# Daisy Farm Crafts

Patons Norse Crochet Mittens and Headband



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# **MATERIALS**

Patons Norse (54% acrylic, 28% wool, 18% polyester, 100 g/3.5 oz, 193 m/211 yds) 1 skein any color

Size K/6.5mm hook, scissors, tapestry needle

Stitch markers

Optional Link to YouTube Video for headband: https://youtu.be/kdVFXgSVhZE

Optional Link to YouTube Video for mittens: https://youtu.be/Bv0th3dkp90

# AVERAGE HEAD CIRCUMFERENCE

12-13 inches Newborn-3 Months 13-14 inches 14-15 inches 3-6 Months 6-12 Months 15.5-16.5 inches 12-24 Months 16-18 inches Child (3-10 years) 19-21 inches Teen/Small Adult 21 inches 22 inches Medium Adult 23 inches Large Adult

#### **STITCHES**

Half Double Crochet (HDC): Yarn over (YO), insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through all 3 loops on hook.

**Back Loop Half Double Crochet (HDC):** YO, insert your hook into back loop only, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through all 3 loops on hook.

Front Bottom Loop Half Double Crochet (HDC): YO, insert your hook into front bottom loop only, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through all 3 loops on hook.

## **PATTERN**

#### Mittens

Make a slip knot with a longer tail (will be needed for sewing later.)

Chain 38 (37 plus 1) or chain 12 inches.

**Row 1:** Begin in the second chain from the hook with HDC. Work 1 HDC into each chain. Chain 1 and turn.

**Row 2:** Begin in the back loop of the first stitch (turning chain does not count as a stitch) with 1 HDC. Work 1 HDC into each back loop across the row. Chain 1 and turn.

**Row 3:** Begin in the bottom front loop of the first stitch with 1 HDC. Work 1 HDC in each bottom front loop across the row. Ch 1 and turn.

(Tip: sometimes it is hard to find the last stitch of each row. Use your stitch markers to mark the first stitch you make as it is the last stitch you work into on the next row. Also, for neatness, work under both loops if you wish in the last stitch of each row.)

Repeat rows 2 and 3 until you reach 8 inches in width (about 16 rows)

Tie off, with a long tail for sewing. Fold the rectangle lengthwise and mark thumb hole. (Place your hand on the rectangle and measure for the best guide.)

With tapestry needle, sew the top side down to the first thumb marker, back to the top and then gather the top in. Weave in end and tie off. With tapestry needle, sew the bottom side up to the bottom stitch marker, don't tie off just yet. Work the thumb first.

#### Thumb

Pull up a loop where the top stitch marker was placed. Work 1 HDC down one side to the second stitch marker and continue working the other side back up to the first stitch marker. (Approximately 8 or 9 HDC's worked per side.) Don't join the round.

Work the next HDC into the front loop of the next stitch. Work 1 HDC into each front loop around, skipping one stitch at the bottom of the thumb in every round. Gather the top of the thumb with the tapestry needle and tie off when you have enough length. (About 6 rounds.) Use the tails to sew together any holes at the base of the thumb or top. Weave in and cut.

## Headband

Using the same pattern for the mittens, make your starting chain about 2 inches smaller than the circumference of the head. Work until the headband is 4 inches wide. (Maybe 3.5 inches for children.)

**Step 1:** Lay the band out and fold in half and slide one side of the band across so one end is matched up to the middle of the other.

**Step 2:** Fold the right hand side around the back.

**Step 3:** Fold the left hand side around the front, giving you four layers

**Step 4:** Sew with the tapestry needle through all four layers.

xo, Tiffany



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