



Knit Headband with Crochet Flower

*It's nice to feel warm and look good at the same time.
With this headband in soft shimmery yarn, it's easy!*

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One size fits most adults.

Band length: 22".
Width at widest point: 3½".

RED HEART® "Shimmer™": 1 ball 1625 Lime.

Knitting Needles: 5mm [US 8].
Crochet Hook: 4mm [US G-6].
Yarn needle, one ¾" button.

GAUGE: 20 sts = 4"; 26 rows = 4" in St st. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

Special Abbreviations

wyif = with yarn in front.

M1 (Make 1 stitch) = Knit into purl "bump" behind next st on left needle.

ssk (slip, slip, knit) = Slip next 2 sts knitwise, one at a time, to right needle; insert point of left needle into the fronts of these 2 sts and knit them together from this position.

NOTE: This headband has two buttonholes so you can adjust it for a custom fit.

HEADBAND

Cast on 7 sts.

Rows 1-3: Slip 1 wyif, knit to end.

Row 4 (Wrong Side): Slip 1 wyif, K1, purl to last 2 sts, K2.

Row 5: Slip 1 wyif, knit to end.

Repeat Rows 4 and 5 until piece measures 2" from beginning, ending with a wrong side row.

Increase Row (Right Side): Slip 1 wyif, K1, M1, knit to last 2 sts, M1, K2 – 9 sts.

Repeat Increase Row every 4th row 3 more times – 15 sts. Work even until piece measures 6½" from beginning, then work Increase Row once more – 17 sts. Work even until piece measures 15" from beginning, ending with a wrong side row.

Decrease Row (Right Side): Slip 1 wyif, K1, K2tog, knit to last 4 sts, ssk, K2 – 15 sts.

Repeat Decrease Row every 4th row 4 more times – 7 sts. Work even for approximately 2" more. Try on headband and add or remove rows at this point so that ends of headband barely meet at back of neck when slightly stretched. Work 1 more row if necessary to end with a wrong side row.

Buttonhole Row (Right Side): Slip 1 wyif, K2, yo, K2tog, K2. Work 3 rows even. Repeat last 4 rows once more. Bind off.



Flower

With crochet hook, ch 5; join with a slip st to form ring.

Round 1: Ch 5 (counts as dc and ch 2), [dc in ring, ch 2] 5 times; join with a slip st in 3rd ch of ch-5.

Round 2: [(Sc, hdc, dc, tr, dc, hdc, sc) in ch-2 space] 6 times – 6 petals.

Round 3: Working into dc from Round 1 and holding petals in front, [sc in dc, ch 3] 6 times; join to first sc.

Round 4: [(Sc, hdc, dc, 3 tr, dc, hdc, sc) in ch-3 space] 6 times – 6 petals.

Round 5: Working into sc from Round 3 and holding petals in front, [sc in sc, ch 4] 6 times; join.

Round 6: [(Sc, hdc, dc, 5 tr, dc, hdc, sc) in ch-4 space] 6 times – 6 petals. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew flower to wide portion of headband. Sew button to end of band opposite buttonholes. Weave in ends.



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(256 m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet;
hdc = half double crochet; **K** = knit; **mm** = millimeters;
P = purl; **sc** = single crochet; **St st** = Stockinette stitch
(Knit on right side rows; Purl on wrong side rows.);
st(s) = stitch(es); **tog** = together; **tr** = treble crochet;
yo = yarn over; * = repeat whatever follows the * as
indicated; [] = work directions in brackets the number of
times specified