

Sunshine Baby wool 3 ply
Baby-Nylon 3 ply
or Baby Courtelle 3 ply
Ages Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

SUNSHINE SERIES

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ABBREVIATIONS

K knit, p purl, sts stitches, tog together, sl slip one stitch knitways, st-st stocking stitch (1 row knit, 1 row purl), g st garter stitch (every row knit), tbl through back of loops, yfwd yarn forward, yrn yarn round needle, yon yarn over needle, 0 no times, psso pass slipped stitch over, inc increase-(ing), dec decreasing, ch chain, dc double crochet, tr treble.

After casting off stitches for shaping, one stitch will remain on the right hand needle which is not included in the instructions that follow.

N.B. For the small size read the instructions as given.
For the large size read the figures within the brackets.

MATERIALS

THE LAYETTE can be worked from:

- 22 [26] balls Sunshine Baby 3 ply Wool or
- 22 [26] balls Baby Nylon 3 ply or
- 28 [32] balls Baby Courtelles 3 ply

THE DRESS

MEASUREMENTS

To Fit

Actual size

Full length

Sleeve length

18" 20"

18	20	ins
14	16	ins
2	2	ins

MATERIALS

- SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool
- or
- BABY NYLON 3 ply
- or
- BABY COURTELLES 3 ply

- 1 Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles.
- 3 Buttons.
- 1 yard Ribbon.

3	4	balls
3	4	balls
4	5	balls

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS

8 stitches to one inch measured over moss stitch.

Check your tension if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

BABY'S LAYETTE

AGES BIRTH/3 MONTHS AND 6/9 MONTHS

THE BACK

Cast on 154 [162] sts very loosely and work 2 rows in g st.
3RD Row. S1, * k1, yfwd, k2, sl, k2tog, psso, k2, yfwd, repeat from * to last st, k1.

4TH AND 6TH Rows. S1, purl to last st, k1.

5TH Row. S1, * k2, yfwd, k1, sl, k2tog, psso, k1, yfwd, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

7TH Row. S1, * k3, yfwd, sl, k2tog, psso, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to last st, k1.

8TH Row. S1, purl to last st, k1.

From 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) forms pattern.

Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) 14 [15] times then from 3rd to 7th row (inclusive) once.

NEXT Row. K2tog, (p2tog) 30 [38] times, (p3tog) 10 [2] times, (p2tog) 30 [38] times, k2tog. 72 [80] sts.

NEXT Row. * K2tog, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to end of row.

NEXT Row. S1, purl to last 2 sts, inc once in next st purlways, k1. 73 [81] sts. Proceed as follows:-

1ST Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 9 times. **

Divide for the Back Opening

NEXT Row. S1, (k1, p1) 19 [21] times, turn.

Working on these 39 [43] sts only proceed as follows:-

1ST Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 4 times.

Shape for the Armhole

1ST Row. Cast off 4 sts in pattern, work in pattern to last st, k1.

2ND Row. S1, work in pattern to last st, k1.

3RD Row. K2tog, work in pattern to last 3 sts, yfwd, k2tog, k1.

4TH Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

Work 32 [40] rows in pattern dec once at armhole edge (as before) in next and every alternate row at same time working a buttonhole (as before) in 17th [19th] row. 18 [18] sts.

Break off yarn, leave these sts on a thread.

NEXT Row. Cast on 5 [5] sts, using same needle and with right side of work facing, work across remaining 34 [38] sts as follows:- (k1, p1) 17 [19] times. 39 [43] sts.

Working on these 39 [43] sts only proceed as follows:-

1ST Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 5 times.

Shape for the Armhole

1ST Row. Cast off 4 sts in pattern, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Work 34 [42] rows dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 18 [18] sts.

Do not break off yarn, leave these sts on a thread.

THE FRONT

Cast on 154 [162] sts very loosely and work 2 row in g st.

Work exactly as given for The Back until ** is reached.

Work 6 [6] rows in pattern.

Shape for the Armholes

Cast off 4 sts in pattern at beginning of each of next 2 rows.

Work 20 [28] rows in pattern dec once at each end of next and every alternate row. 45 [45] sts.

Shape the Neck

NEXT Row. K2tog, pattern 14 sts, turn.

Working on these 15 sts only proceed as follows:-

NEXT Row. S1, pattern 13 sts, k1.

