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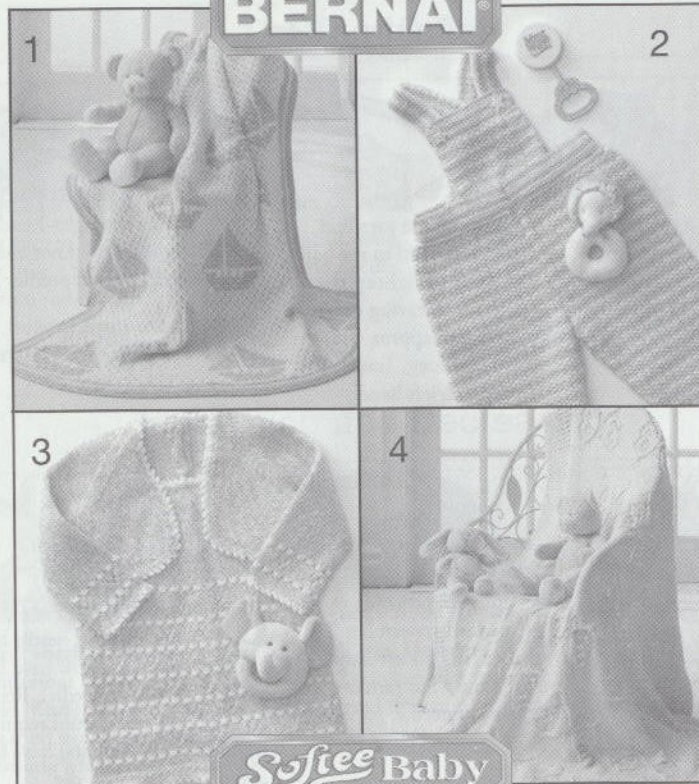
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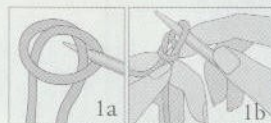


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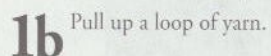
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Learn to Knit Instructions

Casting On



1a Make a slip knot: Loop the yarn as shown and slip needle under the lower strand of the loop.



1b Pull up a loop of yarn.



2 Pull the yarn end attached to the ball of yarn to tighten the slip knot leaving the other end approx 4 ins [10 cm] long. Transfer needle to left hand.



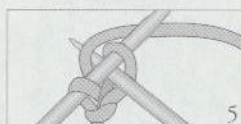
3a Insert the right-hand needle through slip knot and wind yarn over right-hand needle.



3b Pull loop through slip knot.



4 Place new loop on left-hand needle. (You now have 2 stitches (sts) on your left-hand needle).

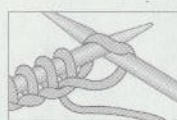


5 Insert right-hand needle between last 2 stitches (sts) on left-hand needle and wind yarn over right-hand needle.

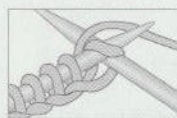


6 Pull loop through. Place this new loop on left-hand needle beside last stitch (st). (You now have 1 more stitch on left-hand needle). Repeat (rep) steps 5 and 6 until required number of stitches (sts) have been cast on left-hand needle.

The Knit Stitch



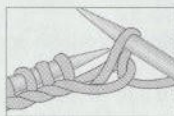
1 Hold the needle with cast on stitches (sts) in your left hand, and the loose yarn attached to the ball at the back of work. Insert right-hand needle from left to right through the front of the first stitch (st) on the left-hand needle.



2 Wind the yarn from left to right over the point of the right-hand needle.



3 Draw the yarn through this original stitch (st) which forms a new stitch (st) on right-hand needle.



4 Slip the original stitch (st) off the left-hand needle, keeping the new stitch (st) on the right-hand needle.



5 To knit a row, repeat steps 1 to 4 until all stitches (sts) have been transferred from left-hand needle to right-hand needle. Turn the work by transferring the needle with stitches (sts) into your left hand to knit the next row.

The Purl Stitch



1 With yarn at front of work, insert right-hand needle from right to left through front of first stitch (st) on left-hand needle.



2 Wind yarn around right-hand needle. Pull yarn through stitch (st).



3 Slip original stitch (st) off needle. Repeat (rep) these steps until all stitches (sts) on left-hand needle have been transferred onto right-hand needle to complete one row of purling.

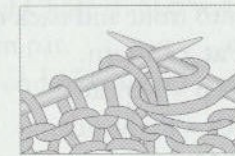
Increasing and Decreasing



Increase 1 stitch (st) in next stitch (st)
Work into front and back of stitch (st) as follows: Knit stitch (st), then before slipping it off needle, twist right-hand needle behind left-hand needle and knit again into back of loop. Slip original stitch (st) off needle. There are now 2 stitches (sts) on right-hand needle made from original stitch.

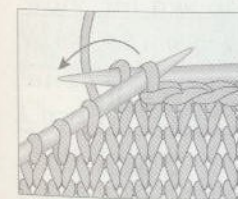


K2tog Decrease Knit
2 stitches (sts) together (tog) through the front of both loops.

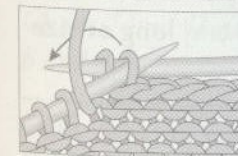


P2tog Decrease Purl
2 stitches (sts) together (tog) through the front of both loops.

Casting Off



Cast off using knit stitch (knitwise) Knit the first 2 stitches (sts). *Using left-hand needle, lift first stitch (st) over second stitch (st) and drop it off between points of the 2 needles. Knit the next stitch (st); repeat (rep) from * until all stitches (sts) from left-hand needle have been worked and only 1 stitch (st) remains on the right-hand needle. Cut yarn (leaving enough to sew in end) and thread cut end through stitch (st) on needle. Draw yarn up firmly to fasten off last stitch (st).



