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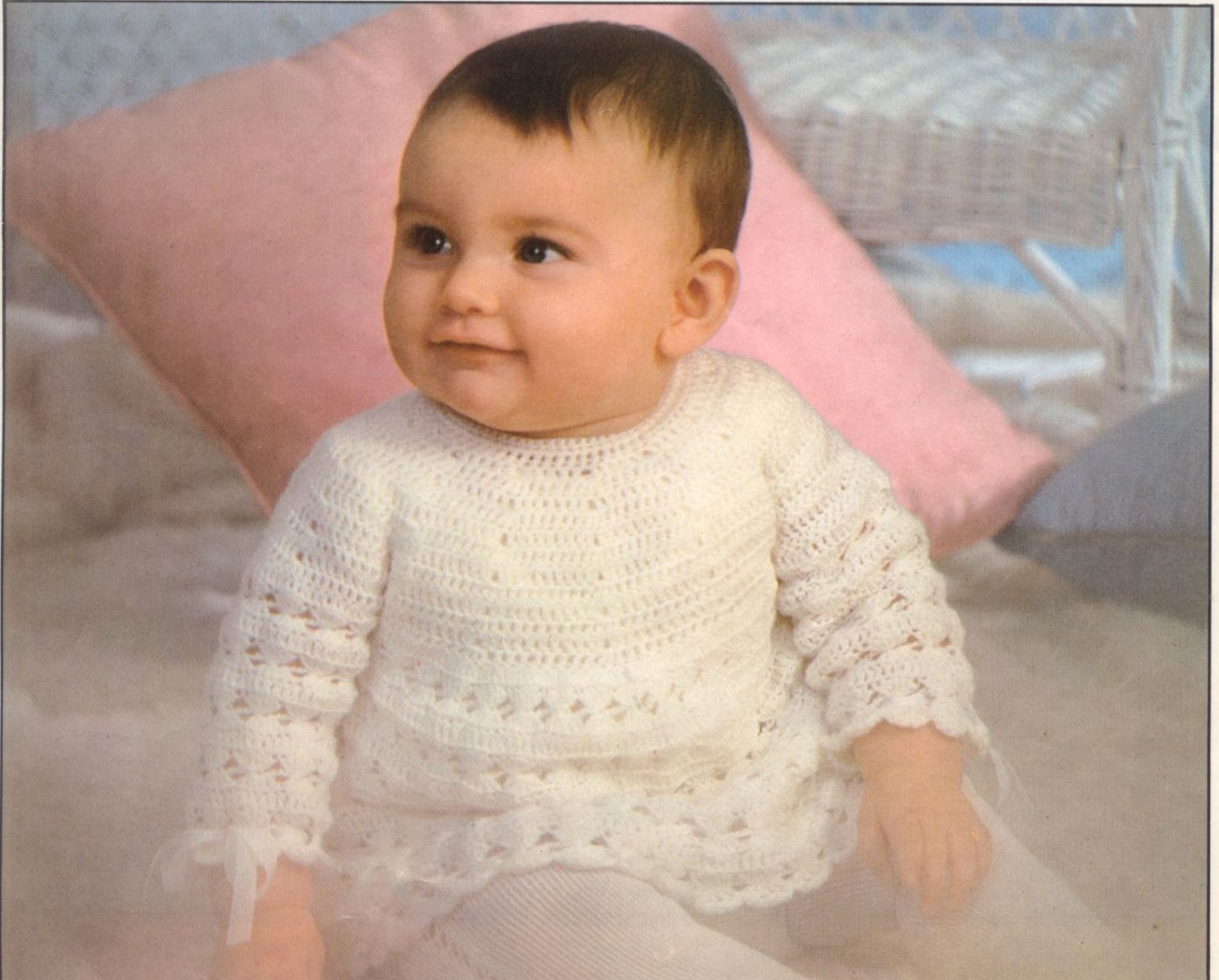




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General Notes

PRESSING

Always press each piece on wrong side of work, avoiding ribbing.

Wool: Using a hot iron and a damp cloth, steam each piece thoroughly without allowing the weight of the iron to rest on the work. While the knitting is still damp pin out, then press lightly again and allow to dry.

Synthetic yarns: Press lightly on wrong side using a warm iron and a dry cloth, **except** when label states that yarn should not be pressed.

TENSION

For best results always read the complete instructions and check the tension before starting work. If the piece measures **less** than the required width try again using a larger needle or hook. If the piece measures **more** than the required width try again using a smaller needle or hook. Where tensions are given over st st for a patterned garment, check your tension

in st st. If you have to use a different needle size to obtain this tension a similar adjustment must be made to the needle sizes used in the patterns. A proper fit and correct size of finished garment is only possible with the correct tension.

NOTES

Figures in round brackets refer to the larger sizes. Figures or instructions in square brackets [], should be repeated as stated after the brackets.

As the shapings (may) differ for the various sizes follow the headings for the size required. The quantities of yarn stated in this publication are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt=alternate; beg=beginning; ch=chain; cms=centimetres; dc=double crochet; dec=decrease; d tr=double treble; garter

stitch=every row knit; h tr=half treble; inc=increase; ins=inches; k=knit; p=purl; psso=pass slipped stitch over; rep=repeat; sl=slip; st=stitch; sts=stitches; st st=stocking stitch (1 row k, 1 row p); tbl=through back of loop; tog=together; tr=treble; yb=yarn back; yf=yarn forward; yfon=yarn forward and over needle; yo=yarn over; yrn=yarn round needle.

TWISTED CORD

Take required number of strands of yarn of the length stated or approximately 2½ times required length of finished cord. Knot each end, then ask someone to hold one end while you hold the other, then both twist to the right until the yarn is tightly twisted. Now fold in half and release folded end, letting it twist into a cord. Tie loose ends together in a knot to keep from unwinding. If required you may tie a knot near other end and cut end, thus forming a small tassel at each end.

1-4. Lacy Outfit

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins

JACKET				
Length to shoulder approximately	21	26	32	cms
	8¼	10¼	12½	ins

Sleeve seam	12	14	16	cms
	4¾	5½	6¼	ins

DRESS				
Length to shoulder	27	32	38	cms
	10½	12½	15	ins

Sleeve seam	5	5	5	cms
	2	2	2	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY 4 PLY QUALITIES 20g balls

JACKET:	4	5	6	balls
DRESS:	5	6	7	balls
BONNET:	1	2	2	balls
BOOTEES:	1	1	2	balls

Pair needles each size 3¼mm (10) and 3mm (11). Baby ribbon. 3 buttons and 3mm crochet hook for Dress.

TENSION

27 sts and 44 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over pattern using size 3¼mm (10) needles.

30 sts and 38 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 3¼mm (10) needles.

Jacket

The sleeves

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 57(57-63) sts loosely.

★ Work 2 rows in st st, starting knit.

Next row (picot): *K2tog, yf; rep from * to last st, k1.

Work 3 rows in st st, starting purl.

Next row (hem): *K first st on needle together with corresponding cast-on loop; rep from * to end taking care to match sts. ★

Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and commence pattern:-

1st row (wrong side): Knit.

2nd row: P1, *yrn, p2tog; rep from * to end.

3rd and 4th rows: Knit.

5th and every alt row to 15th row: Purl.

6th row: *K4, yf, sl 1, k1, psso; rep from * to last 3 sts, k3.

8th row: K2, *k2tog, yf, k1, yf, sl 1, k1, psso, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

10th row: K1, k2tog, yf, *k3, yf, sl 1, k2tog, psso, yf; rep from * to last 6 sts, k3, yf, sl 1, k1, psso, k1.

12th row: K3, *yf, sl 1, k2tog, psso, yf, k3; rep from * to end.

14th row: As 6th row.

16th row: Knit.

These 16 rows form the pattern. Rep these 16 rows 2(2-3) times more, then work first 3(11-3) rows again, thus ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Raglan Top

Keeping pattern correct cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

1st size only

3rd row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, work in pattern to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

4th row: P2, work to last 2 sts, p2.

Rep the last 2 rows until 17 sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

2nd and 3rd sizes only

3rd row: K2, work in pattern to last 2 sts, k2.

4th row: P2, work to last 2 sts, p2.

5th row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

6th row: As 4th row.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(5) times more, 45(47) sts remain, then rep the last 2 rows only until 17 sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

All sizes

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, work to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1. 13 sts remain.

Next row: P2, work to last 2 sts, p2. Slip sts onto a holder for neck edging.

The back

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 87(99-117) sts loosely and work as given for Sleeves from ★ to ★.

Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work 7 rows in pattern as given for Sleeves. Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at each end of next and every following 4th row until 67(75-81) sts remain, work 7 rows straight thus ending with a 3rd(11th-3rd) row of pattern.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Keeping pattern correct cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

3rd row: K2, work in pattern to last 2 sts, k2.

4th row: P2, work to last 2 sts, p2.

5th row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

6th row: As 4th row.

Rep the last 4 rows 2(4-7) times more, 57(61-61) sts remain, then rep the last 2 rows only until 33(37-39) sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, work to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1. 29(33-35) sts remain.

Next row: As 4th row.

Slip sts onto a holder for neck edging.

The left front

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 39(45-57) sts loosely and work as given for Sleeves from ★ to ★.

Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work 7 rows in pattern as given for Sleeves. Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at **beg** (side edge) of next and every following 4th row until 29(33-39) sts remain. Work 7 rows straight (work 1 row more here for Right Front) thus ending at side edge.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Keeping pattern correct cast off 2 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row.

3rd row: K2, work in pattern to end.

4th row: Work to last 2 sts, p2.

5th row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, work to end.

6th row: As 4th row.

Rep the last 4 rows 2(4-7) times more, 24(26-29) sts remain, then rep the last 2 rows only until 17(20-25) sts remain, ending with the dec row.

Shape Neck

Next row: Cast off first 4(6-8) sts, work to last 2 sts, p2.

Continuing to dec at raglan edge as before on next and every alt row, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3(3-5) rows, then on every alt row twice. 4(5-5) sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight continue raglan decs only until 3 sts remain. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The right front

Work to match Left Front to beg of raglan shaping, reversing shaping by reading **end** for **beg**.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Keeping pattern correct cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.

2nd row: Work to last 2 sts, k2.

3rd row: P2, work to end.

4th row: Work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

5th row: As 3rd row.

Rep the last 4 rows 2(4-7) times more, 24(26-29) sts remain, then rep the last 2 rows only until 17(20-25) sts remain, ending with the wrong side row.

Shape Neck

Next row: Cast off first 5(7-9) sts, work to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Continuing to dec at raglan edge as before on every alt row, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2(2-4) rows then on every alt row twice. 4(5-5) sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight continue raglan decs only until 3 sts remain. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

Finishing and edging

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Neck Edging: Using size 3¼mm (10) needles and with right side of work facing pick up and k11(12-13) sts around right front neck edge, work across sts of right sleeve heading as follows:—k1, [k2tog, k1] 4 times; work across sts of back neck as follows:—k3(2-3), [k2tog, k1] 7(9-9) times, k2tog, k3(2-3); work across sts of left sleeve heading as given for right, pick up and k11(12-13) sts around left front neck edge. 61(65-69) sts.

1st row (wrong side): Knit.

2nd row: P1, *yrr, p2tog; rep from * to end.

3rd row: Knit.

Change to size 3mm (11) needles and work 4 rows in st st, starting knit.

Next row (picot): *K2tog, yf; rep from * to last st, k1.

Work 2 rows in st st, starting purl. Cast off.

Fold picot edge in half to inside and slip st in place.

Front Edging: Using size 3mm (11) needles and with right side of work facing pick up and k49(61-77) sts evenly up right front edge to top of neck edging.

Work 3 rows in st st, starting purl.

Next row (picot): *K2tog, yf; rep from * to last st, k1.

Work 2 rows in st st, starting purl. Cast off.

Work left front edging to match. Fold edgings in half to inside and slip st in place.

Join side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Thread ribbon through holes in neck edging leaving enough at each end to tie at front, and sew firmly in place at front edges.

Dress

The back

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 105(111-123) sts loosely, and work as given for Sleeves of Jacket from ★ to ★.

Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work 19 rows in pattern as given for Sleeves of Jacket, thus ending with the 3rd row. Work 2 rows in st st, starting knit. Continuing in st st, dec 1 st at each end of next and every following 6th(8th-8th) row until 89(97-105) sts remain. Work straight until back measures 18(21-25) cms [7(8¼-10) ins] or 1 cm [½ inch] less than required length to armholes ending with a purl row.

Next row (decrease): K6(10-6), *k2tog, k1(1-2); rep from * to last 8(12-7) sts, k2tog, k to end. 63(71-81) sts remain.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: P2(2-3), *yrr, p2tog; rep from * to last 1(1-2) sts, p to end.

Next row: Knit.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Continuing in st st, starting knit, cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

3rd row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

4th row: Purl. ★★

Rep the last 2 rows until 29(31-33) sts remain ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows once more. Slip remaining 21(23-25) sts onto a holder for neckband.

The front

Work as given for Back to ★★. Rep the last 2 rows until 37(41-45) sts remain, ending with the purl row.

Shape Neck

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k8(10-12) k2tog, turn and work on these 11(13-15) sts first.

Continuing to dec at raglan edge as before on every alt row, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then on every alt row until 6 sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight work 1 more raglan dec only ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k1, 3 sts remain.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

Slip next 11 sts at centre onto a holder for neckband. With right side facing rejoin yarn to next st, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Continuing to dec at raglan edge as before on every alt row, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then on every alt row until 6 sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight work 1 more raglan dec only, ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, k3tog, k1. 3 sts remain.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The sleeves

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 43(45-49)

sts loosely and work as given for Sleeves of Jacket from ★ to ★.

Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work first 3 rows of pattern as given for Sleeves of Jacket.

Next row (increase): K2(5-5), *inc in next st, k2(1-1); rep from * to last 2(6-6) sts, inc in next st, k to end. 57(63-69) sts.

Starting with the 5th row work 15 rows in pattern as given for Sleeves of Jacket, thus ending with the 3rd row.

Shape Raglan Top

Working in st st, starting knit, cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 29(29-25) sts remain, ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 9 sts remain ending with the purl row. Slip sts onto a holder for neckband.

Finishing and neckband

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join front raglan seams and left back raglan seam.

Neckband: Using size 3mm (11) needles and with right side of work facing, knit across sts on holder at back neck decreasing 1 st at centre, knit across sts on holder at left sleeve top, pick up and k10(12-14) sts down left front slope, k across sts on holder at front neck, pick up and k10(12-14) sts up right front slope and k across sts on holder at right sleeve top. 69(75-81) sts.

Next row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Next row: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

Keeping rib correct work 3 more rows. Cast off in rib.

Join right back raglan seam leaving 6 cms [2½ ins] open at top. Join side and sleeve seams. Using a 3mm crochet hook work 2 rows of firm dc around raglan opening making 3 loops evenly spaced on one side on second row by working 2 ch in place of 1 dc. Press seams. Sew on buttons. Thread ribbon through eyelet holes at underarm and sleeves as illustrated.

Bonnet

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 81(87-93) sts loosely and work as given for Sleeves of Jacket from ★ to ★. Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work in pattern as given for Sleeves of Jacket until Bonnet measures approximately 9 cms [3½ ins] ending with the 3rd row. Change to st st, starting knit, and work straight until bonnet measures 13(14-15) cms [5(5½-6) ins] ending with a purl row.

Shape Back

1st row: K7(8-9), [k3tog, k13(14-15)] 4 times, k3tog, k to end. 71(77-83) sts remain.

2nd and every alt row: Purl.

3rd row: K6(7-8), [k3tog, k11(12-13)] 4 times, k3tog, k to end. 61(67-73) sts remain.

5th row: K5(6-7), [k3tog, k9(10-11)] 4 times, k3tog, k to end. 51(57-63) sts remain.

Continue to dec in this way until the row "K2(3-4), [k3tog, k3(4-5)] 4 times, k3tog, k to end" has been worked. 21(27-33) sts remain. Purl 1 row.

Next row: K1, *k2tog; rep from * to end. 11(14-17) sts remain.

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

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1. Join back seam for 5 cms [2 ins].

Neck Edging: Using size 3mm (11) needles and with right side of work facing pick up and k59(65-71) sts evenly along lower edge of bonnet. Work 3 rows in st st, starting purl.

Next row (picot): *K2tog, yf; rep from * to last st, k1.

Work 2 rows in st st, starting purl. Cast off.

Fold edging in half to inside and slip st in place. Press seam. Sew a length of ribbon to each corner of bonnet.

Bootees

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 39(45-45) sts loosely and work as given for Sleeves of Jacket from ★ to ★. Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work 15(15-16) rows in pattern as given for Sleeves of Jacket.

1st and 2nd sizes only

Next row: K5, *k2tog, k7(9); rep from * to last 7 sts, k2tog, k5.

All sizes: 35(41-45) sts. Work first 3 rows of pattern as given for Sleeves of Jacket.

Divide for Instep

1st row: K23(27-30), turn.

2nd row: P11(13-15), turn.

Work 5(6-7) cms [2(2½-2¾) ins] in st st on these 11(13-15) sts ending with a purl row. Break off yarn. With right side of work facing and commencing where the 12(14-15) sts were left on needle, pick up and k15(17-19) sts along side of instep, k across the 11(13-15) sts of instep, pick up and k15(17-19) sts along other side of instep, then work across the 12(14-15) sts on other needle. 65(75-83) sts. Work 9(9-11) rows in st st, starting purl.

Shape Sole

1st row: K2, sl 1, k1, psso, k25(29-33), k2tog, k3(5-5), sl 1, k1, psso, k25(29-33), k2tog, k2. 61(71-79) sts remain.

2nd and every alt row: Purl.

3rd row: K2, sl 1, k1, psso, k23(27-31), k2tog, k3(5-5), sl 1, k1, psso, k23(27-31), k2tog, k2. 57(67-75) sts remain.

5th row: K2, sl 1, k1, psso, k21(25-29), k2tog, k3(5-5), sl 1, k1, psso, k21(25-29), k2tog, k2. 53(63-71) sts remain.

7th row: K2, sl 1, k1, psso, k19(23-27), k2tog, k3(5-5), sl 1, k1, psso, k19(23-27), k2tog, k2. 49(59-67) sts remain.

2nd and 3rd sizes only

9th row: K2, sl 1, k1, psso, k21(25), k2tog, k5, sl 1, k1, psso, k21(25), k2tog, k2. 55(63) sts remain.

All sizes: Cast off purlwise.

Press according to instructions on page 1. Join underfoot and back seam. Thread ribbon through holes in pattern at ankle.

Next row: Using M, k3, *yf, sl 1, k1, psso, k3; rep from * to end.

Work 3 more rows in M and st st, starting purl. Change to C and work 8 rows in garter st. Break off C. Continuing in M only work is st st, starting knit, until back measures 18(21-24) cms [7(8¼-9½) ins] or required length to armholes ending with a purl row. Change to C.

Next row (decrease): K1(4-5), *k2tog; rep from * to last 1(4-5) sts, k to end. 60(68-74) sts remain.

Next row: Using C, knit to end.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Continuing in garter st and C cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows once more. Break off C and continue in M only. ★

Divide for Back Neck Opening

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k26(30-33), turn and complete this side first leaving remaining 23(27-30) sts on a holder.

Next row: K5, purl to end.

Keeping the 5 sts at inner edge in garter st, continue to dec 1 st at raglan edge as before until 24(30-30) sts remain ending with a right side row.

Next row (buttonhole): K1, k2tog, yf, k2, p to end.

2nd and 3rd sizes only

Continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 25(25) sts remain then work a 2nd buttonhole as before on next row.

All sizes: Continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 19(20-20) sts remain, then work a 2nd(3rd-3rd) buttonhole on next row. Continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 17(18-18) sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to end.

Work 1 more row. Slip remaining 15(16-16) sts onto a holder for neckband.

Cast on 5 sts, then continuing on from these sts and with right side facing, work across sts on holder as follows:— knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl to last 5 sts, k5.

Rep the last 2 rows until 17(18-18) sts remain.

Next row: K to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Work 1 row. Slip remaining 15(16-16) sts onto a holder for Neckband.

The front

Work as given for Back to ★.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 34(38-38) sts remain ending with the purl row.

Shape Neck

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k5(7-7), k2tog, turn and complete this side first.

Continuing to dec 1 st at raglan edge as before at the same time dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then every alt row 1(2-2) times. 3 sts remain. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

Slip next 14 sts at centre onto a holder for neckband. With right side of work facing rejoin yarn to remaining sts, k2tog, k5(7-7), k2tog, k1. Complete to match first side reversing shaping.

The sleeves

Using size 2¼mm (12) needles and M cast on 43(45-47) sts.

1st row: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep last 2 rows 7 times more. Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and work 4 rows in st st, starting knit. Inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 4th row until there are 53(57-61) sts. Work straight until sleeve measures 12(14-16) cms [5(5½-6½) ins] ending with a wrong side row. Change to C and work 2 rows in garter st.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Continuing in garter st and C cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Knit.

Rep the last 2 rows once more. Break off C and continue in M only.

Working in st st, starting knit, continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 29(25-21) sts remain ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 9 sts remain. Slip sts onto a holder for neckband.

The collar

Using size 3mm (11) needles and C cast on 140(150-150) sts and work 3 rows in garter st. Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and join in M.

4th row: Using M, knit to end.

5th row: Using M, k4, p to last 4 sts, k4.

6th row: Using M, k7, *yf, sl 1, k1, psso, k3; rep from * to last 3 sts, k to end.

7th row: As 5th row.

8th row (decrease): Using C, k6(8-8) *k2tog, k4; rep from * to last 8(10-10) sts, k2tog, k to end. 118(127-127) sts remain.

Using C work 3 rows in garter st. Break off C and continue in M only.

Next row (decrease): K6(8-8), *k2tog, k3; rep from * to last 7(9-9) sts, k2tog, k to end. 96(104-104) sts remain.

Keeping garter st borders and st st correct work 1(3-3) rows straight.

Next row (decrease): K6(8-8), *k2tog, k2; rep from * to last 6(8-8) sts, k2tog, k to end. 74(81-81) sts remain.

Work 1 more row. Slip sts onto a holder for neckband.

To finish

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Using size 2¼mm (12) needles and C and with right side of work facing, knit across sts on holders at left back neck and one sleeve top, pick up and k8(10-10) sts down left front neck, k across sts on holder at front neck increasing 1 st at centre on 2nd and 3rd sizes only, pick up and k8(10-10) sts up right front neck and k across sts on holders at right sleeve top and right back neck. 78(85-85) sts.

Next row: Knit.

Now join collar to neckband as follows:— k2 sts of back neck of dress and with wrong side of collar to right side of dress, knit tog 1 st from collar with 1 st from neckband all across row to end of collar, then k2 sts of back neck of dress.

Work 4 rows in garter st, making buttonhole as before on first of these rows. Cast off.

Join side and sleeve seams. Sew cast on sts at back neck opening in place. Press seams. Sew on buttons.

6. Dress

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins

Full length	27	31	36	cms
	10½	12	14	ins

Sleeve seam	12	14	16	cms
	5	5½	6½	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY 4 PLY QUALITIES 20g balls

MAIN COLOUR (M)	5	6	7	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	2	balls

SIRDAR WASH 'N' WEAR 4 PLY 20g balls

MAIN COLOUR (M)	5	6	7	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	2	balls

Pair needles each size 3¼mm (10), 3mm (11) and 2¼mm (12). 3(4-4) buttons.

TENSION

30 sts and 38 rows = 10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 3¼mm (10) needles.

The back

Using size 3mm (11) needles and C cast on 118 (128-138) sts and work 7 rows in garter st (every row knit). Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles, join in M and work 4 rows in st st, starting knit.

6-8. Dungarees and Sweater

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins

DUNGAREES				
Full length (including feet)	54	61	70	cms
	21¼	24	27½	ins

SWEATER				
Length to shoulder	21	24	27	cms
	8¼	9½	10½	ins

Sleeve seam	12	14	16	cms
	4¾	5½	6¼	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY DK QUALITIES 20g balls

DUNGAREES:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	5	6	7	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	2	2	balls

SWEATER:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	3	4	5	balls
ODDMENT OF CONTRAST COLOUR (C)				

SIRDAR WASH 'N' WEAR DOUBLE CREPE
40g balls

DUNGAREES:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	3	3	4	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	1	ball

SWEATER:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	2	2	3	balls
ODDMENT OF CONTRAST COLOUR (C)				

Pair needles each size 4mm (8), 3¼mm (9) and 3mm (11). 4 buttons for Dungarees. 6 buttons for Sweater. Oddments of yarn for embroidery or pom pom (if required).

TENSION

26 sts and 36 rows = 10 cms [4 ins] square measured over rice st using size 3¼mm (9) needles.

NOTE

The 'Sweater' has a buttoned opening all down the back.

Dungarees

The back

1st Half Leg

Using size 3¼mm (9) needles and C cast on 17(9-11) sts.

1st row (right side): Knit.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

These 2 rows form rice st. Keeping pattern correct and working in stripes of 2 rows in M and 2 rows in C, inc 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then every alt row until there are 17(19-21) sts.

Work straight until foot measures 8(9-10) cms [3(3½-4) ins] ending with a wrong side row. Place a marker at end of last row to mark end of foot.

Break off C and continuing in M only work 10 rows straight. Inc 1 st at **end** (inside leg seam) on next row and same edge of every following 8th(7th-7th) row until there are 22(25-28) sts. Work straight until leg measures 14(15-18) cms [5½(6-7) ins] from marker ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Crutch

Inc 1 st at **end** of next and every alt row until there are 25(29-32) sts ending with a right side row. Leave sts on a spare needle.

2nd Half Leg

Work to match 1st Half Leg, reversing shaping by reading **beg** for **end**.

Body

Next row: Work across sts of 2nd Half Leg, turn and cast on 1 st, turn and work across sts of 1st Half Leg. 51(59-65) sts. ★

Continuing in pattern work straight until body measures 20(24-28) cms [8(9½-11) ins] ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Armholes

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next 3(5-7) rows. 39(43-45) sts remain. Work straight until armholes measure 9(10-11) cms [3½(4-4¼) ins] ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Back Neck

Next row: Work 14(16-16) sts, turn and complete this side first.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 5(7-7) rows. 9 sts remain. Work straight until armhole measures 12(13-14) cms [4¾(5-5½) ins] ending with a

wrong side row. Cast off.

Slip next 11(11-13) sts at centre back onto a holder for neck edging. With right side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st and work to end. Complete as given for first side.

The front

Work as given for Back to ★.

Continuing in pattern work straight until body measures 8 cms [3 ins] less than back to armhole ending with a wrong side row.

Commence Fairisle Panel

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and C.

