = Contrast B
 - = Contrast C

ABBREVIATIONS: www.yarnspirations.com/abbreviations

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Beginning

Ch = Chain(s)

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dec = Decrease

Sc = Single crochet

Sc2tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 sts. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook

Sl st = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Pm = Place marker

Rem = Remaining

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Tog = Together

WS = Wrong side

Yoh = Yarn over hook