

Crocheted Matinee Jackets



10 jackets, each in 6 sizes from
newborn to 2 years, all in 4 ply yarn

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ABBREVIATIONS

ch	chain	htr	half treble
dc	double crochet	st(s)	stitch(es)
dtr	double treble	tr	treble

Treble decrease (tr decrease):- Work 1tr leaving 2 loops on the hook, work next tr until there are 3 loops on the hook, yarn over hook, pull yarn through all loops to form one stitch.

We recommend Paragon Crochet Book PARC126, "Learn to Crochet", for the beginner crocheter (left and right handed). PARC126 also provides illustrated instructions of the different types of crochet stitches used throughout this book.

MEASUREMENT CHART

Size (inches)	Approx age (months)	Actual chest size	Garment size	Sleeve length	Skirt length
14	newborn	35.5cm	46.5cm	11.5cm	14.5cm
16	1 - 3	40.5cm	51cm	13cm	16cm
18	3 - 6	45.5cm	53.5cm	15.5cm	18cm
20	6 - 12	51cm	58cm	18.5cm	20cm
21	12 - 18	53cm	60cm	20.5cm	21.5cm
22	18 - 24	56cm	64.5cm	22cm	23cm

These matinee jackets have been made to take into account the rapid growth of babies and therefore the garment size can be adjusted at the chest and neck with ribbons.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Each pattern provides instructions for all six sizes. Where more than one set of figures is given in the instructions, the first refers to the smallest size and those in brackets the larger sizes respectively. Unless otherwise stated, where only one figure is given, it refers to all sizes. All patterns first require completion of the "Basic Bodice and Sleeves" in the appropriate size. An adjustment row is then completed to achieve the required number of stitches for the pattern which follows.

The patterns in this book were crocheted using 4ply Wendy "Peter Pan". One ball of 4ply Wendy "Peter Pan" weighs 50g with approx 206m of yarn.

NOTES:- Expect slight variations in weight/length between various colours of the same ply and brand of yarn.

The crocheted samples, shown at the start of each pattern, were crocheted using 4ply cotton and have been reduced in size to enable clearer presentation of the designs.

The lemon jacket pictured on the cover uses the same pattern as the green jacket pictured on page 16.

BASIC BODICE and SLEEVES

Size: Sizes 14 (16, 18, 20, 21, 22). Refer to measurement chart on page 3.

MATERIALS:

4ply baby yarn (see individual patterns for quantity)

3.5mm crochet hook

Tension: 9tr and 5.5 rows to 5cm over tr.

This jacket is worked in one piece, beginning at the neck edge.

All sizes

Using a 3.5mm hook make 58ch.

Row 1. (wrong side) Miss 3ch (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 10ch, 1ch, 1tr in each of the next 8ch, 1ch, 1tr in each of the next 18ch, 1ch, 1tr in each of the next 8ch, 1ch, 1tr in each of the next 11ch.
(11 + 8 + 18 + 8 + 11 = 56tr)

Row 2. (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), * 1tr in each tr to the 1ch space, (2tr 1ch 2tr) in this space; repeat from * 3 more times, 1tr in each tr to end.
(72tr - increase of 16tr)

Row 3. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, * 1tr in each tr to the 1ch space, (1tr 1ch 1tr) in this space; repeat from * 3 more times, 1tr in each tr to end.
(80tr - increase of 8tr)

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until 9 (10, 11, 12, 13, 14) rows have been completed.
(152, 168, 176, 192, 200, 216tr)

Sizes 14, 18 and 21

Join the back and fronts as follows:

Next row. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, * 1tr in each tr to 1ch space, 2tr in this 1ch space, miss 32 (38, 44) tr for sleeve opening, 2tr in next 1ch space; repeat from * once more, 1tr in each tr to end. (96, 108, 120tr) End off.

Sizes 16, 20 and 22

Join the back and fronts as follows:

Next row. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, * 1tr in each tr to 1ch space, 1tr in this 1ch space, miss 36 (42, 48) tr for sleeve opening, 1tr in next 1ch space, repeat from * once more, 1tr in each tr to end. (100, 112, 124tr) End off.

SLEEVES

All sizes. With sizes 14, 18 and 21 right side facing, sizes 16, 20 and 22 wrong side facing, join yarn into the 1ch space at underarm.