Next row: K20(24-27) sts for Heart Motif or 19(23-26) sts for Rabbit, work 1st row of fairisle chart across next 11 or 13 sts, k to end.

Continuing in st st, work the remaining 19 rows of chosen motif.

Change to size 3¼mm (9) needles. Working in striped rice st throughout and starting with 2 rows in M, work straight until front measures same as Back to armholes ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Armholes

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows. Dec 1 st at each end of next 3(5-7) rows. 39(43-45) sts remain. Work 9 rows straight thus ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Neck

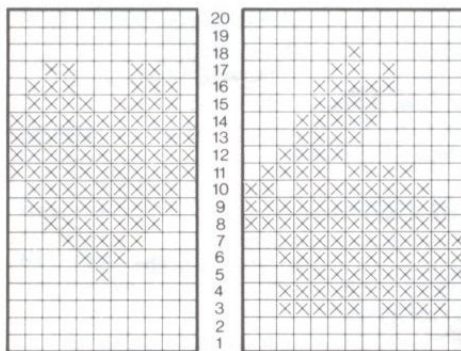
Next row: Work 14(16-16) sts, turn and complete this side first.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows, then every alt row until 9 sts remain. Work straight until armhole measures same as back armhole ending with a wrong side row.

Next row (buttonholes): K2, yf, k2tog, k2, yf, k2tog, k1.

Work 3 more rows in rice st. Leave sts on a holder.

Slip next 11(11-13) sts at centre onto a holder for neck edging. With right side of work facing rejoin yarn to next st and work to end. Complete as given for first side.



Key



Contrast colour (C)



Main colour (M)

Do not weave yarn in at back, always carry the colour not in use **loosely** across back of work. Twist yarns together when changing colour to avoid making a hole. Read odd numbered (knit) rows from right to left and even numbered (purl) rows from left to right.

Finishing and edging

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Embroider front panel as illustrated, if required.

Back Neck Edging: Using size 3mm (11) needles and M and with right side of back facing, pick up and k8(10-12) sts down right back slope, k across sts on holder at centre back and pick up and k8(10-12) sts up left back slope. Work 3 more rows in rice st. Cast off in rib.

Front Neck Edging: Using size 3mm (11) needles and M and with right side of front facing, pick up and k24(26-28) sts down left front slope, k across sts on holder at centre front and pick up and k24(26-28) sts up right front slope. Work 3 more rows in rice st. Cast off in rib.

Join side, foot and leg seams.

Armhole Edging: Using size 3mm (11) needles and M and with right side of work facing, pick up and k63(67-73) sts along one armhole edge. Work 3 rows in rice st. Cast off in rib.

Work along other armhole edge in the same way.

Front Strap Edging: Using size 3mm (11) needles and M and with right side of work facing, pick up and k3 sts across top of edging of one front strap, k across 9 sts of strap and pick up and k3 sts across 2nd edging. 15 sts. Work 3 rows in rice st. Cast off in rib.

Work across other front strap in the same way.

Press seams. Sew on buttons. Using oddment of yarn make a small pom-pom and attach to rabbit motif as illustrated.

Sweater (With buttoned back)

The front

Using size 3mm (11) needles and M cast on 49(55-61) sts and work 12 rows in rice st as given for Dungarees.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and work in st st, starting knit, until front measures 12(14-16) cms [4¾(5½-6¼) ins] or required length to armholes ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

3rd row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

4th row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 29(31-35) sts remain ending with the dec row.

Shape Neck

Next row: Work 10(10-12) sts, turn and complete this side first.

Next row: K2tog tbl, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 4 sts remain ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, k2tog, k1.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

Slip centre 9(11-11) sts onto a holder. With wrong side of work facing rejoin yarn to inner edge of remaining sts and work to end.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Next row: Purl.

Complete to match first side.

The right back

Using size 3mm (11) needles and M cast on 27(29-33) sts and work 12 rows in rice st. Change to size 4mm (8) needles.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: [P1, k1] twice, p to end.

Rep the last 2 rows until back measures same as front to start of raglan shaping ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.

Next row: [P1, k1] twice, purl to end.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to end.

Rep the last 2 rows until 13(13-15) sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, knit to end.

Next row: [P1, k1] twice, purl to end.

Slip remaining 11(11-13) sts onto a holder for neckband.

Mark positions on rice st border for 5 buttons, the first on 5th row above cast on edge and allowing for the 6th to be worked in neckband 1 cm [½ inch] above top of back. Space remaining 4 evenly between.

The left back

Using size 3mm (11) needles and M cast on 27(29-33) sts and work 4 rows in rice st.

Next row (buttonhole): K2, yf, k2tog, k to end.

Work 7 more rows in rice st.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: Purl to last 4 sts, [k1, p1] twice.
Rep the last 2 rows until back measures same as front to start of raglan shaping ending with a right side row **at the same time** making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as given.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.

Next row: Knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl to last 4 sts, [k1, p1] twice.

Rep the last 2 rows until 13(13-15) sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

Next row: Knit to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl to last 4 sts, [k1, p1] twice.

Slip remaining 11(11-13) sts onto a holder for neckband.

The sleeves

Using size 3mm (11) needles and M cast on 33(35-39) sts and working in stripes of 2 rows in M and 2 rows in C work 12 rows of rice st.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and continuing in M only work 4 rows in st st. Inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 4th(6th-7th) row until there are 43(45-49) sts. Work straight until sleeve measures 12(14-16) cms [4¾(5½-6¼) ins] or required seam length ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan Top

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 19(15-15) sts remain ending with a purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows 2(1-1) times more. Slip remaining 7 sts onto a holder for neckband.

Finishing and neckband

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Neckband: Using size 3mm (11) needles and M and with right side of work facing, knit across sts of left back neck and left sleeve top, pick up and k10(10-12) sts down left front slope, k across sts on holder at centre front, pick up and k10(10-12) sts up right front slope, k across sts of sleeve top and right back neck.

Next row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Work 2 more rows in rice st.

Next row (buttonhole): K2, yf, k2tog, k to end.

Work 3 more rows. Cast off in rib.

Join side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Sew on buttons.

9-11. Socks

MEASUREMENTS

To fit foot length	8 3¼	9 3½	cms ins
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MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY DK QUALITIES 20g balls

STRIPED:			
MAIN COLOUR (M)	1	2	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	ball
FAIRISLE:			
MAIN COLOUR (M)	1	2	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	ball
STRAPPED:			
MAIN COLOUR (M)	1	2	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	ball

SIRDAR WASH 'N' WEAR DOUBLE CREPE

40g balls

STRIPED:			
MAIN COLOUR (M)	1	1	ball
ODDMENT OF CONTRAST COLOUR (C)			
FAIRISLE:			
MAIN COLOUR (M)	1	1	ball
ODDMENT OF CONTRAST COLOUR (C)			
STRAPPED:			
MAIN COLOUR (M)	1	1	ball
ODDMENT OF CONTRAST COLOUR (C)			

Pair needles each size 4mm (8), 3¾mm (9) and 3¼mm (10). 2 buttons for strapped socks.

TENSION

24 sts and 32 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 4mm (8) needles.

NOTE

So as not to break the yarns after working 1 row of stripe or fairisle, wind half of each of the Main and Contrast yarns into 2nd balls. Carry colour not in use loosely along side of work.

Striped Sock

Stripe Pattern

Work 2 rows in C, 2 rows in M, 1 row in C, 1 row in M, 1 row in C, 2 rows in M.

★ Using size 3¼mm (10) needles and M cast on 29(33) sts.

1st row: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rept the last 2 rows twice more. ★

Change to size 4mm (8) needles, join in C and working in st st, starting knit, work in stripe pattern as given above until sock measures approximately 8(9) cms [3¼(3½) ins] ending with contrast on a purl row. Break off both yarns.

Shape Foot

Slip first 10(11) sts onto a holder, keeping stripe pattern correct join in yarn and k9(11) sts, turn and continue on these sts only, leaving remaining 10(11) sts on a 2nd holder.

Continue in stripe pattern, starting purl, until work measures approximately 5(6) cms [2(2½) ins] from division for foot shaping, ending with contrast on a purl row. Break off both yarns and slip sts onto a holder.

Continue in M only.

★★ Shape Sole

Change to size 3¾mm (9) needles and with right side of work facing k10(11) sts from first holder, pick up and k8(10) sts along right side of centre sts, knit across centre 9(11) sts, pick up and k8(10) sts along left side of centre sts, knit across 10(11) sts on second holder. 45(53) sts.

Work 7 rows in garter st (every row knit) thus ending with a wrong side row. Break yarn.

Slip first 18(21) sts onto a holder, rejoin yarn and k9(11) sts, turn and work on these sts, leaving remaining 18(21) sts on a 2nd holder.

1st row (wrong side): K8(10) sts, k tog last st on needle with first st on first holder.

2nd row: K8(10) sts, k tog last st on needle with first st on 2nd holder.

Continue to dec in this way until 5(6) sts remain on each holder. Slip centre 9(11) sts onto a holder. With wrong side of work facing fold sts on holders at both sides across back, right sides together. Slip these 10(12) sts onto one holder.

Next row (cast off): *K tog first stitch on front holder with first st on back holder; rep from * once, then cast off first st in normal way. Continue to cast off in this way until 5(6) sts are left on front holder. K tog next st on front holder with next 2 sts on back holder. Continue to cast off as before to end.

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1. Join back seam. Press seam.

Fairisle Sock

Work as given for Striped Sock from ★ to ★.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles, join in C and working in st st, starting knit, work the 9 rows of fairisle chart.

Break off C and continue in M only until sock measures 7(8) cms [2¾(3¼) ins] ending with a purl row.

Next row (eyelets): K1, *yf, k2tog; rep from * to end.

Work 3 more rows in st st. Break off M.

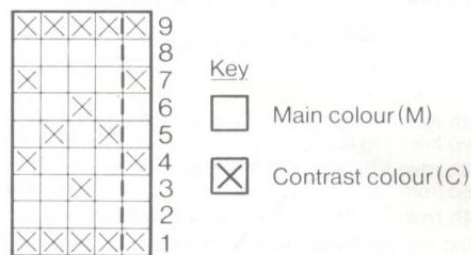
Shape Foot

Slip first 10(11) sts onto a holder, join in M and k9(11) sts, turn and continue on these sts only, leaving remaining 10(11) sts on a 2nd holder.

Continue in st st, starting purl, until work measures 5(6) cms [2(2½) ins] from division for foot shaping, ending with a purl row. Break off M and slip sts onto a holder.

Using C, complete as given for Striped Sock from ★★ to end.

Using two strands of M 102 cms [40 ins] long make a twisted cord and thread through eyelets. Make 2 small pom-poms in C and attach firmly to each end of cord.



Rep these 4 sts

Read every row from right to left. Do not weave in yarn at back of work, always carry colour not in use **loosely** across back of work. The odd numbered rows are knit and the even numbered rows are purl.

Strapped Sock

Work as given for Striped Sock from ★ to ★.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and work in st st, starting knit, until sock measures 8(9) cms [3(3½) ins]. Break off M.

Shape Foot

Slip first 10(11) sts onto a holder, join in M and k9(11) sts, turn and continue on these sts only, leaving remaining 10(11) sts on a 2nd holder.

Continue in st st, starting purl, until work measures 3(4) cms [1(1½) ins] from division for foot shaping, ending with a purl row. Break off M.

Change to size 3¾mm (9) needles, join in C and work in garter st (every row knit) until foot measures 5(6) cms [2(2½) ins] ending with a wrong side row. Break off C.

Using C complete as given for Striped Sock from ★★ to end.

Strap

Using size 3¾mm (9) needles and C cast on 10(12) sts and work 2 rows in garter st. Cast off. Sew one end to sock and sew button on other end as illustrated.

12. Matinee Coat

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40 16	45 18	cms ins
Centre back length	25 10	28 11	cms ins
Sleeve seam	13 5	15 6	cms ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY DK QUALITIES 20g balls
7 8 balls

Pair needles each size 4mm (8) and 3¼mm (10). 3 buttons.

TENSION

24 sts and 32 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 4mm (8) needles.
25 sts and 32 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over pattern using size 4mm (8) needles.

The back and fronts (Worked in one piece to armholes)

Using size 4mm (8) needles cast on 164(185) sts and work 5 rows in garter stitch (every row knit).

Commence Pattern

1st row (right side): K7, *k2tog, yf, k5; rep from * to last 3 sts, k3.

2nd row: K4, *p2, p2tog tbl, yrn, p1, yrn, p2tog; rep from * to last 6 sts, p2, k4.

3rd row: K5, *k2tog, yf, k3, yf, sl 1, k1, psso; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

4th row: K4, purl to last 4 sts, k4.

5th row: K5, *yf, sl 1, k1, psso, k5; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

6th row: K4, *p1, yrn, p2tog, p2, p2tog tbl, yrn; rep from * to last 6 sts, p2, k4.

7th row: K5, *k2, yf, sl 1, k1, psso, k2tog, yf, k1; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5.

8th row: As 4th row.

Rep the last 8 rows until work measures 14(16) cms [5½(6¼) ins] ending with either a 4th or 8th pattern row.

Divide for Armholes

Note: Sts at armhole edges which cannot be worked in pattern rep are worked in st st.

Right Front

Next row: Keeping border correct work 40(47) sts in pattern, turn and complete this side first.

★ Work 7 more rows ending with a 4th or 8th pattern row as before. Slip these sts onto a holder for Yoke. ★

Back

With right side of work facing rejoin yarn and work 84(91) sts in pattern, turn and work on these sts for Back.

