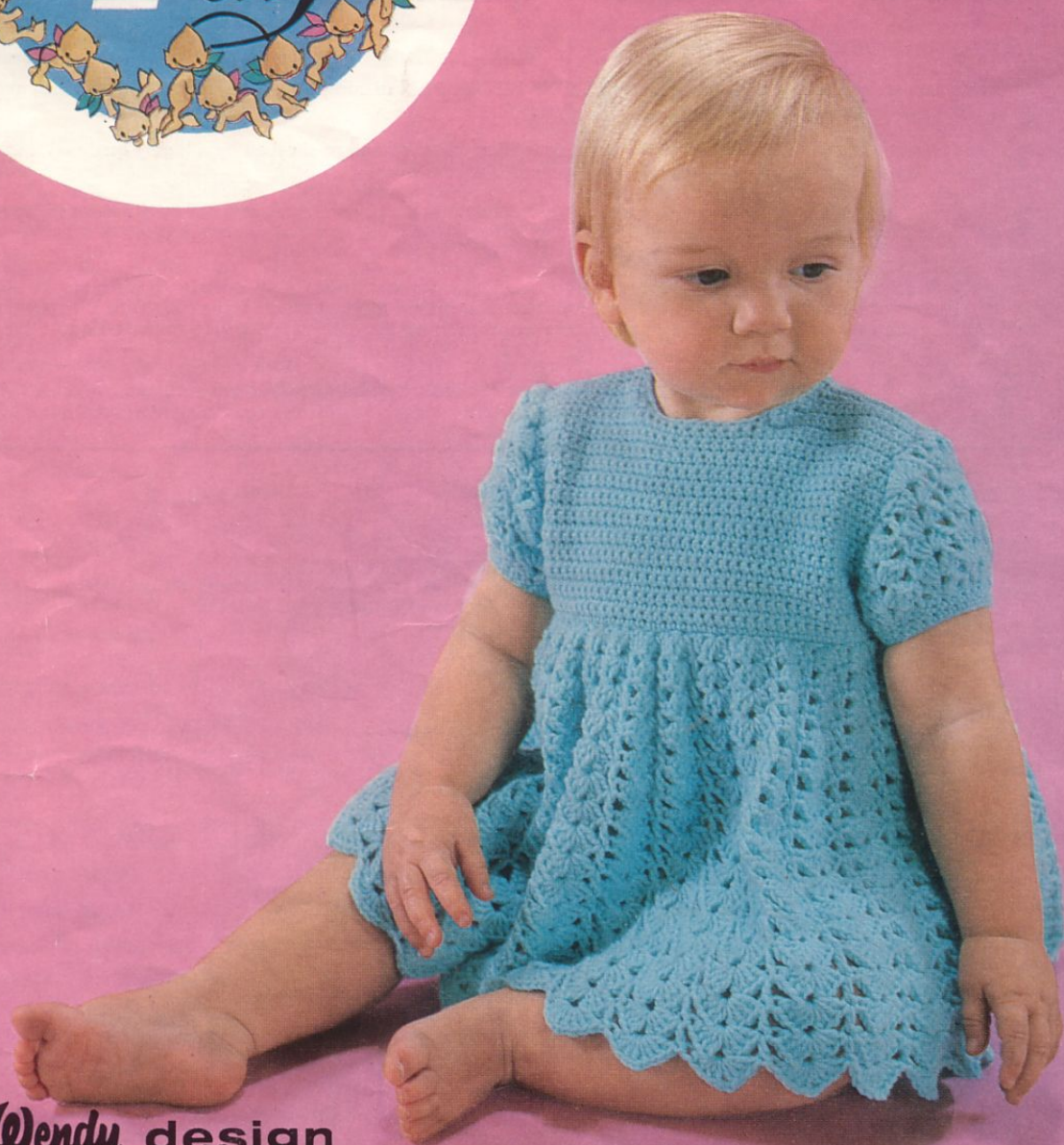
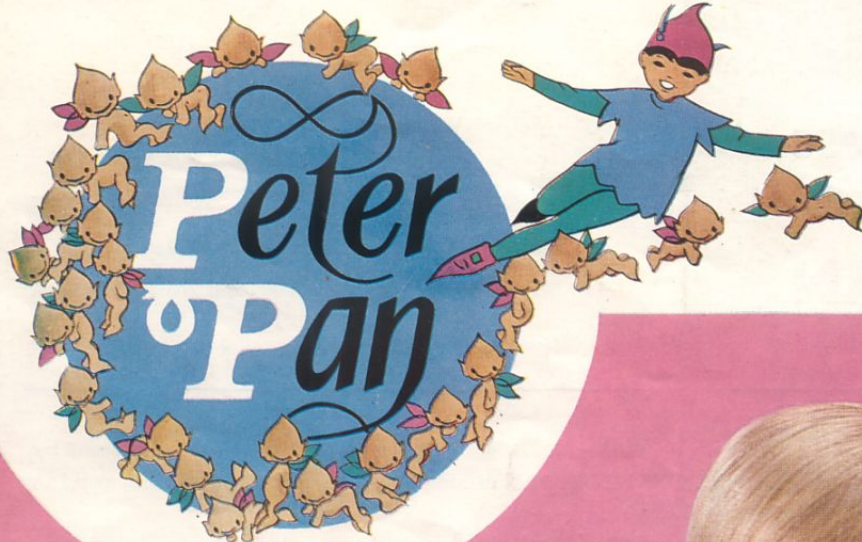