Cast off using purl stitch (purlwise) Purl first 2 stitches (sts). *Using left-hand needle, lift first stitch (st) over second stitch (st) and drop it off needle. Purl next stitch (st); repeat (rep) from * securing the last stitch (st) as described for casting off knitwise.

1. Sail Boat Blanket



MEASUREMENT

Approx 33 ins [84 cm] square.

STITCH GLOSSARY

See page 26 for Helpful Hints.

Approx = Approximately.

Cont = Continue(ity).

Dec = Decrease(ing).

Inc = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch.

Pat = Pattern.

Rep = Repeat.

RS = Right side.

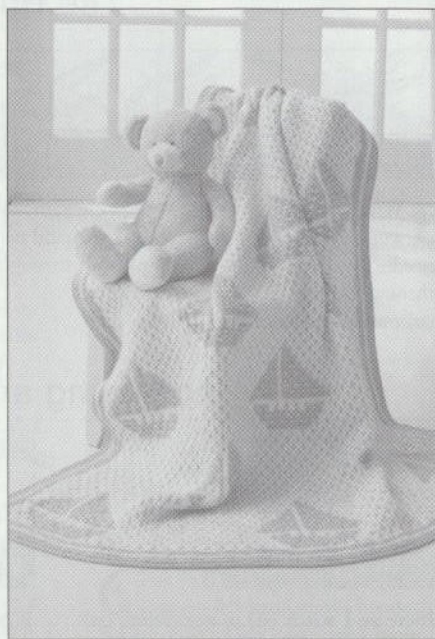
Sl1P = Slip next stitch purlwise.

Sl2Pwyb = Slip next 2 stitches purlwise with yarn at back of work.

Sl2Pwyf = Slip next 2 stitches purlwise with yarn at front of work.

St(s) = Stitch(es).

WS = Wrong side.



GAUGE

22 sts and 30 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] in stocking st.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee Baby (140 g / 5 oz)

Main Color (MC) (02002 Pale Blue)

2 balls

Contrast A (02000 White)

2 balls

Size 4 mm (U.S. 6) circular knitting needle 36 ins [90 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

INSTRUCTIONS

With circular needle and MC, cast on 180 sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle, proceed as follows:

Knit 5 rows (garter st), noting 1st row is WS.

With A, knit 2 rows.

With MC, knit 4 rows, inc 22 sts evenly across last row. 202 sts.

Next row: (RS). With A, knit.

Next row: Purl.

Proceed in pat as follows:

****1st row:** (RS). (Work 1st row of Chart I, reading row from **right** to left. Work 1st row of Chart II, reading row from **right** to left) twice. Work 1st row of Chart I, reading row from **right** to left. With MC, K2.

2nd row: With MC, P2. Work 2nd row of Chart I, reading row from **left** to right. (Work 2nd row of Chart II, reading row from **left** to right. Work 2nd row of Chart I, reading row from **left** to right) twice.

3rd row: (Work 3rd row of Chart I. Work 3rd row of Chart II) twice. Work 3rd row of Chart I. Sl2Pwyb. **4th row:** Sl2Pwyf. Work 4th row of Chart 1. (Work 4th row of Chart II. Work 4th row of Chart I) twice. Last 4 rows form pat.

Charts I and II are shown on pages 8 and 9.

Cont in pat to end of Charts I and II.***

1st row: (RS). With MC, K2. (Work 1st row of Chart I. Work 1st row of Chart II, reading row from **right** to left) twice. Work 1st row of Chart II.

2nd row: (Work 2nd row of Chart II, reading row from **left** to right. Work 2nd row of Chart I) twice. Work 2nd row of Chart II. With MC, P2.

3rd row: Sl2Pwyb work. (Work 3rd row of Chart II. Work 3rd row of Chart I) twice. Work 3rd row of Chart II.

4th row: (Work 4th row of Chart II. Work 4th row of Chart I) twice. Work 4th row of Chart II. Sl2Pwyf. Last 4 rows form pat.

Cont in pat to end of Charts I and II.**

Rep from ** to ** twice more, then from ** to *** once.

Next row: With MC, knit, dec 22 sts evenly across. 180 sts.

With MC, knit 3 rows.

With A, knit 2 rows.

With MC, knit 5 rows. Cast off knitwise (WS).

Side Border: With RS of work facing and MC, pick up and knit 180 sts evenly along side edge of Blanket.

With MC, knit 3 rows.

With A, knit 2 rows.

With MC, knit 5 rows. Cast off knitwise (WS).

Rep for other side.

Chart I

-VVV-VVV-VV					VVVV-VVV-VVV	5	
	VV-VVV=VVV-VVV-VV					4	
VV-VVVVV					VVV-VVV-V	4	
	VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV					4	
-VVVVV					VVV-VVV	4	
	VV-VVV	V	V	V	VVV-VV	4	
VV-VV		VVV	VVV	VVV	VVV	VVVV-V	3
-VV				VV		VVV	3
	VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV			VVVV-VVV-VVV			3
VV-VV				VV		VVV-V	3
	VVV-VVV-VVV-VV			VV-VVV-VVV			2
-VVV-VV				VV		VVV-VVV	2
	VVV-VVV-VVVV			VVVV-VVV			2
VV-VVV-VV				VV		VVV-VVV-V	2
	VVV-VVV-VV			VV-VVV			1
-VVV-VVV-VV			VV		VVV-VVV-VVV	1	
	VVV-VVVV			VVV-VVV-VVV-V			1
-VVV-VVV-VVV-VV			VV		VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV	1	
	VVVV						9
VV-VVV-VVV-VVV-VV			V-VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV-V				7
			VV				5
-VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV-VV			VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV-VVV				3

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Key

-  = With MC, knit on RS and purl on WS.
-  = With A, knit on RS and purl on WS.
-  = With A, purl on RS and knit on WS.
-  = With MC, purl on RS and knit on WS.
-  = With A, SLIP with yarn at WS of work.
-  = With MC, SLIP with yarn at WS of work.