Work as given for Right Front from ★ to ★.

Left Front

With right side of work facing rejoin yarn and work in pattern across remaining 40(47) sts.

Work as given for Right Front from ★ to ★.

The sleeves

Using size 4mm (8) needles cast on 30(35) sts and work 4 rows in garter st.

Next row: K2, *inc in next st, k1; rep from * to last 2(3) sts, inc in next st, k to end. 44(51) sts.

Work in pattern as given for Back (omitting first and last 4 sts on every row) until sleeve measures 13(15) cms [5(6) ins], ending with either a 4th or 8th pattern row. Tie a piece of contrast yarn to each end of last row to mark end of sleeve seam.

Work 8 more rows in pattern. Slip these sts onto a holder for Yoke.

The yoke

With wrong side of pieces facing, slip sts of left front, 1 sleeve, back, 2nd sleeve and right front onto a size 4mm (8) needle. 252(287) sts.

With right side facing commence yoke shaping:—

1st row (buttonhole and decrease): K2, yf, k2tog, [k2tog] 18(22) times, k3(4), [k2tog] 19(21) times, k3(5), [k2tog] 42(45) times, k3(4), [k2tog] 19(21) times, k3(4), [k2tog] 18(22) times, k to end. 136(156) sts remain.

Work 3 rows in garter st.

5th row (decrease): K12(11), *k2tog, k8(9); rep from * to last 4(2) sts, k to end. 124(143) sts remain.

6th and every alt row: K4, purl to last 4 sts, k4.

7th row: Knit.

9th row: K12(11), *k2tog, k7(8); rep from * to last 4(2) sts, k to end. 112(130) sts remain.

11th row: Knit.

13th row: K11(10), *k2tog, k6(7); rep from * to last 5(3) sts, k to end. 100(117) sts remain.

1st size only

15th row (buttonhole): K2, yf, k2tog, knit to end.

17th row: K11, *k2tog, k5; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5. 88 sts remain.

2nd size only

15th row: Knit.

17th row (buttonhole): K2, yf, k2tog, k6, *k2tog, k6; rep from * to last 3 sts, k3. 104 sts remain.

Both sizes

19th row: Knit.

21st row: K10(9), *k2tog, k4(5); rep from * to last 6(4) sts, k to end. 76(91) sts.

23rd row: Knit.

25th row: K10(9), *k2tog, k3(4); rep from * to last 6(4) sts, k to end. 64(78) sts.

2nd size only

27th row: Knit.

29th row: K8, *k2tog, k3; rep from * to last 5 sts, k5. 65 sts.

Both sizes: Change to size 3¼mm (10) needles and knit 1 row.

Next row (buttonhole): K2, yf, k2tog, knit to end.

Work 2 more rows in garter stitch. Cast off.

To finish

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join sleeve and armhole seams. Press seams. Sew on buttons.

13. Angel Top

SIZE

To fit baby from 6–12 months

Full length	28	cms
	11	ins
Sleeve seam	15	cms
	6	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY 3 PLY 5 20g balls

2.5mm and 3mm crochet hooks. 3 buttons.
Baby ribbon.

TENSION

23 sts=10 cms [4 ins] in width measured over trs using 2.5mm hook.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION

Tr 2tog=work 1 tr into next st until 2 loops remain on hook, work next tr into next st until 3 loops remain on hook, yo and through the 3 loops.

The yoke (Worked from neck downwards)

Using 2.5mm hook make 63 ch, work 1 tr into 3rd ch from hook, 1 tr into each ch to end. 62 sts.

2nd row (right side): 3 ch (count as 1 tr, 1 ch), *work 1 tr into each of next 5 tr, 1 ch; rep from * to last st, 1 tr into 2nd ch at beg of previous row.

3rd row: 2 ch, work 2 tr into each ch-space and 1 tr into each tr to end. 88 tr.

4th row: 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, *1 ch, 1 tr into each of next 7 tr; rep from * to last 2 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each of last 2 tr.

5th row: 2 ch, work 1 tr into each tr and 2 tr into each ch-space to end. 114 tr.

6th row: 2 ch, work 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, *1 ch, 1 tr into each of next 9 tr; rep from * to last 3 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each of last 3 tr.

7th row: As 5th row. 140 tr.

Divide for Armholes and Shape Raglans

1st row: 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, *tr 2tog (see

Special Abbreviation), 1 ch, tr 2tog, work 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, rep from * once more, turn. Work on these sts first for **Right Back**.

2nd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch (1 tr increased), work 1 tr into each tr and 2 tr into each ch-space to end. 25 tr.

3rd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, work 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, 1 tr into each tr to last tr, 2 tr into last tr.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows once more, then 2nd row again. 29 sts. Fasten off.

With right side facing miss next 22 sts on yoke for Right Sleeve. Rejoin yarn to next st and work on next 48 sts for **Front** as follows:— 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, 1 ch, tr 2tog, 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, *tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, rep from * twice more, tr 2tog. 1 ch 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, turn.

2nd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, work 2 tr into each ch-space and 1 tr into each tr to end. 50 tr.

3rd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, *tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, rep from * 3 times more, tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, work 2 tr into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of previous row.

4th row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, 1 tr into each tr and 2 tr into each ch-space to last tr, work 2 tr into last tr. 54 tr.

5th row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, *tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, work 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, rep from * 3 times more, tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, work 2 tr into last tr.

6th row: As 4th row. 58 tr. Fasten off.

With right side facing miss 22 sts on yoke for Left Sleeve. Rejoin yarn to next tr and work on last 24 sts for **Left Back** as follows:— 2 ch, work 1 tr into each of next 6 tr, tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, work 1 tr into each of next 7 tr, tr 2tog, 1 ch, tr 2tog, 1 tr into each of last 2 tr.

Complete to match Right Back reversing shaping and position of eyelet holes.

The skirt

With right side facing rejoin yarn to last st of last row on Right Back and join Backs and Front into a ring as follows:— 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, work 2 tr into each of next 15 tr and 1 tr into each of last 13 tr on Right Back, 1 tr into each of first 13 tr, 2 tr into each of next 32 tr and 1 tr into each of last 13 tr on Front, 1 tr into each of first 13 tr and 2 tr into each of last 16 tr on Left Back, sl st into top of 2 ch at beg of round. 180 tr.

Change to 3mm hook and commence pattern:—

Note: Work into **back of loop only of each tr** throughout.

1st round: 2 ch, [yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, draw through a loop, yoh and draw through 2 loops] 4 times, yoh and draw through 5 loops on hook, 1 ch to close, 3 ch, *[yoh, insert hook into next st, yoh, draw through a loop, yoh and draw through 2 loops] 5 times, yoh and draw through 6 loops on hook, 1 ch to close, 3 ch; rep from * to end, sl st into closing ch at beg of round. 36 patterns.

2nd round: 2 ch, work 4 tr into same closing ch as sl st of previous round, *5 tr into each closing ch to end (work into both strands of closing ch), sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

3rd round: 2 ch, 1 tr into each tr to end, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

These 3 rounds form the pattern. Rep these 3 rounds until skirt measures approximately 17 cms [6¾ ins] from start of pattern and ending with the 2nd round of pattern.

Edging

Work 6 tr into each centre tr of group of 5 and sl st into space between each group of 5 tr to end, sl st into top of first tr at beg of round. Fasten off.

The right sleeve

With right side facing rejoin yarn to first of 22 tr left on yoke for Right Sleeve and using 2.5mm hook work as follows:— 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, 1 ch, work 1 tr into each of next 11 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each tr to end.

2nd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, work 1 tr into each tr and 2 tr into each ch-space to last tr, 2 tr into last tr. 28 tr.

3rd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, 1 tr into each of next 3 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each of next 13 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each tr to last tr, 2 tr into last tr.

4th row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, work 2 tr into each ch-space and 1 tr into each tr to last tr, 2 tr into last tr. 36 tr.

5th row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, 1 tr into each of next 6 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each of next 15 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each tr to last tr, 2 tr into last tr.

6th row: As 4th row. 44 tr.

Next row: 2 ch, work 1 tr into each of next 8 tr, [2 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of next 4 tr] 5 times, 2 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of last 9 tr, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of row to form a ring. Change to 3mm hook and work in pattern as given for Skirt until sleeve measures approximately 14 cms [5½ ins] from start of pattern, or 1 cm [½ inch] shorter than required length ending with the 2nd round of pattern. Work edging as given for Skirt. Fasten off.

The left sleeve

With right side facing rejoin yarn to first of 22 tr left on yoke for Left Sleeve and using 2.5mm hook work as follows:— 2 ch, 1 tr into each of next 8 tr, 1 ch, work 1 tr into each of next 11 tr, 1 ch, 1 tr into each of last 2 tr.

2nd row: 2 ch, 1 tr into same st as last 2 ch, work 1 tr into each tr and 2 tr into each ch-space to last tr, 2 tr into last tr. 28 tr.

Complete to match Right Sleeve reversing position of eyelet holes as set.

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

With right side of work facing and using 2.5mm hook, work 1 row of firm dc up left back, round neck and down right back.

Mark positions on left back for 3 buttons, the first at top of opening and the 3rd 2 cms [¾ inch] from opening. Space remaining button halfway between.

Work a 2nd row of dc making buttonloops to match markers by working 3 ch in place of 2 dc. Sew on buttons. Thread ribbon through holes on last row of pattern from edge on each sleeve.

14/15. Jacket and Bonnet

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins
Finished measurement	45	50	55	cms
	18	20	22	ins
Centre back length	24	28	32	cms
	9½	11	12½	ins
Sleeve seam	12	14	16	cms
	4¾	5½	6¼	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY DK QUALITIES 20g balls

JACKET	6	7	8	balls
BONNET	2	2	2	balls

Pair needles each size 4mm (8) and 3¼mm (10). 3 buttons. Ribbon for Bonnet.

TENSION

24 sts and 32 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 4mm (8) needles.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION

CN1 (Make 1 Cob Nut Stitch)=knit 1 without slipping st off left-hand needle, yf, then k1 once more into same st.

Jacket

The back

Using size 4mm (8) needles cast on 67(75-83) sts and work 5 rows in garter st (every row knit).

Commence Pattern

★ 1st row (right side): P3, *CN1 (see Special Abbreviation), p3; rep from * to end.

2nd row: K3, *p3, k3; rep from * to end.

3rd row: P3, *k3, p3; rep from * to end.

4th row: K3, *p3tog, k3; rep from * to end.

5th row: Purl.

6th row: Knit.

7th row: P1, *CN1, p3; rep from * to last 2 sts, CN1, p1.

8th row: K1, *p3, k3; rep from * to last 4 sts, p3, k1.

9th row: P1, *k3, p3; rep from * to last 4 sts, k3, p1.

10th row: K1, *p3tog, k3; rep from * to last 4 sts, p3tog, k1.

11th row: Purl.

12th row: Knit.

These 12 rows form the pattern. Rep these 12 rows until back measures approximately 15(17-19) cms [6(6¾-7½) ins] ending with a 6th or 12th row of pattern. ★

Next row (decrease): K5(4-3), *k2tog, k3; rep from * to last 7(6-5) sts, k2tog, k to end. 55(61-67) sts.

Next row: Knit.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Continuing in garter st, cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Now working 12(16-16) rows in st st, starting knit, then 4 rows in garter st continue as follows:—

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Work 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows until 35(37-43) sts remain ending with the wrong side row. Working in st st continue raglan decs as before until 29(27-29) sts remain ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows 2(1-1) times more. Slip remaining 17(19-21) sts onto a holder for neckband.

The left front

Using size 4mm (8) needles cast on 35(39-43) sts and work 4 rows in garter st.

Next row: K4, slip these sts onto a holder for front band, k to end. 31(35-39) sts remain.

Work as given for Back from ★ to ★.

Next row (decrease): K2(2-1), *k2tog, k3; rep from * to last 4(3-3) sts, k2tog, k to end. 25(28-31) sts remain.

Knit 1 row thus ending at side edge.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Next row: Cast off 2 sts, k to end.

Next row: Knit.

Now working 12(16-16) rows in st st, starting knit, then 4 rows in garter st, continue as follows:—

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to end.

Work 1 row.

Rep the last 2 rows until 15(16-19) sts remain ending with the wrong side row.

Working in st st continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 14(14-16) sts remain ending at front edge.

Shape Neck

Next row: P1(2-2), slip these sts onto a holder for neckband, p to end.

Continue to dec at armhole edge as before **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows. Purl 1 row.

1st size only

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Next row: Purl.

2nd and 3rd sizes only

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Next row: Purl.

3rd size only: Rep the last 2 rows once more.

All sizes: 5 sts remain.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k1. 3 sts remain.

Keeping armhole edge straight dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off remaining 2 sts.

The right front

Using size 4mm (8) needles cast on 35(39-43) sts and work 4 rows in garter st.

Next row: Knit to last 4 sts, turn and slip remaining sts onto a holder for front band. 31(35-39) sts.

Work as given for Back from ★ to ★.

Next row (decrease): K2(1-1), *k2tog, k3; rep from * to last 4(4-3) sts, k2tog, k to end. 25(28-31) sts remain.

Work 2 rows in garter st thus ending at side edge.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Next row: Cast off 2 sts, k to end.

Now working 12(16-16) rows in st st, starting knit, then 4 rows in garter st continue as follows:—

Next row: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Work 1 row.

Rep the last 2 rows until 15(16-19) sts remain ending with the wrong side row. Working in st st continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 14(14-16) sts remain ending at front edge.

