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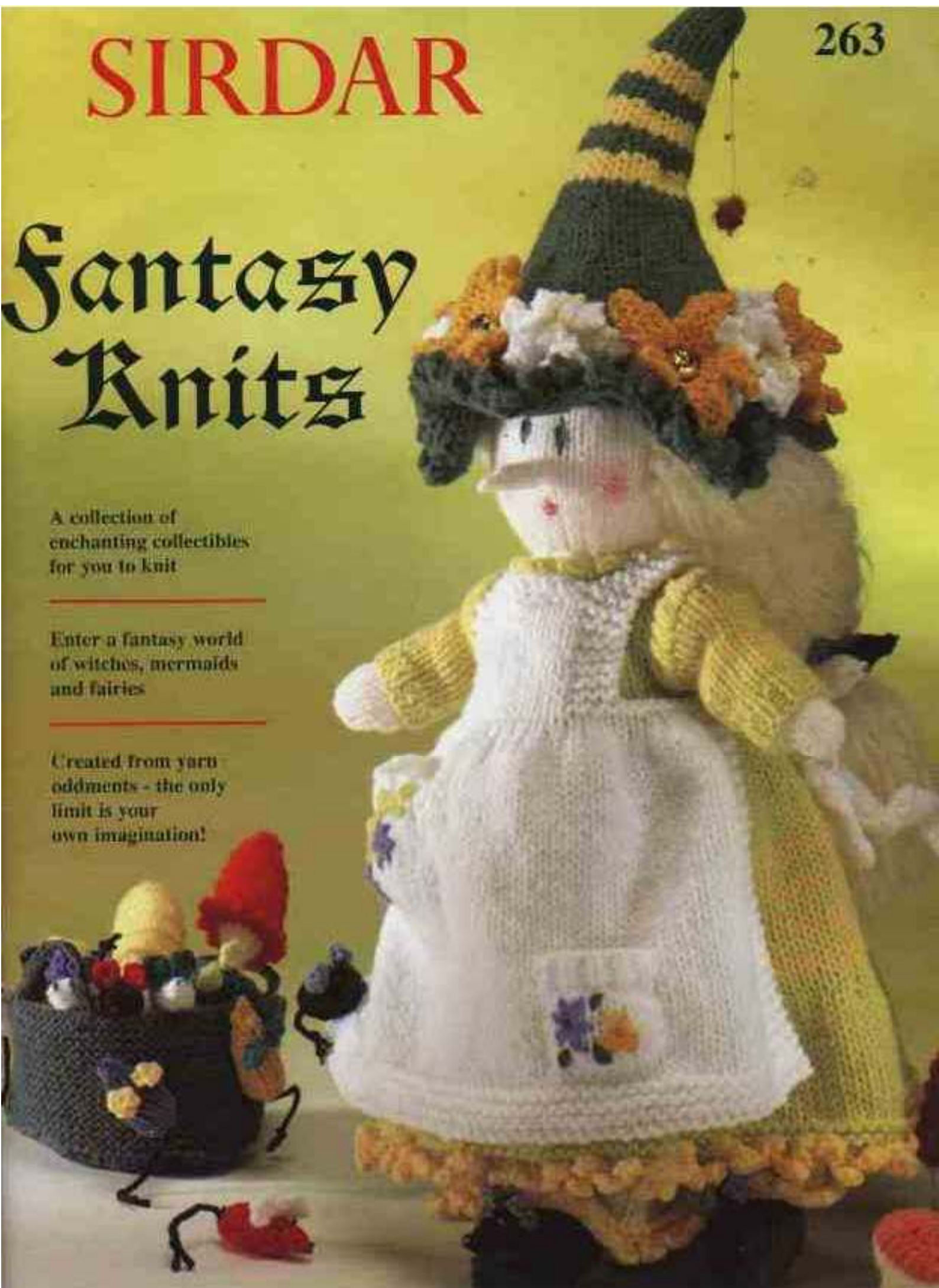
A collection of  
enchancing collectibles  
for you to knit

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Enter a fantasy world  
of witches, mermaids  
and fairies

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Created from yarn  
oddments - the only  
limit is your  
own imagination!



# Spring Witch



To knit toadstools,  
basket and rats  
see pages 11-13

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## Fantasy Knits

Welcome to a fabulous fantasy world inhabited by witches, mermaids and fairies. Each design has been lovingly created using yarn oddments to give you hours of pleasure. Meticulous attention to detail ensures that your collectibles will remain a lasting source of delight.

The pictures have been designed to stimulate your imagination - feel free to add your own details and embellishments to satisfy your flights of fancy.

### Witches brew

These seasonal spellbinders have everything they need to make their magic potions.

Spring witch



Summer witch



Autumn witch



Winter witch

# Summer Witch



To knit pumpkins  
see page 13

# Autumn Witch



To knit basket  
see page 10

# Winter Witch



To knit rat see page 12  
To knit cat and lantern  
see pages 14 and 15

# Mermaids - The call of the deep

With their flowing plaited locks, these pearly creatures  
inhabit a fantasy sea shore

Octavia



Shelle



Marina

# Octavia



Shelle



# Marina



# Fairy ring

Winged and ornate, these delightful fairies  
carry their good luck charms

Holly Fairy



Water Fairy



Sugar Plum Fairy



Snowdrop Fairy

*Holly  
Fairy*



*Water  
Fairy*



*Sugar Plum  
Fairy*



*Snowdrop  
Fairy*



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The quantities of yarn are based upon average requirements and are therefore approximate.

### VERY IMPORTANT

IT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORK TO THE STATED TENSION TO ENSURE SUCCESS.  
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### TENSION

27 sts and 32 rows to 10cm, (4in) over stocking stitch on 3mm needles or the size required to give correct tension.

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## ABBREVIATIONS

alt alternate

beg beginning

cm centimetres

cont continue

dec decrease(ing)

folll following

in inch(es)

inc increase(ing)

mm millimetres

k knit

p purl

patt pattern

psso pass slipped stitch over

rem remain(ing)

rep repeat

rs right side

sl slip 1 stitch knitways

slp slip 1 stitch purlways

st(s) stitch(es)

tag together

ws wrong side

St-st. Stocking stitch

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Purl.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows.

G-st. Garter stitch

Every row knit.

## WORKING ABBREVIATIONS

1x1 Rib

1st Row. \* K1, p1, rep from \* to last st, k1.

2nd Row. \* P1, k1, rep from \* to last st, p1.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows.

m1. Make one stitch

Pick up loop between last and next stitch and work into the back of this loop.

Moss-st

1st Row. \* K1, p1, rep from \* to last st, k1.

Rep 1st row.

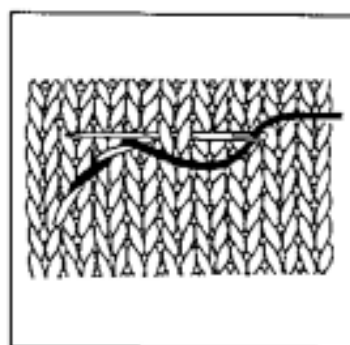
Rev st-st. Reversed stocking stitch

1st Row. Purl.

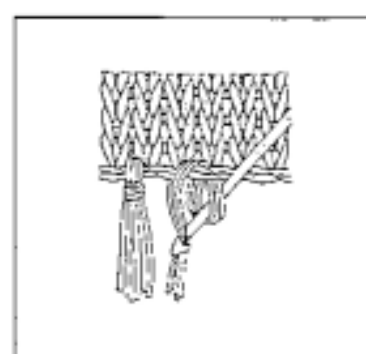
2nd Row. Knit.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows.

## LAZY DAISY STITCH

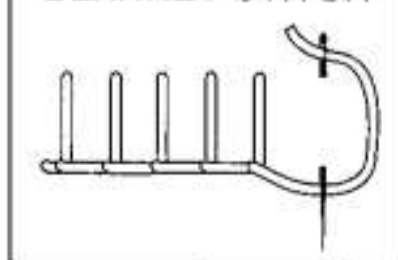


Stem Stitch

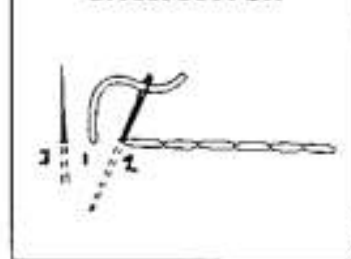


Fringing

## BLANKET STITCH



## BACK STITCH



## WITCHES

(51cm in height when finished)

### SPRING WITCH

#### Materials

100 gm of Pale Green DK.  
20 gm of Flesh DK.  
60 gm of Dark Green DK.  
15 gm of Lilac DK.  
40 gm of Yellow DK.  
50 gm of White Mohair.  
50 gm of Pale Yellow 4 ply.  
30 gm of White DK.  
20 gm of Dark Yellow DK.  
20 gm of White Glitter DK.

Oddments of DK yarn in Black, Blue, Purple and Red.  
Oddments of 4 ply yarn in Pink, Red, Purple, Yellow and Green.  
50cm length of Brown Mohair.  
18cm length of Crochet Cotton.  
Oddments of embroidery thread.  
Assortment of pearl, glass and coloured beads.  
5 Toy Bells.  
Gold/Silver card.  
Coloured double sided card.  
Glue.  
Gold thread.

1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - USA6) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.  
1 Medium sized Crochet Hook.  
Stitch Holders.  
Stuffing.

### BODY AND HEAD

Using 3mm needles and Pale Green, cast on 36 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Purl.

3rd Row. K12, inc in next st, k10, inc in next st, k12. 38 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

7th Row. K16, (inc in next st) 6 times, k16. 44 sts.

\*\* Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

#### Shape Waist

Next Row. (K4, s1, k1, pssso, k10, k2tog, k4) twice. 40 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Change to Flesh Colour and proceed as follows:-

Next Row. (Waistline) Knit.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. (K5, m1, k11, m1, k4) twice. 44 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 7 rows.

#### Shape Shoulders

Next Row. (K4, s1, k1, pssso, k10, k2tog, k4) twice. 40 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. (K7, (k2tog) 3 times, k7) twice. 34 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. (K5, (k2tog) 3 times, k6) twice. 28 sts.

#### Shape Neck

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

#### Shape Head

Next Row. K4, (inc in next st) 20 times, k4. 48 sts.

Place a coloured thread at each end of last row.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 23 rows.

Place a coloured thread at each end of last row.

#### Shape Top

1st Row. (S1, k1, pssso, k4) 8 times. 40 sts.

2nd and Every Alt Row. Purl.

3rd Row. (S1, k1, pssso, k3) 8 times. 32 sts.

5th Row. (S1, k1, pssso, k2) 8 times. 24 sts.

7th Row. (S1, k1, pssso, k1) 8 times. 16 sts.

9th Row. (S1, k1, pssso) 8 times. 8 sts.

Break off yarn, run yarn through rem sts, draw up and fasten off, leaving a long end for making up.

### LEGS (Both alike)

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 14 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Purl.

3rd Row. K4, (inc in next st) 6 times, k4. 20 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

9th Row. K4, (k2tog) 6 times, k4. 14 sts.

10th Row. Purl.

Working in st-st (throughout) work 44 rows working striped sequence of 4 rows Lilac and 4 rows Pale Green. Cast off.

