

Quick & Easy Braided Headband Crochet Pattern Printable PDF

I am completely obsessed with this pattern! Designing it was such a joy, and I hope you love making it just as much as I did.

This versatile headband can be made in any color you like, and to make it even better, I've included three sizes, small, medium, and large, so it's perfect for anyone.

Hello, Autumn! Stylish and on-trend, this braided headband also makes a thoughtful Birthday or Christmas gift.

Beginner-Friendly Crochet Headband

If you can work single crochet stitches, you can make this beautiful pattern. This easy headband is made from three crochet strips. Each strip measures approximately 2 inches wide and 17, 18, or 19 inches long. I used two skeins of Lion Brand Basic Stitch Anti-Pilling #4 medium weight yarn in the colors Almond and Olive. With those two skeins, I was able to make two headbands by swapping which color was the main color, and which served as the contrasting color.

You can change the color of this headband in different ways by using different colors for each strip, crocheting solid color strips, or changing the location of the strips. It's so easy to make this your own unique style.

Simple Assembly

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To assemble the headband, the three strips are stacked and sewn together at one end. I then inserted a hairband, braided the strips, and tucked the hairband between the layers at the other end, sewing it all together to secure the braid.

The result is a stylish, cozy headband that holds its shape beautifully.

Directions: Quick & Easy Braided Headband Crochet Pattern

Skill Level

Beginner Friendly – Easy

Gauge

Approximately 12 stitches and 14 rows every 4 inches.

For accurate size, check your gauge as your crochet stitches may be looser or tighter than mine.

Sizes

- **Small:** 3 inches X 17 inches
- **Medium:** 3 inches X 18 inches
- **Large:** 3 inches X 19 inches

Because this headband uses hairbands to join, it will stretch up to 2 inches.

Each Strip is 2 inches wide x 17, 18, or 19 inches long.

Can I adjust the size of the Braided Headband crochet pattern?

Yes, it's easy to change the size. Use any number of chain stitches to adjust the length. The width can be adjusted by adding or reducing the number of crochet rows. Keep in mind that the headband will stretch up to 2 inches when worn.

Abbreviations

- CH = Chain Stitch
- SC = Single Crochet Stitch



- SK = Skip
- ST = Stitch
- STs = Stitches
- [] = Repeat Between

Materials

Lion Brand Basic Stitch Anti-Pilling. #4 medium weight yarn. Partial skein about 50 yards total.

Colors Shown:

- Almond
- Olive

Size I Crochet Hook 5.5 mm

Tapestry Needle

Scissors

Tape Measure

Crochet Stitches

Chain Stitch (CH ST)

Begin the chain stitch by making a slip knot on the crochet hook. Leave about a 5-inch tail on the yarn. This will be weaved in later.

Next snug up the yarn loop that is on the crochet hook; while it should be firm, it should also be loose enough to slide on the hook with ease.

Keeping the loop on the hook, wrap the yarn over the crochet hook from back to front. Draw the yarn through the loop. You've just made a chain stitch. Continue yarning over and drawing the yarn through the loop on the hook to make more chain stitches.

[HOW TO CROCHET THE CHAIN STITCH](#) video tutorial

Single Crochet (SC)

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Insert the hook, pull up a loop. Yarn over and pull through the two loops on the hook.

[HOW TO CROCHET THE SINGLE CROCHET STITCH](#) video tutorial

Pattern Notes

Pattern is written in US crochet terminology.

Turn after each row.

Since this pattern is reversible, there isn't a right side and wrong side.

I carried the yarn up the side. There are links to video crochet tutorials for both right hand and left hand crocheters after the written pattern for crocheting the strips and assembly.

Crochet Pattern

Begin with the primary yarn color.

Start by making a slip knot and adding the loop on the hook.

Work foundational chain stitches.