Shape Neck

Next row: K2(3-3) sts, slip these sts onto a safety pin for neckband, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Continue to dec at armhole edge as before, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows.

Work 1 row.

1st size only

Next row: K2tog, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

2nd and 3rd sizes only

Next row: K2tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

3rd size only: Rep the last 2 rows once more.

All sizes: 5 sts remain.

Next row: K1, k3tog, k1.

Keeping armhole edge straight dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off remaining 2 sts.

The sleeves

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 35(39-39) sts.

1st row (right side): K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 5 times more. Change to size 4mm (8) needles and work 2 rows in st st, starting purl. Work 6 rows in pattern as given for Back. Keeping pattern correct and bringing extra sts into pattern whenever possible, inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 4th row until there are 43(47-51) sts. Work straight until sleeve measures approximately 12(14-16) cms [4¾(5½-6¼) ins] or required seam length ending with a 6th or 12th row of pattern. Work 2 rows in garter st.

Shape Raglan Top

Continuing in garter st cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Now working 12(16-16) rows in st st, starting knit, then 4 rows in garter st, continue as follows:—

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Work 1 row.

Rep last 2 rows until 23(23-27) sts remain ending with the wrong side row. Working in st st continue raglan decs as before until 13(9-9) sts remain ending with the wrong side row.

1st size only

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

All sizes: Slip remaining 9 sts onto a holder for neckband.

Finishing and neckband

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Left Front Band: Using size 4mm (8) needles and with right side of work facing cast on 1 st and knit across sts of left front band. 5 sts. Continue in garter st until band fits up front to start of neck shaping **when band is slightly stretched** and ending with a wrong side row. Break yarn and slip sts onto a safety pin. Sew band in place and mark positions for 2 buttons, the first one to be 6(8-9) cms [2½(3-3½) ins] below neck edge and allowing for a 3rd to be placed in neckband 3 rows above start of neck shaping. Space remaining button halfway between.

Right Front Band: Work as given for Left Front Band but starting with wrong side of right front facing and ending with a right side row **at the same time** making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as follows:— k2, yf, k2tog, k1.

Sew band in place.

Neckband: With right side of work facing slip sts of right front band and sts from safety pin at right front neck onto a size 3¼mm (10) needle. Join in yarn and pick up and k8(8-10) sts up right front slope, knit across sts on holders at right sleeve top, back neck and left sleeve top, pick up and k9(9-11) sts down left front slope, knit across sts on safety pin at front neck then knit across sts of left front band. Work 4 rows in garter st making buttonhole as before on the second of these rows. Cast off.

Join side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Sew on buttons.

Bonnet

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 63(73-81) sts and work 5 rows in garter st. Change to size 4mm (8) needles and commence pattern:—

1st row: (right side): P3(4-4), *CN1 (see Special Abbreviation), p3; rep from * to last 4(5-5) sts, CN1, p to end.

2nd row: K3(4-4), *p3, k3; rep from * to last 6(7-7) sts, p3, k to end.

3rd row: P3(4-4), *k3, p3; rep from * to last 6(7-7) sts, k3, p to end.

4th row: K3(4-4), *p3tog, k3; rep from * to last 6(7-7) sts, p3tog, k to end.

5th row: Purl.

6th row: Knit.

7th row: P1(2-2), *CN1, p3; rep from * to last 2(3-3) sts, CN1, p to end.

8th row: K1(2-2), *p3, k3; rep from * to last 4(5-5) sts, p3, k to end.

9th row: P1(2-2), *k3, p3; rep from * to last 4(5-5) sts, k3, p to end.

10th row: K1(2-2), *p3tog, k3; rep from * to last 4(5-5) sts, p3tog, k to end.

11th row: Purl.

12th row: Knit.

These 12 rows form the pattern. Rep these 12 rows until bonnet measures approximately 10(11-12) cms [4(4½-4¾) ins] ending with a 6th or 12th row of pattern, increasing 1 st at end of last row for 1st and 3rd sizes only. 64(73-82) sts.

Shape Back

1st row: K1, *k2tog, k5(6-7); rep from * to end. 55(64-73) sts remain.

2nd and every alt row: Knit.

3rd row: K1, *k2tog, k4(5-6); rep from * to end. 46(55-64) sts remain.

5th row: K1, *k2tog, k3(4-5); rep from * to end. 37(46-55) sts remain.

Continue to dec in this way on every alt row until 19 sts remain.

Next row: K1, *k2tog; rep from * to end. 10 sts remain.

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

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1. Join back seam from centre to 1 cm [½ inch] beyond garter st crown. Press seam.

Neckband: Using size 3¼mm (10) needles and with right side of work facing pick up and k49(53-57) sts evenly along lower edge of bonnet. Work 4 rows in garter st. Cast off.

Sew a length of ribbon to each corner of bonnet.

16/17. Christening Outfit

MEASUREMENTS

DRESS	
To fit baby	Birth to 4 months
Centre back length	61 cms 24 ins

CAPE	
Length to shoulder	56 cms 22 ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY 3 PLY 20g balls

DRESS	10 balls
CAPE	9 balls

Pair needles size 3¼mm (10). 3 buttons and length of baby ribbon for Dress, 1 button for Cape.

Note: When working on the pattern border of the Christening Dress you may find it easier to work on a circular needle (turning at each end of row) in order to accommodate the large number of sts involved.

TENSION

32 sts and 40 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 3¼mm (10) needles.

29 sts and 43 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over pattern using size 3¼mm (10) needles.

Dress

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 325 sts.

Commence Pattern:—

1st row: K1, *yf, k1, [p3, k1] 4 times, yf, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd and every alt row: Purl.

3rd row: K1, *k1, yf, k1, [p3, k1] 4 times, yf, k2; rep from * to end.

5th row: K1, *k2, yf, k1, [p3, k1] 4 times, yf, k3; rep from * to end.

7th row: K1, *k3, yf, k1, [p2tog, p1, k1] 4 times, yf, k4; rep from * to end.

9th row: K1, *k4, yf, k1, [p2tog, k1] 4 times, yf, k5; rep from * to end.

11th row: K1, *k5, yf, k1, [k3tog, k1] twice, yf, k6; rep from * to end.

12th row: Purl.

Rep last 12 rows 4 times more. Change to st st, starting knit and work straight until skirt measures 51 cms [20 ins] ending with a purl row.

Divide for Armholes

Next row: K81 sts, turn and complete this side first for **Left Back**.

Work 9 rows in st st, break yarn and slip sts onto a holder for yoke.

With right side of work facing rejoin yarn and knit next 163 sts, turn and work 9 rows in st st for **Front**. Break yarn and slip sts onto a holder for yoke.

With right side of work facing rejoin yarn and knit remaining 81 sts. Work 9 rows in st st for **Right Back**. Break yarn and slip sts onto a holder for yoke.

The sleeves

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 57 sts and work 3 rows in garter st (every row knit). Work 4 rows in st st, starting knit (right side).

Next row (eyelets): K2, *k2tog, yf, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

Continue in st st until sleeve measures 14 cms [5½ ins] or required seam length ending with a wrong side row. Tie a piece of contrast yarn to each end of last row to mark end of sleeve seam. Work 10 rows in st st, starting knit. Break yarn and slip sts onto a holder for yoke.

The yoke

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join sleeve seams to markers. Insert sleeves into armholes.

With wrong side of work facing slip sts from holders onto a size 3¼mm (10) needle as follows:— right back, first sleeve, front, 2nd sleeve and left back. 439 sts.

1st row (right side): [K3tog] 3 times, k1, *[k3tog] twice, k1; rep from * to last 9 sts, [k3tog] 3 times. 187 sts remain.

2nd row: Cast on 3 sts, purl to end. 190 sts.

3rd row: Cast on 3 sts, purl these sts, then p3, k1, *p11, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6. 193 sts

4th row: Purl.

5th row: P6, k1, *p11, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6.

Rep the last 2 rows twice more.

10th row (buttonhole): P3, yrn, p2tog, p to end.

11th row (decrease): P6, k1, *p2tog, p7, p2tog, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6. 163 sts remain.

12th row: Purl.

13th row: P6, k1, *p9, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6.

14th row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows twice more.

19th row (decrease): P6, k1, *p2tog, p5, p2tog, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6. 133 sts remain.

20th row: Purl.

21st row: P6, k1, *p7, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6.

Rep the last 2 rows once more.

24th row (buttonhole): P3, yrn, p2tog, p to end.

25th row (decrease): P6, k1, *p2tog, p3, p2tog, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6. 103 sts remain.

26th row: Purl.

27th row: P6, k1, *p5, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6.

28th row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows twice more.

33rd row (decrease): P6, k1, *p2tog, p1, p2tog, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6. 73 sts remain.

34th row: Purl.

35th row: P6, k1, *p1, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6.

36th row (buttonhole): P3, yrn, p2tog, p2, k1, *p1, k1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p7.

37th row: P6, k1, *p1, k1; rep from * to last 6 sts, p6.

38th row: P7, k1, *p1, k1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p7.

Cast off in rib.

To finish

Press yoke according to instructions on page 1. Join centre back seam of skirt. Sew cast on sts of button and buttonhole bands in place. Press seam. Sew on buttons. Thread ribbon through eyelet holes at wrists.

Cape

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 233 sts.

Commence Pattern:—

1st row: P8, k1, *yf, k1, [p3, k1] 4 times, yf, k1; rep from * to last 8 sts, p8.

2nd and every alt row: Purl.

3rd row: P8, k1, *k1, yf, k1, [p3, k1] 4 times, yf, k2; rep from * to last 8 sts, p8.

5th row: P8, k1, *k2, yf, k1 [p3, k1], 4 times, yf, k3; rep from * to last 8 sts, p8.

7th row: P8, k1, *k3, yf, k1, [p2tog, p1, k1] 4 times, yf, k4; rep from * to last 8 sts, p8.

9th row: P8, k1, *k4, yf, k1, [p2tog, k1] 4 times, yf, k5; rep from * to last 8 sts, p8.

11th row: P8, k1, *k5, yf, k1, [k3tog, k1] twice, yf, k6; rep from * to last 8 sts, p8.

12th row: Purl.

Rep the last 12 rows until work measures approximately 56 cms [22 ins] ending with a 12th row of pattern.

Shape Shoulders and Neck

1st row: P8, k2tog tbl, *[p3, k1] 4 times, p1, k1; rep from * to last 25 sts, [p3, k1] 3 times, p3, k2tog, p8. 231 sts remain.

2nd and every alt row: Purl.

3rd and 5th rows: P8, *k1, [p3, k1] 4 times, p1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p7.

7th row: P8, *k1, [p2tog, p1, k1] 4 times, p1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p7. 183 sts remain.

9th row: P8, *k1, [p2tog, k1] 4 times, p1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p7. 135 sts remain.

11th row: P8, *k1, p1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p to end.

13th row (eyelets and buttonhole): P3, p2tog, yrn, p3, *k1, yf, k2tog, p1; rep from * to last 7 sts, p to end.

15th row: As 11th row.

16th row: Purl.

Cast off in pattern.

The hood

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 91 sts and work 12 rows in pattern as given for Skirt of Dress. Rep these 12 rows 4 times more.

Shape Back

1st row: K2, *p3, k1] 4 times, p1, k1; rep from * to last 17 sts, [p3, k1] 4 times, k1.

2nd and every alt row: Purl.

3rd and 5th rows: As 1st row.

7th row: K2, *p2tog, p1, k1] 4 times, p1, k1; rep from * to last 17 sts, [p2tog, p1, k1] 4 times, k1. 71 sts remain.

9th row: K2, *p2tog, k1] 4 times, p1, k1; rep from * to last 13 sts, [p2tog, k1] 4 times, k1. 51 sts remain.

11th row: K2, *p1, k1; rep from * to last st, k1.

12th row: Purl.

Cast off in pattern.

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1. Fold hood in half and sew centre back seam. Sew hood to neck edge easing in to fit, starting and finishing at inner edge of garter stitch borders. Press seams. Using 3 strands of yarn make a twisted cord about 102 cms [40 ins] long. Thread cord through eyelet holes and finish ends with tassels. Sew cord firmly in place at front edges. Sew on button.

18. Circular Shawl

SIZE

Approximately 160 cms [64 ins] in diameter

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGLY 3 PLY 24 20g balls

2.5mm, 3mm and 3.5mm crochet hooks.

TENSION

11 rounds=10 cms [4 ins] in depth measured over trebles using size 3mm hook.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION

Inc 1=work 2 tr into next st.

Note

Work into **back loop only** of each st throughout pattern.

To work

Using size 2.5mm crochet hook make 4 ch and join into a ring with a slip st.

1st round: 2 ch (count as 1 tr), work 11 tr into ring, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

2nd round: 2 ch, *3 tr into next tr, [1 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr] into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

3rd round: 2 ch, *miss 1 tr, 3 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

4th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into next tr, 5 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

5th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into each of next 2 tr, miss 1 tr, 5 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into each of next 3 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end

omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

6th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into each of next 3 tr, miss 1 tr, 7 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into each of next 4 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

7th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into each of next 4 tr, miss 2 tr, 9 tr into next tr, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 5 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

8th round: 2 ch, *miss 1 tr, 3 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 dc into each of next 7 tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 3 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

9th round: 2 ch, *miss 1 tr, 3 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into each of next 5 dc, miss 1 dc, 1 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 3 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

10th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into next tr, 5 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into each of next 3 dc, miss 1 dc, 2 ch, 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, 5 tr into next tr, 1 tr into each of next 2 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

11th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into each of next 2 tr, miss 1 tr, 5 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into each of next 3 tr, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into next dc, miss 1 dc, 2 ch, 1 tr into each of next 3 tr, miss 1 tr, 5 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into each of next 3 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

12th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into each of next 3 tr, miss 1 tr, 7 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into each of next 4 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round.