Row 1. (1dc 1ch) in same space, 1tr in each tr to next 1ch space, 1tr in this space. (34, 38, 40, 44, 46, 50tr)

Sizes 14 and 16 only

Rows 2 - 5. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (34, 38tr)

Row 6. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each tr to last 3tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (32, 36tr)

Rows 7 and 8. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (32, 36tr)

Size 14 only

Repeat last 3 rows once more. (30tr)

Row 12. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (30tr) End off.
(12 rows total)

Size 16 only

Repeat rows 6, 7 and 8 twice more. (32tr) End off. (14 rows total)

Size 18 only

Rows 2 - 8. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (40tr)

Row 9. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each tr to last 3tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (38tr)

Rows 10 and 11. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end.

Repeat last 3 rows twice more (34tr) End off. (17 rows total)

Size 20 only

Rows 2 - 4. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (44tr)

Row 5. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each tr to last 3tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (42tr)

Rows 6 and 7. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end.

Repeat last 3 rows four more times. (34tr)

Row 20. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (34tr) End off.

Size 21 only

Rows 2 and 3. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (46tr)

Row 4. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each tr to last 3tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (44tr)

Rows 5 and 6. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end.

Repeat last 3 rows 5 more times. (34tr) End off. (21 rows total)

Size 22 only

Rows 2 and 3. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. (50tr)

Row 4. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each tr to last 3tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (48tr)

Rows 5 and 6. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end.

Repeat last 3 rows 5 more times. (38tr)

Row 22. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each tr to last 3tr, tr decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (36tr)

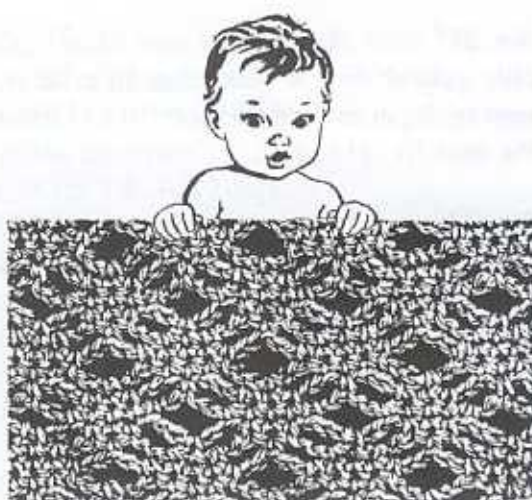
Row 23. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, 1tr in each tr to end. End off.

1. VALERIE

MATERIALS:

80 (95, 110, 130, 140, 160)g of
4ply baby yarn
3.5mm crochet hook
3 or 4 small buttons
2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 1 pattern measures
4cm in width and 3.5cm in
depth. This pattern requires a
multiple of 6 + 3sts.



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row),
all sizes with wrong side facing as follows:

Size 14

(1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 5tr, (increase in
next tr, 1tr in each of the next 9tr) 9 times. (105tr)

Size 16

(1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 4tr, (increase in
next tr, 1tr in each of the next 8tr) 10 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of
the next 4tr. (111tr)

Size 18

(1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 4tr, (increase in
next tr, 1tr in each of the next 6tr) 14 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of
the next 4tr. (123tr)

Size 20

(1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 7tr, (increase in
next tr, 1tr in each of the next 5tr) 16 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of
the next 7tr. (129tr)

Size 21

(1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 3tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 7tr) 14 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 3tr. (135tr)

Size 22

(1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 5tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 6tr) 16 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 5tr. (141tr)

All sizes, with right side facing work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. 1dc in each of the first 4tr, * 5ch, miss 1tr, 1dc in each of the next 5tr; repeat from * to end, ending last repeat 1dc in each of the last 4tr.
(4dc [16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22 groups of 5ch 5dc] 5ch 4dc)

Row 2. 1dc in each of the first 3dc, * 3ch, 1dc in next loop, 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in each of the next 3dc; repeat from * to end.
(3dc [17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23 groups of 3ch 1dc 3ch 3dc])

Row 3. 1dc in each of the first 2dc, * 3ch, 1dc in next loop, 1dc in next dc, 1dc in next loop, 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next dc; repeat from * to last dc, 1dc in last dc. (2dc [17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23 groups of 3ch 3dc 3ch 1dc] 1dc)