Work 7 [7] rows in pattern dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row at same time dec once at neck edge in every row. 4 [4] sts.

NEXT Row. S1, pattern 2 sts, k1.

NEXT Row. K2tog, pattern 1 st, k1.

NEXT Row. S1, pattern 1 st, k1.

NEXT Row. K2tog, k1.

NEXT Row. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

With right side of work facing, slip first 13 [13] sts of remaining 29 sts onto a thread, rejoin yarn to remaining 16 sts and proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. K1, work in pattern to last 2 sts, k2tog.

NEXT ROW. S1, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Work 7 [7] rows dec once at neck edge in every row at same time dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 4 [4] sts.

NEXT ROW. S1, pattern 2 sts, k1.

NEXT ROW. S1, pattern 1 st, k2tog.

NEXT ROW. S1, pattern 1 st, k1.

NEXT ROW. S1, k2tog.

NEXT ROW. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

THE SLEEVES

(Both alike)

Cast on 43 [47] sts and work 6 rows in g st.

Proceed as follows:-

1ST ROW. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 17 times.

Shape for the Top

Cast off 4 sts at beginning of each of next 2 rows.

Work 20 [28] rows in pattern dec once at each end of next and every following 4th row. 25 [25] sts.

Work 14 [14] rows in pattern dec once at each end of next and every alternate row. 11 [11] sts.

Break off yarn, leave these sts on a thread.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew up side and sleeve seams.

Placing seam to seam sew decreased edges of sleeves to decreased edges of bodice. Sew underlay in position.

THE NECKBAND

(For both sizes)

With right side of work facing, commencing at left half of back of neck, work across 18 sts left on a thread as follows:- k18, work across 11 sts left on a thread of one sleeve k11, pick up and knit 12 sts evenly along left side of front of neck, work across 13 sts left on a thread at front of neck k13, pick up and knit 12 sts evenly along right side of front of neck, work across 11 sts left on a thread of one sleeve k11, work across 18 sts left on a thread at back of neck k18. (95 sts).

1ST ROW. S1, k13, (k2tog, k11) 5 times, k2tog, k14. (89 sts).

2ND ROW. S1, knit to last 3 sts, yfwd, k2tog, k1.

3RD ROW. S1, knit to end of row.

Repeat 3rd row once.

Cast off knitways.

TO COMPLETE

Thread ribbon through holes at waist. Sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes.

THE MATINEE COAT

MEASUREMENTS

To Fit

Actual size

Full length

Sleeve length or length required

18" 20"

18	20	ins
8½	9	ins
5	6	ins

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or

BABY NYLON 3 ply

or

BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

1 Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles.

¾ yard Ribbon.

1 Button.

1 No. 11 Crochet Hook.

2	3	balls
2	3	balls
3	4	balls

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS

8 stitches to one inch measured over moss stitch.

Check your tension - if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

THE MATINEE COAT

Cast on 226 [242] sts very loosely and work 2 rows in g st. Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) as given at commencement of The Back of The Dress 6 times then from 3rd to 7th row (inclusive) once.

As the sts (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

NEXT ROW. S1, p2tog, (p1, p2tog) 33 times, (p2tog) 12 times, (p1, p2tog) 33 times, k1. 147 sts.

6/9 months only

NEXT ROW. S1, p1, (p1, p2tog) 79 times, p2, k1. [163] sts.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

1ST ROW. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 15 times.

Divide for Back and Fronts

NEXT ROW. S1, (k1, p1) 17 [19] times, cast off 6 sts in pattern, (p1, k1) 32 [36] times, cast off 6 sts in pattern, (k1, p1) 16 [18] times, k2.

THE LEFT FRONT

Working on first 35 [39] sts only proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. S1, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Keeping continuity of pattern (throughout) work 27 [29] rows dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 21 [24] st.

Shape the Neck

NEXT ROW. Cast off 6 sts in pattern, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Work 8 [10] rows in pattern dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row at same time dec once at neck edge in every row. 3 [3] sts.

NEXT ROW. K2tog, k1.

NEXT ROW. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

THE BACK

With wrong side of work facing, rejoin yarn to first 65 [73] sts of remaining 100 [112] sts and proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. K1, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Work 38 [42] rows dec once at each end of next and every alternate row. 27 [31] sts.