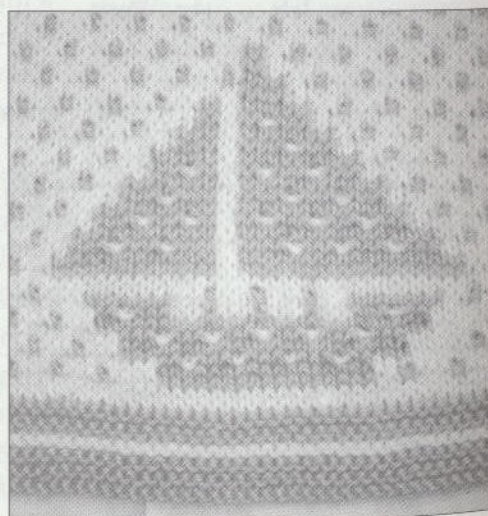


Chart II

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Key

-  = With MC, knit on RS and purl on WS.
-  = With A, knit on RS and purl on WS.
-  = With A, purl on RS and knit on WS.
-  = With MC, purl on RS and knit on WS.
-  = With A, S1P with yarn at WS of work.
-  = With MC, S1P with yarn at WS of work.

2. Sweet Overalls



SIZE

One size to fit infant 12 months.

MEASUREMENT

To fit chest measurement
19 ins [48 cm].

GAUGE

21 sts and 35 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] in
seed st with larger needles.



MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee Baby (140 g / 5 oz)

Main Color (MC) (02000 White) **1 ball**

Contrast A (02002 Pale Blue) **1 ball**

Contrast B (02004 Mint) **1 ball**

Sizes 3.25 mm (U.S. 3) and 4 mm (U.S. 6) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge**. 2 buttons. Length of elastic ¾ inch [2 cm] wide.

STITCH GLOSSARY

See page 26 for Helpful Hints.

Alt = Alternate.

Approx = Approximately.

Cont = Continue(ity).

Inc = Increase 1 stitch by knitting
into front and back of next stitch.

K = Knit.

P = Purl.

Pat = Pattern.

Rep = Repeat.

RS = Right side.

St(s) = Stitch(es)

Tog = Together.

WS = Wrong side.

INSTRUCTIONS

Seed St Stripe Pat

1st row: (WS). With A, *K1. P1.
Rep from * to last st. K1.

2nd row: With A, as 1st row.

3rd and 4th rows: With MC, as 1st
row.

5th and 6th rows: With B, as 1st row.
These 6 rows form Seed St Stripe Pat.

LEFT LEG

**With A and smaller needles cast on
61 sts.

1st row: (WS). With A, knit.

2nd and 3rd rows: With MC, knit.

4th and 5th rows: With B, knit.

6th row: With A, knit.

Rep last 6 rows once more, then 1st
to 3rd rows once.

Next row: (RS). With B, knit.**

Change to larger needles and proceed
in Seed St Stripe Pat for 2 rows.

Keeping cont of Seed St Stripe Pat,
shape back waist as follows:

Pat across 9 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end of
row.

Pat across 17 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end
of row.

Pat across 25 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end
of row.

Pat across 33 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end
of row.

Next row: (WS). Pat across all sts.

Cont even in pat until work from
center back measures 7¾ ins [19.5
cm], ending with RS facing for next
row.

Shape crotch seam: Keeping cont of
pat, inc 1 st at end (center back edge)
of next and following alt row. 63 sts.
Inc 1 st at both ends of next and
following alt rows until there are
71 sts. Place a marker at each end of
last row.

Work 3 rows even in pat.

*****Shape inseam:** Keeping cont of
pat, dec 1 st at each end of next and
every following 6th row until there
are 53 sts.

Cont even in pat until work from
markers measures approx 7¾ ins
[19.5 cm], ending on a 5th row of pat.

Change to smaller needles and proceed
as follows:

Next 2 rows: With A, knit.

Next 2 rows: With MC, knit.

Next 2 rows: With B, knit.

Rep last 6 rows once more.

Next row: With A, knit.

With A, cast off knitwise (WS).***

RIGHT LEG

Work from ** to ** as given for Left
Leg.

Change to larger needles and proceed in Seed St Stripe Pat for 1 row. Keeping cont of Seed St Stripe Pat, shape back waist as follows:

Pat across 9 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end of row.

Pat across 17 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end of row.

Pat across 25 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end of row.

Pat across 33 sts. **Turn.** Pat to end of row.

Next row: (RS). Pat across all sts.

Cont even in pat until work from center back measures $7\frac{3}{4}$ ins [19.5 cm], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape crotch seam: Keeping cont of pat, inc 1 st at beg (center back edge) of next and following alt row. 63 sts. Inc 1 st at both ends of next and every following alt row until there are 71 sts. Place a marker at each end of last row. Work 3 rows even in pat.

Work from *** to *** as given for Left Leg.

BIB

With A and larger needles, cast on 25 sts.

1st row: (WS). K4. Work 1st row of Seed St Stripe Pat across next 17 sts. K4.

2nd row: K4. Work 2nd row of Seed St Stripe Pat across next 17 sts. K4. Keeping cont of Seed St Stripe Pat, cont even (working 4 sts at each end in garter st - knit every row) until Bib measures approx 4 ins [10 cm], ending on a 6th row of Seed St Stripe Pat.

Next row: With A, purl.

Change to smaller needles.

Next 2 rows: With A, knit.

Next 2 rows: With MC, knit.

Next row: (Buttonhole row). With B, K3. Cast off 2 sts. K15 (including st on needle after cast off). Cast off 2 sts. Knit to end of row.

Next row: With B, knit, casting on 2 sts over cast off sts.

Rep last 6 rows once more (omitting buttonholes).

Next row: With A, knit. Cast off knitwise (WS).