### ARMS (Both alike)

Using 3mm needles and Flesh Colour, cast on 4 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 3 times. 8 sts.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st purlways, p1, (inc in next st purlways, p1) 3 times. 12 sts.

Work 2 rows more in st-st without shaping.

Working in st-st (throughout) proceed as follows:-

Cast on 2 sts at end of next 2 rows. 16 sts.

Work 3 rows in st-st.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 12 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 13 rows.

Cast off 1 st at beg of next 2 rows. 10 sts.

Next Row. K2tog, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog. 8 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows. Cast off.

### NOSE

Using 2¼mm needles and Flesh Colour, leaving a long length of yarn, cast on 5 sts and work 4 rows in st-st.

Work 3 rows dec 1 st at beg of every row. 2 sts.

Next Row. P2tog.

Fasten off leaving a long length of yarn.

### TO MAKE UP

Join centre back body and head seam. Stuff firmly. Join lower body seam. Run a flesh coloured thread 1 row below head shaping and pull up tightly to form neck and head. Run a flesh coloured thread along waistline and pull up to form waistline. Join leg seams, stuff and sew legs to lower body. Join arm and thumb seams, stuff and using cast off thread, placing arms 1.5cm below first neck dec row, sew arms to body. Use a back stitch to separate thumb. Join nose seam and stuff lightly. Placing nose 6 rows up from head inc row, sew nose in position.

### HAIR

Using 2 strands of White Mohair and 1 strand of Pale Yellow 4 ply approximately 60cm in

length, and a medium sized  
crochet hook work 4 rows of  
fringes all round hairline  
and one row straight across  
centre back of head.

## MOUTH

Using pink embroidery thread  
work 3 small lazy daisy stitches  
to form lips.

## EYES

Using Green embroidery thread  
work 2 lazy daisy stitches 3 sts  
in length, at either side of nose  
and slightly above nose to form  
eyes. Sew a tiny coloured bead  
into centre of each eye if  
required.

## CHEEKS

Shade cheeks as required. Sew a  
small number of glass beads onto  
forehead and cheeks to give fairy  
dust appearance if required.

## DRESS

### 1ST POCKET LINING

Using 3¼mm needles and Pale  
Green, cast on 10 sts, work 8  
rows in st-st.  
Leave these 10 sts on a stitch  
holder.

### 2ND POCKET LINING

Using 3¼mm needles and Pale  
Green, cast on 10 sts, work 10  
rows in st-st.  
Leave these 10 sts on a stitch  
holder.

### 3RD POCKET LINING

Using 3¼mm needles and Pale  
Green, cast on 12 sts, work 12  
rows in st-st.  
Leave these 12 sts on a stitch  
holder.

## SKIRT

Using 3¼mm needles and Pale  
Green, cast on 140 sts, work 4  
rows in g-st.  
Working in st-st (throughout)  
work 10 rows.

### Place 1st Pocket

11th Row. K69, slip 10 sts onto

a stitch holder, k10 from 1st  
pocket lining, k61. 140 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.  
15th Row. (K5, k2tog) 19 times,  
k7. 121 sts.

### 16th Row. Purl.

Work 14 rows in st-st working  
striped sequence of 2 rows  
Yellow and 2 rows Pale Green.  
Using Pale Green only work 2  
rows more.

### Place 2nd Pocket

33rd Row. K35, slip 10 sts onto  
a stitch holder, k10 from 2nd  
pocket lining, k76. 121 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.  
37th Row. (K4, k2tog) 20 times,  
k1. 101 sts.  
38th Row. Purl.

### Place 3rd Pocket

39th Row. K48, slip 12 sts onto  
a stitch holder, k12 from 3rd  
pocket lining, k41. 101 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.  
43rd Row. K2, (k2tog, k7) 11  
times. 90 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.  
47th Row. (K2tog) 45 times.  
45 sts. \*\*\*  
\*\* Commencing with a purl row  
work 7 rows in st-st.

### Divide for Backs and Front

Next Row. K12, turn, leave rem  
33 sts on a stitch holder.  
Working on these 12 sts only  
proceed as follows:-

## LEFT BACK

Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 9 rows. Cast off.

## FRONT

With rs facing, working on rem  
33 sts, k21, turn.  
Proceed as follows:-  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 5 rows.

### Shape Neck

Next Row. K6, k2tog, turn.  
Working on these 7 sts only  
proceed as follows:-  
Next Row. P7.  
Next Row. K5, k2tog. 6 sts.  
Next Row. Purl.  
Cast off.

With rs facing, working on rem  
13 sts, slip first 5 sts onto a  
stitch holder, k2tog, k6. 7 sts.  
Complete to match first side of  
neck.

## RIGHT BACK

With rs facing, rejoin yarn to  
rem 12 sts and knit to end.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 9 rows. Cast off.

## SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using 3mm needles and Pale  
Green, cast on 17 sts, work  
4 rows in 1x1 rib.  
Change to 3¼mm needles and  
proceed as follows:-  
Working in st-st and working  
striped sequence of 2 rows Pale  
Green and 2 rows Yellow  
(throughout) work 16 rows. \*\*\*  
\*\* Next Row. Knit into front  
back and front of 1st st, (inc in  
next st) 15 times, knit into front  
back and front of last st. 36 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.  
Next Row. (K1, (k2tog) twice)  
7 times, k1. 22 sts.  
Cast off working row as  
follows:- p2, (p2tog) 9 times,  
p2.

## 1ST AND 2ND POCKET BORDERS

With rs facing, using 3mm  
needles and Pale Green, work  
across 10 sts left on a stitch  
holder as follows:-  
1st Row. Cast on 1 st, k5, m1,  
k5, cast on 1 st. 13 sts.  
(Cast on sts to be used for  
sewing pocket border to front).  
Commencing with 1st row of  
1x1 rib work 3 rows.  
Cast off in rib.

## 3RD POCKET BORDER

With rs facing, using 3mm  
needles and Pale Green, work  
across 12 sts left on a stitch  
holder as follows:-  
1st Row. Cast on 1 st, k6, m1,  
k6, cast on 1 st. 15 sts.  
(Cast on sts to be used for  
sewing pocket border to front).  
Commencing with 1st row of  
1x1 rib work 3 rows.  
Cast off in rib.

## LOWER EDGING

With rs facing, using 3¼mm needles and Yellow proceed as follows:-

**Next Row.** Pick up and knit 1 st in 1st st, \* (pick up and knit 1 st in next st) 3 times, pick up and knit 2 sts in next st, rep from \* to last 3 sts, (pick up and knit 1 st in next st) 3 times. 174 sts.

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## NECK EDGING

Join shoulder seams. With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Pale Green, pick up and knit 6 sts from left side of back neck, 6 sts evenly along left side of front neck, 5 sts left on a stitch holder at front of neck, 6 sts evenly along right side of front neck and 6 sts from right side of back neck. 29 sts.

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join centre back seam to last dec row. Join sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew pocket linings and borders in position (using cast on sts). Place dress on doll and join remainder of back seam.

## PETTICOAT

### POCKET LINING

Using 3¼mm needles and Pale Green, cast on 12 sts, work 14 rows in st-st.  
Leave these 12 sts on a stitch holder.

### SKIRT

Using 3mm needles and Yellow, cast on 90 sts, work 2 rows in g-st.  
Change to 3¼mm needles and Pale Green work 18 rows in st-st.

Place Pocket

**Next Row.** K44, slip 12 sts onto a stitch holder, k12 from pocket

lining, k34, 90 sts.

**Next Row.** Purl.

Work 18 rows in st-st working striped sequence of 2 rows Yellow and 2 rows Pale Green. Using Pale Green only work 17 rows more.

**Next Row.** (P2tog) 45 times. 45 sts.

Cast off.

## LOWER EDGING

With rs facing, using 3¼mm needles and Yellow, pick up and knit 90 sts evenly all round lower edge of petticoat.

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## POCKET BORDER

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Pale Green, work across 12 sts left on a stitch holder as follows:-

**1st Row.** Cast on 1 st, k6, m1, k6, cast on 1 st. 15 sts.

(Cast on sts to be used for sewing pocket border to front). Commencing with 1st row of 1x1 rib work 3 rows.

Cast off in rib.

## TO MAKE UP

Join back seam. Sew pocket lining and border in position (using cast on sts). Place Petticoat on doll and sew evenly in position all round waist.

## HAT

### BRIM

Using 4mm needles and Dark Green DOUBLE, cast on 50 sts loosely, work 2 rows in st-st.  
**3rd Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 49 times. 100 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Proceed as follows:-

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### CONE

Using 4mm needles and Dark

Green DOUBLE, cast on 55 sts loosely, work 6 rows in st-st.

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) 13 times, k3. 42 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) 10 times, k2. 32 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) 8 times. 24 sts.

**\*\* Next Row.** Using Dark Green, purl.

Using Yellow DOUBLE, work 3 rows in st-st.

**Next Row.** Using Dark Green, purl. \*\*

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) 6 times. 18 sts.

Work from \*\* to \*\* once.

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) 4 times, k2. 14 sts.

Work from \*\* to \*\* once.

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) 3 times, k2. 11 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

**Next Row.** (K2, k2tog) twice, k3. 9 sts.

**Next Row.** Purl.

**Next Row.** (K2tog) twice, k1, (k2tog) twice. 5 sts.

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

## TO MAKE UP

Join brim and cone seams. Join cone to hat brim and stuff lightly.

## SHOES (Both alike)

### UPPER

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 37 sts.

Working in moss-st (throughout) work 8 rows dec 1 st at each end of 2nd and every foll row. 23 sts.

Cast off in patt.

### SOLE

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 7 sts, work 11 rows in g-st.

Working in g-st (throughout) work 5 rows dec 1 st at beg of every row. 2 sts.

**Next Row.** K2tog. Fasten off.

## TOP EDGING

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Dark Green, pick up and knit 22 sts evenly along top edge of upper.

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam of upper excluding top edging. Sew cast on edge of upper evenly all round sole.

Using 1 strand of yarn make 2 twisted cords 38cm in length and thread through top of shoe below top edging, to tie at back of shoe.

## PINAFORE

### 1ST POCKET LINING

Using 3¼mm needles and White, cast on 9 sts, work 8 rows in st-st.

Leave these 9 sts on a stitch holder.

### 2ND POCKET LINING

Using 3¼mm needles and White, cast on 15 sts, work 12 rows in st-st.

Leave these 15 sts on a stitch holder.

## MAIN PART

Using 3¼mm needles and White, cast on 60 sts, work 6 rows in g-st.

Proceed as follows:-

**1st Row.** Knit.

**2nd Row.** K5, p50, k5.

1st and 2nd rows set g-st borders and st-st.

Keeping continuity of g-st borders and st-st as set work 10 rows more.

### Place 1st Pocket

**Next Row.** K14, slip 9 sts onto a stitch holder, k9 from 1st pocket lining, k37. 60 sts. Work 19 rows more.

### Place 2nd Pocket

**Next Row.** K35, slip 15 sts onto a stitch holder, k15 from pocket lining, k10. 60 sts. Work 7 rows more.

**Next Row.** K5, (k2tog) 25 times, k5, cast on 54 sts. 89 sts.

**Next Row.** K59, p25, k5, cast on 54 sts. 143 sts.

**Next Row.** Knit.

**Next Row.** Cast off 63 sts

knitways, k3, p9, k67. 80 sts.