13th round: 2 ch, *1 tr into each of next 4 tr, miss 2 tr, 9 tr into next tr, miss 2 tr, 1 tr into each of next 5 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr; rep from * to end omitting last tr at end of last rep, sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round. 12 pattern repeats.

Continuing to start each round with 2 ch (counting as 1 tr) and to end with sl st into 2nd of 2 ch at beg of round, work as follows:-

Change to size 3mm hook.

14th round: *Work 5 tr, miss next tr, 1 dc into each of next 7 tr, miss 1 tr, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

15th round: *Work 5 tr, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into each of next 5 dc, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, work 5 tr, 2ch; rep from * to end.

16th round: *Work 2 tr, inc 1 (see Special Abbreviation), 2 tr, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into each of next 3 dc, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, work 2 tr, inc 1, 2 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

17th round: *Work 4 tr, 1 ch, miss 1 tr, 1 tr into next tr, 2 ch, miss 1 dc, 1 dc into next dc, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, 1 ch, miss next tr, work 4 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

18th round: *Inc 1, work 2 tr, 1 ch, miss next tr, 1 tr into ch, inc 1, 2 ch, inc 1 in next tr, 1 tr into ch, 1 ch, miss next tr, work 2 tr, inc 1, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

19th round: *Work 3 tr, 2 ch, miss next 2 sts, work 3 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

20th round: *Inc 1, work 2 tr, 2 ch, miss 2-ch space, work 2 tr, inc 1, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

21st round: *Work 4 tr, 2 ch, miss 2-ch space, work 4 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end. Rep last round once more.

23rd round: *Inc 1, work 3 tr, 2 ch, miss 2-ch space, work 3 tr, inc 1, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

24th round: *Work 5 tr, 2 ch, miss 2-ch space, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

Rep the last round twice more.

27th round: *Work 5 tr, 3 tr into 2-ch space, 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end. (24 repeats).

28th round: *Work 5 tr, miss 1 tr, work 3 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

29th round: *Work 5 tr, miss 1 tr, work 5 tr into next tr, miss 1 tr, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

30th round: *Work 5 tr, miss 2 tr, work 5 tr into next tr, miss 2 tr, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

31st round: *Work 5 tr, miss 2 tr, work 7 tr into next tr, miss 2 tr, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

32nd round: *Work 5 tr, miss 3 tr, work 9 tr into next tr, miss 3 tr, work 5 tr, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

Change to size 3.5mm hook and work rounds 14 to 24 inclusive **but** working the 19th round 5 times in all, the 21st round 5 times in all, and the 24th round 5 times in all, (54 rounds worked).

Change to size 3mm hook and work rounds 27 to 32 inclusive once more, (48 repeats, 60 rounds worked). Change to size 3.5mm hook and work rounds 14 to 19 inclusive once more, then rep the 19th round 5 times more, (71 rounds worked).

Edging

72nd round: *Inc 1, work 1 tr, inc 1, 2 ch; rep from * to end.

Work rounds 27 to 32 inclusive once more. (78 rounds worked.)

79th round: Sl st into first tr, *1 dc into next tr, 6 ch, miss 4 tr, 1 dc into next tr, [4 ch, miss 2 tr, 1 dc into next tr] twice, 6 ch, miss 4 tr, 1 dc into next tr, 4 ch, miss [1 tr, 2 ch, 1 tr]; rep from * to end, sl st into dc at beg of round.

80th round: Sl st across to centre of first arch, 1 dc into arch, 4 ch, 1 dc into next arch, *6 ch, 1 dc into next arch, [4 ch, 1 dc into next arch] 4 times; rep from * to last 2 arches, [4 ch, 1 dc into next arch] twice, 4 ch, sl st into first dc at beg of round.

81st round: Sl st across to centre of first arch, 1 dc into arch, *[8 ch, 1 dc into next arch] twice, 6 ch, 1 dc into next arch, 4 ch, 1 dc into next arch, 6 ch, 1 dc into next arch; rep from * to end, ending with a sl st into first dc at beg of round.

82nd round: Sl st across to centre of first arch, 1 dc into arch, *6 ch, sl st into 3rd ch from hook (1 picot made), 4 ch, 1 dc into next arch, 5 ch, make 1 picot, 3 ch, 1 dc into next arch, 4 ch, make 1 picot, 2 ch, miss next arch, 1 dc into next arch, 5 ch, make 1 picot, 3 ch, 1 dc into next arch; rep from * to end, ending with a sl st into first dc at beg of round. Fasten off.

Pin shawl out to shape. Cover with damp cloth, press firmly with your hands. Allow to dry.

19/20. Classic Cardigans

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins
Finished measurement	45	50	55	cms
	18	20	22	ins
Length to top of shoulder	20	24	28	cms
	8	9½	11	ins
Sleeve seam	13	15	17	cms
	5	6	6¾	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGLY DK QUALITIES 20g balls
4 5 6 balls

SIRDAR WASH 'N' WEAR DOUBLE CREPE
40g balls

2 2 3 balls

Pair needles each size 4mm (8) and 3¼mm (10). 4 buttons for V-Neck Cardigan, 5 buttons for Round Neck Cardigan. Baby ribbon.

TENSION

24 sts and 32 rows=10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 4mm (8) needles.

V-Neck

The back

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 55(61-67) sts.

1st row: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep these 2 rows 4(5-5) times more, decreasing 1 st at end of last row. 54(60-66) sts.

Commence Pattern

1st row: Knit.

★ **2nd, 3rd and 4th rows:** Purl.

5th row: Knit.

6th row: Purl.

7th row: K1, *yf, sl 1, k1, psso; rep from * to last st, k1.

8th row: Purl.

9th row: Knit.

10th, 11th and 12th rows: Purl. ★

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and work in st st, starting knit, until back measures 11(14-17) cms [4½(5½-6½) ins] ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

3rd row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

4th row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows until 26(28-30) sts remain ending with a purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, knit to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows once more. Cast off remaining 18(20-22) sts.

The left front

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 31(35-37) sts and work 4 rows in rib as given for Back.

Boy's Front only

Next row (buttonhole): Rib to last 4 sts, yf, k2tog, p1, k1.

Boy's or Girl's Front: Continue in rib until 10(12-12) rows have been worked, decreasing 1 st at end of last row.

Next row: Knit to last 6 sts, turn and slip these sts onto a safety pin for front band. 24(28-30) sts.

Work as given for Back from ★ to ★.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and work in st st, starting knit, until front measures same as back to start of raglan shaping, ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan and V-Neck

Next row: Cast off 3 sts, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Rep the last 2 rows 1(2-2) times more.

Continuing to dec at raglan edge on every alt row as before, now dec at neck edge as before on every following 4th row until 10(9-11) sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight continue to dec at raglan edge **only** as before until 5 sts remain, ending with a purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to end. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The right front

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 31(35-37) sts and work 4 rows of rib as given for Back.

Girl's Front only

Next row (buttonhole): K1, p1, k1, yf, k2tog, rib to end.

Girl's or Boy's Front: Continue in rib until 10(12-12) rows have been worked, decreasing 1 st at beg of last row.

Next row: Rib 6 sts, slip these sts onto a safety pin for front band, knit to end.

Work as given for Back from ★ to ★.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and work in st st, starting knit, until front measures same as back to start of raglan shaping, ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan and V-Neck

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, knit to end.

Next row: Cast off 3 sts, purl to end.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Complete to match Left Front reversing all shapings.

The sleeves

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 35(37-

39) sts and work 12(14-14) rows in k1, p1 rib as given for Back increasing 1 st at end of last row. 36(38-40) sts.

1st row: Knit.

Work as given for Back from ★ to ★.

Change to size 4mm (8) needles and working in st st, starting knit, inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 4th row until there are 42(46-50) sts.

Work straight until sleeve measures 13(15-17) cms [5(6-6¾) ins] or required seam length ending with a purl row.

Shape Raglan Top

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

3rd row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

4th row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 12 sts remain ending with a purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Cast off remaining 8 sts.

Finishing and front bands

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Button Band: Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 1 st and with right side of left front facing or with wrong side of right front facing, rib across sts of front band. 7 sts. Continue in rib until band fits up front, across sleeve top and round to centre of back neck, **when band is slightly stretched**. Cast off.

Sew band to front stretching evenly. Mark positions on band for 4 buttons, the first to match existing buttonhole in right or left front welt and the top one to be 1 cm [½ inch] below first neck decrease. Space remainder evenly between.

Buttonhole Band: Work as given for Button Band **at the same time** making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as follows:—k1, p1, k1, yf, k2tog, p1, k1.

Join side and sleeve seams. Sew buttonhole band in place and join at centre back. Press seams. Sew on buttons. Thread ribbon through eyelet holes as illustrated. **Note:** Miss 1 eyelet hole where there is an odd number.

Round Neck

The back and sleeves

Work as given for Back and Sleeves of V-Neck Cardigan, but slip sts onto a holder at end instead of casting off.

The left front

Work as given for Left Front of V-Neck Cardigan to start of raglan and neck shaping.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Next row: Cast off 3 sts, knit to end.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, psso, knit to end.

Rep the last 2 rows until 12(15-15) sts remain, ending at front edge.

Shape Neck

Next row: Work 2 sts, slip these sts onto a safety pin and purl to end.

Continue to dec at raglan edge on next and every alt row as before, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3(5-5) rows. 5 sts remain.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, psso, k to end.

Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The right front

Work as given for Right Front of V-Neck Cardigan to start of raglan and neck shaping. Knit 1 row.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Next row: Cast off 3 sts, purl to end.

Next row: Knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 12(15-15) sts remain ending at side edge.

Shape Neck

Next row: Purl to last 2 sts, turn and slip these sts onto a safety pin.

Complete to match Left Front reversing all shapings.

Finishing and neckband

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Button Band: Using size 3¼mm (10) needles cast on 1 st and with right side of left front facing or with wrong side of right front facing, rib across sts of front band. 7 sts. Continue in rib until band fits up front to start of neck shaping **when band is slightly stretched**, and ending with a wrong side row for left front and a right side row for right front band. Break yarn and slip these sts onto a safety pin.

Sew band to front and mark positions for 4 buttons, the first to match existing buttonhole in right or left front welt and allowing for a 5th one to be placed on neckband 2 rows above start of neck shaping. Space remainder evenly between.

Buttonhole Band: Work as given for Button Band **at the same time** making buttonholes to match markers on right side rows as follows:—k1, p1, k1, yf, k2tog, p1, k1.

Sew band in place.

Neckband: Using size 3¼mm (10) needles and continuing on from sts of right front band, slip sts from safety pin at right front neck onto needle, rejoin yarn and pick up and knit 7(9-9) sts up right front slope, knit across sts on holder at sleeve top, k across sts at back neck, decreasing 1 st at centre, then k across 2nd sleeve top, pick up and k7(9-9) sts down left slope, k across sts on safety pin at left front neck and rib sts of left front band.

Next row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Work 5 rows in rib, making buttonhole as before on first of these rows. Cast off in rib.

Join side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Sew on buttons. Thread ribbon through eyelet holes as illustrated.

21-24. Pram Set

MEASUREMENTS

JACKET

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins
Finished measurement	45	50	55	cms
	18	20	22	ins
Full length	25	29	33	cms
	10	11½	13	ins
Sleeve seam	13	15	17	cms
	5	6	6¾	ins

LEGGINGS

Length of front seam	19	20	21	cms
	7½	8	8¼	ins
Length of leg seam	20	23	26	cms
	8	9	10¼	ins

MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY DK QUALITIES 20g balls

JACKET:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	3	4	6	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	2	2	3	balls

LEGGINGS:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	4	5	5	balls
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HAT AND MITTS:

MAIN COLOUR (M)	3	3	4	balls
CONTRAST COLOUR (C)	1	1	1	ball

Pair needles each size 4½mm (7), 4mm (8) and 3¼mm (10). 5 buttons for Jacket. Waist length 2 cm [¾ inch] wide elastic for Leggings. Ribbon for Mitts.

TENSION

24 sts and 32 rows = 10 cms [4 ins] square measured over st st using size 4mm (8) needles.

Jacket

The back

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 71(75-79) sts and work 5 rows in garter st (every row knit). Change to size 4½mm (7) needles and commence pattern:—

1st row (right side): Using C, *k3, sl 1 purlwise; rep from * to last 3 sts, k3.

2nd row: Using C, *p3, sl 1; rep from * to last 3 sts, p3.

3rd row: Using M, knit to end.

4th row: Using M, purl to end.

5th row: Using C, k1, *sl 1 purlwise, k3; rep from * to last 2 sts, sl 1 purlwise, k1.

6th row: Using C, p1, *sl 1, p3; rep from * to last 2 sts, sl 1, p1.

7th and 8th rows: As 3rd and 4th rows.

These 8 rows form the pattern. Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at each end of next and every following 4th(6th-8th) row until 53(59-65) sts remain. Work straight until back measures 16(18-20) cms [6¼(7-8) ins] ending with a 4th or 8th row of pattern. Break off C.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Change to size 4mm (8) needles. Continuing in M only and working in st st, starting knit, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 21(23-23) sts remain ending with the purl row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, knit to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Cast off remaining 17(19-19) sts.

