12” Fashion Doll
Black & White Gown
Free Crochet Pattern

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MATERIALS: Size 10 crochet thread in White and Black, size 7 crochet hook, 2 small snaps, needle to take crochet thread, sewing needle and sewing thread.

GAUGE: 9 hdc = 1”, 7 rows hdc = 1”
FINISHED SIZE: will fit 12” size fashion doll

BOTTOM OF TOP OF DRESS:
ROW 1: With White and 7 hook ch-32, hdc 3rd ch from hook, hdc ea ch across, ch-1, turn. (30 sts)
ROW 2: (2 hdc next st, hdc next 5 sts) across, ch-1, turn. (35 sts)
ROW 3-5: Hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn. End row 5 fasten off.

TOP:
ROW 1: with White and 7 hook count over 11 sts from end row 5, join that st, ch-1, hdc same st as ch-1, hdc next 6 sts, leave remaining sts unworked, ch-1, turn. (7 sts)
ROW 2: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc next 3, hdc dec last 2 sts, ch-1, turn. (5 sts)
ROW 3: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc next, hdc dec last 2 sts, ch-1, turn. (3 sts)
ROW 4: Hdc next 2 sts, hdc last st, ch-1, turn. (2 sts)
ROW 5: Hdc dec next 2 sts, fasten off White, join Black, ch-7, sl st in 7th st end row 5 to make strap.

SECOND TOP:
ROW 1: With White and 7 hook count over 11 sts from end row 5, join that st, ch-1, hdc same st as ch-1, hdc next 5 sts, hdc same st as end row 1 of previous top, turn. (7 sts)
ROW 2-5: Rep row 2-5 of top.

SKIRT FOR DRESS:
ROW 1: With White and 7 hook join in bottom row 1 of finished top, ch-1, hdc same st as beg ch-1, hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn. (30 sts)
ROW 2: (2 hdc next st, hdc next 4 sts) across, ch-1, turn. (36 sts)
ROW 3: (2 hdc next st, hdc next 3 sts) across, ch-1, turn. (45 sts)
RND 4: Hdc ea st across, over lap 1st 2 sts with last 2 sts, sl st, ch-1, turn.
RND 5: Hdc through over lapped sts, hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. (43 sts)
RND 6-25: Hdc ea st around, sl st top beg hdc, ch-1, turn. End rnd 25 fasten off.
ROW 26: With White and 7 hook count over 11 sts from join, join that st, ch-1, hdc same st as ch-1, hdc next 21 sts, ch-1, turn. (22 sts)
ROW 38: With White and 7 hook join in next free st rnd 25, ch-1, hdc same st as beg ch-1, hdc remaining sts across, ch-1, turn. (21 sts)

TOP OF DRESSES TRAIN:
ROW 1: With White and 7 hook ch-16, hdc 3rd ch from hook, hdc ea ch across, ch-1, turn. (14 sts)
ROW 2-34: Hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn.
ROW 35: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn. (13 sts)
ROW 36: Hdc ea st across to last 2 sts, hdc dec last 2 sts, ch-1, turn. (12 sts)

BACK OF TRAIN:
ROW 1: with Black and 7 hook ch-20, hdc 3rd ch from hook, hdc ea ch across, ch-1, turn. (18 sts)
ROW 2-8: Hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn.
ROW 9-10: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc ea st across to last 2 sts, hdc dec last 2 sts, ch-1, turn. (16 sts)(14 sts)
ROW 11-53: Hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn.
ROW 54: Hdc dec next 2 sts, hdc ea st across, ch-1, turn. (13 sts)
ROW 55: Hdc ea st across to last 2 sts, hdc dec last 2 sts, ch-1, turn. (12 sts)

BACK TRAIN’S TRIM:
ROW 1: With Black and 7 hook join in end row 10 of black train, ch-1, sc same row as beg ch-1, (sk 1 row, 5 trc next row, sk 1 row, sc next row) around to other side ending again at row 10, fasten off.

DRESS LACE:
ROW 1: With Black and 7 hook ch-6, (dc, ch-3, sc 3rd ch of ch-3, dc, ch-3, sc 3rd ch of ch-3, dc) in 6th ch from hook, turn.
ROW 2: Ch-5, (dc, ch-3, sc 3rd ch of ch-3, dc, ch-3, sc 3rd ch of ch-3, dc) in 2nd dc of previous row, turn.
ROW 3-36: Rep row 2. End row 36 fasten off.

TRAIN LACE:
Make 2. Rep row 1-22 of dress lace, fasten off.
Rep row 1-18 of dress lace, fasten off.

PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER:
With needle and Black crochet thread; sew dress lace around front bottom of dress making certain ends touch.
Sew train lace down one long side and then down the other side so that they touch at the point.
Sew top of white train across black train at row 8.
Roll the top of the black train until it touches the top of the sewn on white train. Sew to hold. Sew the train to the back of the dress just below back opening.
Sew 2 snaps at back of dress.

Abbreviations Used In This Pattern
Ch = Chain
St = Stitch
Sl St = Slip Stitch
Sc = Single Crochet
Hdc = Half Double Crochet
Dc = Double Crochet
Rnd = Round
Beg = Beginning
Rep = Repeat
Bet = Between
Sk = Skip
Dec = Decrease
Lp = Loop
Ea = Each
Tog = Together

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