**Next Row.** Cast off 63 sts, knit to end. 17 sts.

**Next Row.** K4, p9, k4.

Work 10 rows more.

Work 4 rows in g-st.

**Next Row.** K4, cast off 9 sts, k3.

Working on first 4 sts only work 27 rows more in g-st. Cast off.

With ws facing, rejoin yarn to rem 4 sts and knit to end.

Work 26 rows more in g-st.

Cast off.

## 1ST POCKET BORDER

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and White, work across 9 sts left on a stitch holder as follows:-

**1st Row.** Cast on 1 st, k9, cast on 1 st. 11 sts.

(Cast on sts to be used for sewing pocket border to front).

Commencing with 1st row of 1x1 rib work 3 rows.

Cast off in rib.

## 2ND POCKET BORDER

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and White, work across 15 sts left on a stitch holder as follows:-

**1st Row.** Cast on 1 st, k15, cast on 1 st. 17 sts.

(Cast on sts to be used for sewing pocket border to front).

Commencing with 1st row of 1x1 rib work 3 rows.

Cast off in rib.

## TO MAKE UP

Sew straps in position to waist straps. Sew pocket linings and borders in position (using cast on sts). Using Purple and Dark Yellow yarn and lazy daisy stitch work flowers on pockets. Using Green yarns, lazy daisy stitch and stem stitch work leaves and stems around flowers. Sew pinafore in position to dress at waist.

## DANDY BELLS

(Make 5)

Using 3mm needles and Dark Yellow, cast on 4 sts.

Working in g-st (throughout) work 4 rows casting on 3 sts at end of 2nd and 4th rows. 10 sts. Work 2 rows more without shaping.

**\*\*** Work 4 rows casting off 3 sts at beg of 1st and 3rd rows. 4 sts.

Work 4 rows casting on 3 sts at end of 2nd and 4th rows. 10 sts. **\*\***

Work from **\*\*** to **\*\*** 3 times more.

Work 4 rows casting off 3 sts at end of 1st and 3rd rows. 4 sts. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam. Gather base of bell, pull tight and fasten off. Run a thread through base of petals and tighten. Sew a toy bell in centre of each bell.

## SNOW FLOWERS

(Make 5)

Using 2¼mm needles and Pale Yellow 4 ply, cast on 3 sts.

**1st Row.** Knit.

**2nd Row.** Inc in 1st st purlways, (inc in next st purlways) twice. 6 sts.

**3rd Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 5 times. 12 sts.

**4th Row.** Purl.

Change to 4mm needles White Glitter DK and proceed as follows:-

**5th Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 11 times. 24 sts.

**6th Row.** Purl.

**7th Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 23 times. 48 sts.

**8th Row.** Purl.

**9th Row.** \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 2 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

Join side seam.

## STAMENS (if required)

(Make 2 per Flower)

Thread a pearl bead onto a strand of Pale Yellow 4 ply. Using 2 strands of yarn, make 2 twisted cords 5cm in length bringing bead to centre of each

cord. With bead at tip of cord, tie off and sew into centre of snow flower, leaving at least 2cm in length.

## SPIDER

Using 3¼mm needles and Brown Mohair, cast on 4 sts, knit 1 row. Cast off.  
Knot together cast on and cast off ends to form face.

## TO COMPLETE HAT

Using 2 strands of Dark Green make a twisted cord 40cm in length. Thread a dandy bell and a snow flower alternately onto cord. Place in position around hat at commencement of cone and catch in position all round hat. Using a length of crochet cotton sew 2 glass beads to spiders face for eyes. Using same length of cotton, knot 5 beads onto cotton approximately 2cm apart and attach to top of hat.

## DUSTER

Using 2¼mm needles and Pink 4 ply, cast on 25 sts, work 26 rows in st-st. Cast off.

## TO COMPLETE

Using Red 4 ply, work blanket stitch all round edges of duster.

## RAT

Using 3mm needles and Black, cast on 5 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 4 times. 10 sts.

Working in st-st (throughout) commencing with a purl row work 7 rows.

Work 3 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row, 4 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. (K2tog) twice. 2 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

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

## EARS (Both alike)

Using 2¼mm needles and Blue, cast on 3 sts leaving a long end.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) twice. 6 sts.

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

## TAIL

Using 1 strand of Black make a twisted cord 4cm in length.

## TO MAKE UP

Stuff and join seam. Sew ears and tail in position. Sew three coloured beads in position for eyes and nose. Sew rat in position to corner of pinafore.

## RATS HEADS

(Make 3 in Black, 1 in White)

### Main Part

Using 3mm needles cast on 10 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Purl.

Working in st-st (throughout) work 3 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 4 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. (K2tog) twice. 2 sts.

Next Row. P2tog. Fasten off.

## EARS (Both alike)

Using Blue work as given for Rats Ears.

## TO MAKE UP

Stuff and join seam. Sew ears in position. Sew three coloured beads in position for eyes and nose. Sew a black rats head onto each shoe.

## WORMS

(Make 1 each in Red, Green, Purple and Yellow 4 ply)

Using 2¼mm needles cast on 28 sts, work 4 rows in rev st-st. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seams pulling yarn tight. Sew on 2 tiny beads for eyes.

## SPELL BOOK

Using 3mm needles and Red, cast on 14 sts, work 9 rows in st-st.

Next Row. Knit.

Next Row. Purl.

Commencing with a purl row work 9 rows in st-st.

Cast off.

## EDGING

\*\* With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Black, pick up and knit 24 sts evenly along 2 sides of book.

Next Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off. \*\*

Work from \*\* to \*\* once.

## TO MAKE UP

Cut 2 pieces of Gold/Silver card 2.5cm/4.5cm, glue to inside covers leaving spine free. Cut pages from coloured double sided card and fold across centre, trim and shape corners. Using gold thread secure pages to spine. Using gold thread embroider a star on front. Write spells on pages.

## TO COMPLETE WITCH

Plait hair into one plait. Using 1 strand of Green yarn make a twisted cord, thread through a white rats head and a black rats head, use to secure plait. Sew hat in position. Place different items in pockets.

## SUMMER WITCH

### Materials

30 gm of Bright Yellow DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

90 gm of Salmon DK.

50 gm of Cream Mohair.

60 gm of Yellow DK.

50 gm of Peach Silky Effect DK.

DK.

Oddments of 4 ply yarn in Red, Jade, Bright Yellow and Green. Oddments of embroidery thread. Assortment of pearl and glass beads.

Gold/Silver card.

Coloured double sided card.

Glue.

Gold thread.

1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - USA6) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5)

Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2)  
Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 2½mm (UK12 -  
USA2) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 2mm (UK14 - USA0)  
Knitting Needles.  
1 Medium sized Crochet Hook.  
Stitch Holders.  
Stuffing.

## BODY AND HEAD

Using Bright Yellow instead of  
Pale Green work as given for  
Spring Witch.

## LEGS (Both alike)

Using Salmon instead of Dark  
Green and Lilac, Bright Yellow  
instead of Pale Green work as  
given for Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## HAIR

Using 1 strand of Cream Mohair  
and 2 strands of Peach Silky  
Effect DK work as given for  
Spring Witch.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## DRESS

## POCKET LININGS

Using Yellow work 3 as given  
for Spring Witch.

## SKIRT

Using Yellow only work as  
given for Spring Witch to \*\*\*.  
Using Bright Yellow complete  
from \*\* as given for Spring  
Witch.

## SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using Yellow only work as  
given for Spring Witch to \*\*\*.  
Using Bright Yellow complete  
from \*\* as given for Spring  
Witch.

## POCKET BORDERS AND LOWER EDGING

Using Yellow work as given for  
Spring Witch.

## NECK EDGING

Using Bright Yellow work as  
given for Spring Witch.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## PETTICOAT

Using Salmon only work as  
given for Spring Witch.

## HAT

Using Salmon only work as  
given for Spring Witch.

## SHOES (Both alike)

Using Salmon instead of Dark  
Green work as given for Spring  
Witch.

## TO COMPLETE

Sew 3 pearl beads to top of each  
shoe.

## DRESS-OVERLAY

Using 3½mm needles and Bright  
Yellow, cast on 90 sts, work 4  
rows in st-st.

Next Row. \* K2, inc in next st,  
k2, rep from \* to end. 108 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.

Next Row. \* K2, inc in next st,  
k3, rep from \* to end. 126 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 7 rows.

Next Row. \* K3, inc in next st,  
k3, rep from \* to end. 144 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 5 rows.

## Shape Points

\*\* Next Row. K2tog, k10, turn.

Next Row. P2tog, p9.  
Next Row. K2tog, k8, turn.  
Next Row. P2tog, p7.  
Next Row. K2tog, k6, turn.  
Next Row. P2tog, p5.  
Next Row. K2tog, k4, turn.  
Next Row. P2tog, p3.  
Next Row. K2tog, k2, turn.  
Next Row. P2tog, p1.  
Next Row. K2tog.

Fasten off, leaving a long length  
of yarn.

Rejoin yarn to rem sts and rep  
from \*\* to end.

## SLEEVE-OVERLAYS (Both alike)

Using 3½mm needles and Bright  
Yellow, cast on 18 sts, work 4  
rows in st-st.

Next Row. \* K1, inc in next st,  
k1, rep from \* to end. 24 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

## Shape Points

\*\* Next Row. K2tog, k4, turn.

Next Row. P2tog, p3.

Next Row. K2tog, k2, turn.

Next Row. P2tog, p1.

Next Row. K2tog.

Fasten off, leaving a long length  
of yarn.

Rejoin yarn to rem sts and rep  
from \*\* to end.

## TO COMPLETE

Thread a pearl bead onto each  
long end. Twist yarn to make a  
twisted cord with bead in centre.  
Join back seam and sleeve  
seams. Sew dress-overlay in  
position to dress all round waist.  
Sew sleeve overlays in position  
to sleeves 4 rows below cast off  
edge.

## FAIRY BELLS

(Make 8 assorted in Red, Jade,  
Salmon and Bright Yellow DK  
or 4 ply)

Using 2½mm needles for DK or  
2mm needles for 4 ply cast on  
6 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in  
next st) 5 times. 12 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 3 rows.

Next Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in  
next st) 11 times. 24 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of  
st-st work 7 rows.

Proceed as follows:-

**\*\* Next Row.** K2tog, k2, turn.

**Next Row.** P2tog, p1.

**Next Row.** K2tog. Fasten off.

Rejoin yarn to rem sts and rep from \*\* to end.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam. Run yarn through last inc row, pull into a bell shape.

Using 1 strand of yarn in contrast colour make twisted cord and knot 3 to centre of each bell. Using 2 strands of Green yarn make 3 twisted cords, attach 3 bells to cords for dress and hat, and 2 bells for hand. Sew in position.

## SPELL BOOK

Using Red and Salmon instead of Black work as given for Spring Witch.

## TO COMPLETE WITCH

Plait hair into one plait, using 2 strands of Bright Yellow yarn make a twisted cord and tie round bottom of plait.

