

Crochet Extra

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Whew!!!! What a busy end to September. Once the election was over it seemed that no one really cared who won and we were all happy that it was finally over and that life went back to some form of normality. Suddenly everyone started to feel secure in their own environment and consumer confidence was with us once more. Orders piled in from everywhere and even now we are still looking at each other wondering if we will ever finish each day.



As you see we are still at the helm, sailing the ship, hoping to cruise into Christmas still enjoying the trip. The excitement has been the third shipment of the ever popular Edgit hooks. Seems everyone told their friends and again we were out of stock; hopefully we now have plenty to go around.

The phantom delivery of Clever Country 4ply is finally here. Some back orders have been filled and there is plenty to go round of the colours that arrived. We are disappointed that there are still 13 colours out of stock, but that is life and out of our control. On the up side, we have the white and ecru, red, some greens and the oranges again. Life was just not the same without these colours. Can you imagine a box of smarties minus these colours?



Remember we still have the popular Almina 4ply, Madam Tricot Perle #5 and DMC Petra 5 to crochet your towel tops. Colour charts are available.



If you are a user of the Oren Bayen #8 Perle please note that the supplier has discontinued the range. We have bought up a quantity, so there are plenty of good colours including black and white available at this point in time.

We have had lots of new books and DVDs come in this month and Lizbeth crochet cotton has grown from 179 plain and variegated colours to 186 colours, with 3 more new colours to come. All available in #20, #40 and #80. Hope to have the remainder of these in later in the month.

Until next time, happy crocheting,

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Crochet Australia Yarn Room



This month we are exploring one of the thread rooms. As you walk down the hall past the tea towels and face cloths you enter the room that explodes with colour and the choice becomes even harder. Some customers spend a lot of time in this room, soaking up the atmosphere and choosing their favourites.

The 4ply Clever Country and the Almina are the most popular 4ply cottons. Just love the Almina as there is no core to the ball and you can crochet from the middle. The Clever Country is thicker, more of a 5ply and has a delicate braided finish. Both threads are the popular choice of the tea towel top crocheter.

In the #5 Perle, we have Madam Tricote #5 in 50g balls and the DMC Petra #5 in the 100g balls. We also carry an extensive range of the DMC perle #5, #8 and #12 mainly used by the beading and sewing people, and those doing braiding and tassel making. To complement that range our customers enjoy the Oren Bayen #8 perle with its bright clean colours. Lots of colours to choose from here.

The 3ply rayon cones stand like soldiers on the shelf as they dwarf the little 50g balls of the same thread. It is half the price per gram to buy the cones, so always the popular choice. The baby clothes and doll clothes makers just cannot get enough of this thread. It is actually the by-product of lampshade braid and fringe making. This is the left-over of the huge spools used in the factory.

We proudly stock the best baby yarn I have ever used. It is a real pleasure to crochet and knit as it is not only really soft, but it doesn't split. The Wendy Peter Pan range comes in 2ply white, 3ply, 4ply and 8ply in white, cream and colours. If you haven't tried this one, you will be pleasantly surprised.

Up high sits the Heirloom 8ply cotton beaming with 17 colours of choice and our customers use this for rugs, garments and dishcloths and makes lovely baby outfits too. Again a good quality Australian cotton at an affordable price.

If you are looking for a glitter yarn for Christmas projects, then look no further than our Excel metallic yarn which crochets up like a 4ply.

This month we have put together some specials that reflect this much enjoyed room and remember that printed colour charts are available for these threads.

WE'RE HOOKED ON CROCHET!



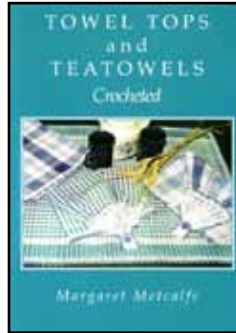
Look at the stuff you can make from the goodies in the Crochet Australia yarn room.