Break off yarn, leave these sts on a thread.

THE RIGHT FRONT

With wrong side of work facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 35 [39] sts and proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. K1, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Work 26 [28] rows dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 22 [25] sts.

Shape the Neck

NEXT ROW. Cast off 6 sts in pattern, work in pattern to last 2 sts, k2tog.

NEXT ROW. S1, work in pattern to last st, k1.

Work 8 [10] rows dec once at neck edge in every row at same time dec once at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 3 [3] sts.

NEXT ROW. S1, k2tog.

NEXT ROW. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

THE SLEEVES

(Both alike)

Cast on 42 sts and work 4 rows in g st.

Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) as given at commencement of The Back of The Dress twice then from 3rd to 7th row (inclusive) once.

As the sts (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

NEXT ROW. S1, purl to last 2 st, inc once in next st purlways, k1. 43 sts.

6/9 months only

NEXT Row. Inc once in first st, (p9, inc once in next st purlways) 4 times, k1. [47] sts.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

1ST Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row once.

Keeping continuity of moss st pattern (throughout) inc once at each end of next and every following 4th row until there are 55 [59] sts on needle.

Continue without shaping until work measures 5 [6] inches from commencement, or length required, ending on wrong side of work.

Shape for the Top

Cast off 3 sts in pattern at beginning of each of next 2 rows.

Work 38 [42] rows in pattern dec once at each end of next and every alternate row. 11 [11] sts.

Break off yarn, leave these sts on a thread.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew up sleeve seams. Placing sleeve seam to centre of cast off sts at armholes sew decreased edges of sleeves to decreased edges of bodice.

THE NECKBAND

(For both sizes)

With right side of work facing and commencing at Right Front, pick up and knit 12 [10] sts evenly along right side of neck, work across 11 sts left on a thread k11, work across 27 [31] sts left on a thread at back of neck k27 [31], work across 11 sts left on a thread of other sleeve k11, pick up and knit 12 [10] sts evenly along left side of neck. 73 [73] sts.

1ST Row. S1, knit to end of row.

2ND Row. S1, * k2tog, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to end of row. Repeat 1st row twice.

Cast off kniways.

TO COMPLETE

With right side of work facing, using No. 11 crochet hook and commencing at lower edge of Right Front, work 44 dc evenly along right front, turn.

NEXT Row. * 3 ch, 1 dc in first ch, miss 1 dc, 1 dc in next dc, * repeat from * to * 21 times. Fasten off.

With right side of work facing, using No. 11 crochet hook and commencing at top of Left Front, work 44 dc evenly along left front, turn.

NEXT Row. * 3 ch, 1 dc in first ch, miss 1 ch, 1 dc in next dc, * repeat from * to * 21 times. Fasten off.

Thread ribbon through holes at neck. Make a tiny bow and fasten at neck. Sew button at neck, using last picot as button loop.

THE LEGGINETTES

MEASUREMENTS

Length of Front seam

Length of Leg seam

9	9½	ins
8	8½	ins

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or

BABY NYLON 3 ply

or

BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

1 Pair No 11 Knitting Needles.

¾ yard Ribbon.

¾ yards Shirring Elastic.

3	4	balls
3	4	balls
4	5	balls

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS

8 stitches to one inch.

Check your tension – if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

THE RIGHT LEG

Cast on 89 [97] sts.

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1ST Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

2ND Row. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

Repeat 1st and 2nd rows 9 times.

Proceed as follows:-

1ST Row. S1, knit to end of row.

2ND Row. S1, purl to last st, k1. **

Shape the Back

1ST Row. S1, k10 [14], turn.

2ND AND EVERY ALTERNATE Row. Purl to last st, k1.

3RD Row. S1, k17 [21], turn.

5TH Row. S1, k24 [28], turn.

7TH Row. S1, k31 [35], turn.

9TH Row. S1, k38 [42], turn.

11TH Row. S1, k45 [49], turn.

13TH Row. S1, knit to end of row.

14TH Row. S1, purl to last st, k1.

Work 60 rows in st-st inc once at beginning of next and every

following 6th row. 99 [107] sts.

Work 4 [8] rows in st-st without shaping.

Work 18 rows dec once at each end of next and every alternate row. 81 [89] sts.