Row 4. 1dc 2ch (count as 1tr) in first dc, 1tr in next dc, 3ch, * 1dc in next loop, 1dc in each of the next 3dc, 1dc in next loop, 5ch, miss 1dc; repeat from * to end, ending last repeat with 3ch, 1tr in each of the next 2dc.
(2tr 3ch [16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22 groups of 5dc 5ch] 5dc 3ch 2tr)

Row 5. 1dc in each of the first 2tr, * 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in each of the next 3dc, 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next loop; repeat from * to end, ending last repeat 3ch, miss next dc and last loop, 1dc in each of the next 2tr.
(2dc [17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23 groups of 3ch 3dc 3ch 1dc] 1dc)

Row 6. 1dc in each of the first 2dc, 1dc in next loop, * 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next dc, 3ch, 1dc in next loop, 1dc in next dc, 1dc in next loop; repeat from * to end, working last repeat 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next dc, 3ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next loop, 1dc in each of the next 2dc.
(3dc [17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23 groups of 3ch 1dc 3ch 3dc])

Row 7. 1dc in each of the first 3dc, 1dc in next loop, * 5ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next loop, 1dc in next 3dc, 1dc in next loop; repeat from * working last repeat 5ch, miss 1dc, 1dc in next loop, 1dc in each of the next 3dc.
(4dc [16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22 groups of 5ch 5dc] 5ch 4dc)

Rows 2 to 7 form the pattern.

Repeat rows 2 to 7 until 4 (5, 5, 6, 6, 7) pattern repeats have been completed, or length required, ending with a row 7.

MAKE UP

With right side facing, work a row of dc up the front edge, across the neck edge and down the other front edge working 2dc in each corner to turn. Then work across the bottom edge with 1dc in each dc and (1htr 3tr 1htr) into each 5ch loop. End off.

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.



2. ANTHONY

MATERIALS:

85 (105, 120, 145, 160, 175)g
of 4ply yarn
3.5mm crochet hook
3 or 4 small buttons
2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 1 pattern measures
3cm in width. This pattern
requires a multiple of 6 + 1sts.



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row),
all sizes with wrong side facing as follows:

Size 14

(1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 2tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr) 18 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr. (133tr)

Size 16

(1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 2tr, * (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 10 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 10 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 3tr; repeat from * once more, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr. (145tr)

Size 18

(1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in next tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr) 16 times, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 5 times, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr) 16 times. (145tr)

Size 20

(1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr) 21 times, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) twice. (157tr)

Size 21

(1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 3 times, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr) 21 times, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 4 times. (169tr)

Size 22

(1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr) 6 times, (increase in next tr) twice, (increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 29 times, (increase in next tr) twice, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 2tr, increase in next tr, 1tr in next tr) 6 times, 1tr in last tr. (181tr)

All sizes

With right side facing, work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. 1dc in first tr, * miss 2tr, 5dtr in next tr, miss 2tr, 1dc in next tr; repeat from * to end. (22, 24, 24, 26, 28, 30 shells)

Row 2. 4ch, 2dtr in first dc, * 1dc in 3rd dtr of 5dtr, 5dtr in next dc; repeat from * to end, working 3dtr in last dc.
(½ shell [21, 23, 23, 25, 27, 29 shells] ½ shell)

Row 3. 1dc in first dtr, * 5dtr in next dc, 1dc in 3rd dtr of 5dtr; repeat from * to end, working last dc in top of 4ch.

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until 13 (15, 17, 19, 21, 21) rows have been completed, or length desired, ending with a row 3.