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a Wendy design
18/24" CHEST
4 PLYS
CROCHET DESIGN

Baby's Dress

in

PETER PAN

as listed below under "Materials Required"

THREE IMPORTANT POINTS

- 1 Be certain to buy sufficient of the correct WENDY PETER PAN to complete the garment. You will then avoid any difficulty in obtaining an exact match.
- 2 The instructions for all PETER PAN designs are written, checked and re-checked by a highly qualified staff. Please follow them exactly and the success of your garment is assured.
- 3 *The key to successful crochet is correct tension.* The instructions for all garments are based on pre-determined tension. Before attempting to follow any instructions in this leaflet, make quite sure that *you can achieve the stipulated tension.*

The hook has been selected to give the required tension, but some workers may experience difficulty in obtaining *the correct number of stitches to the inch.* If you find that you obtain more stitches to the inch with the recommended hook, then use a larger size. If, however, you obtain less stitches to the inch with the recommended hook, then use a finer size.

Whatever size of hook you choose, *make certain that you obtain the tension stated for this garment.*

(Instructions given for 18 inch chest, larger sizes given in brackets).

MATERIALS REQUIRED

5 (6, 6, 7) ozs. —

{ PETER PAN BABY COURTELLE 4 PLY.
OR
PETER PAN BABY BRI-NYLON 4 PLY.
No. 9 Aero Crochet hook
4 small buttons.

MEASUREMENTS

Length from top of shoulder—13 (14, 16, 18) ins.
To fit—18 (20, 22, 24) inch chest.
Sleeve seam—1 inch.

ABBREVIATIONS

Ch.—chain.	d.c.—double crochet.	tr.—treble.	ins.—inches.
sts.—stitches	rept.—repeat.	alt.—alternate.	sl. st.—slip stitch.
beg.—beginning.	dec.—decrease.		

SPECIAL NOTE ON COURTELLE TENSION

When working in Courtelles it is most important to crochet a tension square. If correct tension is not achieved, adjust your crochet hook as in paragraph 3 of Important Points.

THE TENSION FOR THIS GARMENT IS:—5 d.c. to 1 inch using No. 9 Crochet hook.

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SKIRT

Commence at waist.

Using No. 9 Crochet hook, make 112 (128, 144, 148) ch.

Join into ring with sl. st.

1st Round.—1 d.c. into each c.h. to end. Join with sl. st. into 1st d.c. 112 (128, 144, 148) d.c.

2nd Round.—3 ch. * miss 1 d.c., 2 tr., 2 ch., 2 tr. into next d.c., miss 1 d.c., 1 tr. into next d.c., rept. from * to last 4 sts., miss 1 d.c., 2 tr., 2 ch., 2 tr. into next d.c., miss 2 d.c., sl.st. into 3 ch. at commencement of round.

3rd Round.—3 ch. * 2 tr., 2 ch., 2 tr. into 2 ch. space, 1 tr. into 1 tr. rept. from * omitting 1 tr. at end of last repeat, join round by sl. st. into 3 ch.

4th Round.—As 3rd round.

5th Round.—3 ch. * 3 tr., 2 ch., 3 tr. into 2 ch. space 1 tr. into 1 tr., rept. from * omitting 1 tr. at end of last repeat, join round by sl. st. into 3 ch.

6th to 9th Rounds.—As 5th round.

10th Round.—3 ch. * 4 tr., 2 ch., 4 tr. into 2 ch., space, 1 tr. into 1 tr., rept. from * omitting 1 tr. at end of last repeat, join round by sl. st. into 3 ch.

Rept. the last round until work measures $7\frac{3}{4}$ (9, $10\frac{1}{4}$, $11\frac{1}{2}$) ins. from commencement.

Fasten off.

BODICE

Using No. 9 crochet hook, make 100 (110, 120, 126) ch.

Work 1 d.c. into 2nd ch. from hook, 1 d.c. into each ch. to end. — 99 (109, 119, 125) d.c., turn with 1 ch.

Work $\frac{1}{2}$ ($\frac{3}{4}$, 1, $1\frac{1}{4}$) inch d.c.

DIVIDE FOR ARMHOLES

Next Row.—Work 23 (26, 29, 30) d.c., turn.

Continue working in d.c. over these sts. for one side of Back, dec. 1 st. at armhole edge on the next 3 (4, 4, 4) alt. rows.

Continue without further dec. until armhole measures $3\frac{3}{4}$ ($4\frac{1}{4}$, $4\frac{3}{4}$, $5\frac{1}{4}$) ins. measured straight, finishing at armhole edge.

