

PATONS

Brillante 4 ply

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1/- (5p)

Crochet Angel Top
to fit: 18-20 in.



Something special for a great day

Baby looks so lovable in this adorable crochet dress. Styled like an angel top to fasten down the back, and very appealing in either the short or long version.

To fit chest		ins.	18-20
Length	Long Version	ins.	25
	Short Version	ins.	13
Sleeve seam		ins.	4½
Patons Brilliante 4 ply, 100% Bri-Nylon			
Long Version		× 1 oz. balls	10
Short Version		× 1 oz. balls	6

You must use the Patons brand recommended above to be sure of a successful result.

No. 13 and No. 10 crochet hook.
8 [16] small buttons.

Tension

6 sts. to 1 inch in width, 7½ rows to 2 ins. in height over trebles on No. 13 hook.

Note. Adjust hook as required to obtain correct tension.

This garment has been specially designed for the size given and it is regretted that no other adaptations are available.

Abbreviations

Ch.=chain; d.c.=double crochet; tr.=treble; sp.=space; s.s.=slip stitch.

Dec. 1=work 2 treble crochet but keeping last loop of each stitch on hook, now draw a loop through all

stitches on hook (this decreases 1 stitch).

Rep.=repeat; patt.=pattern; ins.=inches.

Sizes

The figures in square brackets [] refer to the Long Version.

Special Note

Turning ch. does not count as a stitch.

YOKE

Starting at neck edge with No. 13 hook, make 73 ch.

1st row—(Right side), 1 tr. into 3rd ch. from hook, 1 tr. into each ch. to end, turn with 2 ch. (71 sts.).

2nd row—1 tr. into each tr. to end, turn with 2 ch.

3rd row—As 2nd row.

4th row—1 tr. into each of first 3 tr., * 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., rep. from * to end, turn with 2 ch. (88 sts.).

5th row—As 2nd row.

6th row—1 tr. into each of first 4 tr., * 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., rep. from * to end, turn with 2 ch. (109 sts.).

7th row—As 2nd row.

8th row—1 tr. into each of first 4 tr., * 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., rep. from * to last 5 sts., 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of last 4 tr., turn with 2 ch. (135 sts.).

9th row—As 2nd row.

10th row—1 tr. into each of first 5 tr., * 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., rep. from * to last 6 sts., 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of last 5 tr., turn with 2 ch. (167 sts.).

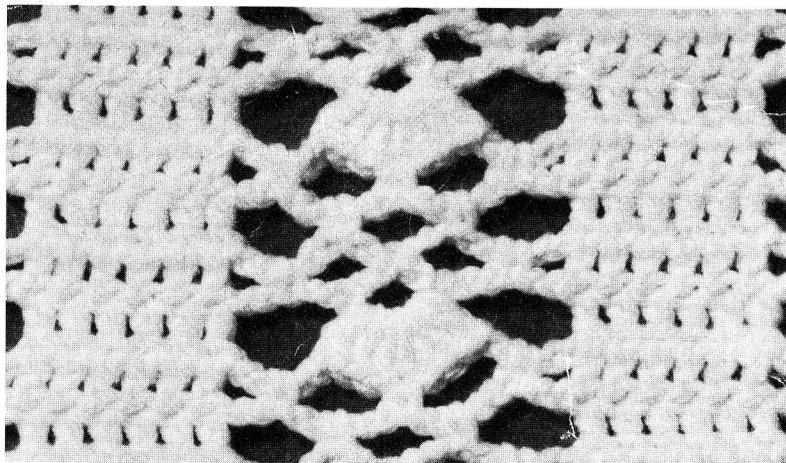
11th row—As 2nd row.