STRAPS (make 2)

With A and smaller needles cast on 77 sts.

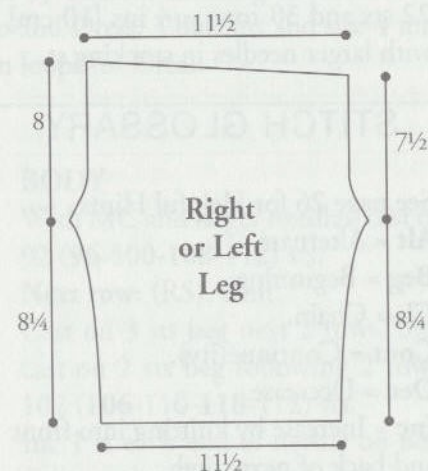
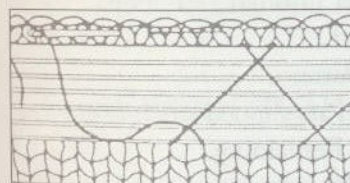
Proceed in Seed St Stripe Pat for 10 rows. With MC, cast off in seed st.

FINISHING

Sew inseams. Sew crotch seams. Sew ends of elastic tog. Work herringbone st over elastic around waistband on WS. Sew straps in position noting straps cross at back. Sew buttons onto Straps to correspond to buttonholes.



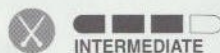
Herringbone Stitch



Knitting Needle Conversion Chart

Cdn. & U.K. Sizes	-	000	00	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	-	10	11	12	13	14	15
Metric Sizes (mm)	12.75	10	9	8	7.5	7	6.5	6	5.5	5	4.5	4	3.75	3.5	3.25	3	2.75	2.25	2	1.75
U.S. Sizes	17	15	13	11	-	-	10 1/2	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	-	2	1	0	-

3. Sweet Bolero and Dress



SIZES

Chest measurement

6 mos	17 ins	[43 cm]
12 mos	19 ins	[48 cm]
18 mos	21 ins	[53.5 cm]
2 yrs	21½ ins	[54.5 cm]
3 yrs	22½ ins	[57 cm]

Dress: Finished chest

6 mos	20 ins	[51 cm]
12 mos	21 ins	[53.5 cm]
18 mos	22 ins	[56 cm]
2 yrs	23 ins	[58.5 cm]
3 yrs	24 ins	[61 cm]

GAUGE

22 sts and 30 rows = 4 ins [10 cm]
with larger needles in stocking st.

STITCH GLOSSARY

See page 26 for Helpful Hints.

Alt = Alternate.

Beg = Beginning.

Ch = Chain.

Cont = Continue(ity).

Dec = Decrease.

Inc = Increase by knitting into front and back of next stitch.

K = Knit.



K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together.

K2togtbl = Knit next 2 stitches together through back loops.

P = Purl.

Pat = Pattern.

Psso = Pass slipped stitch over.

Rem = Remaining.

Rep = Repeat.

RS = Right side.

Sl1 = Slip next stitch knitwise.

Sl st = Slip stitch.

St(s) = Stitch(es).

WS = Wrong side.

Yfwd = Yarn forward.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee Baby (140 g / 5 oz)

Sizes	6 mos	12 mos	18 mos	2 yrs	3 yrs	
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BOLERO

Main Color (MC) (02001 Pink)	1	1	1	1	2	ball(s)
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Contrast A (02000 White)	1	1	1	1	1	ball
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DRESS

Main Color (MC) (02001 Pink)	1	1	2	2	3	ball(s)
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Contrast A (02000 White)	1	1	1	1	1	ball
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Sizes 3.75 (U.S. 5) and 4 mm (U.S. 6) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge**. Size 3.75 mm (U.S. 5) circular knitting needle 24 ins [60 cm] long. 3 st holders for Bolero and Dress. 3 buttons and size 4 mm (U.S. G or 6) crochet hook for button loops for Dress.

INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (). When only one number is given, it applies to all sizes. For ease in working, circle all numbers pertaining to your size.

Bolero

Note: Garment is worked in one piece to armholes.

BODY

With MC and larger needles, cast on 92 (96-100-108-112) sts.

Next row: (RS). Knit.

Cast on 3 sts beg next 2 rows, then cast on 2 sts beg following 2 rows. 102 (106-110-118-112) sts.

Inc 1 st each end of needle on next 3 rows, then on following alt rows twice. 112 (116-120-128-132) sts.

Beg with purl row, proceed in stocking st for 0 (0-2-6-12) rows.

Proceed as follows:

1st row: (Dividing row). (RS). K26 (27-28-30-31) for Right Front.
Turn. Leave rem sts on a spare needle.
2nd row: Purl.

Shape raglan and front: 1st row: (RS). K1. Sl1. K1. pssso. Knit to last 4 sts. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

Work 3 rows even.

Rep last 4 rows 2 (3-3-3-3) times more. 20 (19-20-22-23) sts.

1st row: (RS). K1. Sl1. K1. pssso. Knit to last 4 sts. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.
2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: Knit to last 4 sts. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

4th row: Purl.

Rep last 4 rows 3 (3-3-4-4) times more. 8 (7-8-7-8) sts.

1st row: (RS). Sl1. K1. pssso. K4 (3-4-3-4). Sl1. K1. pssso. 6 (5-6-5-6) sts.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K4 (3-4-3-4). Sl1. K1. pssso. 5 (4-5-4-5) sts.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: Sl1. K1. pssso. K1 (0-1-0-1). Sl1. K1. pssso. 3 (2-3-2-3) sts.

6th row: Purl.

Sizes 6 mos, 18 mos and 3 yrs only:

7th row: K1. Sl1. K1. pssso. 2 sts.

8th row: Purl.

All sizes: Next row: Sl1. K1. pssso. Fasten off.