## AUTUMN WITCH

### Materials

50 gm of Orange DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

60 gm of Ruby Red DK.

25 gm of Mustard DK.

10 gm of Brown DK.

50 gm of Brown Mohair.

20 gm of Green DK.

Oddments of DK in Yellow, Dark Green, Light Green and Red.

Oddments of 4 ply in Reds, Purples, Greens, Blues and Browns.

Oddments of embroidery thread. Assortment of glass and coloured beads.

Hook and Eye.

Gold/Silver card.

Coloured double sided card.

Glue.

Gold thread.

1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - USA6)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 -

USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Medium sized Crochet Hook.

Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

## BODY AND HEAD

Using Orange instead of Pale Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEGS (Both alike)

Using Ruby Red instead of Dark Green, Brown instead of Lilac and Mustard instead of Pale Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## HAIR

Using Brown Mohair only work as given for Spring Witch.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## DRESS

Using Orange only work as given for Spring Witch.

## PETTICOAT

Using Brown instead of Pale Green and Ruby Red instead of Yellow work as given for Spring Witch.

## HAT

Using Ruby Red only work as given for Spring Witch.

## SHOES (Both alike)

Using Ruby Red instead of Dark

Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## SHAWL

Using 3¼mm needles and Mustard, cast on 84 sts.

**1st Row.** Knit.

**2nd Row.** P2tog, p36, (p2tog)

4 times, p36, p2tog. 78 sts.

Working in st-st work 10 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 58 sts.

Cast off 15 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 28 sts.

Cast off 1 st at beg of next 27 rows. 1 st. Fasten off.

## TO COMPLETE

Using 1 strand of yarn 8cm in length fringe shaped edges of shawl. Fit round dolls shoulders, letting cast on edge roll. Sew on a hook and eye.

## FLOWERS

(Make 10 assorted in Reds, Purples, Greens, Blues and Browns in 4 ply)

Using 2¼mm needles cast on 4 sts, leaving a long end.

**Next Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 3 times. 8 sts.

Change to Contrast colour and proceed as follows:-

**Next Row.** Purl.

**Next Row.** Knit.

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 2 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join side seams. Draw up centre using cast on thread.

## BERRIES

(Make 15 assorted in Reds, Purples, Greens, Blues and Browns in 4 ply)

Using 2¼mm needles cast on 8 sts, leaving a long end.

Work 6 rows in st-st. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Run long end all round berry, stuff, gather thread and fasten off.

## LEAVES

(Work 51 in assorted DK colours)

Using 3mm needles cast on 3 sts.

Working in g-st (throughout) work 5 rows inc 1 st at beg of every row. 8 sts.

Work 2 rows more without shaping.

Work 5 rows dec 1 st at beg of every row. 3 sts. Cast off.

## RATS HEADS

(Make 8 in assorted DK colours)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## WORMS

(Make 3 in assorted 4 ply colours)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## BASKET

### BASE

Using 3mm needles and Green, cast on 4 sts.

Working in g-st (throughout) work 4 rows inc 1 st at each end of every row. 12 sts.

Work 10 rows without shaping.

Work 4 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 4 sts.

Cast off.

### SIDE

Using 3mm needles and Green, cast on 10 sts loosely.

Work 89 rows in g-st.

Cast off loosely.

### EDGING

Fold side in half onto ws and slip stitch in position.

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Green, pick up and knit 38 sts evenly all along top edge of basket (working through double thickness).

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 2 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### HANDLE

Using 3mm needles and Green, cast on 5 sts, work 33 rows in

g-st. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join side seam. Sew side to

base. Sew on handle. Run a thread through pick up row of edging and draw up slightly.

Secure in position. Stuff lightly.

Fill basket with berries, leaves, flowers and rats heads. Secure in position.

## SPELL BOOK

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## TO COMPLETE WITCH

Plait hair into one plait. Using

1 strand of Green yarn make a twisted cord, thread through 2

rats heads and use to secure

plait. Using 2 strands of Green

yarn make 2 twisted cords 25cm and 40cm in length, thread with

berries, leaves, flowers and rats heads. Place 40cm one in

position all round hat at

commencement of cone and

catch in position all round hat.

Place 25cm in position to front

of dress and catch in position.

Sew a flower over hook and eye

on shawl. Sew hat in position.

Place different items in pockets.

## WINTER WITCH

### Materials

25 gm of White DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

90 gm of Blue DK.

130 gm of White Glitter DK.

50 gm of White Mohair.

Oddments of DK in Yellow, Dark Green, Light Green and Red.

Oddments of 4 ply in White and Yellow.

Oddments of embroidery thread.

Assortment of gold, pearl, glass and coloured beads.

Gold/Silver card.

Coloured double sided card.

Glue.

Gold thread.

1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - USA6)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Medium sized Crochet Hook.

Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

## BODY AND HEAD

Using White instead of Pale

Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEGS (Both alike)

Using Blue instead of Dark

Green and Pale Green, White

Glitter DK instead of Lilac work as given for Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## HAIR

Using White Mohair only work as given for Spring Witch.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Using Purple instead of Green for eyes work as given for Spring Witch.

## DRESS

Using White Glitter DK only work as given for Spring Witch.

## PETTICOAT

Using White Glitter DK only work as given for Spring Witch.

## HAT

Using Blue only work as given for Spring Witch.

## SHOES (Both alike)

Using Blue instead of Dark Green work as given for Spring

Witch.

## SNOW BERRIES

(Make 24)

Using White 4 ply only work as given for Berries of Autumn Witch.

## LEAVES

(Make 24)

Using White Glitter DK only work as given for Autumn Witch.

## RATS HEADS

(Make 12)

Using White for Head, Yellow for Ears and Gold Beads for Eyes work as given for Spring Witch.  
Sew a Rats Head onto each shoe.

## SNOW FLOWERS

(Make 12)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## SCARF

Using 3¼mm needles and Blue, cast on 9 sts, work 199 rows in g-st. Cast off.

## TO COMPLETE

Using 2 strands of yarn 5cm in length fringe each end of scarf.

## HOLLY

### LEAVES

(Make 2 in Dark Green, 1 in Light Green)

Using 3mm needles cast on 10 sts, work 2 rows in g-st.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end.  
Fasten off leaving a long thread.

### TO MAKE UP

Sew cast on edges together to form a leaf.

### BERRIES

(Make 3 in White)

Work as given for Autumn

Witch.

## TO COMPLETE HAT

Sew glass beads all over hat.  
Using 1 strand of White yarn make 2 twisted cords one 6cm and one 8cm in length. Make 2 small pom-poms and attach 1 to each cord. Attach to top of hat. Sew holly leaves and berries in position to top of hat.

## PARCEL

Using 3mm needles and Red, cast on 6 sts, work 5 rows in st-st.

Next Row. Knit.

Work 5 rows in st-st.

Next Row. K6, cast on 6 sts, 12 sts.

Next Row. K12, cast on 6 sts, 18 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. Cast off 6 sts, p5, k6, 12 sts.

Next Row. Cast off 6 sts, p5, 6 sts.

Work 4 rows in st-st.

Cast off purlways.

## TO MAKE UP

Join cast on and cast off edges.  
Sew down flap at one side, stuff and sew down flap at other side to form a square. Tie round with gold thread.

## SPELL BOOK

Using Dark Green instead of Red and Red instead of Black work as given for Spring Witch.

## CHRISTMAS CARD

Key

W White, R Red, G Green.

Using 3mm needles and W, cast on 21 sts, work 3 rows in g-st.

4th Row. K1W, p9W, slp, p3W, p3R, p3W, k1W.

5th Row. K4W, 3R, 14W.

6th Row. K1W, p9W, slp, p1W, p7G, p1W, k1W.

7th Row. K2W, 7G, 12W.

8th Row. K1W, p9W, slp, p2W, p5G, p2W, k1W.

9th Row. K3W, 5G, 13W.

10th Row. K1W, p9W, slp,

p3W, p3G, p3W, k1W.  
11th Row. K5W, 1G, 15W.  
12th Row. Using W, k1, p9, slp, p9, k1.  
Using W only work 3 rows in g-st. Cast off.

## TO COMPLETE

Using coloured beads and gold thread decorate tree. Cut double sided card and fold across centre, trim to size, glue in position to card. Using 1 strand of Red yarn make a twisted cord and tie round centre of christmas card. Write a message on card.

## TO COMPLETE WITCH

Plait hair into one plait. Using 1 strand of White yarn make a twisted cord, thread through 2 rats heads and use to secure plait. Sew hat in position. Using 1 strand of White yarn make a twisted cord 75cm in length. Thread Snow Flowers, Berries, Leaves and Rats Heads onto a cord and sew in position evenly all round bottom of dress. Place different items in pockets.

## WITCHES TOOLS OF THE TRADE

Materials

20 gm of Dark Green DK.

Assorted DK colours.

Oddments of 4ply yarn in Red, Yellow, Wine, Green, Pink and Cream.

Assortment of glass and coloured beads.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 -

USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2mm (UK14 - USA0)

Knitting Needles.

## BASKET

### BASE

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 8 sts, working in g-st (throughout) work 8 rows inc 1 st at each end of every row. 24 sts.  
Work 20 rows more without shaping.

Work 8 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 8 sts.  
Cast off.

## MAIN SECTION

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 64 sts loosely, working in g-st (throughout) work 6 rows.

Next Row. K5, m1, (k9, m1) 6 times, k5. 71 sts.

Work 7 rows in g-st.

Next Row. K6, m1, (k10, m1) 6 times, k5. 78 sts.

Work 14 rows more without shaping. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join side seam. Sew main section to base. Work a loop at each side of basket to form handles. Stuff lightly.

## RATS

(Make 8 in assorted DK colours)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## TOADSTOOL

### CAP

Using 2mm needles and Red 4 ply, cast on 3 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end. 6 sts.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st purlways, \* inc in next st purlways, rep from \* to end. 12 sts.

3rd to 5th Row. Knit.

6th Row. Purl.

7th Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end.

24 sts.

8th and 9th Rows. Knit.

10th Row. Purl.

11th and 12th Rows. Knit.

13th Row. (K4, inc in next st) 4 times, k4. 28 sts.

14th Row. Purl.

15th and 16th Rows. Knit.

Proceed as follows:-

1st Row. \* K2tog, rep from \* to end. 14 sts.

2nd Row. Purl.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows once. 7 sts.

Change to Cream and work 8 rows in st-st.

Proceed as follows:-

1st and 2nd Rows. Knit.

3rd Row. Knit.

4th Row. Purl.

5th and 6th Rows. Knit.

7th Row. Knit.

8th Row. (P2tog) 3 times, p1. 4 sts.

9th Row. Knit.

10th Row. (P2tog) twice. 2 sts.

11th Row. K2tog. Fasten off.

## FRILL

With rs facing, top of cap facing upwards and Red, pick up and knit 28 sts evenly along last row of cap.

\*\* Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from

\* to end. Fasten off.

## RING

With rs facing, top of cap facing downwards, using Cream, pick up and knit 7 sts evenly along centre row of stem.

Complete from \*\* as given for Frill.

## TO MAKE UP

Join cap seam and stuff. Join stem leaving 1cm free, stuff and join remainder of seam.