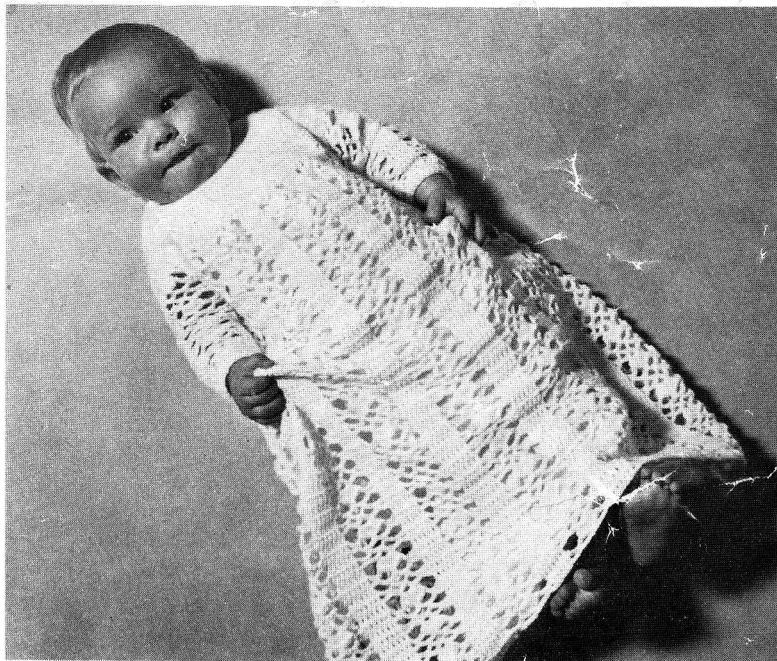
12th row—1 tr. into each of first 5 tr., * 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., rep. from * to the last 6 sts., 2 tr. into next tr., 1 tr. into each of last 5 tr., turn with 2 ch. (207 sts.).

13th row—As 2nd row.

Change to No. 10 hook and work across first 37 sts. for Left Back as follows:—

Next row—2 tr. into first tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., * 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * once more, 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into next tr., 2 tr. into next tr., turn with 2 ch. (39 sts.).





Now work in **patt.** as follows:—

1st row—1 tr. into each of first 3 tr., * 5 ch., 7 tr. into the 3 ch. sp. between the 2 tr., 5 ch., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * to end, turn with 2 ch.

2nd row—1 tr. into each of first 5 tr., * 2 ch., 1 d.c. into 5 ch. sp., 5 ch., 1 d.c. into centre tr. of 7 tr. group, 5 ch., 1 d.c. into 5 ch. sp., 2 ch., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * to end, ending last rep. with 3 tr. in place of 5 tr., turn with 2 ch.

3rd row—1 tr. into each of first 3 tr., * 5 ch., 1 d.c. into 5 ch. sp., 5 ch., 1 d.c. into next 5 ch. sp., 5 ch., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * to end, turn with 2 ch.

4th row—1 tr. into each of first 5 tr., * 2 ch., 1 d.c. into 5 ch. sp., 2 ch. (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into centre ch. of next 5 ch., 2 ch., 1 d.c. into next 5 ch. sp., 2 ch., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * to end, ending last rep. with 3 tr. in place of 5 tr., turn with 2 ch.

These 4 rows form the **patt.**

Work 2 rows more.

Break yarn and fasten off.

With **wrong** side facing, rejoin yarn with a s.s. to last st. worked on

yoke and work over next 37 sts. for Left Sleeve as follows:—

1st row—2 ch., 1 tr. into each of first 3 tr., * 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * once more, 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., turn with 2 ch.

Work 17 rows in **patt.** as on Left Back, but with 3 tr. at each end, and working 2 ch., instead of 5 ch. in the last row, and placing a marker at each end of 6th row, turn with 2 ch.

Next row—1 tr. into first tr., dec. 1, * 1 tr. into first tr. of 7 tr. group, (dec. 1, 1 tr. into next tr.) twice, miss 2 ch., dec. 1, 1 tr. into next tr., dec. 1, rep. from * ending last rep., dec. 1, 1 tr. into last tr., turn with 2 ch. (25 sts.).

Work 2 rows of tr. across these sts., omitting turning ch. at end of last row.

Fasten off.

With **wrong** side facing, rejoin yarn with a s.s. to last st. worked on Yoke and work over next 59 sts. for Front as follows:—

Next row—2 ch., 2 tr. into first tr., 1 tr. into next tr., * 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * 3 times more, 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into next tr., 2 tr. into next tr., turn with 2 ch. (61 sts.).

Work 6 rows in **patt.** as on Left Back, but with 3 tr. at each end of row.

Break yarn and fasten off.

With **wrong** side facing, rejoin yarn with a s.s. to last st. worked on yoke and work over next 37 sts. for Right Sleeve as follows:—

Work as 1st row of Left Sleeve.

Work 17 rows in **patt.** as on Left Back, placing a marker at each end of 6th row, turn with 2 ch.

Complete to match Left Sleeve.

With **wrong** side facing, rejoin yarn with a s.s. to last st. worked on yoke and work over last 37 sts. for Right Back as follows:—

Next row—2 ch., 2 tr. into first tr., 1 tr. into next tr., * 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into each of next 5 tr., rep. from * once more, 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., (1 tr. 3 ch. 1 tr.) into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 d.c. into next tr., 2 ch., miss 1 tr., 1 tr. into each of next 3 tr., 2 tr. into last tr., turn with 2 ch. (39 sts.).