BK16 Kitchen Towels \$10.95



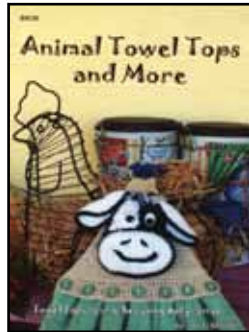
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GCB10105 Storybook Hats & Booties \$10.00



BK30 Animal Towel Tops and More \$10.95



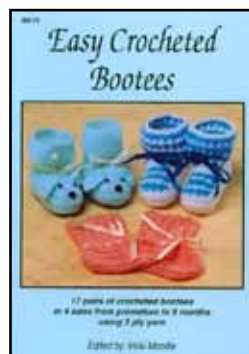
LA75027 Baby Layette Afghans \$8.30



GCB11105 Cotton Candy Dress & Hat \$10.00



BK15 Easy Crocheted Booties \$10.95



LA4780 Dressing up Baby \$20.05



LA75060 Pink & Blue for Baby \$8.30



BK25 Doilies to crochet in 4ply cotton \$10.95



GC73108 Julian Blaise Col Baby Boy Shoes \$10.00



LA5780 Baby Beanies Made With the Knook \$15.30 (Knooking)



MCPA838 Love Knot Layette Pattern \$11.75



MCPA375 Cherished Christening Set \$11.75



LA5565 Surprise Crochet Sweaters for Baby \$15.30



LA5538 Warm Hats for Wee Noggins \$17.10 (KNIT)



LA5529 Crochet Hats and Wraps for Baby \$14.95



LA4236 Classics for Baby \$17.40



LA4056 Hooked on Baby \$19.95



LA5534 Heirloom Baby Knits \$35.95
extra post**



LA75440 Baby Stuff \$7.95



KCK617 Kids Collection Leaflet 617 \$5.25 (KNIT)



PP1070 Peter Pan Leaflet 1070 Baby Wear \$5.25 (KNIT)



PP1054 Peter Pan Leaflet DK Blanket \$5.10 (KNIT)



PP865 Peter Pan Leaflet 865 \$5.10 (KNIT)



PP753 Peter Pan Leaflet 753 DK \$5.25 (KNIT)



PP221 Baby Accessories PP221 Leaflet \$5.25 (KNIT)



PP876 Peter Pan Leaflet 876 4Ply \$5.10 (KNIT)



KCK528 Kid's Connection Leaflet K528 \$5.10 (KNIT)



NMBER530117 Bibs 'n Booties \$7.50



PP289 Pretty White 2, 3 & 4ply \$21.95 (KNIT)



KCK527 Kid's Connection Leaflet K527 \$5.10 (KNIT)



NMBER542023 Tiny Crochet \$5.25



PP288 Beautiful Babies 2, 3 & 4ply \$21.95 (KNIT)



121029 Just for Baby (Knit) \$22.95



879549 B is for Baby \$26.70* extra post



SP6410 Knitted Baby Booties 20 to Make \$10.95



NMBER530199 Baby Gifts \$7.50



LA4339 So-Sweet Baby Wardrobe \$37.20** extra post



KCK568 Kid's Connection Leaflet K568 \$5.25 (KNIT)



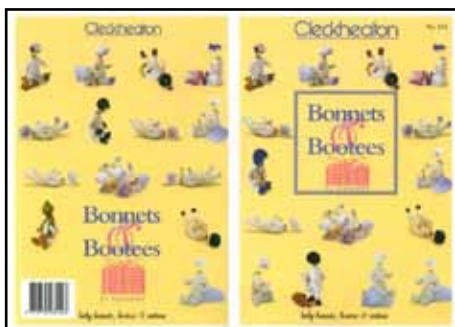
NMCC0140 Baby Talk \$7.50



PAT0054 Classic Baby Knits \$10.75



CLK424 Bonnets & Booties \$6.35 (KNIT)



NN1054 A Collection of Beautiful Sts 139 \$46.95 extra post (HARDANGER)**



NN248 Christmas in the Pines \$16.95 (HANDANGER)



LA4090 Elegant Ensembles to Knit \$18.20



NN1072A Burda Hardanger E570 \$24.15 (HARDANGER)



NN312 Wee Ones in Hardanger Embroidery \$16.95



LA75019 Knit - Crochet Baby Booties \$6.50



NN185 Hardanger Gifts \$12.20



NN184 Velvet & Lace in Hardanger \$12.20



LA2882 Christening Ensemble \$12.85



NN189 Elegant Variations in Hardanger \$14.25



LNSB8 Hardanger Simply Love \$23.95



871043 Little One's Ponchos \$14.95



NN235 Elegant Greetings in Hardanger Embroidery \$16.40



LNSB10 Hardanger Christmas Stitched with Love \$21.95

