



CROCHET
SKILL LEVEL
EASY

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Blossom Bib

What you will need:

COATS® Crème De La Crème®: 1 ball each 701 Orchid Pink A and 983 Baby Pastels Print B

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook:
4mm [US G-6]

Yarn needle, Small French Knitter, sewing needle and thread, one ¾" (1.9 cm) button, small decorative button for Blossom Bib (optional)

GAUGE: 14 sts = 4" (10 cm); 16 rows = 4" (10 cm) in sc. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

COATS® Crème De La Crème®, Art. 149 available in solid colors – 2.5 oz (71 g), 126 yd (115 m) or multi colors – 2oz (57 g), 99 yd (90 m) balls

Bib measure 9" wide x 7" (4.9 x 17.8 cm) to neck

SPECIAL STITCH

Decrease = draw up a loop in next 2 sts, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

BIB

Ch 17.

Row 1 (Right Side): (Hdc, sc) all in 3rd ch from hook, sc in each ch to last ch; (sc, hdc) all in last ch; turn – 17 sts.

Row 2: Ch 2, (hdc, sc) in first st, sc in each st to last st; (sc, hdc) all in last st; turn – 19 sts. Repeat Row 2 until there are 31 sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Repeat last row until 7" (17.8 cm) from beginning, end wrong side row.

Divide for Neck: Ch 1, sc in first 12 sc; TURN. Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows – 7 sts. Work 6 rows even in sc, end wrong side row.

Shape Tab-Next Row: Ch 1, decrease, sc in next 4 sts, (sc, hdc) all in last st; turn – 7 sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn. Repeat last 2 rows twice more – 7 sts. Decrease at each end of next 2 rows – 3 sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, draw up a loop in next 3 sts, yo and draw through all 4 loops on hook – 1 st. Fasten off.

With right side facing, skip center 7 sc, attach yarn in next sc; ch 1, sc in next 12 sc; turn. Decrease 1 st at neck edge on next 5 rows – 7 sts. Work 6 rows even in sc, end wrong side row.

Shape Tab-Next Row: Ch 2, (hdc, sc) all in first sc, sc in next 4 sc, decrease over last 2 sc; turn – 7 sts.

Next Row: Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn. Repeat last 2 rows twice more – 7 sts. Complete same as first tab.

Trim

Rnd 1: With right side facing, attach B at lower left corner; ch 1, sc around bib, taking care to keep work flat; join with a slip st in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, Reverse sc to center of first tab, turn to work sc around inside neck edge to top edge of 2nd tab, ch 4 for button loop, skip 3 sc, sc in next sc, turn to complete outside edge in Reverse sc; join. Fasten off.

With sewing needle and thread, attach button to tab without chain loop.

Flower

Following directions included with the French Knitter, make 18" (45.7 cm) of I-cord with B leaving an 18" (45.7 cm) tail at beginning and end. Form a 5-petal flower with I-cord and attach securely to bib with tail. Sew on decorative button (optional).

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B = color A, B; **ch** = chain; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **rnd** = round; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **yo** = yarn over.

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