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Size: UK 10 – US 6 – EU 36 – **Skill Level:** advanced

How much yarn: 3 balls (each ball 50g and 175m) of **Cablé 5** yarn (100% Makò Combed Cotton), shade no. 30354

Hook: A 1.75mm crochet hook

Sewing needle: Yarn needle with rounded point

STITCHES

Using Hook: chain (ch) – Slip stitch (ss)

Double crochet (dc) – Treble (tr) – 2TR JOINED TOGETHER (TR2TOG): yarn on hook, insert hook in stitch, yarn on hook and pull a loop through, yarn on hook and pull through two loops on hook; yarn on hook, insert hook in next stitch, yarn on hook and pull a loop through, yarn on hook and pull through two loops on hook; yarn on hook and pull through the 3 loops on the hook.

TENSION

26 sts and 14 rows measure 10cm square over trebles with 1.75mm crochet hook. Take time to check tension before starting work: it is essential to work to the stated tension to achieve success.

INSTRUCTIONS

Note: for a perfect fit, following the published model setting, we recommend making a paper pattern with your own measurements and gradually placing the work on it. Work in one piece, starting from **Back Briefs**. Unless otherwise indicated, shells are always worked in the 2ch-space at the center of the shell below. **Back:** ch16 plus 3 turning ch. **1st row:** (1 tr, ch2, 2 tr) into 5th ch from hook, miss 1 ch, 1 tr into each of next 12 ch, miss 1 ch, (2 tr, ch2, 2 tr) into next ch (= shell), turn. **2nd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beginning shell (= ch3 corresponding to first tr, 1 tr, ch2 and 2 tr), miss next 2 tr of shell, 3 tr into next tr (= 2 tr increased), 1 tr into each of next 10 tr, 3 tr into next tr (= 2 tr increased), 1 shell into 2ch-sp of next shell, turn. **3rd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beginning shell, miss next 2 shell tr, 3 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of next 14 tr, 3 tr into next tr, 1 shell into next shell, turn. From **4th to 12th row:** following work, as established, inc 2 tr every row at each end, inside first and last shell: there are 56 tr, excluding side shells. From **13th to 25th row:** following work, as established, inc 1 tr every row at each end, inside first and last shell (work 2 tr into same st to increase 1 tr): there are 82 tr, excluding side shells. Work 2 rows straight, i.e. without incs; then fasten off. The work measures about 16cm from beg.

Front: work on opposite side of Back starting ch. **1st row:** 1 beg shell into 1st ch, miss 1 ch, 1 tr into each of next 12 ch, miss 1 ch, 1 shell into next ch, turn. **2nd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, miss next 2 shell tr, 1 tr into each of next 12 tr, 1 shell into next shell, turn. From **3rd to 12th row:** work as 2nd row. From **13th to 16th row:** following work, as established, inc 1 tr every row at each end, inside first and last shell: there are 20 tr, excluding side shells. From **17th to 21th row:** following work, as established, inc 2 tr every row at each end, inside first and last shell: there are 40 tr, excluding side shells. **22nd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp, (ch3, 1 tr, ch2, 2 tr, ch2, 2 tr) into same sp; miss next 2 shell tr, 3 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of next 38 tr, 3 tr into next tr, (2 tr, ch2, 2 tr, ch2, 2 tr) into ch2-sp of next shell; * turn, 1 ss into each of next 2 tr, 2 ch and 2 tr, 3 turning ch, 1 shell into shell below *; rep from * to * 4 more

times; then fasten off (= 5 shell stripe). Turn work, join yarn to 1st ch2-sp of beg shell on 22nd row, ch3, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, rep from * to * 4 times (= 5 shell stripe), turn. **23rd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp, into same sp work 1 beg shell, 3 tr into each of next 5 ch3-sp (on side of 5 shell-stripe), 1 tr into ch1-sp of next shell, 1 tr into each of 2 shell tr, 1 tr into each of next 44 tr, 1 tr into each of 2 tr of next shell, 1 tr into next ch1-sp, 3 tr into each of next 5 ch3-sp (on side of 5 shell-stripe), 1 shell into next shell, turn. **24th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp, into same sp work 1 beg shell, miss next 2 shell tr, 1 tr into each of next 80 tr, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **Central part:** – **1st row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch5, miss next 2 shell tr and next 3 tr, (1 dc into next tr, ch5, miss 2 sts) 11 times, 1 dc into next tr, ch2, miss 2 sts, 2 tr into next tr, ch2, 2 tr into next tr, ch2, miss 2 sts, (1 dc into next tr, ch5, miss 2 sts) 11 times, 1 dc into next tr, ch5, 1 shell into next shell. Fasten off. **2nd row:** don't turn work; miss first 3 ch5-spaces of 1st row, join yarn with a ss to centre of next sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 7 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, into ch2-sp between 2 tr groups work: (2 tr, ch2, 1 tr, ch2) twice and 2 tr; ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp; (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 7 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next sp, turn. **3rd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 6 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 6 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **4th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 5 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, (2 tr, ch9 and 2 tr) into next ch2-sp; 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 5 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **5th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 4 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, 14 tr into next ch9-sp; 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 4 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch3; fasten off. **6th row:** join yarn with 1 ss to 3rd beginning ch of 5th row, ch6 and into 4th ch from hook work: 1 tr, ch2 and 2 tr; ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss next ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 3 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, miss next 2 shell tr, (tr2tog into next tr, ch1) 13 times, tr2tog into next tr, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) 3 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 2 ch, 1 shell into next ch, turn. **7th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss next ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) twice, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, (1 dc into next ch1-sp, ch3) 5 times, 1 dc into next ch1-sp, ch3, miss next ch1-sp, (1 dc into next ch1-sp, ch3) 5 times, 1 dc into next ch1-sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, (1 dc into next sp, ch5) twice, 1 dc into next sp, (ch2, 1 shell into next shell) twice, turn. **8th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss next ch2-sp, 1 dc into next sp, ch5, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss next ch2-sp, (1 dc into next ch3-sp, ch3) 10 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, 1 dc into next sp, ch5, 1 dc into next sp, (ch2, 1 shell into next shell) twice, turn. **9th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss next ch2-sp, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, miss