Back: With RS of work facing, join MC to rem sts. Cast off 4 sts. K52 (54-56-60-62) (including st on needle after cast off). **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Shape raglans: 1st row: (RS). K2. K2tog. Knit to last 4 sts. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

Work 3 rows even.

Rep last 4 rows 2 (3-3-3-3) times more. 46 (46-48-52-54) sts.

1st row: (RS). K2. K2tog. Knit to last 4 sts. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

2nd row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 11 (10-11-12-13) times more. 22 (24-24-26-26) sts. Leave rem sts on a st holder.

Left Front: With RS of work facing, join MC to rem sts. Cast off 4 sts. Knit to end of row. 26 (27-28-30-31) sts.
Next row: Purl.

Shape raglan and front: 1st row: (RS). K2. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

Work 3 rows even.

Rep last 4 rows 2 (3-3-3-3) times more. 20 (19-20-22-23) sts.

1st row: (RS). K2. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K2. K2tog. Knit to end of row.

4th row: Purl.

Rep last 4 rows 3 (3-3-4-4) times more. 8 (7-8-7-8) sts.

1st row: (RS). K2tog. K4 (3-4-3-4). K2tog. 6 (5-6-5-6) sts.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K2tog. K4 (3-4-3-4). 5 (4-5-4-5) sts.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: K2tog. K1 (0-1-0-1). K2tog.

6th row: Purl.

Sizes 6 mos, 18 mos and 3 yrs only:

7th row: K2tog. K1. 2 sts.

8th row: Purl.

All sizes: Next row: K2tog. Fasten off.

SLEEVES

With larger needles and MC, cast on 36 (38-40-42-44) sts.

Proceed in Eyelet Pat as follows:

1st row: (RS). Knit.

2nd and alt rows: With MC, purl.

3rd row: As 1st row.

5th row: With A, K1 (1-2-1-1). *yfwd. K3. Pass first st on right-hand needle over next 2 sts. Rep from * to last 2 (1-2-2-1) st(s). K2 (1-2-2-1). Break A.

7th row: Knit.

9th row: K3 (4-5-6-1). *K2tog. yfwd. K8. Rep from * to last 3 (4-5-6-3) sts. K2tog. yfwd. K1 (2-3-4-1).

11th row: K2 (3-4-5-0). *K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K5. Rep from * to last 4 (5-6-7-4) sts. K2tog. yfwd. K1. (yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso) 0 (1-1-1-0) time. K1 (0-1-2-1).

13th row: Knit.

15th row: With A, as 5th row. Break A.

16th row: Purl.

With MC, cont in stocking st, inc 1 st each end of needle on next and every following 6th (8th-8th-10th-12th) row to 44 (46-48-50-52) sts.

Cont even until Sleeve from beg measures 6 (7½-8-9-10) ins [15 (19-20.5-23-25.5) cm], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglans: Cast off 2 sts beg next 2 rows. 40 (42-44-46-48) sts.

1st row: (RS). K2. K2tog. Knit to last 4 sts. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

2nd row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows to 4 sts. Slip rem sts on a st holder.

Edging: Sew raglan seams. With RS of work facing, MC and circular needle, K4 from left sleeve st holder, dec 1 st at center. Pick up and knit 34 (35-38-42-48) sts down left front, 13 sts along bottom shaping. Pick up and knit 92 (96-100-108-112) sts across bottom of Bolero to right front bottom shaping, 13 sts along right

bottom shaping, 34 (35-38-42-48) sts up right front edge. K4 from right sleeve st holder, dec 1 st at center. K22 (24-24-26-26) sts from back st holder, dec 2 sts evenly across. 212 (220-230-248-264) sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle, proceed as follows:

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Next row: (Picot edge). With A, cast off 2 sts. *Slip st back onto left-hand needle, then cast on 2 sts. Cast off 4 sts. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

Sew edging seam.

Sleeve Edging: With RS of work facing, MC and smaller needles, pick up and knit 36 (38-40-42-44) sts across cast on edge of Sleeve.

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Next row: (Picot edge). With A, cast off 2 sts. *Slip st back onto left hand needle, then cast on 2 sts. Cast off 4 sts. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

Sew sleeve seams.

Dress

Note: Garment worked in one piece to armholes.

SKIRT

With MC and smaller needles, cast on 129 (138-141-147-156) sts. Proceed in Eyelet Pat as follows:

1st row: (RS). Knit.



2nd and alt rows: With MC, purl.

3rd row: As 1st row.

5th row: With A, K2. *yfwd. K3. Pass first st on right-hand needle over next 2 sts. Rep from * to last st. K1. Break A.

7th row: Knit.

9th row: K4 (4-5-3-3). *K2tog. yfwd. K8. Rep from * to last 5 (4-6-4-3) sts. K2tog. yfwd. K3 (2-4-2-1).

11th row: K3 (3-4-2-2). *K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K5. Rep from * to last 6 (5-7-5-4) sts. K2tog. yfwd. K1. (yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso) 1 (1-1-1-0) time. K1 (0-2-0-1).

13th row: Knit.

15th row: With A, as 5th row. Break A.

17th row: Knit.

19th row: K9 (9-10-8-8). *K2tog. yfwd. K8. Rep from * to last 10 (9-11-9-8) sts. K2tog. yfwd. K8 (7-9-7-6).

21st row: K8 (8-9-7-7). *K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K5. Rep from * to last 11 (10-12-10-9) sts. K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K6 (5-7-5-4).

22nd row: Purl.

Rows 3 to 22 form Eyelet Pat.

Cont in Eyelet Pat until work from beg measures approx 7½ (8-9-10½-11) ins [19 (20.5-23-26.5-28) cm], ending with 4th or 14th row of pat.