EDGING

With right side facing, continue along right front skirt edge beginning with 2dc into the corner, then work dc along this edge, 2dc into corner, 1dc in each stitch of neck edge, 2dc into corner, and work dc along the remaining bodice and skirt edge, finishing with 2dc in last stitch of skirt. End off.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

Right side facing, join in yarn at lower edge of skirt and work 1 row of dc up front edge, around the neck and down the other side of front, working 2dc in each corner. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

3. BRUCE

MATERIALS:

75 (90, 110, 120, 130, 150)g of
4ply baby yarn
3.5mm crochet hook
3 or 4 buttons
2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 7 patterns to 10cm
and 10 rows to 10cm over
pattern. This pattern requires a
multiple of 2 + 3sts



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row) as follows:

Sizes 14, 21 and 22 with wrong side facing:

Sizes 16, 18, and 20 with right side facing:

Work (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 47 (**49**, 53, 55, 59, **61**) tr, 2tr in next tr, 1tr in each of the next tr to end.
(97, **101**, 109, **113**, 121, **125tr**)

All sizes

Work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, * miss 1tr, (1tr 1ch 1tr) in next tr; repeat from * to last 2tr, miss 1tr, 1tr in last tr.
(1tr [47, **49**, 53, 55, 59, **61** groups of 1tr 1ch 1tr] 1tr)

Row 2. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, miss 1tr, * (1tr 1ch 1tr) in next 1ch space, miss 2tr, repeat from * to end, ending last repeat miss 1tr, 1tr in last tr.

Repeat row 2 until 15 (**16**, 18, **20**, 21, **23**) rows of pattern have been completed, or until length required, ending with a right side row.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

Right side facing, join in yarn at lower edge of skirt and work 1 row of dc up front edge, around the neck and down the other side of front, working 2dc into each corner. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.







4. JOAN (This pattern is a two tone version of Pattern 2.)

MATERIALS:

60 (75, 90, 100, 115, 125)g of 4ply baby yarn in main colour

30 (35, 40, 45, 50, 55)g of 4ply baby yarn in contrast colour

3.5mm crochet hook

3 or 4 small buttons

2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Using main colour, work *all sizes* as for Pattern 2, on page 10, up to the completion of the adjustment row.

All sizes. Work in pattern as for Pattern 2 with following changes:

Row 1. *Change to contrast yarn.*

Row 2. *Change to main yarn.*

Row 3. *Change to contrast yarn.*

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until (13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 21) rows have been completed or length desired, ending with a row 3.

EDGING

With contrast colour and with right side facing, continue along right front skirt edge beginning with 2dc into the corner, then work dc along this edge, 2dc into corner, 1dc in each stitch of neck edge, 2dc into corner, and work dc along the remaining bodice and skirt edge, finishing with 2dc in last stitch of skirt. End off.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing and using contrast yarn, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off. To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

5. KEITH

MATERIALS:

80 (95, 110, 125, 140, 160)g of

4ply baby yarn

3.5mm crochet hook

3 or 4 buttons

2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 2 pattern repeats to 9cm and 11 rows to 10cm over pattern. This pattern requires a multiple of 7 + 4sts.



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row), *all sizes* with wrong side facing as follows:

Size 14 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 12tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 13tr) 5 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 12tr. (102tr)

Size 16 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), (1tr in each of the next 9tr, increase in next tr) 9 times, 1tr in each of the next 9tr. (109tr)

Size 18 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 11tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 11tr) 8 times. (116tr)

Size 20 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 2tr, (1tr in each of the next 8tr, increase in next tr) 11 times, 1tr in each of the next 10tr. (123tr)

Size 21 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 10tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 10tr) 9 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 9tr. (130tr)

Size 22 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 6tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 8tr) 13 times. (137tr)

All sizes

With right side facing, work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 3tr, * miss 1tr, ([1tr 2ch] 3 times, 1tr) in next tr, miss 1tr, 1tr in each of the next 4tr; repeat from * to end.

(4tr [14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 pattern repeats of {1tr 2ch} 3 times 1tr 4tr])

Row 2. (1dc 2ch) in first tr, 1tr in each of the next 3tr, * miss (1tr 2ch 1tr), 2ch, (1dc 2ch 1dc) in next 2ch space, miss (1tr 2ch 1tr), 2ch, 1tr in each of the next 4tr; repeat from * to end.

(4tr [14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 pattern repeats of 2ch 1dc 2ch 1dc 2ch 4tr])

Row 3. (1dc 2ch) in first tr, 1tr in each of the next 3tr, * miss 2ch, ([1tr 2ch] 3 times, 1tr) in next 2ch space, miss 2ch, 1tr in each of the next 4tr; repeat from * to end.

