

The WOMBLES



BUNGO

MEASUREMENTS: 30cm (12in) tall.

MATERIALS: Patons Icy Shimmer D.K., 50g balls: 1 in Winter White (shade no. 6564); Patons Super Chenille, 50g balls: 1 in Honey (shade no. 2464) and 1 in Cream (shade no. 2460); Patons Knit'n'Save DK, 25g balls: 1 each in Rust (shade no. 7790), Sunshine (shade no. 7799), Navy (shade no. 7817), School Grey (shade no. 7920), Black (shade no. 7814), White (shade no. 7813), and Sky Blue (shade no. 7916); Patons Fashion Mohair, 50g balls: 1 ball each in Black (shade no. 2807) and White (shade no. 2785); 125g washable toy stuffing; a 3cm square of cream felt; rust stranded embroidery cotton; white and honey sewing threads; pair of 3mm (no. 11) knitting needles; latched rug hook or 3mm crochet hook; wire teasel or suede brush.

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TENSION: 26 sts and 36 rows to 10cm, worked over stocking stitch with Icy Shimmer or Knit'n'Save D.K. on 3mm needles.

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = beginning; cont = continue; dec = decrease by working 2 stitches together; inc = increase by working into front and back of stitch; K = knit; P = purl; PSSO = pass slipped stitch over; SKPO = slip one, knit one, pass slipped stitch over; sl = slip; st(s) = stitch(es); ss = stocking stitch; tog = together; YB = yarn back; YF = yarn forward.

NOTE: Work all pieces in stocking stitch on 3mm needles, beginning with a K row, unless otherwise stated.

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LEGS AND BODY make 1 piece

Right leg: With Icy Shimmer cast on 50 sts for base edge and ss 6 rows.

Shape top of foot, next row: K25, YF, sl 1, YB, turn.

***Next row:** Sl 1, P18, YB, sl 1, YF, turn.

Next row: Sl 1, K14, YF, sl 1, YB, turn.

Next row: Sl 1, P10, YB, sl 1, YF, turn.

Next row: Sl 1, K to end.

Next row: P across all sts [50 sts].*

Next row: K8, (sl 1, K 2 tog, PSSO, K4) three times, K to end [44 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K7, (sl 1, K 2 tog, PSSO, K2) three times, K to end [38 sts].

Ss 9 rows.

Break yarn and slip sts on to a stitch holder.

Left leg: With Icy Shimmer cast on 50 sts for base edge and ss 6 rows.

Shape top of foot, next row: K43, YF, sl 1, YB, turn.

Work as given for right foot from * to *.

Next row: K25, (sl 1, K 2 tog, PSSO, K4) three times, K4 [44 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K24, (sl 1, K 2 tog, PSSO, K2) three times, K5 [38 sts].

Ss 9 rows.

Join legs for body, next row: Inserting coloured marker threads at beg and end of row, K36, SKPO from left leg sts, then K 2 tog, K36 from held right leg sts [74 sts].

P 1 row.

Shape body, next row: K4, (K4, inc 1, K9) to end [79 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K4, (K5, inc 1, K9) to end [84 sts].

Ss 17 rows.

Shape top of body, next row: (K6, K 2 tog, K6) to end [78 sts].

Ss 7 rows.

Next row: (K6, K 2 tog, K5) to end [72 sts].

Ss 7 rows.

Next row: (K5, K 2 tog, K5) to end [66 sts].

Ss 5 rows.

Next row: K9, (SKPO, K4, K 2 tog) twice, K16, (SKPO, K4, K 2 tog) twice, K9 [58 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: K9, (SKPO, K2, K 2 tog) twice, K16, (SKPO, K2, K 2 tog) twice, K9 [50 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K9, (SKPO, K 2 tog) twice, K16, (SKPO, K 2 tog) twice, K9 [42 sts].

P 1 row.

Cast off for shoulder edge.

SOLES make 2 pieces

With Cream Super Chenille cast on 5 sts for back edge and ss 2 rows.

Inc 1 st at beg and end of next row.

P 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows two more times [11 sts].

Ss 14 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next row.

P 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows two more times [5 sts].

Cast off for front edge.

HEAD make 1 piece

With Honey Super Chenille cast on 10 sts for back edge and ss 2 rows.

Next row: Inc into every st to end [20 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (Inc 1, K1) to end [30 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (K1, inc 1, K1) to end [40 sts].

Ss 5 rows.

Next row: (K1, inc 1, K2) to end [50 sts].

Ss 11 rows.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog, K1) to end [40 sts].

Ss 9 rows.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog, K1) to end [30 sts].

Ss 9 rows.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog) to end [20 sts].

Ss 7 rows.

Next row: K2, (K 2 tog, K1) to end [14 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: K1, (K 2 tog) six times, K1 [8 sts].

P 1 row.

Change to Black Knit'n'Save for nose and P 1 row.