Next row: (RS). (Decrease row). K8 (10-3-2-8). K2tog. *[K3 (3-5-5-4). K2tog] 22 (23-19-20-23) times. K9 (11-3-3-8). 106 (114-121-126-132) sts.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: With A, K1 (3-2-3-3). *yfwd. K3. Pass first st on right-hand needle over next 2 sts. Rep from * to last 0 (3-2-3-3) sts. K0 (3-2-3-3). Break A.

Next row: Purl.

BODICE

Beg with a knit row, work even in stocking st for 2 (2½-3-3½-4½) ins [5 (6-7.5-9-11.5) cm], ending with WS facing for next row.

1st row: (Dividing row). P24 (26-28-29-31) for Right Back. **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

2nd row: K2togtbl. Knit to end of row.

3rd row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. 21 (23-25-26-28) sts.

Cont even until armhole measures 4½ (5-5-5½-5½) ins [11.5 (12.5-12.5-14-14) cm], ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder: Cast off 11 (12-14-14-15) sts. Slip rem 10 (11-11-12-13) sts on a st holder.

Front: With WS of work facing, join MC to rem sts. Cast off 4 sts. P50 (54-57-60-62) (including st on needle after cast off). **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Next row: K2togtbl. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.

Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. 44 (48-51-54-56) sts.

Cont even until armhole measures 1½ (2-2-2½-2½) ins [4 (5-5-6-6) cm], ending with RS facing for next row.

Neck shaping: **Next row:** K15 (16-17-18-19) (neck edge). **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then on every following alt row 2 (2-1-2-2) time(s). 11 (12-14-14-15) sts.

Cont even until armhole measures 4½ (5-5-5½-5½) ins [11.5 (12.5-12.5-14-14) cm], ending with RS facing for next row. Cast off.

With RS of work facing slip next 14 (16-17-18-18) sts on a st holder. Rejoin yarn to rem sts and knit to end of row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then on every following alt row 2 (2-1-2-2) time(s). 11 (12-14-14-15) sts.

Cont even until armhole measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ (5-5- $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $5\frac{1}{2}$) ins [11.5 (12.5-12.5-14-14) cm], ending with WS facing for next row. Cast off.

Left Back: With WS of work facing, join MC to rem sts. Cast off 4 sts. Purl to end of row. 24 (26-28-29-31) sts.

Next row: Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.
Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. 21 (23-25-26-28) sts.

Cont even until armhole measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ (5-5- $5\frac{1}{2}$ - $5\frac{1}{2}$) ins [11.5 (12.5-12.5-14-14) cm], ending with WS facing for next row.

Shape shoulder: Cast off 11 (12-14-14-15) sts. Slip rem 10 (11-11-12-13) sts on a st holder.

Armbands: With RS of work facing, MC and smaller needles, pick up and knit 54 (58-62-64-68) sts along armhole edge.

Next rnd: (WS). Knit.

Next rnd: (Picot edge). With A, cast off 2 sts. *Slip st back onto left-hand needle, then cast on 2 sts. Cast off 4 sts. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

Neckband: Sew shoulder seams. With RS of work facing, MC and smaller needles, K10 (11-11-12-13) from back left st holder. Pick up and knit 21 sts down left front neck edge. K14 (16-17-18-18) from front st holder, dec 2 (2-1-2-2) st(s) evenly across. Pick up and knit 21 sts up right front neck edge. K10 (11-11-12-13) from back right st holder. 74 (78-80-82-84) sts.

Next row: (WS). Knit.

Next row: (Picot edge). With A, cast off 2 sts. *Slip st back onto left-hand needle, then cast on 2 sts. Cast off 4 sts. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

Bottom Edge: With RS of work facing, MC and smaller needles, pick up and knit 135 (137-141-147-157) sts along bottom edge.

Next row: (WS). K1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to end of row.

Rep last row for Seed St Pat twice more.

With A, work 2 rows in Seed St Pat, dec 1 st at center of last row. 134 (136-140-146-156) sts.

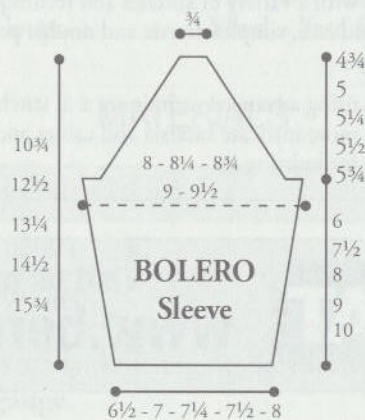
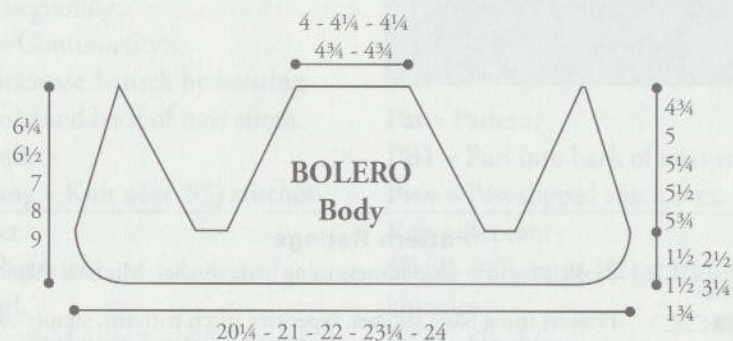
Next row: (Picot edge). With A, cast off 2 sts. *Slip st back onto left-hand needle, then cast on 2 sts. Cast off 4 sts. Rep from * to end of row. Fasten off.