## TOADSTOOL

### WITHOUT FRILL

(Make 1 each in Yellow 4 ply and Wine 4 ply)

Using Yellow and Wine instead of Red work as given for Toadstool omitting frill.

## LARGE MUSHROOM

### BASE

Using 2mm needles and Green 4 ply, cast on 3 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) twice. 6 sts.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 5 times. 12 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

6th Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end.

24 sts.

7th Row. Purl.

8th Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end.

9th and 10th Rows. As 7th and 8th rows. 96 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 4 rows.

Change to Cream and proceed as follows:-

1st Row. Purl.

2nd Row. Knit.

3rd Row. \* P2tog, rep from \* to end. 48 sts.

4th and 5th Rows. As 2nd and 3rd rows. 24 sts.

6th Row. \* K2tog, rep from \* to end. 12 sts.

7th Row. Purl.

8th Row. Knit.

9th Row. (P2tog) 6 times. 6 sts. Proceed as follows for Stalk:-

Work 4 rows in st-st.

Next Row. Inc in 1st st purlways, purl to last 2 sts inc in next st purlways, p1. 8 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. Purl.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. P1, (p2tog) 3 times, p1. 5 sts.

Next Row. K2tog, k1, k2tog.

Next Row. P3tog. Fasten off.

## FRILL

With rs facing, top of Mushroom facing upwards and Cream, pick up and knit 10 sts evenly along purl ridge.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. Cast on 1 st, \* cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam at same time stuffing lightly.

## SMALL MUSHROOM

### BASE

Using 2mm needles and Pink 4 ply, cast on 3 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) twice. 6 sts.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 5 times. 12 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

Next Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end.

24 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end.

48 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 4 rows.

Change to Cream and proceed as follows:-

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 2 rows.

Next Row. \* P2tog, rep from \* to end. 24 sts.

Next Row. Knit.

Next Row. \* P2tog, rep from \* to end. 12 sts.

Next Row. \* K2tog, rep from \* to end. 6 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Proceed as follows for Stalk:-

Work 4 rows in st-st.

Next Row. Inc in 1st st, knit to last 2 sts, inc in next st, k1.

8 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. Purl.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. (P2tog) 4 times.

Next Row. (K2tog) twice.

Next Row. P2tog. Fasten off.

## FRILL

With rs facing, top of mushroom facing upwards and Cream, pick up and knit 8 sts evenly along purl ridge.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. Cast on 1 st, \* cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam at same time stuffing lightly.

## TO COMPLETE BASKET

Sew 3 rats to outside of basket. Place remaining rats, toadstools and mushrooms inside basket.

## YELLOW PUMPKIN

Materials

20 gm of Yellow DK.

Oddments of DK yarn in

Dark Green, Lime Green and Orange.

Oddments of 4 ply yarn in Lime Green and Orange.

4 small coloured beads.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2)

Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2mm (UK14 - USA0)

Knitting Needles.

## PUMPKIN

Using 3mm needles and Yellow, cast on 27 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st purlways, \* inc in next st purlways, rep from \* to end. 54 sts.

Proceed as follows:-

1st Row. (K12, p2) 3 times, k12.

2nd Row. P12, (k2, p12) 3 times.

1st and 2nd rows set patt.

Keeping continuity of patt as set work 10 rows more.

Next Row. Patt 19, cast off 2 sts, patt 32.

Next Row. Patt 33, cast on 2 sts, patt 19.

Work 8 rows more.

Next Row. Patt 36, cast off 2 sts, patt 15.

Next Row. Patt 16, cast on 2 sts, patt 36.

Work 2 rows more.

Next Row. \* K2tog, rep from \* to end. 27 sts.

Next Row. P1, (p2tog) 13 times. 14 sts.

Break off yarn and run yarn through rem sts.

## WORMS

(Make 1 each in Lime Green and Orange)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEAVES

(Make 1 each in Dark Green, Lime Green and Orange.

Work as given for Autumn Witch.

## LOOP

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 16 sts.

Next Row. Knit.

Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam. Place a worm into each hole, with head showing out. Draw up cast on edge and secure. Stuff firmly. Sew loop in position to top edge, draw up sts at top and secure. Sew 3 leaves to top around loop.

## ORANGE PUMPKIN

Materials

15 gm of Orange DK.

Oddments of DK yarn in Dark Green, Black and Red.

2 Coloured Beads.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2)

Knitting Needles.

## PUMPKIN

Using 3mm needles and Orange, cast on 20 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 19 times. 40 sts.

Proceed as follows:-

1st Row. (K12, p2) twice, k12.

2nd Row. P12, (k2, p12) twice. 1st and 2nd rows set patt.

Keeping continuity of patt as set work 14 rows more.

Next Row. Patt 18, cast off 3 sts, patt 18.

Next Row. Patt 19, cast on 3 sts, patt 18.

Work 4 rows more.

Next Row. (K2tog) 20 times. 20 sts.

Next Row. (K2tog) 10 times. 10 sts.

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

## RAT

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEAVES

(Make 3 in Dark Green)

Work as given for Autumn Witch.

## LOOP

Using 3mm needles and Dark Green, cast on 16 sts.

Next Row. Knit.

Cast off.

## TENDRILS

Using 1 strand of Dark Green make 3 twisted cords 6cm in length.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam. Place rat through hole with head out of one hole and tail out of other hole. Stuff firmly. Draw up cast on edge and secure. Sew loop, leaves and tendrils to top.

## LANTERN

### Materials

30 gm of Black DK.

Oddments of DK yarn in Red and Dark Green.  
Yellow and Orange embroidery thread.  
Shiny Beads.  
Drinking Straw.  
Glue.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 2½mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

## TOP AND BASE (Both alike)

Using 3mm needles and Black DOUBLE, cast on 40 sts loosely.  
1st Row. Knit.  
2nd Row. Purl.  
3rd Row. (K2tog) 20 times. 20 sts.  
4th Row. Purl.  
5th Row. (K2tog) 10 times. 10 sts.  
6th Row. Purl.  
7th Row. (K2tog) 5 times. 5 sts.  
Break off yarn, run yarn through rem sts, draw up and fasten off.

## FRILL

With rs facing, using 3mm needles pick up and knit 40 sts evenly along cast on edge.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 2 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Cast off.

## STANCHIONS

(Make 4 in Black)

Using 3mm needles cast on 12

sts, work 4 rows in rev st-st. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Cut four 5cm lengths of a drinking straw, sew stanchions round straws.

## CANDLE

Using 3mm needles and Red, cast on 20 sts.  
Work 8 rows in st-st.  
Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Sew 3 lengths of orange and yellow thread to cast on edge, roll knitting round threads and join side seam. Thread 2 shiny beads onto each thread. Glue threads together rolling into a flame shape. Trim threads at an angle.

## LEAVES

(Make 2 in Dark Green)

Using 3mm needles cast on 3 sts, working in g-st (throughout) work 5 rows inc 1 st at beg of 2nd and every foll row. 7 sts.  
Next Row. Knit.  
Work 5 rows dec 1 st at beg of every row. 2 sts.  
Next Row. K2tog. Fasten off.

## BERRIES

(Make 3 in Red)

Using 2½mm needles cast on 3 sts.  
Next Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) twice. 6 sts.  
Break off yarn, run yarn through these sts, draw up and fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Sew through berry pulling tight to form a berry shape. Sew leaves and berries in position to lantern top.

## TO MAKE UP LANTERN

Sew or glue candle to base of lantern. Sew stanchions in position to base, sew top in position. Using 1 strand of black

make a twisted cord 3cm in length and sew to top of lantern to form a handle.

## CAT

### Materials

30 gm of Black DK.

Oddments of White 4 ply yarn.  
Embroidery thread.  
2 Shiny beads.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

## BODY

Using 3mm needles cast on 18 sts, leaving a long thread.  
1st Row. Knit.  
2nd Row. Inc in 1st st purlways, \* inc in next st purlways, rep from \* to end. 36 sts.  
Working in st-st (throughout) work 22 rows.

### Shape Neck

Next Row. \* K2tog, rep from \* to end. 18 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

### Shape Head

Next Row. K3, (inc in next st) 12 times, k3. 30 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

### Shape Muzzle

Next Row. K13, (inc in next st) 4 times, k13. 34 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.  
Next Row. K13, (k2tog) 4 times, k13. 30 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 7 rows.  
Next Row. \* K1, k2tog, rep from \* to end. 20 sts.  
Next Row. \* P2tog, rep from \* to end. 10 sts.  
Break off yarn, run yarn through rem sts, draw up and fasten off.

## EARS (Both alike)

Using 3mm needles cast on 7 sts loosely, working in st-st (throughout) work 2 rows.  
Work 4 rows dec 1 st at beg of every row. 3 sts.  
Work 4 rows inc 1 st at beg of every row. 7 sts.

Work 2 rows more without shaping. Cast off loosely.

## TAIL

Using 3mm needles cast on 5 sts and work 30 rows in st-st. Break off yarn, run yarn through sts, draw up and fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Join seam pulling thread tight to make tail bend at same time stuffing lightly.

## LEGS

Using 3mm needles cast on 10 sts loosely, working in st-st (throughout) work 14 rows.

### Shape Foot

**Next Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 9 times. 20 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

**Next Row.** (K2tog) 4 times, k4, (k2tog) 4 times. 12 sts.

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

## NECK TIE

Using 2 strands of White 4 ply, make a twisted cord 16cm in length.

## WHISKERS

Using 1 strand of White 4 ply make 6 twisted cords 2cm in length.

## TO MAKE UP

Join back body and head seam. Stuff firmly. Join lower body seam. Join ear seams leaving base open, sew to top of head. Join leg seam. Work a row of back stitch down centre of leg and foot to form 2 legs and feet. Sew legs to body just below head. Place 3 whiskers close together at either side of muzzle. In centre of muzzle, using straight stitch embroider a line from nose to mouth and a line at either side for mouth, embroider either side of muzzle and sew on 2 shiny beads. Embroider 2 tiny white sts on each foot to form toes. Sew tail in position. Tie

neck tie in position.

## MERMAIDS

(37cm in height when finished)

## OCTAVIA

### Materials

50 gm of Blue Silky Effect DK.  
20 gm of Flesh DK.  
20 gm of Lilac Silky Effect DK.  
50 gm of White Mohair.

50 metres of Silver Knitting Thread.

Oddments of embroidery thread.  
Assortment of pearl, glass, coloured and metallic beads.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK10 - USA3) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Medium sized Crochet Hook.  
Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

## TAIL, BODY AND HEAD

Using 3mm needles and Blue Silky Effect, cast on 9 sts, work 2 rows in st-st.

**3rd Row.** K1, (inc in next st, k2) twice, inc in next st, k1. 12 sts.

**4th Row.** Purl.

**5th and 6th Rows.** Knit.

Work 8 rows in st-st.

**15th Row.** K1, (inc in next st, k2) 3 times, inc in next st, k1. 16 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

**25th Row.** K1, (inc in next st, k2) 5 times. 21 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

**35th Row.** K2, (inc in next st, k4) 3 times, inc in next st, k3. 25 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

**45th Row.** K2, (inc in next st, k4) 4 times, inc in next st, k2. 30 sts.

Mark each end of last row with a coloured thread.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

**55th Row.** K2, (inc in next st, k4) 5 times, inc in next st, k2. 36 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

**65th Row.** K2, (inc in next st, k4) 6 times, inc in next st, k3. 43 sts.

Mark each end of last row with a coloured thread.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 9 rows.

