

## **Bloomers with shell stitch pattern**

### **Crochet pattern of bloomers with shell stitch pattern**

**Size:** (0-1) 1-3 (6-9) 12 (18-24) month

**Waist:** (36) 40 (44) 48 (52) cm with rib edge stretched

**Needle:** 3 og 3,5

**Yarn:** drops baby alpaca silke (50 g = 167 m / 183yds).

**Bloomers:** (100) 100 (100) 150 (150) g

FPdc = frontpost double crochet

BPdc = backpost double crochet

### **Construction**

Bloomers are croched from the top and down. The waist ribbing is croched in rounds, and continues in the hip piece with shell stitch pattern, and at the same time there is croched a raised center back.

The work is continued to the desired length. Then crochet a crotch piece and finally crochet ribbing to end the leg.

### **Waist ribbing**

Use 3 mm needle.

Make (80) 88 (96) 104 (112) ch

Work in rounds.

1 Rd.: 1 sc i each ch (80) 88 (96) 104 (112) times.

2 Rd.: 1 dc i each sc (80) 88 (96) 104 (112) times.

3 Rd.: \*1 FPdc, 1 BPdc\* . Repeat \*-\* the rest of the round.

Repeat 3 round until work measures (6) 6,5 (6,5) 7 (7) cm

### **Waist - and hip piece**

Use 3,5 mm needle

Continue working in rounds (Beginning = Right side on the back).

#### **Waist**

1 Rd.: 1 sc in all dc (80) 88 (96) 104 (112) total.

2 Rd.: \*1 sc, skip 1, 5 dc in next (shell), skip 1\* . Repeat \*-\*

This will end with a total of (20) 22 (24) 26 (28) shells.

#### **Raised center back**

3 Rd. \*1 sc in the 3. dc of the shell (the middle dc of the 5), 5 dc in sc between 2 shells\*. Repeat \*-\* until (10) 11 (12) 13 (14) shells. Cut yarn.

4 Rd.: 1 sc in middle sc on first shell from 3 Rd, \*5 dc in sc between 2 shells, 1 sc\*. Repeat \*-\* until (9) 10 (11) 12 (13) shells. The round should now finish with 1 sc in the middle sc on the last shell from Rd 3. Cut yarn.

5 Rd.: 1 sc in middle sc on first shell from Rd 4, \*5 dc in sc between 2 shells, 1 sc\*. Repeat \*-\* until (8) 9 (10) 11 (12) shells. Again finish Rd with 1 sc in middle sc on last shell from Rd 4. Cut yarn.

*NB: 6 Rd. Is only made for size 12 (18-24) month.*

6 Rd.: 1 sc in middle sc on first shell from Rd. 5, \*5 dc in sc between 2 shells, 1 sc\*. Repeat \*-\* until 10 (11) shells. Finish round with 1 sc in middle sc on the last shell from Rd 5. Cut yarn.

### **Hip**

Continue work where 3. Rd began.

\*1 sc in middle sc on shell, 5 dc in sc between 2 shells\*. Repeat \*-\* until (20) 22 (24) 26 (28) shells.

Repeat this until work measures (16) 17 (19) 21 (23) cm incl. top ribbing.

Cut yarn.

### **Crotch**

#### ***Crotch backside***

1 Rd: Work begins with 1 sc in middle dc on (4) 4 (4) 5 (5) shell (count from right side on the back).

Continue with sc in all dc and sc until middle dc on (7) 8 (9) 9 (10) shell (count from right side on the back)

2: Turn work with 1 ch and crochet 1 sc in each sc from Rd before. Cut yarn.

NB: Crotch consists of (2) 3 (4) 3 (4) shells.

#### ***Crotch frontside***

Rd 1 and Rd 2 from crotch backside is repeated on the frontside.

Crochet the front and backside together with slst.

### **Ribbing**

Use 3 mm needle

Work starts on the inside of the leg.

Crochet (40) 44 (48) 52 (56) sc evenly around the hole of the leg.

1 Rd.: 1 dc in each sc (40) 44 (48) 52 (56) in total.

2 Rd.: \*1 FPdc , 1 BPdc\* . Repeat \*-\* the rest of the round.