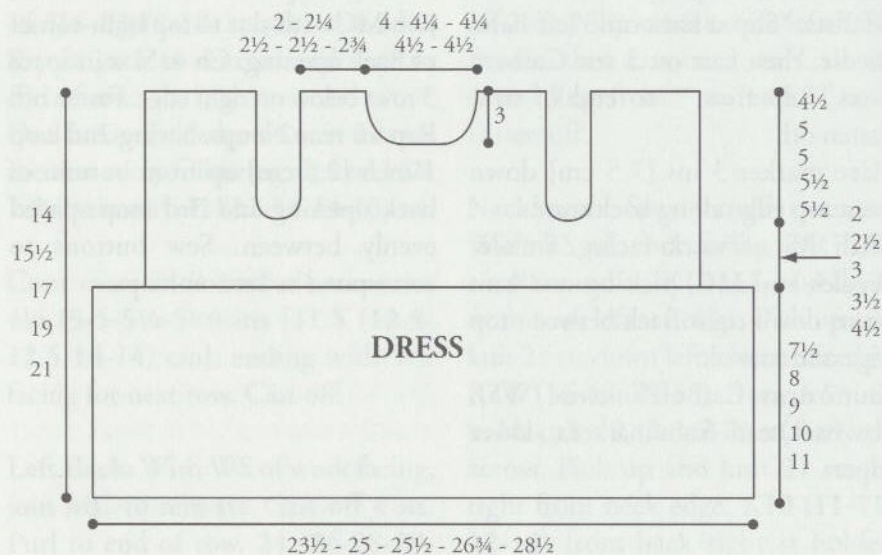
Place marker 3 ins [7.5 cm] down from top edge along back seam.

With RS of work facing, smaller needles and MC, pick up and knit 16 sts down right Back between top edge and marker.

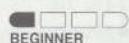
Knit 2 rows. Cast off knitwise (WS). Sew Back seam from marker to lower edge.

Button loops: With crochet hook, join MC with sl st to top right corner of Back opening. Ch 4. Sl st in space 3 rows below on right edge. Fasten off. Rep for rem 2 loops, having 2nd loop 1 inch [2.5 cm] up from bottom of back opening and 3rd loop spaced evenly between. Sew buttons to correspond to button loops.





Pattern Ratings



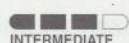
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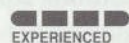
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Projects with a variety of stitches and techniques such as basic cables and lace, simple intarsia and double pointed needles for knitting.



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MEASUREMENTS

Approx 38 x 45 ins [96.5 x 114.5 cm].

GAUGE

22 sts and 30 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] in stocking st.

STITCH GLOSSARY

See page 26 for Helpful Hints.

Approx = Approximately.

Beg = Beginning.

Cont = Continue(ity).

Inc = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch.

K = Knit.

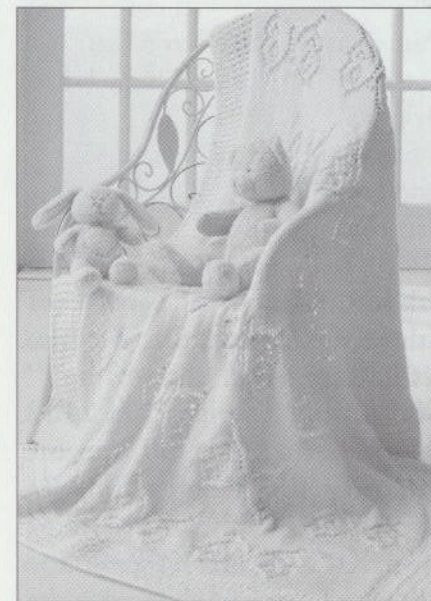
K2(3)tog = Knit next 2(3) stitches together.

RS = Right side.

P = Purl.

P2tog = Purl next 2 stitches together.

P2togtbl = Purl next 2 stitches together through back loops.



Pat = Pattern.

PB1 = Purl into back of next stitch.

Psso = Pass slipped stitch over.

Rep = Repeat.

Sl1(2) = Slip next 1(2) stitch(es) knitwise.

St(s) = Stitch(es).

Yrn = Yarn around needle.

Yfwd = Yarn forward.

MATERIALS

Bernat® Softee Baby (140 g / 5 oz)

Main Color (MC) (02001 Pink)

3 balls

Contrast A (02000 White)

1 ball

Size 4 mm (U.S. 6) circular knitting needle 36 ins [90 cm] long **or size needed to obtain gauge.**

INSTRUCTIONS

Panel Pat (worked over 31 sts).

1st row: (RS). K2. K2tog. (yfwd) twice. Sl1. K1. pssso. K19. K2tog. (yfwd) twice. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

2nd row: P4. PB1. P22. PB1. P3.

3rd row: K5. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K17. K2tog. yfwd. K5.

4th row: Purl.

5th row: K6. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K15. K2tog. yfwd. K6.

6th row: P7. yrn. P2tog. P13. P2togtbl. yrn. P7.

7th row: K5. K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K11. K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K5.

8th row: P4. P2togtbl. yrn. P3. yrn. P2tog. P9. P2togtbl. yrn. P3. yrn. P2tog. P4.

9th row: K3. K2tog. yfwd. K5. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K3. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. K2tog. yfwd. K5. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K3.

10th row: Purl.

11th row: K2. K2tog. yfwd. K1. K2tog. (yfwd) twice. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. (yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2tog. yfwd. K1) twice. K1. K2tog. (yfwd) twice. Sl1. K1. pssso. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

12th row: P7. PB1. P16. PB1. P6.

13th row: (K1. K2tog. yfwd) twice. (K2. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso) twice. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pssso. yfwd. (K2tog. yfwd. K2) twice. (yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K1) twice.

14th row: Purl.

15th row: K3. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K9. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pssso. yfwd. K9. K2tog. yfwd. K3.

16th row: P4. yrn. P2tog. P19. P2togtbl. yrn. P4.

17th row: K2. K2tog. yfwd. K3. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K5. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pssso. yfwd. K5. K2tog. yfwd. K3. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2.

18th, 20th, 22nd and 24th rows: Purl.

19th row: (K1. K2tog. yfwd. K1) twice. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K4. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pssso. yfwd. K4. K2tog. yfwd. (K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K1) twice.