**75th Row.** K5, (inc in next st, k7) 4 times, inc in next st, k5. 48 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

**81st Row.** (K10, k2tog) 4 times. 44 sts.

Complete from \*\* as given for Body and Head of Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Using 2¼mm needles and Flesh Colour, cast on 3 sts.

**1st Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) twice. 6 sts.

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

## BOTTOM FIN

With rs facing, using 3¼mm needles and Lilac Silky Effect, pick up and knit 12 sts evenly along g-st ridge.

**1st Row.** Purl.

**2nd Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 5 times, turn.

Leave rem 6 sts on a stitch holder.

Working on these 12 sts only proceed as follows:-

**\*\* 1st Row.** Purl.

**2nd Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 11 times. 24 sts.

**3rd Row.** Purl.

**NOTE:-** If sts become too numerous for one needle divide onto two needles.

**4th Row.** Inc in 1st st, m1, (inc in next st, m1) 22 times, k1. 70 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

**8th Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in

next st) 68 times, k1. 139 sts.  
Cast off purlways.  
With rs facing, rejoin yarn to rem 6 sts left on a stitch holder and proceed as follows:-  
**Next Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 5 times 12 sts.  
Complete from \*\*.

## BACK FIN

### 1st Side

With rs facing, using 3¼mm needles and Lilac Silky Effect, pick up and knit 12 sts evenly between coloured threads on Back.

**1st Row.** Purl.

**2nd Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 11 times. 24 sts.

**3rd Row.** Purl.

**NOTE:-** If sts become too numerous for one needle divide onto two needles.

**4th Row.** Inc in 1st st, m1, (inc in next st, m1) 22 times, k1. 72 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 3 rows.

**8th Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 70 times, k1. 143 sts.

**9th Row.** Purl.

Cast off.

### 2nd Side

Work as given for 1st side.

## TO MAKE UP

Join centre back seam to top of tail. Stuff firmly. Join remainder of back and head seam. Stuff firmly. Run a flesh coloured thread 1 row below head shaping and pull up tightly to form neck and head. Run a flesh coloured thread along waistline and pull up to form waistline. Join arm and thumb seams, stuff and using cast on thread, placing arms 1.5cm below first neck dec row, sew arms to body. Use back stitch to separate thumb. Placing nose 11 rows up from head inc row, sew nose in position. Fold each bottom fin in half, join side edge and cast off edge. Sew beads evenly along top edges of fins. Sew a pearl bead to each inc st on tail.

## HAIR

Using White Mohair, Blue Silky Effect and odd strands of Silver Knitting Thread, work as given for Spring Witch.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Using Blue instead of Green for eyes work as given for Spring Witch.

## JACKET

Using 3¼mm needles and Lilac Silky Effect, cast on 54 sts, work 5 rows in st-st.

**6th Row.** (Turning Line) Knit. Work 6 rows in st-st.

**Next Row.** K3, (k2tog) twice, k4, (k2tog) twice, k24, (k2tog) twice, k4, (k2tog) twice, k3. 46 sts.

Commencing with a purl row work 7 rows in st-st.

### Divide for Fronts and Back

**Next Row.** K11, turn, leave rem 35 sts on a stitch holder.

Working on these 11 sts only proceed as follows:-

**1st Row.** Purl to last 2 sts, k2.

**2nd Row.** K2, s1, k1, pssso, knit to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 6 times more. 4 sts.

**Next Row.** P2, k2.

Cast off.

With rs facing, rejoin yarn to 35 sts left on a stitch holder and k25, turn.

Working on these 25 sts only commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 15 rows. Cast off.

With rs facing, rejoin yarn to rem 11 sts and knit to end.

Proceed as follows:-

**1st Row.** K2, purl to end.

**2nd Row.** Knit to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 6 times more. 4 sts.

**Next Row.** K2, p2.

Cast off.

## BORDER

Join shoulder seams. Fold hem in half onto ws and slip stitch loosely in position.

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Silver Knitting Thread, pick up and knit 12 sts

evenly along straight edge, 13 sts evenly along shaped edge, 14 sts from back of neck, 13 sts evenly along shaped edge and 12 sts evenly along straight edge. 64 sts.

Work 3 rows in g-st.

Cast off.

## FRILL

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Silver Knitting Thread, pick up and knit 54 sts evenly along 6th row up from lower edge.

**1st Row.** Knit.

**2nd Row.** Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 53 times. 108 sts.

**3rd Row.** Knit.

**4th Row.** \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## SLEEVES (Both alike)

Using 3¼mm needles and Lilac Silky Effect, cast on 18 sts, work 2 rows in g-st. Work 8 rows in st-st.

**Next Row.** Inc in 1st st, k6, inc in next st, k1, inc in next st, k6, inc in next st, k1. 22 sts.

**Next Row.** K4, turn, leave rem 18 sts on a stitch holder.

Working on these 4 sts only commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 12 rows.

Leave these 4 sts on a safety pin.

Proceed as follows for Lattice Strips.

**Next Row.** \* Cast on 11 sts onto left hand needle, cast off 12 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to last 4 sts, k4.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 12 rows.

**Next Row.** P4, (pick up and purl 1 st from top of next lattice strip) 14 times, p4 from safety pin. 22 sts.

Cast off.

## SLEEVE FRILLS (Both alike)

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Silver Knitting Thread, pick up and knit 18 sts evenly along cast on edge.

**1st Row.** Knit.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 17 times. 36 sts.

3rd Row. Knit.

4th Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO MAKE UP

Sew 4 metallic beads to each lattice strip. Sew metallic beads evenly all round lower edge. Sew pearl beads to each point on sleeve frills. Sew in sleeves. Join sleeve seams. Sew straight edges of border together and sew on 3 pearl beads.

## NECKLACE

Thread pearl beads onto 13cm of thread, place round Mermaids neck and secure in position.

## CROWN

Using 3¼mm needles, Blue and Lilac Silky Effect knitted together, cast on 20 sts, work 3 rows in g-st.

Next Row. Purl.

Next Row. K2, (m1, k2) 9 times. 29 sts.

Next Row. Purl.

Break off Blue yarn, join in Silver Knitting Thread and proceed as follows:-

Next Row. \* Cast on 3 sts, cast off 5 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## TO COMPLETE

Join back seam. Sew 2 rows of pearl beads to cast on edge and g-st ridge. Sew 3 pearl beads together down each point and a metallic bead to top of each point. Sew a glass bead between bottom of points.

## TO COMPLETE MERMAID

Plait sides of hair, roll into buns and secure in position. Sew pearl beads between plaits. Secure crown in position to top of head. Place jacket on mermaid.

## SHELLE

### Materials

25 gm of Peach Silky Effect DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

80 gm of Pink Silky Effect DK.

50 gm of Cream Mohair.

10 gm of Peach DK.

50 metres of Gold Knitting Thread.

Oddments of embroidery thread.

Assortment of pearl, glass, coloured and metallic beads.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2mm (UK14 - USA0) Knitting Needles.

1 Medium sized Crochet Hook. Stitch Holder.

Stuffing.

## TAIL, BODY AND HEAD

Using Peach Silky Effect instead of Blue Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Octavia.

## NOSE

Work as given for Octavia.

## BOTTOM FIN

Using Pink Silky Effect instead of Lilac Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## BACK FIN

Using Pink Silky Effect instead of Lilac Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Octavia.

## HAIR

Using Cream Mohair and Pink Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Using Blue instead of Green for eyes work as given for Spring Witch.

## CAPE

Using 3mm needles and Peach Silky Effect, cast on 60 sts, work 6 rows in st-st.

Next Row. K4, (s1, k1, pssso, k8) 3 times, (k2tog, k8) twice, k2tog, k4. 54 sts.

Commencing with a purl row work 7 rows in st-st.

Next Row. K4, (s1, k1, pssso, k7) twice, s1, k1, pssso, k6, (k2tog, k7) twice, k2tog, k4. 48 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. K4, (s1, k1, pssso, k6) twice, s1, k1, pssso, k4, (k2tog, k6) twice, k2tog, k4. 42 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Next Row. K2, (s1, k1, pssso, k2) 5 times, (k2tog, k2) 5 times. 32 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 6 rows.

Next Row. (Turning line) Knit. Work 4 rows in st-st.

Cast off.

Fold neck edge in half onto ws and slip stitch loosely in position.

## EDGING

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Gold Knitting Thread, pick up and knit 27 sts evenly along left front edge (working through double thickness at neck edge), 58 sts evenly along lower edge and 27 sts evenly along right front edge (working through double thickness at neck edge). 112 sts.

\*\* 1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, \* inc in next st, rep from \* to end.

3rd Row. Knit.

4th Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## NECK EDGING

With rs facing, using 3mm

needles and Gold Knitting Thread, pick up and knit 31 sts evenly along neck edge.

1st Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## FRILL

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Gold Knitting Thread, commencing 7 rows up from lower edge, pick up and knit 54 sts evenly along cape. Complete from \*\* as given for Edging.

## TO COMPLETE

Sew a metallic bead onto the end of every alt point on edging. Sew a pearl bead onto the lower end of every point of edging. Using 1 strand of yarn make 2 twisted cords 13cm in length and attach to neck edge of cape. Sew side edges of frill in position to cape.

## BIKINI TOP

### FLOWERS

(Make 2)

Using 3mm needles and Peach, cast on 25 sts, knit 1 row.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 24 times. 50 sts.

3rd Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### BACK STRAP

Using 3mm needles and Peach, cast on 43 sts, knit 1 row. Cast off.

### HALTER STRAP

Using 3mm needles and Peach, cast on 43 sts, knit 1 row. Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Make flowers into a flower shape and sew together to secure shape. Sew a metallic bead to the end of each point. Join back strap seam. Sew a flower to each end of halter strap. Sew flowers

in position at front to back strap and place on mermaid.

## TIARA

Using 2mm needles and Gold Knitting Thread, cast on 29 sts, work 3 rows in g-st.

Next Row. Cast off 10 sts, k8, cast off 10 sts. 9 sts. Fasten off.

With ws facing, rejoin yarn to rem 9 sts and proceed as follows:-

Next Row. Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, cast on 3 sts, cast off 5 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, cast on 5 sts, cast off 7 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, cast on 3 sts, cast off 5 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, cast on 2 sts, cast off 2 sts. Fasten off.

## TO COMPLETE

Sew a metallic bead to end of each point. Sew 1, 2, 3, 2, 1 small pearl beads onto each point. Sew pearl beads to front outlining centre one with small glass beads threaded onto a thread to form a circle.

## NECKLACE

Thread metallic beads onto 13cm of thread with a pearl bead in centre, place round mermaids neck and secure in position.

## TO COMPLETE MERMAID

Plait front of hair leaving back free and fasten plait on top of head. Sew pearl beads between plaits. Secure tiara in position to top of head. Tie cape round neck.

## MARINA

### Materials

20 gm of Turquoise Silky Effect DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

30 gm of Pale Green Silky Effect DK.

50 gm of Cream Mohair.

