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## **CROCHET DRESS:** Start with your sparkle white (or Ivory Sparkle) colored yarn.

## Collar of the dress increase rounds (Stitch count is very important):





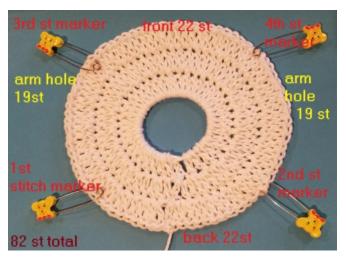
Starting chain- ch20. Slst into the first ch that you made to form a circle.

**First Round-** Ch3, make 40dc into the circle. Evenly space your dc around the circle. Slst into the top st of the first ch3 that you made. (40 total)

**Second Round-** Ch3, make 2dc into the next st. \*Make 1dc into the next st and then 2dc into the next st. Repeat from \* for one round. Evenly space your dc into any remaining stitches to complete 61 stitches. (Be careful not to skip the first st. in the round. Hint: Count the posts of the dc.) Count your stitches before you slst into the top st of the first ch3 that you made. (61 total)

**Third Round-** Ch3, make 1dc into the next st and then 2dc in the next st. \*Make 1dc into 2 st and then 2dc into the next st. Repeat from \* for one round. Evenly space your dc into any remaining stitches to complete 82 stitches. Slst. FO. (82 total)

## Placing your stitch markers: 16:45 in the video tutorial



Right side up. Using the loose yarn end where you finished off as a landmark, have the loose yarn end facing towards you. Starting with the loose yarn end st, count to the left and place your st marker in the 12<sup>th</sup> st. Return to the loose yarn end st, and not counting the loose yarn end st, count to the right and place your 2<sup>nd</sup> st marker in the 12<sup>th</sup> st. Now, return to your first st marker, and counting the same st with the first st marker, count 19 st and place the 3<sup>rd</sup> st marker in the 19<sup>th</sup> st from the first st marker. Then, return to the 2<sup>nd</sup> st marker, and counting the same st with the 2<sup>nd</sup> st marker, count 19st and place the 4<sup>th</sup> st marker in the 19<sup>th</sup> st from the 2<sup>nd</sup> st marker. You should have 22 st towards the front, and back, of the dress. (82 total stitches)

Crochet Wine Vintage Dress Stitch Count by Helen Brady