Work 17 rows dec once at each end of every row. 47 [55] sts. Commencing with a purl row work 13 [17] rows in st-st without shaping.

NEXT Row. S1, (yfwd, k2tog, k2) 11 [13] times, yfwd, k2tog. Commencing with a purl row work 5 rows in st-st. ***

Shape the Instep

1ST Row. S1, (k1, p1) 19 [22] times, k1, slip remaining 7 [9] sts onto a safety pin, turn.

2ND Row. S1, (p1, k1) 8 [10] times, k1, turn.

Work 16 [20] rows in moss st pattern on these 18 [22] sts to form instep. Break off yarn.

With right side of work facing, rejoin yarn to instep end of first 22 [24] sts which were left, pick up and knit 16 [16] sts evenly along right side of instep, work across 18 [22] instep sts in pattern, pick up and knit 16 [16] sts evenly along left side of instep, work across remaining 7 [9] sts left on a safety pin as follows:- (p1, k1) 3 [4] times, k1. 79 [87] sts.

Work 9 [11] rows in moss st pattern without shaping.

Shape the Foot

1ST Row. S1, (k1, p1) 2 [3] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 2 [3] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 11 [10] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 7 [9] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 10 [11] times, k2.

2ND AND 4TH ROWS. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

3RD Row. S1, (k1, p1) 1 [2] times, k1, p3tog, (k1, p1) 1 [2] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 10 [9] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 6 [8] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 10 [11] times, k1.

5TH Row. S1, (k1, p1) 1 [2] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 0 [1] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 9 [8] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 5 [7] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 9 [10] times, k2.

6TH Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Cast off loosely in pattern.

THE LEFT LEG

Cast on 89 [97] sts.

Repeat from ** to ** as given for The Right Leg once.

NEXT Row. S1, knit to end of row.

Shape the Back

1ST Row. S1, p10 [14], turn.

2ND AND EVERY ALTERNATE Row. Knit to end of row.

3RD Row. S1, p17 [21], turn.

5TH Row. S1, p24 [28], turn.

7TH Row. S1, p31 [35], turn.

9TH Row. S1, p38 [42], turn.

11TH Row. S1, p45 [49], turn.

12TH Row. S1, knit to end of row.

13TH Row. S1, purl to last st, k1.

Work 60 rows in st-st inc once at end of next and every following 6th row. 99 [107] sts.

Repeat from *** to *** as given for The Right Leg once.

Shape the Instep

1st Row. S1, (k1, p1) 12 [15] times, slip remaining 22 [24] sts onto a safety pin, turn.

2nd Row. S1, (k1, p1) 8 [10] times, k1, turn.

Work 16 [20] rows in moss st pattern on these 18 [22] sts to form instep. Break off yarn.

With right side of work facing, rejoin yarn to instep end of first [7] 9 sts which were left, pick up and knit 16 [16] sts evenly along right side of instep, work across 18 [22] instep sts in pattern, pick up and knit 16 [16] sts evenly along left side of instep, work across remaining 22 [24] sts left on a safety pin as follows:- (k1, p1) 10 [11] times, k2, 79 [87] sts.

Work 9 [11] rows in moss st pattern without shaping.

Shape the Foot

1st Row. S1, (k1, p1) 10 [11] times, k1, p3tog, (k1, p1) 7 [9] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 11 [10] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 2 [3] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 2 [3] times, k1.

2nd and 4th Rows. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

3rd Row. S1, (k1, p1) 9 [11] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 6 [8] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 10 [9] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 1 [2] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 2 [2] times, k2.

5th Row. S1, (k1, p1) 9 [10] times, k1, p3tog, (k1, p1) 5 [7] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 9 [8] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 0 [1] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 1 [2] times, k1.

6th Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Cast off loosely in pattern.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew up front, back and leg seams. Commencing at centre of toe, sew up foot seam. Cut ribbon in half and thread through holes at ankles. With wrong side of work facing, commencing at cast on edge, thread shirring elastic through every knit st in first and every alternate row.

THE PRAM COAT

MEASUREMENTS

To Fit

Actual size

Full length

Sleeve length or length required

18" 20"

18	20	ins
11	13	ins
5	6	ins

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or

BABY NYLON 3 ply

or

BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

3	4	balls
3	4	balls
4	5	balls

1 Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles.