The left front

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 39(39-43) sts and work 4 rows in garter st.

Next row: K4, slip these sts onto a safety pin for front band, knit to end. 35(35-39) sts.

Change to size 4½mm (7) needles, join in C and work 8 rows in pattern as given for Back. Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at beg of next and every following 4th(6th-8th) row until 26(27-32) sts remain. Work straight until front measures same as back to armhole ending with a wrong side row. Break off C.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Change to size 4mm (8) needles. Continuing in M only and working in st st, starting knit, cast off 3 sts at beg of next row. Work 1 row straight.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, knit to end.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 14(14-16) sts remain ending with the dec row.

Shape Neck

Next row: Cast off 3(2-4) sts, p to end.

Continuing to dec 1 st at raglan edge on next and every alt row as before, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows, then on following alt row once. 4(5-5) sts remain.

Keeping neck edge straight continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 3 sts remain. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The right front

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 39(39-43) sts and work 5 rows in garter st.

Next row: K 4, slip these sts onto a safety pin for front band, change to size 4½mm (7) needles, join in C and work first row of pattern as given for Back on remaining 35(35-39) sts.

Work 7 more rows in pattern. Keeping pattern correct dec 1 st at end of next and every following 4th(6th-8th) row until 26(27-32) sts remain. Work straight until front measures same as back to armhole ending with a wrong side row. Break off C.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Change to size 4mm (8) needles. Continuing in M only and working in st st, starting knit, work 1 row straight.

Next row: Cast off 3 sts, purl to end.

Next row: Knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 14(14-16) sts remain ending with the purl row.

Shape Neck

Next row: Cast off 4(3-5) sts, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Continuing to dec at raglan edge on every alt row as before, **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 2 rows, then on following alt row once. 4(5-5) sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight continue to dec at raglan edge as before until 3 sts remain. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The sleeves

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 39(39-43) sts and work 5 rows in garter st. Change to size 4½mm (7) needles and joining in C work 4 rows in pattern as given for Back. Keeping pattern correct, and bringing extra sts into pattern, inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 12th(8th-10th) row until there are 45(49-53) sts. Work straight until sleeve measures 13(15-17) cms [5(6-6¾) ins], or required seam length ending with a 4th or 8th row of pattern. Break off C.

Shape Raglan Top

Change to size 4mm (8) needles. Continuing in M only and working in st st, starting knit, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, knit to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows until 13(13-9) sts remain ending with the purl row.

1st and 2nd sizes only

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: Purl.

All sizes: Cast off remaining 9 sts.

The collar

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 71(75-79) sts. Work 4 rows in garter st.

Next row: Cast off 10 sts, knit to end.

Next row: Cast off 10 sts, change to size 4½mm (7) needles and joining in C work first row of pattern as given for Back. 51(55-59) sts.

Work 13 more rows in pattern thus ending with the 6th row of pattern. Break off C and continue in M only.

Next row: Cast off 9 sts, k1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

Keeping rib correct cast off 9 sts at beg of next 3 rows. Cast off remaining 15(19-23) sts in rib.

Finishing and front bands

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1.

Left Front Band: Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 1 st and with right side of left front facing, knit across sts on safety pin of front band. 5 sts. Continue in garter st until band fits up front to start of neck shaping **when band is slightly stretched**. Cast off.

Sew band to front stretching evenly. Mark positions on band for 5 buttons, the first 1 cm [½ inch] below neck shaping and the 5th 16 cms [6¼ ins] below neck shaping. Space remaining 3 buttons evenly between.

Right Front Band: Work as given for Left Front Band but starting with wrong side of right front facing, **at the same time** making buttonholes on right side rows to match markers as follows:— k2, yf, k2tog, k1.

Sew band in place. Join raglan, side and sleeve seams. Join cast off garter st border to side edges of collar. Join cast off edge of collar to neck edge, starting and finishing halfway across front bands. Press seams. Sew on buttons.

Leggings

The right leg

Using size 3¼mm (10) needles and M cast on 51(55-59) sts.

1st row: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 4 times more. Change to size 4mm (8) needles.

Shape Back

1st row: K10, turn.

2nd and every alt row: Sl 1, purl to end.

3rd row: K16, turn.

5th row: K22, turn.

7th row: K28, turn.

9th row: K34, turn.

10th row: Sl 1, purl to end.

Continuing in st st work 4 rows across all sts. Inc 1 st at beg (back edge) of next and every following 8th row 6 times in all. 57(61-65) sts. Work straight until work measures 19(20-21) cms [7½(8-8¼) ins] from beg, measured at front edge and ending with a wrong side row. Mark each end of last row with contrasting yarn.

Shape Leg

Dec 1 st at each end of next 3 rows. 51(55-59) sts remain. Work 1 row straight. Dec 1 st at each end of next and every alt row 6 times in all, then every following 4th row until 27(29-31) sts remain. Work straight until leg measures 17(20-23) cms [6¾(8-9) ins] from markers ending with a wrong side row. ★

Shape Instep

Next row: K24(25-26) sts, turn.

Next row: P14, turn.

Work 16(20-22) rows on these 14 sts. Break yarn and rejoin to inside edge of 10(11-12) sts left on needle, then with right side facing pick up and k12(14-16) sts along side of instep, work across 14 sts on needle, pick up and k12(14-16) sts along other side of instep and work across remaining 3(4-5) sts. 51(57-63) sts. Work 9 rows in garter st.

Shape Foot

1st row: K3, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k18(21-24), k2tog, k2, k2tog, k to end.

2nd and every alt row: Knit.

3rd row: K2, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k16(19-22), k2tog, k2, k2tog, k to end.

5th row: K1, k2tog, k1, k2tog, k14(17-20), k2tog, k2, k2tog, k to end.

Cast off.

The left leg

Work as given for Right Leg to ★ reversing shaping by reading knit for purl and purl for knit.

Shape Instep

Next row: K17(18-19), turn.

Next row: P14, turn.

Work 16(20-22) rows on these 14 sts. Break yarn and rejoin to inside edge of 3(4-5) sts left on needle, then with right side facing pick up and k12(14-16) sts along side of instep, work across 14 sts on needle, pick up and k12(14-16) sts along other side of instep and work across remaining 10(11-12) sts. 51(57-63) sts. Work 9 rows in garter st.

Shape Foot

1st row: K19(22-25), k2tog, k2, k2tog, k18(21-24), k2tog, k1, k2tog, k3.

2nd and every alt row: Knit.

3rd row: K18(21-24), k2tog, k2, k2tog, k16(19-22), k2tog, k1, k2tog, k2.

5th row: K17(20-23), k2tog, k2, k2tog, K14(17-20), k2tog, k1, k2tog, k1.

Cast off.

To finish

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join front, back and leg seams. Starting at centre of decrease of toe, join foot seam finishing at centre of decrease of heel, thus swinging leg seam to inside of heel. Join elastic into a ring and place inside waistband, work a herringbone st over elastic onto every alt st of ribbing, thus enclosing the elastic. Press seams.

Hat

Ear flaps (Make 2)

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 5 sts. Work in garter st until work measures 16 cms [6¼ ins]. Inc 1 st at each end of next and every alt row until there are 17 sts. Work 5 rows. Cast off.

Head

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 79(83-87) sts and work 3 rows in garter st. Change to size 4½mm (7) needles and joining in C work 14 rows in pattern as given for Back of Jacket. Break off C and continue in M only. Change to size 4mm (8) needles.

Next row (wrong side): Knit.

Work in garter st until work measures 16(17-18) cms [6¼(6½-7) ins] ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Crown

1st row: K5(4-6), *k3tog, k5(6-6); rep from * to last 9(7-9) sts, k3tog, k to end. 61(65-69) sts remain.

2nd and every alt row: Knit.

3rd row: K5(3-5), *k3tog, k3(4-4); rep from * to last 8(6-8) sts, k3tog, k to end. 43(47-51) sts.

5th row: K4(2-4), *k3tog, k1(2-2); rep from * to last 7(5-7) sts, k3tog, k to end. 25(29-33) sts.

7th row: K3, *k2tog; rep from * to last 2 sts, k to end. 15(17-19) sts.

9th row: K1, *k2tog; rep from * to end. 8(9-10) sts remain.

Thread yarn through remaining sts, draw up firmly and fasten off.

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1.

Join back seam of hat, reversing lower 5 cms [2 ins] of seam for brim. Sew on ear flaps 3(3-4) cms [1¼(1½-1½) ins] either side of centre back seam. Press seams. Using C make a pom-pom and attach firmly to top of hat.

Mitts

Using size 4mm (8) needles and M cast on 27(31-35) sts and work 3 rows in garter st.

Change to size 4½mm (7) needles and joining in C work 8 rows of pattern as given for Back of Jacket. Break off C, change to size 4mm (8) needles and continuing in M only work as follows:-

Next row (eyelets): K2, *yf, k2tog; rep from * to last st, k1.

Next row: Purl.

Continuing in st st work straight until mitt measures 6(7-8) cms [2½(2¾-3) ins] from eyelet row ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Top

1st row: K2, *k3tog, k1; rep from * to last st, k1. 15(17-19) sts remain.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K1, *k2tog; rep from * to end.

Break yarn, thread through remaining 8(9-10) sts, draw up firmly and fasten off.

To finish

Press according to instructions on page 1.

Join seam. Thread ribbon through eyelet holes.

25. One-piece

MEASUREMENTS

To fit chest sizes	40	45	50	cms
	16	18	20	ins
Full length (including feet)	54	61	70	cms
	21¼	24	27½	ins
Sleeve seam	12	14	16	cms
	4¾	5½	6¼	ins

We recommend washing in



MATERIALS

SIRDAR SNUGGLY QUICK KNIT 20g balls
8 9 10 balls

Pair needles each size 3¾mm (9) and 3mm (11). Zip fastener to fit front opening.

TENSION

24 sts and 50 rows = 10 cms [4 ins] square measured over garter st using size 3¾mm (9) needles.

The back

Right Leg

Using size 3¾mm (9) needles cast on 7(8-10) sts.

1st row (wrong side): Knit.

Work 2 more rows in garter st (every row knit). Continuing in garter st inc 1 st at each end of next 3 rows, then every alt row twice. 17(18-20) sts. Work straight until foot measures 8(9-10) cms [3(3½-4) ins] ending with a wrong side row. Place a marker at end of last row to mark end of foot seam.

Knit 12 rows straight thus ending with a wrong side row. Inc 1 st at **end** (inside leg seam) on next row and same edge of every following 14th(12th-12th) row until there are 21(23-26) sts. Work straight until leg measures 14(15-18) cms [5½(6-7) ins] or required seam length from marker ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Crutch

Inc 1 st at **end** of next and every alt row until there are 24(27-30) sts ending with a right side row. Place a marker at end of last row to mark end of leg seam. ★

Work 20 rows straight. Leave sts on a holder.

Left Leg

Work to match Right Leg reversing shaping by reading **beg** for **end**.

Body

Next row: Knit across sts of Left Leg, turn and cast on 1 st, turn and knit across sts of Right Leg. 49(55-61) sts.

Work straight until body measures 24(27-30) cms [9½(10½-12) ins] from second marker ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Raglan Armholes

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: P2, k to last 2 sts, p2.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: P2, k to last 2 sts, p2.

Rep the last 4 rows 5(7-10) times more. 33(35-35) sts remain. Rep last 2 rows only until 21(23-23) sts remain ending with a wrong side row.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k2tog, pssso, k to last 4 sts, k3tog, k1.

Next row: P2, k to last 2 sts, p2.

Slip remaining 17(19-19) sts onto a holder for neckband.

The left front

Work as given for Right Back Leg to ★.

Work straight until front measures same as back to armholes ending at side edge.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.

2nd row: Knit.

3rd row: Knit.

4th row: K to last 2 sts, p2.

5th row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to end.

6th row: As 4th row.

Rep the last 4 rows until 16(17-17) sts remain ending with the dec row.

Shape Neck

Next row: K3(4-4), slip these sts onto a holder for neckband, knit to last 2 sts, p2.

Continue to dec at raglan edge as before on next and every alt row **at the same time** dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows, then on following alt row once. 6 sts remain. Keeping neck edge straight work 3 more raglan decs on alt rows as before. 3 sts remain. Dec 1 st at neck edge only on following alt row. Cast off.

The right front

Work to match Right Back Leg to ★ reversing shaping by reading **beg** for **end**.

Work straight until front measures same as back to armholes ending at side edge.

Shape Raglan Armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: P2, k to end.

Next row: K to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: P2, k to end.

Complete to match Left Front reversing shaping.

The sleeves

Using size 3mm (11) needles cast on 35(37-39) sts.

1st row (right side): K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.

2nd row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 5 times more. Change to size 3¾mm (9) needles and work 10 rows in garter st. Inc 1 st at each end of next and every following 8th(8th-10th) row until there are 43(47-49) sts. Work straight until sleeve measures 12(14-16) cms [4¾(5½-6¼) ins], or required seam length ending with a wrong side row.

Shape Raglan Top

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: P2, k to last 2 sts, p2.

Next row: K1, sl 1, k1, pssso, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: P2, k to last 2 sts, p2.

Rep the last 4 rows 3(5-10) times more. 31(31-23) sts remain, then the last 2 rows only until 9 sts remain ending with a wrong side row. Slip remaining sts onto a holder for neckband.

Finishing and neckband

Press pieces according to instructions on page 1. Join raglan seams.