(4tr [14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 pattern repeats of {1tr 2ch} 3 times 1tr 4tr])

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until 16 (18, 20, 22, 24, 26) rows of pattern have been completed, or length desired, ending with a row 2.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

Right side facing, join in yarn at lower edge of skirt and work 1 row of dc up front edge, around the neck and down the other side of front. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

6. JACQUI

MATERIALS:

105 (120, 145, 170, 185, 210)g

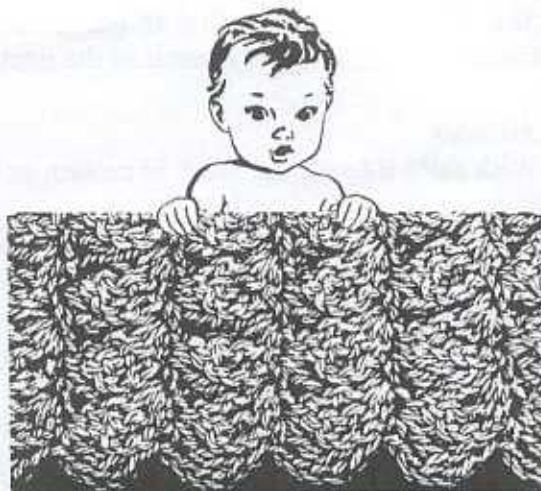
of 4ply baby yarn

3.5mm crochet hook

3 or 4 buttons

2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 5 pattern repeats to 10cm and 8 rows to 5cm over pattern. This pattern requires a multiple of 3 + 4sts.



This skirt has an overlapping design pattern and would be very warm.

Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row), *all sizes* with wrong side facing as follows:

Size 14 (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 18tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 18tr) 3 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 19tr. (100tr)

Size 16 (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 14tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 13tr) 6 times, 1tr in next tr. (106tr)

Size 18 (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 19tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 21tr) 4 times. (112tr)

Size 20 (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 15tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 15tr) 6 times. (118tr)

Size 21 (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 23tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 23tr) 4 times. (124tr)

Size 22 (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 18tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 16tr) 6 times, 1tr in each of the next 3tr. (130tr)

All sizes

With right side facing, work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. (1dc 2ch 2dtr) in first tr, * miss 2tr, (1dc 4ch 2dtr) in next tr; repeat from * to last 3tr, miss 2tr, 1dc in last tr.

(1dc 2ch 2dtr [32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 pattern repeats of 1dc 4ch 2dtr] 1dc)

Row 2. (3ch 2dtr) in first dc, * miss (2dtr 4ch), (1dc 4ch 2dtr) in next dc; repeat from * to last 2dtr 2ch, miss 2dtr, 1dc in top of beginning 2ch.

(3ch 2dtr [32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 pattern repeats of 1dc 4ch 2dtr] 1dc)

Row 3. (3ch 2dtr) in first dc, * miss (2dtr 4ch), (1dc 4ch 2dtr) in next dc; repeat from * to last 2dtr 3ch, miss 2dtr, 1dc in top of beginning 3ch.

(3ch 2dtr [32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 pattern repeats of 1dc 4ch 2dtr] 1dc)

Repeat row 3 until 23 (25, 29, 33, 35, 37) rows of pattern have been completed, or length desired, ending with a right side row.

EDGING

With right side facing, work a row of dc up the front of the jacket, around the neck and down the other front working 2dc to every 2 rows of skirt pattern (this tightens the sides), 2dc in every treble row of bodice, 2dc in each corner and 1dc in each stitch of neck edge. End off.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

7. NICOLE

MATERIALS:

85 (105, 125, 145, 175, 180)g
of 4ply baby yarn
3.5mm crochet hook
3 or 4 buttons
2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 2 pattern repeats
measure 7.5cm. This pattern
requires a multiple of 4 + 5sts
and has a very full skirt.