5 Buttons.

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS

8 stitches to one inch

Check your tension - if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

THE PRAM COAT

Cast on 299 [315] sts.

1st Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 27 times.

Proceed as follows:-

1st Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, k13 [15], (s1, k1, pssso, k28 [28], k2tog, k24 [28]) twice, k25 [25], s1, k1, pssso, k28 [28], k2tog, k24 [28], s1, k1, pssso, k28 [28], k2tog, k13 [15], (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

2nd, 4th and 6th Rows. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, purl to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

3rd Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, knit to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

5th Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, k13 [15], (s1, k1, pssso, k26 [26], k2tog, k24 [28]) twice, k25 [25], s1, k1, pssso, k26 [26], k2tog, k13 [15], (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

7th Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, knit to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

Keeping continuity of moss st borders and st-st (throughout) work 28 [40] rows dec (as before) working 2 sts less between each dec in 2nd and every following 4th row. 227 [219] sts.

Work 11 [5] rows dec (as before) working 2 sts less between each dec in 2nd and every alternate row. 187 [203] sts.

Next Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, k13 [15], (s1, k1, pssso, k2tog, k24 [28]) twice, k25 [25], s1, k1, pssso, k2tog, k24 [28], s1, k1, pssso, k2tog, k13 [15], (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

Next Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, purl to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

Next Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, k13 [15], (s1, k1, pssso, k24 [28]) twice, k25 [25], s1, k1, pssso, k24 [28], s1, k1, pssso, k13 [15], (k1, p1) 11 times, k2. 175 [191] sts.

Commencing with a purl row work 3 rows without shaping.

Divide for Back and Fronts

Next Row. S1, k1, p1, k1, yfwd, k2tog, (p1, k1) 6 times, p2tog, yrn, (p1, k1) twice, k23 [27], cast off 6 sts, k68 [76], cast off 6 sts, k22 [26], (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

THE LEFT FRONT

Working on first 47 [51] sts only proceed as follows:-

Next Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, purl to last st, k1.

Next Row. S1, s1, k1, pssso, knit to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

Next Row. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, purl to last st, k1.

Keeping continuity of st-st and moss st border (throughout)

work 21 [27] rows dec once (as before) at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 35 [36] sts.

Shape the Neck

Next Row. S1, (k1, p1) 4 times, cast off 6 [6] sts in pattern, (p1, k1) 4 times, purl to last st, k1.

Working on first 20 [21] sts only proceed as follows:-

As the shapings (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

Next Row. S1, s1, k1, pssso, knit to last 9 sts, pattern 8 sts, k1.

Next Row. K2tog, pattern 7 sts, purl to last st, k1. 18 sts.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

Keeping continuity of st-st and moss st border (throughout)

work 10 [12] rows dec once at armhole edge (as before) in next and every alternate row at same time dec once at neck edge in 2nd [1st] and every following row. 4 [4] sts.

Next Row. (K2tog) twice.

Next Row. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

With right side of work facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 9 sts and proceed as follows:-

Work 14 rows in pattern dec once at beginning of next and every alternate row. (2 sts).

Next Row. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

THE BACK

With wrong side of work facing, rejoin yarn to first 69 [77] sts of remaining 116 [128] sts and proceed as follows:-

Next Row. K1, purl to last st, k1.

Next Row. S1, s1, k1, pssso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next Row. S1, purl to last st, k1.

Work 36 [42] rows in st-st dec once (as before) at each end of next and every alternate row. 31 [33] sts.

Cast off.

THE RIGHT FRONT

With wrong side of work facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 47 [51] sts and proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. K1, purl to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

NEXT ROW. S1, (k1, p1) 11 times, k1, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

NEXT ROW. S1, purl to last 24 sts, (k1, p1) 11 times, k2.

Keeping continuity of moss st border and st-st (throughout) work 16 [22] rows dec once (as before) at armhole edge in next and every alternate row. 38 [39] sts.

NEXT ROW. S1, k1, p1, k1, yfwd, k2tog, (p1, k1) 6 times, p2tog, yon, (p1, k1) twice, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Work 3 [3] rows dec once (as before) at armhole edge in 2nd row.

Shape the Neck

NEXT ROW. S1, (k1, p1) 4 times, cast off 6 [6] sts in pattern, (p1, k1) 4 times, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Working on first 20 [21] sts only proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. S1, purl to last 9 sts, pattern 8 sts, k1.