SHAPE SHOULDER

Next Row.—Sl. st. over 6 (7, 7, 7) sts., work to end.

Fasten off.

FRONT

Miss 3 sts. for underarm, rejoin yarn, d.c. across 47 (51, 55, 59) sts., turn.

Continue in d.c., dec. 1st. at each end of the next and following alt. rows until 39 (41, 47, 51) sts. remain.

Continue without further dec. until 4 (5, 6, 6) rows less than back, to shoulder shaping, have been worked.

SHAPE NECK

Next Row.—Work 16 (17, 18, 19) d.c., turn.

Continue on these sts. dec. 1 st. at neck edge on the next 4 (4, 4, 4) rows, at the same time, when armhole measures the same as Back.

SHAPE SHOULDER

Next Row.—Sl. st. over 6 (7, 7, 7) sts., work to end.

Fasten off.

Miss 7 (7, 11, 13) sts. for neck, rejoin yarn and work to correspond with other side reversing shapings.

Miss 3 sts. for underarm, rejoin yarn, d.c. across remaining sts. and work to correspond with other side of Back, reversing shapings.

SLEEVES - (Both alike)

Using No. 9 crochet hook, make 24 (28, 32, 36) ch.

Join into ring with sl. st.

Work 3 rounds d.c.

Next Round.—As 2nd round of Skirt pattern.

Next Round.—As 5th round of Skirt pattern.

SHAPE TOP

(All rows must be worked on the right side).

Next Row.—Sl. st. across 3 tr., 3 ch., 2 tr. into first space, pattern to last group, 3 tr. into space. Fasten off.

Rejoin yarn at beg. of row, to centre of next single tr., 3 ch., pattern to within 1 pattern of end, 1 tr. into last single tr., Fasten off.

Rejoin yarn to centre of next group 3 ch., 2 tr. into centre, pattern to last group, 3 tr. into centre. Fasten off.

Rejoin yarn to centre of next single tr., 3 ch., * 4 tr., 2 ch., 4 tr., into 2 ch., space 1 tr., into 1 tr., rept. from * to end. Fasten off.

20, 22, and 24 inch SIZES ONLY

Rejoin yarn to centre of next group, 3 ch., 3 tr., into centre, pattern to last group, 4 tr., into centre.

22 inch size only.—Rejoin yarn to centre of next single tr. 3 ch., * 4 tr., 2 ch., 4 tr. into 2 ch., space 1 tr. into 1 tr. rept. from * to end.

24 inch size only.—Rept. last 2 rows once more.

ALL SIZES.—Fasten off.

PRESSING

It is important to follow these instructions when making up the garment.

PETER PAN COURTELLE ONLY

Work over the right side of each piece of the garment with a cool iron. Taking a small area at a time stretch your crochet lengthways and sideways (pull hard) let it relax, then pat over with the iron using no pressure. This evens out the crochet and sets it.

PETER PAN BRI-NYLON

With wrong side of work facing, pin out all pieces to measurements given. Using a warm iron and dry cloth press carefully.

MAKING UP

Join shoulder seams by back stitching.

Pin sleeves into position, sew in by back stitching.

With right side of work facing, rejoin yarn, work 1 row d.c. evenly round neck edge and down right side of back opening, and working 4 loops evenly spaced for buttonholes, work d.c. up left side of back opening. Fasten off.

Sew on buttons to correspond with loops.

Run a thread through first row d.c. at top of skirt, and draw up to fit lower edge of Bodice.

Pin lower edge of Bodice to top of skirt and sew on by top sewing.

Press seams lightly.

A FINAL WORD

You have taken a lot of care in working this Peter Pan Design. Your garment deserves equal care when washing. By following these instructions, you will find that the life, shape and softness of your garment will be preserved.

- (1) NEVER USE HOT WATER.
- (2) **Washing.** Place your garment in a well-dissolved solution of Soap Flakes and WARM WATER. Work the garment gently with the hands for approximately two minutes. NEVER RUB the garment and do NOT leave it to soak.
- (3) **Rinsing.** EVERY TRACE OF SOAP MUST BE REMOVED. Rinse in three changes of clean warm water, squeezing gently but NEVER wring the garment.
- (4) **Removing Water.** Place the garment between dry towels and squeeze without twisting.
- (5) **Drying.** Immediately spread the garment out to its original shape and size and DRY FLAT on a clean towel, SLOWLY, and in a warm place. NEVER hang up your garment to dry.

WASHING COURTELLE

SO EASY TO WASH AND CARE FOR

Treat your own crochet garments in Courtelles just as you would bought ones. That is, WASH by hand, as soon as they get slightly dirty. Use soapless detergent or soap flakes or powder dissolved in water comfortably hot to the hand. RINSE thoroughly. Squeeze lightly or roll in towel. Do not put through wringer. DRY flat.

Do not press with a damp cloth, instead, work over the right side of each garment piece with a COOL iron (set at Rayon temperature). Taking a small area at a time, stretch your crochet lengthways and sideways (pull hard), let it relax, then pat over it with the iron, using no pressure. This evens out the crochet and sets it.



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