next ch2-sp, (1 dc.) into next ch3-sp, ch4) 9 times, 1 dc into next sp, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, 1 dc into next sp, (ch2, 1 shell into next shell) twice, turn. **10th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 2 tr into ch2-sp of next shell, ch2, miss 2 spaces, 2 tr into ch2-sp of next shell, ch2, (1 dc into next ch4-sp, ch5) 8 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 2 tr into ch2-sp of next shell, ch2, miss 2 spaces, 2 tr into ch2-sp of next shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **11th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss 1 ch2-sp, 1 shell into next sp, ch2, (1 dc into next ch5-sp, ch5) 7 times, 1 dc into next sp, miss 1 ch2-sp, 1 shell into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **12th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, (1 dc into next ch5sp, ch5) 6 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **13th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, (1 dc into next ch5sp, ch5) 5 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **14th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, (2 tr, ch2, 2 tr, ch2 and 2 tr) into ch2-sp of next shell; ch2, (1 dc into next ch5sp, ch6) 4 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, (2 tr, ch2, 2 tr, ch2 and 2 tr) into ch2-sp of next shell; ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **15th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss 2 ch, (1 shell into next ch2-sp, ch2) twice, (1 dc into next ch6-sp, ch6) 3 times, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, miss 2 ch, (1 shell into next ch2-sp, ch2) twice, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **16th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss 2 ch, (2 tr and ch2) 4 times into next ch2-sp; 1 shell into next shell, ch2, (1 dc into next ch6-sp, ch6) twice, 1 dc into next sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, miss 2 ch, (2 tr and ch2) 4 times into next ch2-sp, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **17th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, (ch2, miss ch2, 1 shell into next ch2-sp) 3 times, ch2, 1 dc into next ch6-sp, ch6, 1 dc into next sp, (ch2, miss ch2, 1 shell into next ch2-sp) 3 times, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **18th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, (1 shell into next ch2-sp) twice, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, 1 dc into next 6h-sp, (ch2, 1 shell into next shell) twice, (1 shell into next ch2-sp) twice, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **19th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, (2 tr, ch2, 2 tr, ch2 and 2 tr) into next ch2-sp; 1 shell into next shell, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, (2 tr, ch2, 2 tr, ch2 and 2 tr) into next ch2-sp; 1 shell into next shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **20th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, ch2, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, ch2, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, 1 shell into next shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **21st row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, 1 shell into next ch2-sp, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. From **22nd to 28th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) 5 times, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) 5 times, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **29th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, 7 tr into sp of next shell, (5 tr into sp of next shell) 3

times, 7 tr into sp of next shell, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, 7 tr into sp of next shell, (5 tr into sp of next shell) 3 times, 7 tr into sp of next shell, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **30th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 25 tr, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, miss ch2, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 25 tr, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **31st row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2, 1 tr into each of next 33 tr, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, miss ch2, 1 tr into each of next 33 tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **32nd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss 2 ch, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 29 tr, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, miss 2 ch, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 29 tr, 2 tr into each of next 2 tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **33rd row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2, 1 tr into each of next 37 tr, ch2, (1 shell into next shell) twice, ch2, miss ch2, 1 tr into each of next 37 tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. THEN CONTINUE TO WORK THE TWO CUPS SEPARATELY AS FOLLOWS.

First Cup: 34th, 35th and 36th rows: ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2, 1 tr into each of next 37 tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. From **37th:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss ch2, tr2tog over next 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 33 tr, tr2tog over next 2 tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. Following work, as given in previous row, dec at each end every row, inside shells and ch2-spaces: 1 st once and 2 sts 7 times (tr3tog to decrease 2 sts): 5 tr remain at end of **45th row** inside shells and ch2-spaces. **46th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, ch2, miss 2 ch and 2 tr, 1 dc into next tr, ch2, 1 shell into next shell, turn. **47th row:** ss to first 2ch-sp and into same sp work 1 beg shell, 1 shell into next shell, turn work and, for **string**, cont as follows: ss to shell centre, work a chain about 55cm long, turn and work 1 ss into each ch, ending with a ss into shell space. Fasten off. On free sts of 33rd row work **2nd Cup** as 1st Cup.

FINISHING

Back strings: join yarn with a ss to 1st st of 31st row and work a chain about 50cm long, turn and work 1 ss into each ch, ending with a ss into 1st st of 31st row. Fasten off. Work another String as previous, but joining yarn to last st of 31st row.

Strings of Front Briefs: join yarn with a ss to 1st st of last row of Front Briefs of Front Briefs and work a chain about 30cm long, turn and work 1 ss into each ch, ending with a ss into 1st st of last row. Fasten off. Work another String as previous, but joining yarn to last st of last row of Front Briefs.

Strings of Back Briefs: join yarn with a ss to 1st st of last row of Back Briefs of Front Briefs and work a chain about 35cm long, turn and work 1 ss into each ch, ending with a ss into 1st st of last row. Fasten off. Work another String as previous, but joining yarn to last st of last row of Back Briefs.