As the shapings (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

NEXT ROW. S1, pattern 8 sts, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

NEXT ROW. S1, purl to last 9 sts, pattern 7 sts, k2tog. 18 sts.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

Keeping continuity of moss st border and st-st (throughout) work 10 [12] rows dec once at neck edge in 2nd [1st] and every following row at same time dec once at armhole edge (as before) in next and every alternate row. 4 [4] sts.

NEXT ROW. (K2tog) twice.

NEXT ROW. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

With wrong side of work facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 9 sts and proceed as follows:-

NEXT ROW. K1, pattern 7 sts, k1.

Work 14 rows dec once at end of next and every alternate row. (2 sts).

NEXT ROW. K2tog.

Break off yarn, fasten off.

THE SLEEVES

(Both alike)

Cast on 42 [42] sts very loosely and work 2 rows in g st.

Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) as given at commencement of The Back of The Dress 3 times dec once at end of last row. (41 sts).

Proceed as follows:-

1ST ROW. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

2ND ROW. S1, k1, * p1 k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st and 2nd rows twice.

As the sts (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

1ST ROW. S1, purl to last 2 sts, inc once in next st purlways, k1.

6/9 months only

1ST ROW. Inc once in first st, p9, inc once in next st purlways, p8, (inc once in next st purlways, p9) twice, inc once in next st purlways k1. [46] sts.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

2ND ROW. S1, knit to end of row.

3RD ROW. S1, purl to last st, k1.

Continue in st-st inc once at each end of next and every following 4th row until there are 56 [62] sts on needle.

Continue without shaping until work measures 5 [6] inches from commencement of rib, or length required, ending on wrong side of work.

Shape for the Top

Cast off 3 sts at beginning of each of next 2 rows.

Proceed as follows:-

1ST ROW. S1, s1, k1, pss, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

2ND ROW. S1, purl to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st and 2nd rows 18 [21] times. 12 [12] sts.

Cast off loosely.

THE COLLAR

Cast on 71 [79] sts very loosely and work 2 rows in g st.

3RD ROW. S1, k2, * k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pss, k2, yfwd, repeat from * to last 4 sts, k4.

4TH AND 6TH ROWS. S1, k2, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

5TH ROW. S1, k2, * k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pss, k1, yfwd, k1, repeat from * to last 4 sts, k4.

7TH ROW. S1, k2, * k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pss, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to last 4 sts, k4.

8TH ROW. S1, k2, purl to last 3 sts, k3.

From 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) forms pattern.

Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) 3 times.

Cast off loosely in pattern.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. With right side of work facing, sew up sleeve seams for 2 inches, turn work inside out and sew up remainder of seam. Placing seam to centre of cast off sts at armholes, sew decreased edges of sleeves to decreased edges of bodice. With right side of collar to wrong side of work, ends of collar at centre of each 6 [6] cast off sts at front of neck, make a buttonloop at neck edge on right front. Sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes and buttonloop. Turn back cuffs for 2 inches.

THE MITTENS

MEASUREMENTS

Width across palm

Length of palm

2	2½	ins
2½	3	ins

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or
BABY NYLON 3 ply

or
BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

1 Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles.

¾ yard Ribbon.

1	1	ball
1	1	ball
1	1	ball

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS

8 stitches to one inch measured over moss st.

Check your tension – if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

THE MITTENS

(Both alike)

Cast on 33 [41] sts.

1ST ROW. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

2ND ROW. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

Repeat 1st and 2nd rows 5 times.

As the holes (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

NEXT ROW. Inc once in first st, * yrn, p2tog, repeat from * to last 2 sts, yon, k2. 35 sts.

6/9 months only

NEXT ROW. S1, * yrn, p2tog, repeat from * to last 2 sts, yon, k2tog.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

1ST ROW. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row 26 [32] times.

Shape the Top

1ST ROW. S1, * k1, p1, k3tog, p1, repeat from * to last 4 sts, k1, p1, k2tog.

2ND ROW. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

3RD ROW. S1, k1, * p3tog, k1, repeat from * to last 2 sts, k2tog.

4TH Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.
5TH Row. (K2tog) 6 [7] times, k1. 7 [8] sts.
Break off yarn, run yarn through remaining sts, draw up and fasten off.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew up seam. Cut ribbon in half and thread through holes at wrists.

