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Yarn required:


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BABY CHENILLE YARN

Years 2 (4-6)

2 (3-3) x 100g balls (MC)

1 x 100g ball (CC)



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Skill Level
Intermediate

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(intermediate)

MEASUREMENTS - Years 2 (4-6)

Fits underarm 55 (60-65) cms/22 (24-26) ins
To measure (approx) 63 (69-74) cms/25 (27-29) ins
Length 45 (49-53) cms/18 (19-21) ins
Sleeve length 23 (28-33) cms/9 (11-13) ins

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2 (3-3) x 100g balls Main Colour (MC)
1 x 100g ball Contrast Colour (CC)

NEEDLES

A pair 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Knitting Needles or size that gives correct tension/gauge.

MATERIALS

A Yarn Needle.

TENSION/GAUGE

13 sts to 10 cms/4 ins in width over garter st, using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Knitting Needles.

Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.

ABBREVIATIONS

St/s - stitch/es, K - Knit, RS - right side, WS - wrong side, garter st - every row knit, rep - repeat, inc - increase, rem - remain/ing, beg - begin/ning, cont - continue, dec - decrease, foll - follow/ing, alt - alternate, inc - increase, K2tog - knit 2 sts together.

CREATE - Back

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and MC, cast on 43 (47-51) sts loosely.

Knit in garter st (1st row is WS) until work measures 31 (34-37) cms/12 (13-15) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Shape armholes - Cast/bind off 2 (2-3) sts at beg of next 2 rows = 39 (43-45) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll alt row until 35 (37-39) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 14 (15-16) cms/5½ (6-6) ins, working last row on WS.

Shape shoulders - Cast/bind off 5 (6-6) sts at beg of next 2 rows, then 5 sts at beg of foll 2 rows.

Cast/bind off rem 15 (15-17) sts loosely.

Left Front

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and MC, cast on 27 (31-33) sts. Knit in garter st (1st row is WS) until work measures 31 (34-37) cms/12 (13-15) ins from beg, working last row on WS. **

Shape armhole - Cast/bind off 2 (2-3) sts at beg of next row = 25 (29-30) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every foll alt row until 23 (26-27) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 6 (6-7) cms/2 (2-3) ins **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, working last row on WS.

Work 1 row.

Shape neck - Next row (WS) - Cast/bind off 7 (8-8) sts, knit to end = 16 (18-19) sts.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 13 (13-14) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 10 (11-11) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, working last row on WS.

Shape shoulder - Cast/bind off 5 (6-6) sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row. Cast/bind off rem 5 sts.

Right Front

Work as for Left Front to **.

Work 1 row.

Shape armhole - Cast/bind off 2 (2-3) sts at beg of next row = 25 (29-30) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then in every foll alt row until 23 (26-27) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures 6 (6-7) cms/2 (2-3) ins **less** than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, working last row on WS.

Shape neck - Next row (RS) - Cast/bind off 7 (8-8) sts, knit to end = 16 (18-19) sts.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at neck edge in every row until 13 (13-14) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 10 (11-11) sts rem.

Cont without shaping until **armhole** measures same as Back to beg of shoulder shaping, working last row on WS.

Work 1 row.

Shape shoulder - Complete as for Left Front shoulder.

Sleeve (make 2)

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and MC, cast on 23 (25-25) sts. Knit in garter st until work measures 4 cms/2 ins from beg, working last row on WS, thus completing cuff.

Tie a coloured thread at each end of last row to mark fold for cuff. Knit 10 rows garter st.

Cont in garter st, inc one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 8th (12th-12th) row until there are 33 (35-37) sts.

Cont without shaping until work measures 23 (28-33) cms/9 (11-13) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Shape top - Cast/bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 29 (31-33) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 21 (23-25) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 7 sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Cast/bind off rem 7 sts loosely.

Hood

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and MC, cast on 71 (73-75) sts loosely.

Knit in garter st (1st row is WS) until work measures 15 (16-17) cms/6 (6-7) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Shape back - 1st row - K34 (35-36), sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K34 (35-36) = 69 (71-73) sts.

2nd and foll alt rows - Knit.

3rd row - K33 (34-35), sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K33 (34-35) = 67 (69-71) sts.

5th row - K32 (33-34), sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K32 (33-34) = 65 (67-69) sts.

7th row - K31 (32-33), sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K31 (32-33) = 63 (65-67) sts.

9th row - K30 (31-32), sl 1, K2tog, pssso, K30 (31-32) = 61 (63-65) sts.

10th row - Knit. Cast/bind off loosely.

Ears (make 2 pieces)

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and CC, cast on 15 sts.

Knit in garter st until work measures 4 cms/2 ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Next row - K1, * K1, K2tog, rep from * to last 2 sts, K2 = 11 sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K1, rep from * to last st, K1 = 8 sts.

Knit 3 rows garter st.

Next row - * K2tog, rep from * to end = 4 sts.

Cast/bind off.

Belt (if desired)

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and MC, cast on 6 sts loosely.

Knit in garter st until work measures 82 (84-88) cms/32 (33-35) ins from beg, working last row on WS.

Cast/bind off loosely.

Notes

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and CC, cast on 13 sts.

Knit in garter st for 8 cms/3 ins, working last row on WS.

Break off yarn leaving a long end. Run end through rem sts, then around outer edge, draw up to form bobble. Poke cast on end inside bobble and scraps of yarn to fill.

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends.

Using mattress st seam, join shoulder seams. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Fold hood in half so that side edges meet and join back seam and shaped edge (cast on edge is face end).

Sew hood to neck edge, beg and ending 1 cm/½ in from front edges and easing any extra fullness to back neck. Sew cast on edges of each ear to either side of hood as pictured. Sew nose to front of hood as pictured. If desired, tie belt around waist to wear.