CRIS CROSS HEADBAND

Materials:
Caron Simply Soft yarn -
main and contrasting colors
G crochet hook
tapestry needle

Abbreviations:
sc = single crochet
dc = double crochet
X = cross stitch
sl st = slip stitch
ch = chain

Special stitches -
Cross stitch: (skip next stitch, dc in next stitch, cross in front of dc just made and dc in skipped stitch) around.
Reverse sc (crab st): working in the opposite direction, sc to the right.
(It feels really awkward at first, but makes a nice finished edge).

Main part of headband is made first, then trim is crocheted onto each edge.

Directions:
Main part of band -
With main color, loosely chain 65. Being careful not to twist, form chain into a ring by joining with sl st to first chain.
Row 1: ch 1, sc in same ch and in each ch around; join with sl st to first sc
Row 2: ch 1, sc in same st and in each sc around; join with sl st
Row 3: ch 2 (does not count as st), X st around; sl st in ch 2 and next dc
Rows 4-7: repeat Rows 2 and 3, twice
Rows 8 and 9: ch 1, sc in each st around
Knot and finish off.

Trim (both edges) -
Attach trim color with sc, sc in each in each st around; join with sl st and ch 1.
Reverse sc (crab st) around; join with sl st, knot, finish off and weave in ends.

For wider band, repeat Rows 2 and 3 once or twice.

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