THE BONNET

MEASUREMENTS

Width round face

11	12	ins
5	5	ins

Front to Back

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or

BABY NYLON 3 ply

or

BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

1 Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles

1 yard Ribbon

1	1	ball
1	1	ball
1	1	ball

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS
8 stitches to one inch measured over moss stitch.

Check your tension – if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

THE BONNET

Cast on 90 [98] sts very loosely and work 2 rows in g st.
Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) as given at commencement of The Back of The Dress 5 times inc once at end of last row. 91 [99] sts.

Proceed as follows:-

1ST Row. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

2ND Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st and 2nd rows 4 times.

11TH Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 11th row 41 [45] times.

Shape the Crown

As the shapings (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

1ST Row. S1, (k1, p1) twice, * k3tog, (p1, k1) 4 times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 4 times, repeat from * to last 20 sts, k3tog, (p1, k1) 4 times, p3tog, (k1, p1) twice, k2.

2ND Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 2nd row twice.

5TH Row. S1, k1, p1, k1, * p3tog, (k1, p1) 3 times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 3 times, repeat from * to last 17 sts, p3tog, (k1, p1) 3 times, k3tog, (p1, k1) twice, k1.

Repeat 2nd row 3 times also after 9th and 13th rows.

9TH Row. S1, k1, p1, * k3tog, (p1, k1) twice, p3tog, (k1, p1) twice, repeat from * to last 14 sts, k3tog, (p1, k1) twice, p3tog, k1, p1, k2.

13TH Row. S1, k1, * p3tog, k1, p1, k3tog, p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

17TH Row. S1, (k3tog, p3tog) 4 times, k2tog. 10 sts.

6/9 months only

1ST Row. S1, (k1, p1) 4 times, * k3tog, (p1, k1) 4 times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 4 times, repeat from * to last 2 sts, k2.

2ND Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 2nd row twice.

5TH Row. S1, (k1, p1) 3 times, k1, * p3tog, (k1, p1) 3 times,

k3tog, (p1, k1) 3 times, repeat from * to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

Repeat 2nd row 3 times also after 9th and 13th rows.

9TH Row. S1, (k1, p1) 3 times, * k3tog, (p1, k1) twice, p3tog,

(k1, p1) twice, repeat from * to last 4 sts, k1, p1, k2.

13TH Row. S1, (k1, p1) twice, k1, * p3tog, k1 p1, k3tog, p1, k1,

repeat from * to last 5 sts, (p1, k1) twice, k1.

17TH Row. K2tog, (k3tog, p3tog) 5 times, k2tog, k1. [13] sts.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

Break off yarn, run yarn through remaining sts, draw up and fasten off.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Commencing at crown sew up seam for 2½ inches. Turn back brim and sew down side edges. Using a medium size crochet hook, and with right side of work facing, work 1 row dc evenly all round neck edge. Cut ribbon in half and sew in position at each side of bonnet.

THE BOOTEES

MEASUREMENTS

Length of foot

3½	4	ins
4	4	ins

Length of leg

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or

BABY NYLON 3 ply

or

BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

1 Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles

¾ yard Ribbon

1	1	ball
1	1	ball
1	1	ball

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS
8 stitches to one inch.

Check your tension – if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle

THE BOOTEES

(Both alike)

Cast on 42 [50] sts very loosely and work 2 rows in g st.

Repeat from 3rd to 8th row (inclusive) as given at commencement of The Back of The Dress 4 times.

NEXT Row. S1, k4 [5] (k2tog, k4 [5]) 6 times, k1 [2]. 36 [44] sts.
As the shapings (may) differ for the various ages follow the headings for the age required.

Birth/3 months only

1ST Row. S1, * p1, yrn. p2tog, repeat from * to last 2 sts, p1, yrn, k1. 37 sts.

2ND Row. S1, (p1, k1) 11 times, p1, turn.

3RD Row. S1, (k1, p1) 5 times, turn.

6/9 months only

1ST Row. K2tog, * yrn, p1, p2tog, repeat from * to last 3 sts, yrn, p1, k2tog. 43 sts.

2ND Row. S1, (p1, k1) 13 times, p1, turn.

3RD Row. S1, (k1, p1) 6 times, turn.