Next row: Inc into every st K wise to end [16 sts].

Ss 5 rows, beg with a P row.

Next row: (K 2 tog) to end [8 sts].

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.

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RUFF make 1 piece

With Fashion Mohair cast on 42 sts and ss 6 rows.

Cast off.

ARMS make 2 pieces

With Icy Shimmer cast on 8 sts for top of arm and ss 2 rows.

Inc 1 st at beg and end of next row.

Ss 3 rows.

Repeat the last 4 rows four more times [18 sts].

Cast on 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows for underarm [26 sts].

Ss 6 rows.

Inc 1 st at beg and end of next row [28 sts].

Ss 7 rows.

Cast off for wrist edge.

HANDS make 2 pieces

With Honey Super Chenille cast on 22 sts for wrist edge and ss 2 rows.

Shape thumb: Cast on 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows [34 sts].

Next row: K14, inc 1, K3, inc 1, K15 [36 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Cast off 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows [26 sts].

Ss 2 rows.

Divide for fingers, next row: K3, inc 1, (K2, inc 1) twice, K5, inc 1 [20 sts], turn and work on these sts only.

****Next row:** P8, turn and work on these sts only.

Ss 6 rows.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.**

Work ring finger, next row: With held 12 sts on right hand needle, rejoin yarn to work and K2, inc 1 from sts on left hand needle [16 sts], turn and work on these sts only.

Work from ** to **.

Work middle finger, next row: With held 8 sts on right hand needle, rejoin yarn to work and K2, inc 1 from sts on left hand needle [12 sts], turn and work on these sts only.

Work from ** to **.

Work index finger, next row: With held 4 sts on right hand needle, rejoin yarn to work and K remaining 4 sts from left hand needle [8 sts].

Ss 7 rows.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.

EARS make 2 pieces

With Cream Super Chenille cast on 12 sts for top edge and ss 14 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next row.

Ss 3 rows.

Repeat the last 4 rows two more times [6 sts].

Cast off.

EAR LININGS make 2 pieces

Work as given for ears, using Honey Super Chenille throughout.

EYES make 2 pieces

With White Knit'n'Save cast on 12 sts and ss 5 rows.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.

EYELIDS make 2 pieces

With Honey Super Chenille cast on 6 sts and ss 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next row [4 sts].

Cast off.

SHIRT FRONT AND BACK make 1 piece

With Rust Knit'n'Save cast on 106 sts for base edge.

Check pattern: Use 2 balls of yarn and strand shade not in use across wrong side of work.

Row 1: K2 Rust, (2 Sunshine, 2 Rust) to end.

Row 2: P2 Rust, (2 Sunshine, 2 Rust) to end.

Row 3: K2 Navy, (2 Rust, 2 Navy) to end.

Row 4: P2 Navy, (2 Rust, 2 Navy) to end.

These 4 rows form the pattern.

Keeping pattern correct when shaping, work 26 rows, beg with row 1.

Work right front, next row: Pattern 24 sts, turn and work on these sts only.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows two more times [21 sts].

Work 1 row.

Shape front neck: Dec 1 st at beg of next row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row.

Repeat the last 2 rows five more times [9 sts].

Dec 1 st at beg of next row [8 sts].

Work 5 rows.

Cast off with Rust for shoulder edge.

Work back, next row: Rejoin yarn to remaining 82 sts, cast off first 10 sts, pattern 38 sts, turn and work on these sts only.

Dec 1 st at beg of next 6 rows [32 sts].

Work 15 rows.

Cast off with Rust for back neck and shoulders edge.

Work left front, next row: Rejoin yarn to remaining 34 sts, cast off first 10 sts, pattern to end [24 sts].

Work 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row.

Repeat the last 2 rows two more times [21 sts].

Shape front neck: Dec 1 st at beg of next row.

Dec 1 st at end of next row.

Repeat the last 2 rows five more times

[9 sts].

Dec 1 st at beg of next row [8 sts].

Work 6 rows.

Cast off with Rust for shoulder edge.

SHIRT SLEEVES make 2 pieces

With Rust Knit'n'Save cast on 46 sts for base edge and cont in check pattern, beg with row 1.

Work 2 rows.

Shape sleeve head: Keeping pattern correct, cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows [34 sts].

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next 2 rows [30 sts].

Dec 1 st at beg of next 8 rows [22 sts].

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next 2 rows [18 sts].

Cast off with Rust.

SHIRT COLLAR make 1 piece

With Rust Knit'n'Save cast on 38 sts and work 6 rows of check pattern, beg with row 1.

Cast off with Rust.

RIGHT SHIRT LAPEL make 1 piece

With Rust Knit'n'Save cast on 18 sts and cont in check pattern, beg with row 1.

Work 2 rows.

Next row: Cast off 6 sts with Rust, work to end.

Work 1 row.