- **Small:** 60 chain stitches
- **Medium:** 63 chain stitches
- **Large:** 66 chain stitches

Row 1

SC in the back bump of the second ST from the Hook and in each back bump of the STs across. Turn (59)

Row 2

CH 1 (Does not count as a ST). SC in the first ST and in each ST across. Turn (59)

Row 3

Change yarn color.



Repeat row 2.

Row 4

Change back to the first yarn color.

Repeat row 2.

Row 5

Change yarn color

Repeat row 2.

Row 6

Change back to the first yarn color.

Repeat row 2.

Row 7

Continue using yarn color.

Repeat row 2.

Finishing

To make things easy when assembling:

- When cutting off your yarn, leave a long tail on one side of two of the strips.
- On one strip weave in the yarn ends and cut off the excess yarn.
- On the two other strips weave in the yarn ends on one end and leave two yarn ends on the other side.

Assembling

How to Assemble the Braided Headband

1. Prepare the Strips:

You should have three crochet strips, each about 2 inches wide and

17–19 inches long. Decide which colors you want as the main and contrasting colors.

2. **Stack and Secure One End:**

Stack the three strips together and sew one end securely. This is where you'll start your braid.

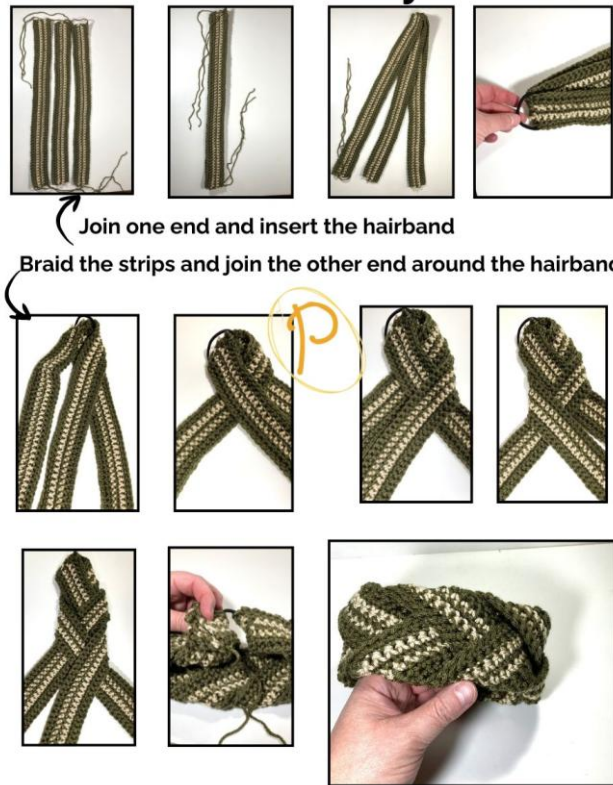
3. **Insert the Hairband:**

Slide a hairband into the sewn end, positioning it so that it will be hidden inside the braid.

4. **Start Braiding:**

- Since the strips are wide, the traditional braid technique (sliding the side strips over the middle strip) can be tricky.
- Instead, **flip each side strip over the middle strip** as you braid. Alternate sides with each pass, flipping one side over the center, then the other, rather than trying to slide them smoothly.
- This method keeps the braid even and prevents the strips from bunching.

Braided Headband Assembly



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5. Insert Hairband on the Other End:

Once you reach the end, insert the other end of the hairband between the layers.

6. Secure the Final End:

Sew the three strips together at the end, making sure the braid is snug and the hairband is fully enclosed.

7. Adjust and Finish:

Gently adjust the braid to make it sits neatly, then your braided headband is ready to wear!

Finishing

Weave in the yarn ends and cut off the excess yarn.

YouTube Video Tutorials

How to Crochet in the Back Bump, the Striped Strip, and Carry the Yarn up the Side.

Left hand video <https://youtu.be/hpUPUTH18iA>

Right hand video <https://youtu.be/omnE7eDr0gc>

Assembling the braided headband video <https://youtu.be/kW-FRn4wPho>

We hope that you have enjoyed this lovely crochet pattern.

XO

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