Birth/3 months and 6/9 months

Working on these 11 [13] sts only work 16 [20] rows in moss st to form instep.

Break off yarn.

With right side of work facing, rejoin yarn to instep end of first 13 [15] sts which were left, pick up and knit 14 [16] sts evenly along right side of instep, work across 11 [13] instep sts in pattern pick up and knit 14 [16] sts evenly along left side of instep, work across remaining 13 [15] sts in pattern. 65 [75] sts.

NEXT Row. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

Work 6 [10] rows in moss st pattern without shaping.

Shape the Foot

1ST Row. S1, k2tog, (p1, k1) 11 [13] times, p1, k3tog, (p1, k1)

4 [5] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 11 [13] times, k2tog, k1.

2ND Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

3RD Row. S1, p2tog, (k1, p1) 10 [12] times, k1, p3tog, (k1, p1)

3 [4] times, k3tog, (p1, k1) 10 [12] times, p2tog, k1.

4TH Row. S1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to end of row.

5TH Row. S1, k2tog, (p1, k1) 9 [11] times, p1, k3tog, (p1, k1)

2 [3] times, p3tog, (k1, p1) 9 [11] times, k2tog, k1.

6TH Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Cast off in pattern.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew up leg and foot seams. Cut ribbon in half and thread through holes at ankles.

THE SHAWL

MEASUREMENTS

40 inches square (approximately).

MATERIALS

SUNSHINE BABY 3 ply Wool

or

BABY NYLON 3 ply

or

BABY COURTELLE 3 ply

1 Pair No. 9 Knitting Needles.

10	balls
10	balls
12	balls

TENSION

THE TENSION FOR THIS DESIGN IS

7 stitches to one inch measured over moss stitch.

Check your tension - if less stitches use a finer needle, if more use a coarser needle.

GENERAL PRESSING INSTRUCTIONS

WOOL	— under damp cloth — hot iron.
NYLON	— under dry cloth — warm iron.
MOHAIR	— under damp cloth — hot iron — light pressure.

THE CENTRE PIECE

Cast on 173 sts.

1ST Row. S1, k1, * p1, k1, repeat from * to last st, k1.

Repeat 1st row until work measures 25 inches from commencement, ending on wrong side of work.

Cast off loosely in pattern.

THE BORDER

(Work 4 alike)

Cast on 274 sts very loosely.

1ST Row. S1, knit to end of row.

Repeat 1st row once.

Proceed as follows:-

1ST Row. K2tog, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yfwd, * k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yfwd, repeat from * to last 9 sts, k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k3.

2ND AND EVERY ALTERNATE ROW. K2tog, purl to last 2 sts, k2tog.

3RD Row. S1, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, * k1, * k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k1, repeat from * to last 7 sts, k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1.

5TH Row. S1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, * k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to last 5 sts, k2, k2tog, k1.

7TH Row. S1, k2tog, * k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yfwd, repeat from * to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

9TH Row. S1, k2tog, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k1, * k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k1, repeat from * to last 9 sts, k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k2tog.

11TH Row. S1, k1, pssso, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, * k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to last 7 sts, k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1.

13TH Row. S1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yfwd, * k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yfwd, repeat from * to last 5 sts, k1, yfwd, k1, k3tog.

15TH Row. S1, k2tog, * k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k1, repeat from * to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

17TH Row. S1, k2tog, k1, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, * k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to last 9 sts, k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2tog, k1.

19TH Row. S1, k2tog, s1, k1, pssso, k2, yfwd, * k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k2, yfwd, repeat from * to last 7 sts, k1, yfwd, k2, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1.

21ST Row. S1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k1, * k2, yfwd, k1, s1, k2tog, pssso, k1, yfwd, k1, repeat from * to last 5 sts, k2, yfwd, k3tog.

23RD Row. S1, k2tog, * k3, yfwd, s1, k2tog, pssso, yfwd, k2, repeat from * to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

24TH Row. K2tog, purl to last 2 sts, k2tog.

From 1st to 24th row (inclusive) forms pattern. Work 24 rows in pattern dec (as before) at each end of every row. (178 sts).

Cost off loosely in pattern.

TO MAKE UP

Read Pressing Instructions. Sew ends of borders together.

Placing a seam to each corner of centre piece, sew borders in position.

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