Repeat the last 2 rows once more [6 sts].

Cast off with Rust.

LEFT SHIRT LAPEL make 1 piece

With Rust Knit'n'Save cast on 18 sts and cont in check pattern, beg with row 1.

Work 2 rows.

Next row: Pattern 12 sts, turn and work on these sts only.

Next row: Work to end [12 sts].

Next row: Pattern 6 sts, turn and work on these sts only.

Next row: Work to end [6 sts].

Cast off all 18 sts with Rust.

SHIRT POCKET make 1 piece

With Rust Knit'n'Save cast on 10 sts for top edge and work 12 rows of check pattern, beg with row 1.

Cast off with Rust for base edge.

SHIRT BUTTONS make 3 pieces

With Navy Knit'n'Save cast on 12 sts.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.

CAP make 1 piece

With School Grey Knit'n'Save cast on 64 sts for base edge and ss 4 rows.

Next row: (K3, inc 1, K4) to end [72 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (K4, inc 1, K4) to end [80 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (K4, inc 1, K5) to end [88 sts].

Ss 9 rows.

Next row: (K3, K 2 tog, K3) to end [77 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K3, K 2 tog, K2) to end [66 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog, K2) to end [55 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog, K1) to end [44 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog, K1) to end [33 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog) to end [22 sts].

Next row: (P 2 tog) to end [11 sts].

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.

CAP PEAK make 2 pieces

With School Grey Knit'n'Save cast on 36 sts for outer edge and ss 2 rows.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog, K2) to end [30 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog, K1) to end [24 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog, K1) to end [18 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog) to end [12 sts].

Next row: (P 2 tog) to end [6 sts].

Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Treat purl side of all pieces knitted in Super Chenille and Fashion Mohair as right side. Sewing is made easier if you use a D.K. yarn of matching shade when joining pieces knitted in textured yarns.

Join each leg seam from base edge up to marker thread, then join back body seam and remove markers. Sew sole to base of each foot, matching centre front points of foot and sole. Stuff legs and body firmly then, with body seam running down centre back, fold shoulder edge flat and join. Join each arm seam from wrist edge to underarm. Join finger seams on each hand, and sew down side of index finger and all round thumb. Stuff fingers and thumb, using tweezers to push stuffing into place, then stuff remainder of hand firmly. Position and sew hands to arms, matching arm seam to centre of palm, then stuff arms firmly and sew top edges to sides of body, adding more stuffing if necessary. Bend fingers into position and hold in place with a few stitches, using sewing thread. Take head piece and join nose seam, then work a gathering thread through every stitch along first row of nose. Stuff nose firmly, then draw up gathering thread and fasten off. Join head seam from nose to back edge, leaving a 5cm space open at back. Stuff firmly, then join remainder of seam. Work a gathering thread through every stitch along back edge, draw up tightly and fasten off. Join side seam on ruff piece and sew cast on edge to top of body. Stuff firmly, then position and sew head to cast off edge of ruff. Join ear and ear lining pieces together, then position and sew to sides of head. Join cap seam, then position and sew to head, overlapping top edges of ears and stuffing lightly. Catch gathered centre point of cap to top of head with a

few stitches. Sew cap peak pieces together along outer edges, then sew to base of cap at back of head, placing off-centre so that peak overlaps half of right ear. Join side seam on each eye piece, stuff lightly, then work a gathering thread through every stitch along cast on edge, draw up tightly and fasten off. Position and sew to head with sewing thread, then sew an eyelid over top half of each eye, using sewing thread. With a length of Black Knit'n'Save, embroider a single chain stitch on each eye for pupil, then embroider a circle of 9 chain stitches round each pupil, using Sky Blue Knit'n'Save. Cut several 6cm lengths of White Fashion Mohair and, using crochet or rug hook and a single length of yarn for each tassel, tuft a triangular shape at front of each ear, then work 4 rows of tufting at back of head, starting at base of cap and working downwards. Brush ruff and hair with tease or suede brush until fluffy, then trim hair to neaten. Following instructions on ball band, press shirt pieces lightly on wrong side, pinning out front and back piece so that cast on edge measures 43cms and centre back measures 16cms. Join shoulder seams and sleeve seams, then sew sleeve heads into armholes. Pin lapels and collar in place and sew cast off edge of each piece to neck edge of shirt. Fit shirt on body, overlapping front edges by 2cm and pinning in place. Join side edges of each button, then sew to shirt front, spacing evenly and sewing through all layers of knitting. With Rust Knit'n'Save embroider two horizontal stitches across the centre of each button, then position and sew side and base edges of pocket to left front. Trace off Womble badge and transfer to felt, then separate 3 strands from a length of rust embroidery cotton and use to embroider over each line with chain stitch. Trim away felt close to outside edge of circle, then sew badge to centre front of cap, using embroidery



WOMBLE BADGE
trace-off pattern