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row),
all sizes with wrong side facing as follows:

Size 14 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 23tr,
(decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each of the next 22tr) 3 times. (93tr)

Size 16 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 49tr,
increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 49tr. (101tr)

Size 18 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 9tr,
(decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each of the next 12tr) 7 times. (101tr)

Size 20 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 24tr,
(decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each of the next 27tr) 3 times. (109tr)

Size 21 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 30tr,
(decrease over next 2tr, 1tr in each of the next 27tr) 3 times, 1tr in each of
the next 2tr. (117tr)

Size 22 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 60tr,
increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 62tr. (125tr)

All sizes

With right side facing, work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), * miss 1tr, (2tr 1ch 2tr) in next tr, miss 1tr, (1tr 2ch 1tr) in next tr; repeat from * to last 4tr, miss 1tr, (2tr 1ch 2tr) in next tr, miss 1tr, 1tr in last tr. (1tr {22, 24, 24, 26, 28, 30 repeats of [2tr 1ch 2tr] [1tr 2ch 1tr]} 2tr 1ch 2tr, 1tr)

Row 2. (1dc 2ch) in first tr, miss 2tr, * (1tr 2ch 1tr) in next 1ch space, miss 3tr, (2tr 1ch 2tr) in next 2ch space, miss 3tr; repeat from * to end, ending last repeat (1tr 2ch 1tr) in next 1ch space, miss 2tr, 1tr in last tr. (1tr {22, 24, 24, 26, 28, 30 repeats of [1tr 2ch 1tr] [2tr 1ch 2tr]} 1tr 2ch 1tr, 1tr)

Row 3. (1dc 2ch) in first tr, miss 1tr, * (2tr 1ch 2tr) in next 2ch space, miss 3tr, (1tr 2ch 1tr) in next 1ch space, miss 3tr; repeat from * to end, ending last repeat, miss 1tr, (2tr 1ch 2tr) in next 2ch space, miss 1tr, 1tr in last tr. (1tr {22, 24, 24, 26, 28, 30 repeats of [2tr 1ch 2tr] [1tr 2ch 1tr]} 2tr 1ch 2tr 1tr)

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until 13 (15, 17, 19, 21, 21) rows of pattern (or length desired) have been completed ending with a row 3. End off.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

Right side facing, join in yarn at lower edge of skirt and work 1 row of dc up front edge, around the neck and down the other side of front. End off.

To adjust the next edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

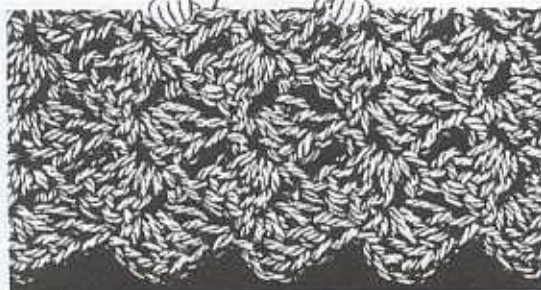
Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

8. SUZANNE

MATERIALS:

85 (100, 120, 140, 155, 165)g
of 4ply baby yarn
3.5mm crochet hook
3 or 4 buttons
2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 5 pattern repeats to
10cm and 10 rows to 10cm over
pattern. This pattern requires a
multiple of 3 + 4sts.



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row),
all sizes with wrong side facing as follows:

Size 14 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 18tr,
(increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 18tr) 3 times, increase in next tr,
1tr in each of the next 19tr. (100tr)

Size 16 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 11tr,
(increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 14tr) 5 times, increase in next tr,
1tr in each of the next 12tr. (106tr)

Size 18 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 19tr,
(increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 21tr) 4 times. (112tr)

Size 20 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 17tr,
(increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 18tr) 4 times, increase in next tr,
1tr in each of the next 18tr. (118tr)

Size 21 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 23tr,
(increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 23tr) 4 times. (124tr)

Size 22 (1dc 2ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 15tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 22tr) 4 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 16tr. (130tr)

All sizes

With right side facing, work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. (1dc 3ch 3tr) in first tr, * miss 2tr, (1dc 3ch 3tr) in next tr; repeat from * to last 3tr, miss 2tr, 1dc in last tr.
([33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43 pattern repeats of 1dc 3ch 3tr] 1dc)

Row 2. (3ch 3tr) in first dc, * miss 3tr, (1dc 3ch 3tr) in next 3ch space; repeat from * to last 3tr 3ch, miss 3tr, 1dc in top of 3ch.
(3ch 3tr [32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 pattern repeats of 1dc 3ch 3tr] 1dc)

Repeat row 2 until 15 (17, 19, 21, 23, 23) pattern rows have been completed, or length desired, ending with a right side row.