Neckband: With right side of work facing slip sts from holder at right front neck onto a size 3mm (11) needle. Join in yarn and pick up and k12 sts up right front slope, k across sts on holders at first sleeve top, back neck and 2nd sleeve top, pick up and k12 sts down left front slope and knit across sts on holder at left front neck.

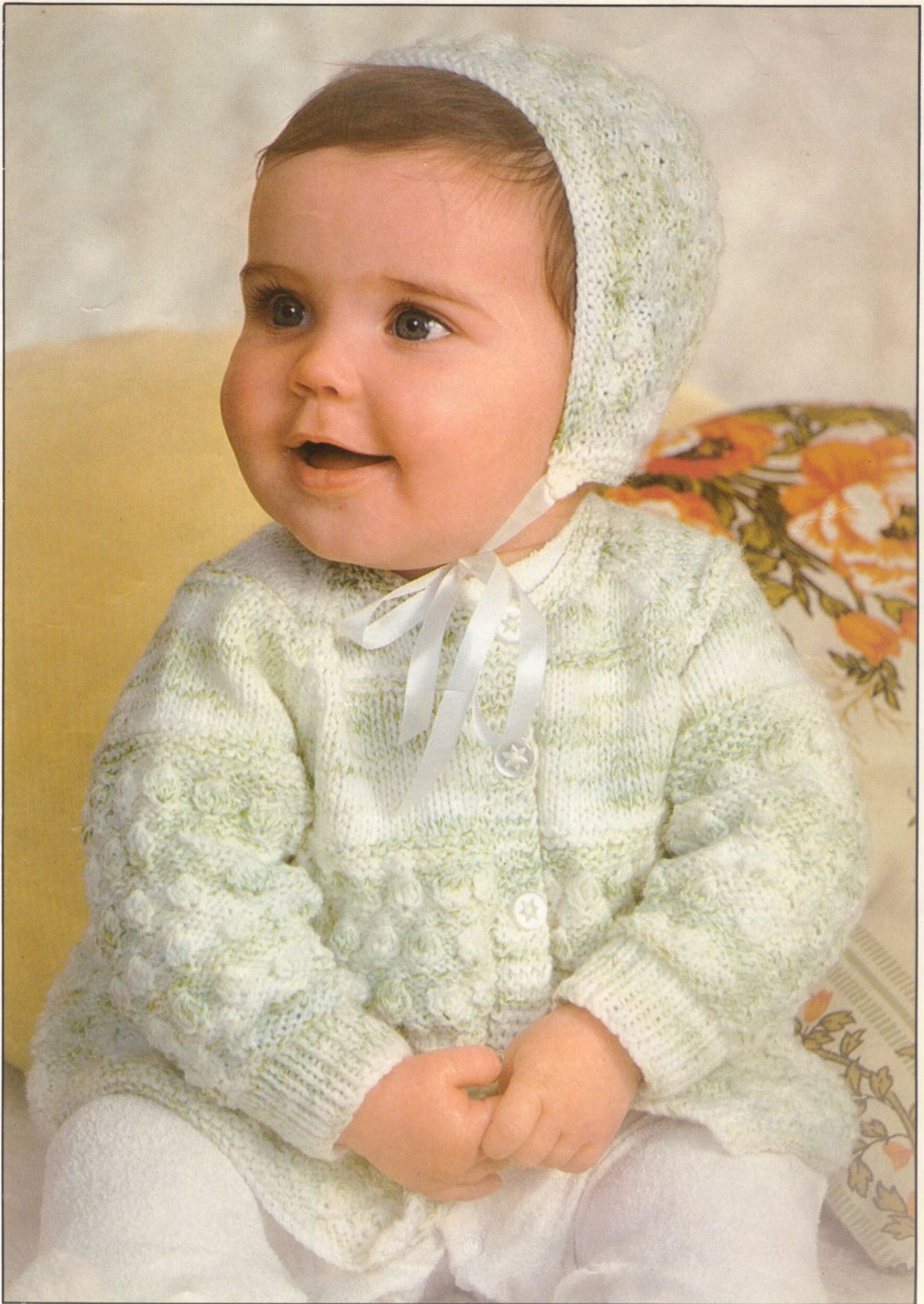
1st row: P1, *k1, p1; rep from * to end.

Keeping rib correct work 4 more rows. Cast off in rib.

Join side, sleeve and foot seams. Join leg seams to markers. Press seams. Insert zip from top of neckband to end of crutch seam.

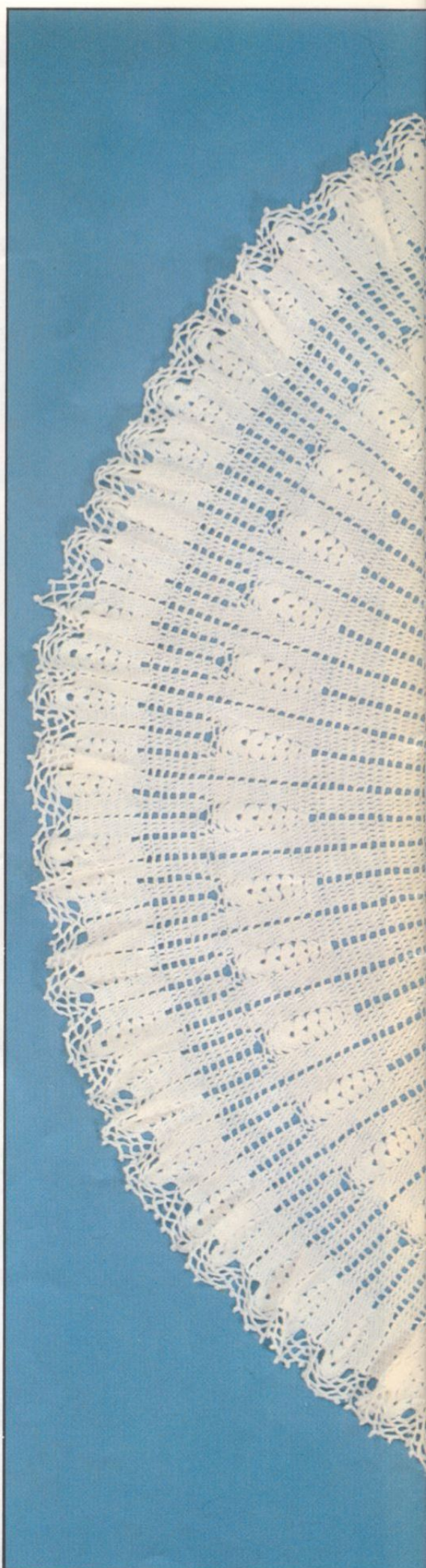
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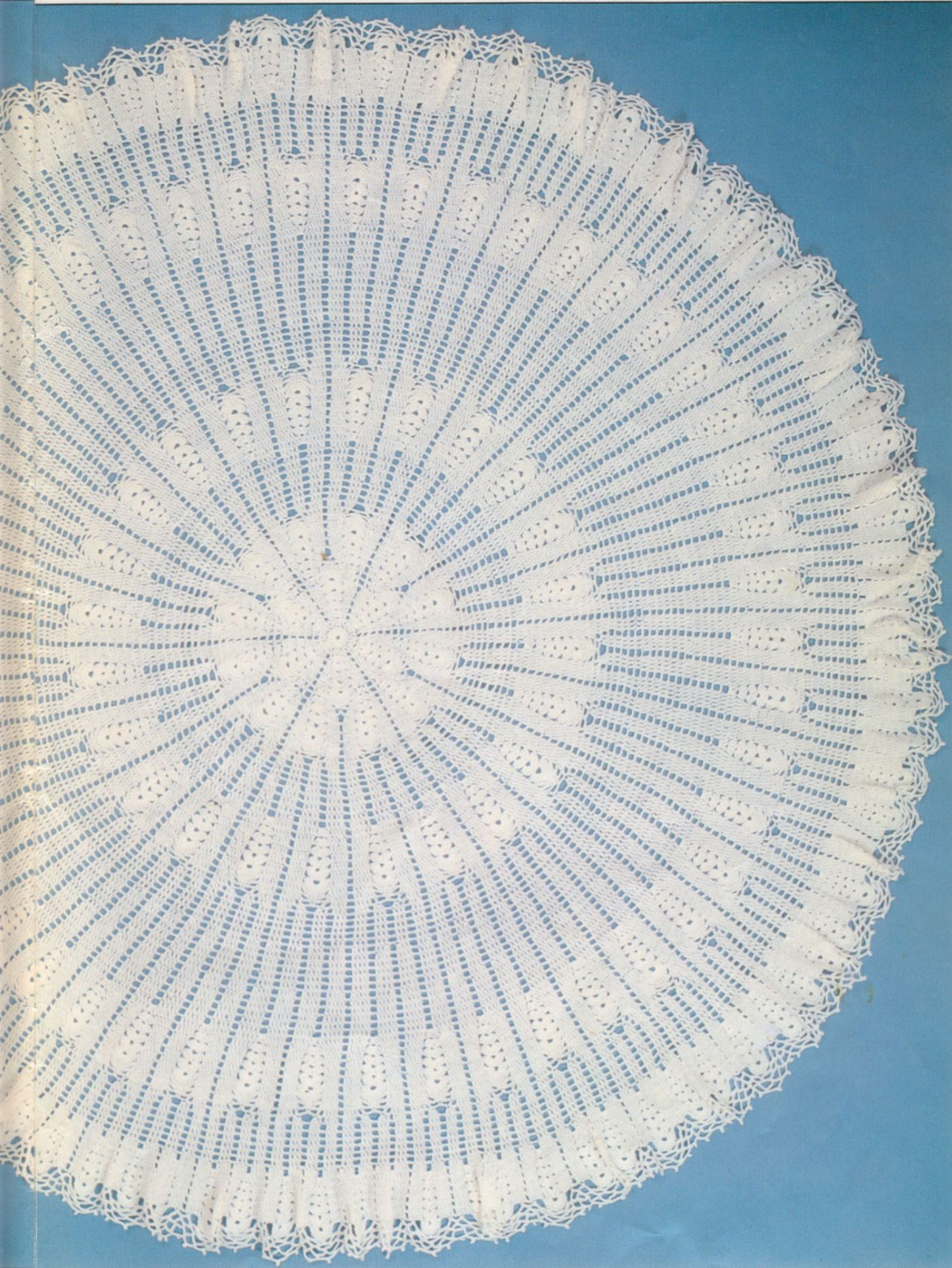
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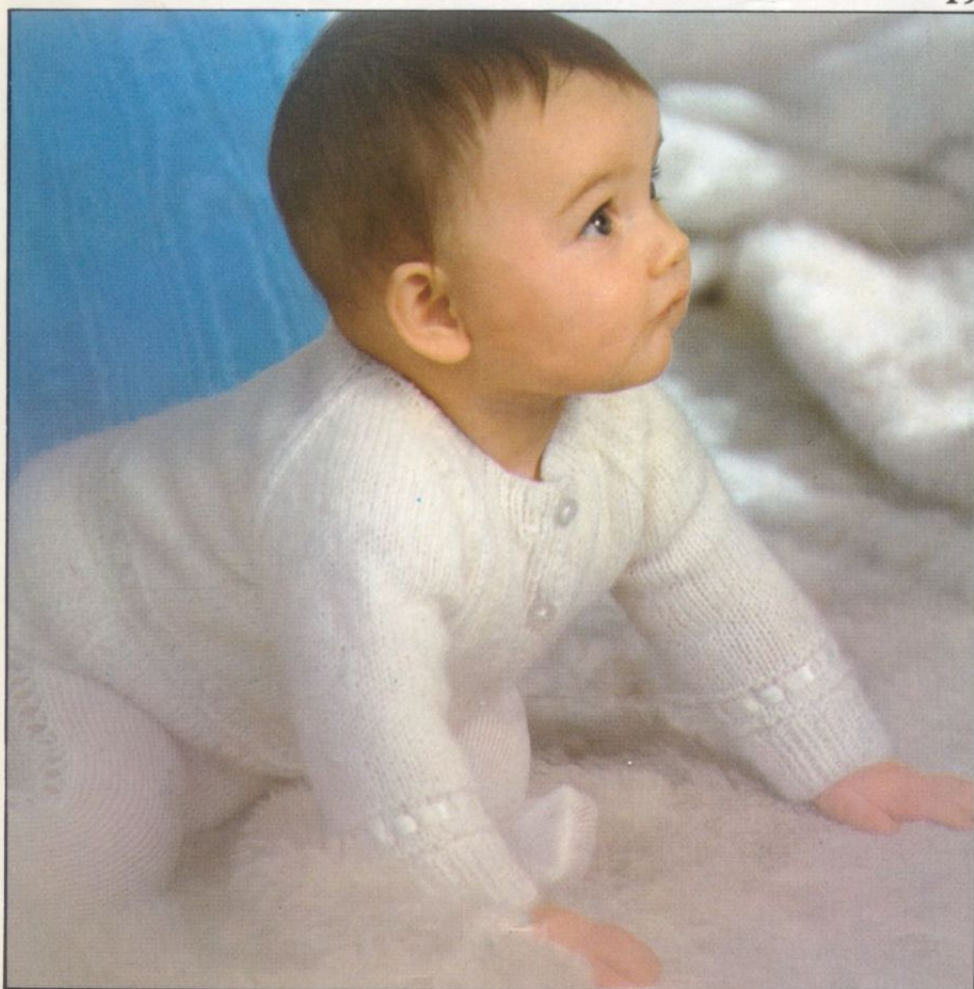
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