21st row: (K2tog. yfwd. K2) twice. (K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K1. K2tog. yfwd. K2) twice. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso.

23rd row: K2. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. yfwd. Sl2. K1. p2sso. yfwd. K2. K2tog. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K2tog. pssso. yfwd. K1. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. yfwd. K3tog. yfwd. K2. K2tog. yfwd. K2.

25th row: K1. (K2. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso) twice. K1. K2tog. yfwd. K7. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K1. (K2tog. yfwd. K2) twice. K1.

26th row: P9. P2togtbl. yrn. P9. yrn. P2tog. P9.

27th row: K4. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. K2tog. yfwd. K11. yfwd. Sl1. K1. pssso. K2. K2tog. yfwd. K4.

28th row: P7. P2togtbl. yrn. P13. yrn. P2tog. P7.

29th row: K5. yfwd. K3tog. yfwd.

K15. yfwd. Sl2. K1. p2sso. yfwd. K5.

30th row: P5. P2togtbl. yrn. P17. yrn. P2tog. P5.

These 1st to 30th rows form Panel Pat.

With circular needle and MC, cast on 153 sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle, proceed as follows:

Work 6 rows in stocking st.

****1st row:** (RS). K4. (Work 1st row of Panel Pat. K7) 3 times. Work 1st row of Panel Pat. K4.

2nd row: P4. (Work 2nd row of Panel Pat. P7) 3 times. Work 2nd row of Panel Pat. P4.

Panel Pat is now in position.

Cont in pat until 30th row of Panel Pat is completed. Beg with knit row, work 12 rows in stocking st.***

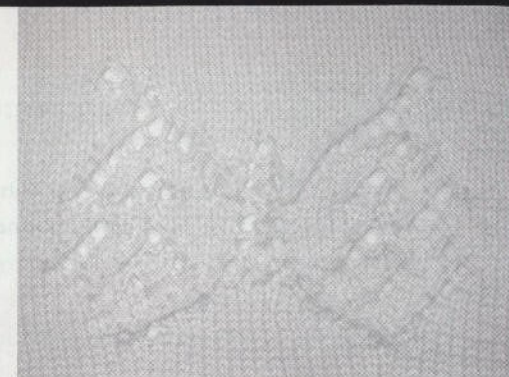
Next row: (RS). K23. (Work 1st of Panel Pat. K7) twice. Work 1st of Panel Pat. K23.

Next row: P23. (Work 2nd row of Panel Pat. P7) twice. Work 2nd of Panel Pat. P23.

Panel Pat is now in position.

Cont in pat until 30th row of Panel Pat is completed. Beg with knit row, work 12 rows in stocking st.**

Rep from ** to ** once more, then from ** to *** once. Beg with knit row, work 6 rows in stocking st.



Top border: 1st row: (RS). With A, knit, inc 1 st at center. 154 sts.

****2nd row:** Inc 1 st in first st. Knit to last 2 sts. Inc 1 st in next st. K1.

3rd row: Inc 1 st in first st. *yfwd. K2tog. Rep from * to last 2 sts. Inc 1 st in next st. K1.

4th row: Knit.

5th row: With MC, inc 1 st in first st. Knit to last 2 sts. Inc 1 st in next st. K1.

6th row: Purl.

7th row: With A, knit.

Rep 2nd to 7th rows 4 times more, then 2nd to 4th rows once. Cast off knitwise (RS).**

Bottom border: With RS of work facing and A, pick up and knit 154 sts evenly along cast on edge of Blanket. Work from ** to ** as given for Top border.

Side border: With RS of work facing and A, pick up and knit 192 sts evenly along side edge of Blanket. Work from ** to ** as given for Top border. Rep for other side. Sew side seams of border.

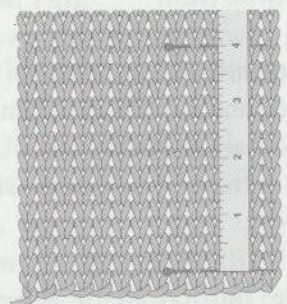
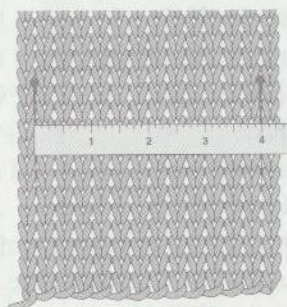
HELPFUL HINTS

For best results, be sure to use the yarn recommended in the pattern, and purchase enough of one dye lot to complete your project.

It is a good idea to retain ball bands in case of inquiry.

Before you begin to knit, check your gauge by making a test swatch and adjusting needle size, if necessary, to obtain the gauge quoted in the pattern.

Inaccurate gauge results in an item too large or too small. Even a variation of half a stitch makes an obvious difference in the finished size.



(Example knit gauge swatch shown:
Knit 12 sts and 13 rows).

WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

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Machine wash. Machine dry.

Machine Washing: Turn item inside out. Wash the item, preferably on its own, using a delicate cycle, cool water and detergent. Softener may be added to the final rinse. **Do not** use bleach.

Machine Drying: Tumble dry at low heat setting. **Do not** overheat.

Drying Flat: **Do not** wring, twist or hang to dry. Lay item on a flat surface away from lights, sunlight and excessive heat. While still damp, gently push item back to its original measurements.

* = The star symbol is a repeat sign and means that you follow the printed instructions from the first * until you reach the second *. You will then repeat from * to * the given number of times which does not include the first time. The ** and *** are used in the same way.

U.S. Knitters Please Note: Canadian and American terminologies differ slightly. Equivalents are shown.

Canadian	U.S.
yfwd	yarn over (yo)
tension	gauge
cast off	bind off

ABBREVIATIONS

cm = centimeter(s)	mm = millimeter(s)
g = gram(s)	oz = ounce(s)
in(s) = inch(es)	0 = no stitches,
m = meter(s)	times or rows

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