Leaves and cables headband.

One size.

Material:

1 ball of <u>Mérina de Cheval Blanc</u> or 1 skein of Nebula Artesano.

Neddles 4mm, a cable needle.

If you want to insert beads: beads and a thin crochet (between 0.6mm and 1mm)

Buttons, a wool needle.

Points and abbreviations:

k: knit

p : purl

Yo: Yarn over

R:row



SK2P: slip 1, knit 2 together, pass slip stitch over K2tog.

(....) x...: repeat the motive (...) as many times as it's indicated.

Twists:

T1: (over 4 st) slip 2 st to cable needle and hold to back, k2, k2 from cable needle

T2: (over 4 st) slip 2 st to cable needle and hold to front, k2, k2 from cable needle



Work:

Cast on 31 stitches.

R1 (right side of the work): k6, DD, Yo, k1, Yo, (p1, k4) x2, p1, Yo, k1, J, SK2P, k6.

R 2, 4, 6 and 8 (wrong side of the work): p10, (k1, p4) x2, k1, p10.

R3: k4, DD, k1, (Yo, k1) x2, p1, T1, p1, T2, p1, k1, (Yo, k1) x2, SK2P, k4.

R5: k2, DD, k2, Yo, k1, Yo, k2, (p1, k4) x2, p1, k2, Yo, k1, Yo, k2, SK2P, k2.

R 7: DD, k3, Yo, k1, Yo, k3, p1, T1, p1, T2, p1, k3, Yo, k1, Yo, k3, SK2P.

Insert beads on the wrong side rows (2, 4, 6 and 8), on the Yarn over of the last right side row.

To insert beads have a look here.

Repeat these 8 rows as often as it is necessary for you to arrive at a height from 49 to 50 cms. Bind off. Bring in the threads and cut them to short.

For the finish: either you sew discreetly the headband, or you position your buttons (2, 3 or 4 according to your taste) so that they correspond to holes left by the yarn over in the motive for leaves. You can also put buttons, and sew the headband all the same.