30 gm of Cream Silky Effect DK.

15 gm of Blue Silky Effect DK.

10 gm of Turquoise/White Mixture Silky Effect DK. 50 metres of Silver Knitting Thread.

Oddments of embroidery thread. Assortment of pearl, glass, coloured and metallic beads. 60 cm of Silver sewing thread.

1 Pair of 4mm (UK8 - USA6) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Medium sized Crochet Hook. Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

## TAIL, BODY AND HEAD

Using Turquoise Silky Effect instead of Blue Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Octavia.

## NOSE

Work as given for Octavia.

## BOTTOM FIN

Using Pale Green Silky Effect instead of Lilac Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## BACK FIN

Using Pale Green Silky Effect instead of Lilac Silky Effect work as given for Octavia.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Octavia.

## HAIR

Using Cream Mohair and Cream Silky Effect, work as given for Octavia.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## BIKINI TOP

### BODICE

Using 3mm needles and Blue Silky Effect, cast on 37 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Purl.

3rd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 36 times. 74 sts.

4th Row. Purl.

5th Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 73 times. 148 sts.

6th Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### STRAPS (Both alike)

Using 3mm needles and Blue Silky Effect, cast on 24 sts, knit 1 row. Cast off.

### TO MAKE UP

Sew a pearl bead to end of each point. Sew bodice and straps in position to Mermaid.

### HEAD DRESS

Using 4mm needles, Blue Silky Effect and Pale Green Silky Effect knitted together, cast on 28 sts loosely, work 2 rows in st-st.

3rd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 27 times. 56 sts.

Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 5 rows.

Break off Blue Silky Effect, join in Silver Knitting Thread.

Next Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### TO MAKE UP

Join back seam. Sew a glass bead to top of each point and a pearl bead to bottom of each point.

### SEAWEED

(Make 1 in Pale Green Silky Effect and 1 in Turquoise/White Mixture Silky Effect)

Using 3mm needles cast on 30 sts.

1st Row. Knit.

2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in

next st) 29 times. 60 sts. \*\*

\*\*\* 3rd Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

### TO COMPLETE

Sew pearl beads evenly along cast on edge. Sew seaweed in position to top of tail under bikini. Sew a pearl bead to end of turquoise/white seaweed. Sew a small and a medium pearl bead to end of green seaweed.

### POSY

Using Pale Green Silky Effect work to \*\* as given for Seaweed.

Using Blue Silky Effect complete from \*\*\* as given for Seaweed.

### TO COMPLETE

Roll 3 times into a flower shape and sew in position. Sew pearl beads to ends of points. Thread a metallic bead and five pearl beads onto a thread and attach five of these to centre of posy. Sew in position to right hand.

### NECKLACE

Thread glass beads onto 13cm of thread. Place round mermaids neck and secure in position. Thread a glass bead and a pearl bead onto a thread and sew in centre of necklace to form a drop.

### BRACLET

Thread glass beads onto 6cm of thread, place round mermaids wrist and secure in position.

### TO COMPLETE MERMAID

Plait sides of hair. Place plaits across back of head (side to side) and secure in position. Sew pearl beads between plaits. Thread glass beads onto two 13cm lengths of thread, knot glass beads at intervals onto silver thread and attach these threads to back of loose hair. Sew head dress in position to top of hair.

## FAIRIES

(37cm in height when finished)

### HOLLY FAIRY

#### Materials

60 gm of Cherry Red DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

30 gm of Tartan Green DK.

20 gm of White DK.

Oddments of DK yarn in Emerald Green, Truffle, Leaf Green, Maroon and Lime Green. Oddments of embroidery thread. Assortment of gold, glass and coloured beads.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK10 - USA3) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

### BODY AND HEAD

Using Cherry Red instead of Pale Green work as given for Spring Witch.

### LEGS (Both alike)

Using Tartan Green instead of Dark Green and Pale Green, White instead of Lilac work as given for Spring Witch.

### ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

### NOSE

Using 2¼mm needles and Flesh Colour, cast on 3 sts.

1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) twice. 6 sts.

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

### TO MAKE UP

Join centre back body and head seam. Stuff firmly. Join lower body seam. Run a flesh coloured thread 1 row below head shaping and pull up tightly to form neck and head. Run a flesh coloured thread along waistline and pull up to form waistline. Join leg

seams, stuff and sew legs to lower body. Join arm and thumb seams, stuff and using cast on thread, placing arms 1.5cm below first neck dec row, sew arms to body. Use a back stitch to separate thumb. Join nose seam. Placing nose 11 rows up from head inc row, sew nose in position.

## **MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS**

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## **DRESS**

Using 3¼mm needles and Cherry Red, cast on 90 sts, work 4 rows in g-st. Working in st-st (throughout) work 32 rows.  
Next Row. \* K2tog, rep from \* to end. 45 sts.  
Change to Tartan Green and work 7 rows more.  
Complete from \*\* as given for Dress of Spring Witch.

## **LOWER EDGING**

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Tartan Green, proceed as follows:-  
Next Row. \* (Pick up and knit 1 st in next st) 4 times, pick up and knit 2 sts in next st, rep from \* to end. 108 sts.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## **SLEEVES (Both alike)**

Using 3mm needles and Tartan Green, cast on 19 sts, work 4 rows in 1x1 rib.  
Next Row. K1, (m1, k1) 7 times, k1. 36 sts.  
Working in st-st (throughout) commencing with 2nd row work 9 rows.  
Next Row. K4, (k2tog) 14 times, k4. 22 sts.  
Cast off working row as follows:- p2, (p2tog) 9 times, p2.

## **SLEEVE EDGINGS (Both alike)**

With rs facing, using 3mm

needles and Cherry Red, pick up and knit 18 sts evenly along cast on edge of sleeve.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 2 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## **NECK EDGING**

Using Cherry Red work as given for Spring Witch.

## **TO MAKE UP**

Join centre back seam to 1st dec row. Join sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves. Place dress on doll and join remainder of back seam.

## **KNICKERS**

### **BACK AND FRONT (Both alike)**

Using 3¼mm needles and Cherry Red, cast on 28 sts, work 2 rows in g-st and 2 rows in st-st.  
Place a coloured thread at each end of last row.  
Next Row. K2tog, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog. 26 sts.  
Commencing with 2nd row of st-st work 21 rows.  
Next Row. K9, (k2tog) 4 times, k9. 22 sts.  
Next Row. Purl.  
Cast off.

### **LEG EDGINGS (Both alike)**

With rs facing, using 3mm needles and Emerald Green, pick up and knit 28 sts evenly along cast on edge.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 2 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## **TO MAKE UP**

Join leg seams to coloured threads. Join back and front seams. Place on doll and sew in position at waist.

## **HAT**

### **MAIN PART**

Using 3¼mm needles and

Cherry Red, cast on 9 sts.  
1st Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 7 times, k1. 17 sts.  
2nd Row. Inc in 1st st, (inc in next st) 15 times, k1. 33 sts.  
3rd Row. Knit.  
4th Row. (K1, inc in next st) 16 times, k1. 49 sts.  
Work 26 rows in moss-st.  
Work 3 rows in g-st.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 1 st, cast off 3 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## **HAIR**

With ws of hat facing, using 3mm needles and Truffle, pick up and knit 49 sts along g-st ridge below edging.  
Next Row. \* Cast on 2 sts, cast off 4 sts, slip rem st back onto left hand needle, rep from \* to end. Fasten off.

## **TO MAKE UP HAT**

Join back and top seam, stuff lightly, sew in position to head of doll.

## **SHOES (Both alike)**

Using Tartan Green instead of Dark Green for Upper and Sole, Cherry Red instead of Dark Green for Top Edging work as given for Spring Witch.

## **WINGS (Both alike) (Make 2 Front Pieces)**

Using 3mm needles and Cherry Red, cast on 8 sts, work 2 rows in st-st.  
3rd Row. K1, m1, knit to last st, m1, k1.  
4th Row. Purl.  
Rep 3rd and 4th rows 3 times more. 16 sts.  
Work 4 rows in st-st.  
Proceed as follows:-  
Work 7 rows dec 1 st at each end of every row. 2 sts.  
Next Row. P2tog.  
Fasten off.

### **(Make 2 Back Pieces)**

Work as given for 2 Front

Pieces.

## TO COMPLETE

Join together a front piece and a back piece. Sew small glass beads to front pieces. Join cast on edges, gather and sew in position to back of dress.

## BERRIES

(Make 1 each in Emerald Green, Tartan Green, Leaf Green and Maroon. Make 2 in Lime Green and 10 in Cherry Red)

Using 3mm needles and DK, work as given for Autumn Witch.

## COLOURED BERRIES

(Make 2 in Tartan Green and Cherry Red. 1 each in Leaf Green and Cherry Red, Emerald Green and Cherry Red)

Using 3mm needles and DK, work as given for Autumn Witch working cast on and first 2 rows then working 3rd row and cast off in Cherry Red.

## TO COMPLETE ALL BERRIES

Sew a gold bead to top of each berry.

## HOLLY LEAVES

(Make 4 in Tartan Green and 1 each in Leaf Green and Emerald Green)

Work as given for Winter Witch.

## TO COMPLETE FAIRY

Sew 8 Cherry Red berries evenly in position all round lower edge of dress. Sew two 2 coloured berries, 1 plain berry and three holly leaves in position to top of hat. Sew a Cherry Red berry to top of each shoe. Using 1 strand of yarn 5-7cm in length make 3 twisted cords and sew a berry to end of each cord. Sew remaining berries, holly leaves and twisted cords in position to front of dress.

## WATER FAIRY

### Materials

10 gm of Mint Silky Effect DK.  
20 gm of Flesh DK.  
35 gm of Dark Mint DK.  
30 White Silky Effect DK.  
10 gm of White DK.  
20 gm of Lilac Silky Effect DK.

Oddments of embroidery thread.  
Assortment of pearl, glass and coloured beads.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK10 - USA3) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

## BODY AND HEAD

Using Mint Silky Effect instead of Pale Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEGS (Both alike)

Using Dark Mint instead of Dark Green and Pale Green, White Silky Effect instead of Lilac work as given for Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Work as given for Holly Fairy.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Holly Fairy.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## DRESS

Using Mint Silky Effect only work as given for Holly Fairy.

## LOWER EDGING AND NECK EDGING

Using White Silky Effect instead

of Tartan Green and Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## SLEEVE EDGINGS

(Both alike)

Using Mint Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## KNICKERS

Using Mint Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red and White Silky Effect instead of Emerald Green work as given for Holly Fairy.

## HAT

Using Dark Mint instead of Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## HAIR

Using White instead of Truffle work as given for Holly Fairy.

## SHOES (Both alike)

Using Dark Mint instead of Dark Green for Upper and Sole, White Silky Effect instead of Dark Green for Top Edging work as given for Spring Witch.

## WINGS (Both alike)

Using Lilac Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red for Front Pieces and Mint Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red for Back Pieces work as given for Holly Fairy.

## TO COMPLETE

Join together a front piece and a back piece. Join cast on edges, gather and sew in position to back of dress.

## FLOWERS

(Make 2)

Using White work as given for Bikini Flowers of Shelle - Mermaid.

## TO MAKE UP

Make flowers into a flower shape and sew together to secure shape.

