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# Baby Headbands

Designs by Frances Hughes

## Skill Level



## Finished Sizes

**Head circumference:** Preemie 12–15 inches, baby 14–16 inches and toddler 16–18 inches

## Finished Garment Sizes

**Yellow Headband:** 11–15 inches

**Pink Headband:** 14–16 inches

**White Headband:** 15–20 inches

## Materials

- Cascade Fixation fine (sport) weight elastic yarn (100 yds/50g per ball):  
1 ball each #8176 white, #1430 yellow and #3077 pink
- Size B/1/2.25mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle and thread
- Floral button
- 1½-inch silk flower-and-pearls ornament: 6



## Gauge

5 dc = 1 inch; 3 dc rows = 1 inch

## Pattern Notes

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Headbands are adjustable to length desired.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

## Special Stitches

**Shell:** 5 dc in indicated st.

**Picot:** Ch 3, sl st in first ch of ch-3.



## Headbands

### Yellow Headband

**Row 1:** With yellow, ch 8, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (6 dc)

**Rows 2–38:** Ch 3 (see *Pattern Notes*), dc in each of next 5 dc, turn.

**Row 39:** Holding row 38 to opposite side of foundation ch, sl st in each st across. Fasten off.

## Baby Headbands

### Upper Bow Loops

**Row 1:** With yellow, ch 8, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (6 dc)

**Rows 2–21:** Ch 3, dc in each of next 5 dc, turn.

**Row 22:** Holding row 21 to opposite side of foundation ch, sl st in each st across. Fasten off.

### Lower Bow Tails

**Row 1:** With yellow, ch 8, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (6 dc)

**Rows 2–17:** Ch 3, dc in each of next 5 dc, turn. At the end of row 17, fasten off.

### Bow Band

**Row 1:** With yellow, ch 5, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. (4 sc)

**Rows 2–15:** Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. At the end of row 15, fasten off.

### Finishing

With joining seams at center, place Upper Bow Loops on top of Lower Bow Tails. Wrap Bow Band around center of Bow sections and stitch in place. Stitch completed Bow over seam of Headband.

### Pink Headband

**Row 1:** With pink, ch 6, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (4 dc)

**Rows 2–36:** Ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, turn.

**Rnd 37:** Now working in rnds, ch 1, working in side edge of rows, \*sc in side edge of row 36, **picot** (see *Special Stitches*) in side edge of same row, [**shell** (see *Special Stitches*) in next row, (sc, picot) in next row] across edge\*, holding row 36 to opposite side of foundation ch and working through both thicknesses, sl st across, ch 1, matching sc, picots and shells to opposite edge, rep between \* once, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first st. Fasten off.

### Flower

**Rnd 1:** With pink, ch 4, join in first ch to form ring, ch 3, 11 dc in ring, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (12 dc)

**Rnd 2:** Ch 3, dc in same st as beg ch-3, 2 dc in each dc around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. (24 dc)

**Rnd 3:** Ch 1, (sc, 2 dc, sc) in same dc as beg ch-1, sl st in next sc, [(sc, 2 dc, sc) in next dc, sl st in next dc] around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

### Finishing

Stitch Flower over joining seam of Headband. Sew floral button to center of Flower.

### White Headband

**Row 1:** With white, ch 77, dc in 4th ch from hook, dc in each rem ch across, turn. (75 dc)

**Row 2:** Ch 1, sc in first dc, [ch 3, sk next dc, sc in next dc] across, turn.

**Rnd 3:** Now working in rnds, holding ends of rows tog, sl st across ends of rows, working across opposite side of foundation ch, ch 1, sc in first ch, [ch 3, sk next ch, sc in next ch] across, **join** (see *Pattern Notes*) in first ch. Fasten off.

### Finishing

Sew 6 silk pearl flowers evenly sp around Headband. •







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