

anne carol creations

Woolly Wotnots

N° 021 approx. 30 cm. (12") high



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Materials:-

Body, head, arms and nose 1 × 50 grm Pink double knitting.

Hair, 1 × 40 grm Grey Chunky

Dress, 1 × 40 grm Flecked double knitting.

Shawl, small amount Pale Green double knitting.

Apron, small amount White double knitting.

Oddments of double knitting in, Grey for slippers; White for trimming slippers; and tweed for glasses; Red for mouth; oddments of 4 ply in, White and Brown for eyes; Yellow for Knitting; 1 Kitchen Roll tube; stiff cardboard; Glue; Kapok; 2 Cocktail sticks; 2 pieces of wire 17 cm long; 1 small button for brooch; 1 pair of needles Nos, 2¾ mm. (12); 4 mm (8); 4½ mm (7); No 3.50 crochet hook.

Abbreviations:- K, = knit, P = Purl;
st = stitch; tog = together, inc = increase by working into front and back of stitch;
dec = decrease by working 2 stitches together; alt = alternate; rep = repeat;
ins = inches; cm = centimetres; st.st = stocking stitch; D.K. = double knitting;
d.c. = Double crochet;

Tension:- 6st and 6 rows to 2 cm (1 inch) on 4 mm (8) needles and double knitting wool.

HEIGHT. 30 cm (12 inch)

BODY. with 4 mm needles and Pink D.K. cast on 4sts.

1st row, * K, inc into every st. (8sts)

2nd row, P, inc into every st. (16sts)

3rd row, (K1, inc 1,) to end. (24sts)

4th row, P,

5th row, (K2, inc 1,) to end. (32sts)

6th row, P,

7th row, (K3, inc 1,) to end. (40sts)

8th row, P,

9th row, (K4, inc 1,) to end. * (48sts)

mark this last row with a coloured thread, st.st. 41 rows.

next row, (K4, K2tog,) to end. (40sts)

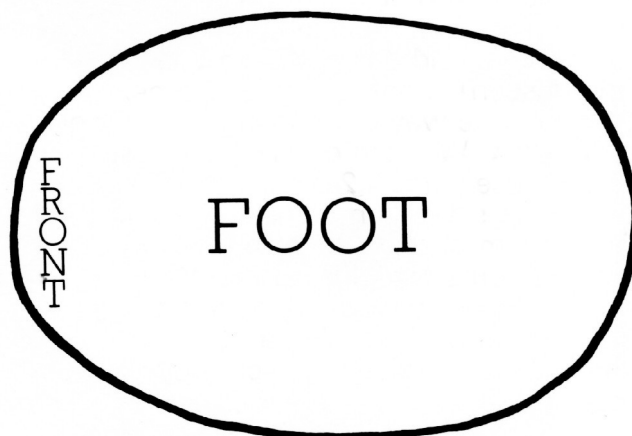
next row, (P3, P2tog,) to end. (32sts)

next row, (K2, K2tog,) to end (24sts)

next row, (P1, P2tog,) to end (16sts)

next row, K2tog, to end. (8sts)

Break wool and draw through sts fasten off. Sew body up from base to within 8 cm from top. Measure two pieces of tube 9 cm long. Glue round one end of each tube and place them both in base of body. Stuff rest of the body pushing a small amount of stuffing down tubes. Sew up the back seam. With short stitches, sew through between tubes and draw them in to define legs.



Using pattern for feet cut 2 in stiff cardboard, and glue to base of legs.

FEET. with 4½ mm needles and Grey D.K. cast on 10sts.

1st row, K, inc into every st (20sts)
st.st. 9 rows.

Next row, cast on 10sts, K across 10 just cast on, K across 10sts from main piece turn, * st.st. 7 rows.

next row, K2 tog to end casting off at the same time. *

Rejoin wool to remaining 10sts and K across them, cast on 10sts.

rep from * to *.

Fold pieces over to form front of feet and sew up seam.

With a 3.50 crochet hook and White D.K. work a row of 31 d.c evenly round top of slippers.

next row, 3dc into each d.c. fasten off.

Stretch part over cardboard base and stitch all round bottom of legs.

HEAD. with 4 mm needles and Pink D.K. cast on 4sts.

work as for body from * to *.

st.st. 17 rows

1st dec row, (K4, K2tog,) to end, (40sts)

2nd and every alt row, P,

3rd dec row, (K3, K2tog,) to end, (32 sts)

5th dec row, (K2, K2tog,) to end, (24sts)

7th dec row, (K1, K2tog,) to end, (16sts)

8th row, P, cast off.

Starting at top of head sew seam to cast off edge. Stuff firmly, and draw up hole.

HAIR. Cut lengths of Grey Chunky approx 56 cm long. From top of head place first row of hair along last inc row. Fold one length of wool in half, insert hook through stitch, hook loop of wool, draw loop through and then draw length of wool through loop and pull tight. (as you would fringe a scarf). Continue on to the next stitch in same way until 8 lengths of wool are in place. Working on an angle down sides of face place 12 strands of hair down each side, then across the back from bottom of one side to the other. Draw hair onto top of head and tie in a ponytail. Fold the wool in on itself to middle of ponytail forming a bun shape. When all neatly folded in secure by stitching.

NOSE. with 2¾ mm needles and Pink D.K. cast on 3sts.