EDGING

With right side facing, work a row of dc up the front of the jacket, around the neck and down the other front working 2dc to every 2 rows of skirt pattern (this tightens the sides), 2dc in every tr row of bodice, 2dc in each corner and 1dc in each stitch of neck edge. End off.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required.

Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

9. KERRY-ANNE

MATERIALS:

80 (95, 120, 140, 150, 170)g of
4ply baby yarn
3.5mm crochet hook
3 or 4 buttons
2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 1 pattern measures
4cm in width. This pattern
requires a multiple of 6 + 3sts.



Work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row) as follows:

Size 14

With wrong side facing, (1dc 1ch) in tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 5tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 9tr) 9 times. (105tr)

Size 16

With right side facing, (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 4tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 8tr) 10 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 4tr. (111tr)

Size 18

With right side facing, (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 4tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 6tr) 14 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 4tr. (123tr)

Size 20

With right side facing, (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 7tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 5tr) 16 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 7tr. (129tr)

Size 21

With wrong side facing, (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 3tr, (increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 7tr) 14 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 3tr. (135tr)

Size 22

With right side facing, (1dc 1ch) in first tr (count as 1tr), 1tr in each of the next 5tr, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 6tr) 16 times, increase in next tr, 1tr in each of the next 5tr. (141tr)

All sizes

Now work in pattern as follows:

Row 1. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, * (1tr 1ch 1tr) in next tr, miss 2tr, (3tr 1ch 3tr) in next tr, miss 2tr; repeat from * to last 2tr, (1tr 1ch 1tr) in next tr, 1tr in last tr.
(1tr {17,18, 20, 21, 22, 23 repeats of [1tr 1ch 1tr] [3tr 1ch 3tr]} 1tr 1ch 1tr, 1tr)

Row 2. (1dc 1ch) in first tr, miss 1tr, * (1tr 1ch 1tr) in next 1ch space, miss 4tr, (3tr 1ch 3tr) in next 1ch space, miss 4tr; repeat from * to last 1ch space, (1tr 1ch 1tr) in this space, 1tr in last tr.

Repeat row 2 until 13 (14, 16, 18, 19, 20) rows of pattern have been completed, or length required, finishing on a right side row.

MAKE UP

Join underarm seams. With right side facing, work 2 rounds of dc around each sleeve edge. End off.

Right side facing, join in yarn at lower edge of skirt and work 1 row of dc up front edge, around the neck and down the other side of front. End off.

To adjust the neck edge to a smaller size, ribbon may be inserted between the trebles of row 1 at neck edge and tied in a bow at the front. Similarly, ribbon may be inserted in the "adjustment row" if a smaller skirt is required. Sew the 3 or 4 buttons, evenly spaced, to the bodice front. Use the holes between the trebles as buttonholes.

10. KATE (This pattern is the reverse of Pattern 4.)

MATERIALS:

60 (75, 90, 100, 115, 125)g of 4ply baby yarn in main colour

30 (35, 40, 45, 50, 55)g of 4ply baby yarn in contrast colour

3.5mm crochet hook

3 or 4 buttons

2m to 2.5m of 7mm wide ribbon

Tension: 1 pattern measures 3cm in width. This pattern requires a multiple of 6 + 1sts.

Using main yarn, work basic bodice and sleeves to chosen size.

Now work the **Adjustment Row** (may be used as a ribbon insertion row), *all sizes* with **right side facing** as for Pattern 2 on page 10.

All sizes with **wrong side facing**, now work in pattern as for Pattern 2 on page 11 with the following changes:

Row 1. *Change to contrast yarn.*

Row 2. *Change to main yarn.*

Row 3. *Change to contrast yarn.*

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until 13 (15, 17, 19, 21, 21) rows have been completed, or length desired, ending with a row 3 (wrong side row). End off.

EDGING

With right side facing, rejoin contrast yarn to lower right front skirt edge. Continue along this edge beginning with 2dc into the corner, then work dc along this edge, 2dc into corner, 1dc in each stitch of neck edge, 2dc into corner, and work dc along the remaining bodice and skirt edge, finishing with 2dc in last stitch of skirt. End off.

MAKE UP as for Pattern 4 on page 17.