## SEAWEED

(Make 2 in Lilac Silky Effect and 1 in Dark Mint)

Work as given for Seaweed of Marina - Mermaid.

## TO COMPLETE

Sew a large pearl bead to end of seaweed. Sew medium sized pearl beads evenly along seaweed.

## TO COMPLETE FAIRY

Sew pearl beads evenly all over hat. Sew a flower to top of hat. Decorate right side of dress bodice with small pearl beads. Sew flower and seaweed to waist of dress. Sew 4 pearl beads onto front of each shoe. Sew three pearl beads to corner of right leg of knickers.

## SUGAR PLUM FAIRY

### Materials

60 gm of Lilac Silky Effect DK.  
20 gm of Flesh DK.  
60 gm of Violet Blue DK.  
50 gm of White Silky Effect DK.

Oddments of DK yarn in Yellow, Dark Green, Aubergine, Purple and Pink.

Oddments of embroidery thread.  
Assortment of glass and coloured beads.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK10 - USA3) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.  
1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.  
Stitch Holders.  
Stuffing.

## BODY AND HEAD

Using Lilac Silky Effect instead of Pale Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEGS (Both alike)

Using Violet Blue instead of Dark Green, White Silky Effect instead of Lilac and Lilac Silky Effect instead of Pale Green

work as given for Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Work as given for Holly Fairy.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Holly Fairy.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Using Purple instead of Green for eyes work as given for Spring Witch.

## DRESS

Using Violet Blue instead of Cherry Red and Lilac Silky Effect instead of Tartan Green work as given for Holly Fairy.

## LOWER EDGING AND NECK EDGING

Using Lilac Silky Effect instead of Tartan Green and Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## SLEEVE EDGINGS (Both alike)

Using Violet Blue instead of Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## KNICKERS

Using Lilac Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red and Violet Blue instead of Emerald Green work as given for Holly Fairy.

## PETTICOAT

Using 3¼mm needles and White Silky Effect, cast on 90 sts, work 2 rows in g-st and 30 rows in st-st.  
Next Row. (K2tog) 45 times.  
45 sts.  
Next Row. Purl.  
Cast off.

## LOWER EDGING

Using White Silky Effect work

as given for Lower Edging of Dress - Spring Witch.

## TO MAKE UP

Join back seam. Place on doll and sew in position to waist.

## HAT

Using Violet Blue instead of Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## HAIR

Using Yellow instead of Truffle work as given for Holly Fairy.

## SHOES (Both alike)

Using Violet Blue only work as given for Spring Witch.

## WINGS (Both alike)

Using Lilac Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red for Front Pieces and Violet Blue instead of Cherry Red for Back Pieces work as given for Holly Fairy.

## TO COMPLETE

Join together a front piece and a back piece. Sew small glass beads to front pieces. Join cast on edges, gather and sew in position to back of dress.

## LEAVES

(Make 7 in Lilac Silky Effect, 4 in Violet Blue and 2 in Dark Green)  
Work as given for Autumn Witch.

## PLUMS

(Make 2 in Purple and 1 each in Aubergine and Dark Green)  
Using 3mm needles cast on 16 sts, work 4 rows in st-st. Next Row. Cast off 8 sts, knit to end.  
Commencing with a purl row work 3 rows in st-st.  
Cast off.

## TO MAKE UP

Roll into a ball from narrow

side, stuff lightly and join seam from bottom. Using 1 strand of yarn make twisted cords 12cm for Purple, 9cm for Aubergine and 48cm for Green in length. Thread cord through plum from bottom to top, gather bottom and fasten off. Thread a single thread across centre of plum, pull up firmly to form plum shape. Trim top of plum with long glass beads. Sew a medium sized glass bead to bottom of plum.

## BERRIES

(Make 3 in Pink)

Using 3mm needles and DK, work as given for Autumn Witch.

## TO COMPLETE

Sew on glass beads to cover berry.

## TO COMPLETE FAIRY

Sew glass beads onto dress sleeves. Sew 2 Green, 2 Lilac and 1 Violet Blue leaves onto front of dress. Tie Green twisted cord around centre of waist and secure in position. Sew other 3 plums and glass berry to top of leaves at waist. Sew a glass berry and a leaf onto front of hat. Sew rem leaves and glass berry in position to top of hat.

## SNOWDROP FAIRY

Materials

50 gm of White Glitter DK.

20 gm of Flesh DK.

40 gm of Pale Blue Silky Effect DK.

10 gm of White Silky Effect DK.

Oddments of Silver knitting thread.

Oddments of Yellow Silky Effect DK.

Oddments of embroidery thread. Assortment of glass and coloured beads.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK9 - USA5) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3¼mm (UK10 - USA3) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 3mm (UK11 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

1 Pair of 2¼mm (UK12 - USA2) Knitting Needles.

Stitch Holders.

Stuffing.

## BODY AND HEAD

Using White Glitter DK instead of Pale Green work as given for Spring Witch.

## LEGS (Both alike)

Using Pale Blue Silky Effect instead of Dark Green and Pale Green, White Silky Effect instead of Lilac work as given for Spring Witch.

## ARMS (Both alike)

Work as given for Spring Witch.

## NOSE

Work as given for Holly Fairy.

## TO MAKE UP

Work as given for Holly Fairy.

## MOUTH, EYES AND CHEEKS

Using Blue instead of Green for eyes work as given for Spring Witch.

## DRESS

Using White Glitter DK only work as given for Holly Fairy.

## LOWER EDGING, NECK EDGING AND SLEEVE EDGINGS

Using Silver Knitting Thread instead of Tartan Green and Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## KNICKERS

Using White Glitter DK only work as given for Holly Fairy.

## HAT

Using Pale Blue Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red work as given for Holly Fairy.

## HAIR

Using Yellow Silky Effect instead of Truffle work as given for Holly Fairy.

## SHOES (Both alike)

Using Pale Blue Silky Effect only work as given for Spring Witch.

## WINGS (Both alike)

Using Pale Blue Silky Effect

instead of Cherry Red for Front Pieces and White Silky Effect instead of Cherry Red for Back Pieces work as given for Holly Fairy.

## TO COMPLETE

Join together a front piece and a back piece. Sew glass beads to front pieces. Join cast on edges, gather and sew in position to back of dress.

## FLOWER

(Make 1)

Using Pale Blue Silky Effect work as given for Bikini Flowers of Shelle - Mermaid.

## TO COMPLETE

Make Flower into a flower shape and sew together to secure shape. Sew a glass bead to end of each point.

## PLUMS

(Make 2 in White Glitter DK) Work as given for Sugar Plum Fairy.

## TO MAKE UP

Roll into a ball from narrow side. Stuff lightly and join seam from bottom. Using 1 strand of yarn make 2 twisted cords 8cm and 10cm in length. Thread cord through Plum from bottom to top, gather bottom and fasten off. Thread a single thread across centre of plum, pull up firmly to form plum shape. Trim top of plum with long glass beads. Trim remainder of plum with glass beads.

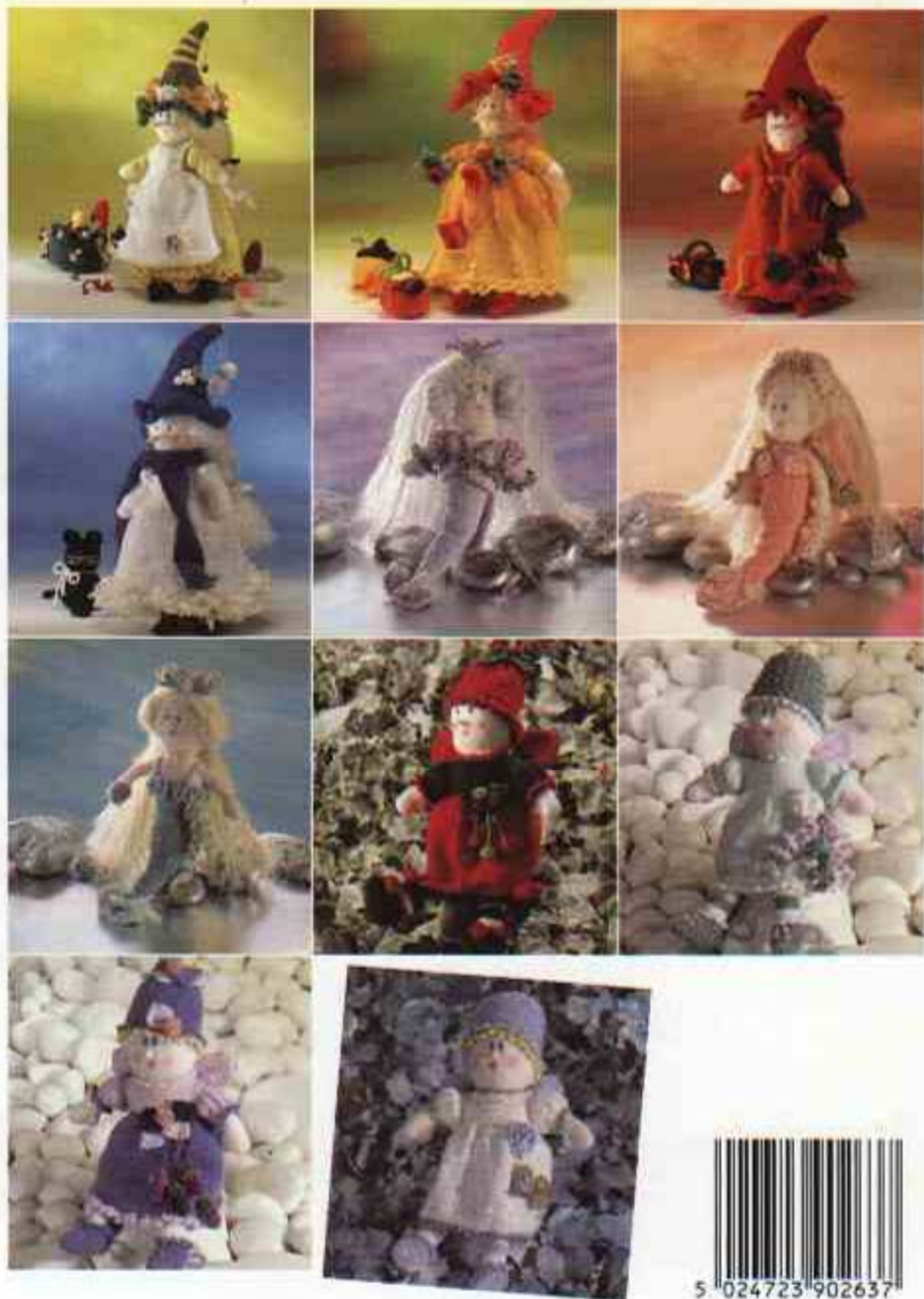
## HAT TRIM

Using Silver Knitting Thread DOUBLE cast on 16 sts, knit 1 row. Cast off.

## TO COMPLETE FAIRY

Sew glass beads evenly to hat, dress bodice and skirt. Placing side edges of hat trim together sew in position to top of hat. Sew flower in position to waist of dress. Place plums in centre of flower and sew in position. Sew 4 glass beads to corner of right leg of knickers. Sew 4 glass beads onto front of each shoe.

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