1st row, K, inc into every st. (6sts)

2nd row, P, inc into every st. (12sts)

st.st. 5 rows.

next row, (P2, P2tog,) to end cast off.

Sew up seam and stuff, draw up hole, sew to centre of face.

EYES. with 2¾ mm needles and Brown 4 ply cast on 4sts.

1st row, K, inc into every st. (8sts)

Break Brown and join in White 4 ply

next row, P, inc into every st. (16sts)

cast off. Form into a circle and sew to face. Stitch in eyebrows.

MOUTH. with 2¾ mm needles and Red D.K. cast on 4sts.

1st row, K, inc into 1st st, K to last st inc (6sts) cast off.

Sew mouth to face shaping as you stitch.

Sew head firmly to body.

BUST. with 4½ mm needles and Pink D.K. cast on 3sts.

1st row, K, inc into every st (6sts)

2nd row, P, inc into every st (12sts)

3rd row, (K1, inc 1,) to end (18sts)

st.st. 3 rows, cast off.

Sew up and stuff loosely, sew to body.

ARMS. with 4 mm needles and Pink D.K. cast on 6sts.

1st row, K, inc into every st. (12sts)

st.st. 22 rows cast off.

Sew up seam and stuff. Sew them to sides of body.

DRESS. with 4½ mm needles and Flecked D.K. cast on 80 sts.

st.st. 26 rows.

change to 2¾ mm needles.

next row, (K2, K2tog,) to end (60sts)

Next row, P,

change to 4½ mm needles.

st.st. 2 rows.

Divide for armholes. K15, turn.

st.st. 11 rows. cast off.

Rejoin wool to main piece. K,30.

st.st. 15 rows. cast off.

Rejoin wool to remaining sts. K15.

st.st. 11 rows. cast off.

Sew up shoulders for 2 cm.

NECK. with 2¾ mm needles pick up and K 34sts evenly round neck.

next row, K, change to 4½ mm needles

next row, P, inc into every st.

next row, (K2, inc 1,) to last 2 sts.

K2 . cast of purlwise.

SLEEVES. with 4½ mm needles and Flecked wool cast on 16 sts.
 Work 5 rows rib (K1, P1,) next row, (K1, inc 1,) to end (24 sts) st.st. 13 rows. cast off.
 Sew up sleeve seams. Sew up back of dress to waist. Sew in sleeves. Place dress on Granny and neatly sew up remaining seam.

APRON, with 4½ mm needles and White D.K. cast on 26sts.
 K, 4 rows.
 next row, K4, P18, K4.
 next row, K.
 Rep last two rows until work measures 9 cm.
 next row, K2tog, to end (13sts) cast off. With 2¾ mm needles and White D.K. cast on 60sts, pick up and K, 13sts from top of apron, cast on 60sts. cast off.

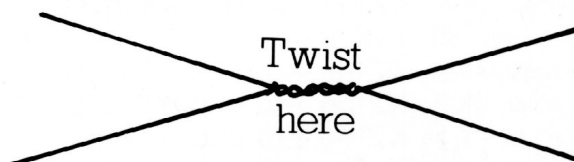
POCKET. with 4½ mm needles and White D.K. cast on 5sts.
 st.st 6 rows, cast off.
 Sew pocket to left side of apron. Tie apron round waist just under bust.

SHAWL. with 4½ mm needles and Pale Green D.K. cast on 3sts. 1st row, K, inc into 1st and last st. (5sts)
 Rep last row until you have 49sts on needle. cast off. Cut lengths of wool 7 cm long, and with a 3.50 crochet hook fringe down 2 sides of shawl. Trim off long ends. Stretch shawl round shoulders and fasten at front with a few stitches.

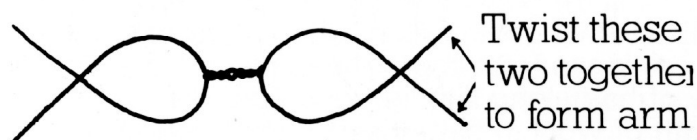
KNITTING. with 2¾ mm needles and Yellow 4 ply, cast on 12sts.
 K, 8 rows.
 next row, K, 6, slip stitches on left needle onto one cocktail stick.

Pull a long length of wool off main ball and break, wind it into a small ball and secure by sewing, leaving ball hung down enough to place in apron pocket. Slip stitches on right needle onto cocktail stick. Draw Grannys hands together with a few stitches. Place cocktail sticks through ends of each hand. Place left stick into first stitch on right hand stick as if knitting, and secure with glue. Put ball of wool into pocket.

GLASSES. with 1 piece of wire 17 cm long, measure 8 cm from each end and bend up. (This gives you 1 cm for bridge of glasses). Measure 8 cm along one end of second piece of wire, place this piece level with left side of bridge on first piece and twist second piece round bridge. You have now the two pieces together in the shape of a cross, with the bridge straight in the middle.



With one piece of wire shape the top of lens, then with other piece shape the bottom. Now twist the two together to form the arm.



Repeat the other side in same way. With a length of D.K. wool wind all round wire, applying a thin layer of glue as you wind to secure wool, making sure that all the wire is covered. Apply powder blusher to cheeks, place glasses on face and slide arms under hair. Sew button to neck of jumper for brooch.