Continue in **patt.** as on Left Back, but with 5 tr. at outside edge and 3 tr. at inside edge. Work 6 rows.

Now work in **patt.** across Right Back, Front and Left Back, inc. 1 tr. in each 5 tr. panel (by working 2 tr. into centre tr. of panel) on first row.

Continue in **patt.** with 6 tr. in each panel until work measures approximately 13 [25] ins., ending with a 2nd **patt.** row, omitting turning ch. at end of last row.

Fasten off.

TO MAKE UP

With wrong side of work facing, block by pinning out round edges. Press using a cool iron and dry cloth.

Join sleeve seams to marked point, then join Back and Front to Sleeves. With right side facing and No. 13 hook, work 1 row d.c. along Left Back edge.

Work Right Back edge to match, with the addition of 8 [16] buttonholes, first to come at neck edge, last one $2\frac{1}{2}$ [$4\frac{1}{2}$] ins. up from lower edge, the remainder spaced evenly between.

To make a buttonhole—2 ch., miss 1 row.

Press seams.

Sew on buttons.



CROCHET is easy!

No one need be frightened of Crochet: it is so easy to do, and once you have got going after a little practise, you will want to make all sorts of things for yourself and family, and the home.

The wool runs from ball round little finger and over first 2 fingers, and the work is held in your left hand between 1st finger and thumb: diag. 1.

To start: make a slip loop, several inches from end of yarn, and slip on hook (this loop counts as your first chain).

Continue making the length of chain stitches you require, i.e. catch wool with the hook and pull it through loop already on hook: diag. 2.

This is the basic step of Crochet and you can master it in a few minutes. It is best to practise with a fairly thick hook and yarn (about hook No. 8 and Double Knitting.)

For your next row, work a Single Crochet (or Slip Stitch) through each loop of length of chain, i.e. pull thread through next loop of chain then through loop on hook: diag. 3. (this leaves one loop on hook).

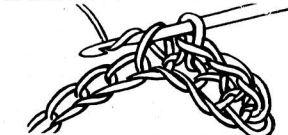
This is Single Crochet and articles can be made in this stitch.



1. HOLDING WORK



2. CHAIN



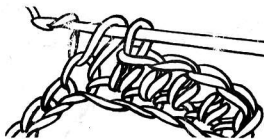
3. SINGLE CROCHET

Note: in crochet, the work always hangs by one loop on the hook.

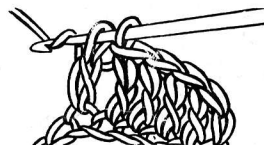
After the first row worked into the foundation length of chain, you will be working into the stitches of previous row.

All crochet stitches are developments of Single Crochet, making a longer stitch at each stage.

After Single Crochet, the next stage is Double Crochet: this is



4. DOUBLE CROCHET



5. TREBLE



6. DOUBLE TREBLE

simply Single Crochet with a 2nd loop pulled through to give a longer stitch, i.e. draw a loop through next chain or stitch (2 loops on hook), now draw a loop through both loops on hook: diag. 4. (this leaves one loop on hook).

Half Treble (not illustrated) is only a longer Double Crochet—wool over hook, draw a loop through next stitch (3 loops on hook), draw a loop through 3 loops.

For Treble, wool over hook, draw a loop through next stitch, draw a loop through first two loops on hook, then draw another loop through 2 remaining loops.

Double (or long) Treble—wool twice round hook, draw a loop through next stitch, draw a loop through first 2 loops on hook, draw a loop through next 2 loops then draw a loop through remaining loops (1 loop left on hook).

Shapings in Crochet—instructions for Increasing and Decreasing are always given in the pattern. As a general rule, to Increase—work 2 stitches into one stitch, or 2 patterns into one space in fancy patterns.

To Decrease—you miss a stitch (or pattern) as stated in the instructions, e.g. miss out a complete pattern and work into the next stitch (the gap is usually crossed with 1, or more slip sts.).

Practise all these Basic Stitches until you have grasped the very simple principles of Crochet. At first, beginners have difficulty with beginning and ending rows, but the pattern you are following will give instructions for these.

The rule is broadly that you miss the 1st stitch (last stitch of previous row), and work over this as instructed. At the row ends, you turn with 1 or 2 chain as instructed, and this turning ch. usually counts as the 1st stitch of next row.

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