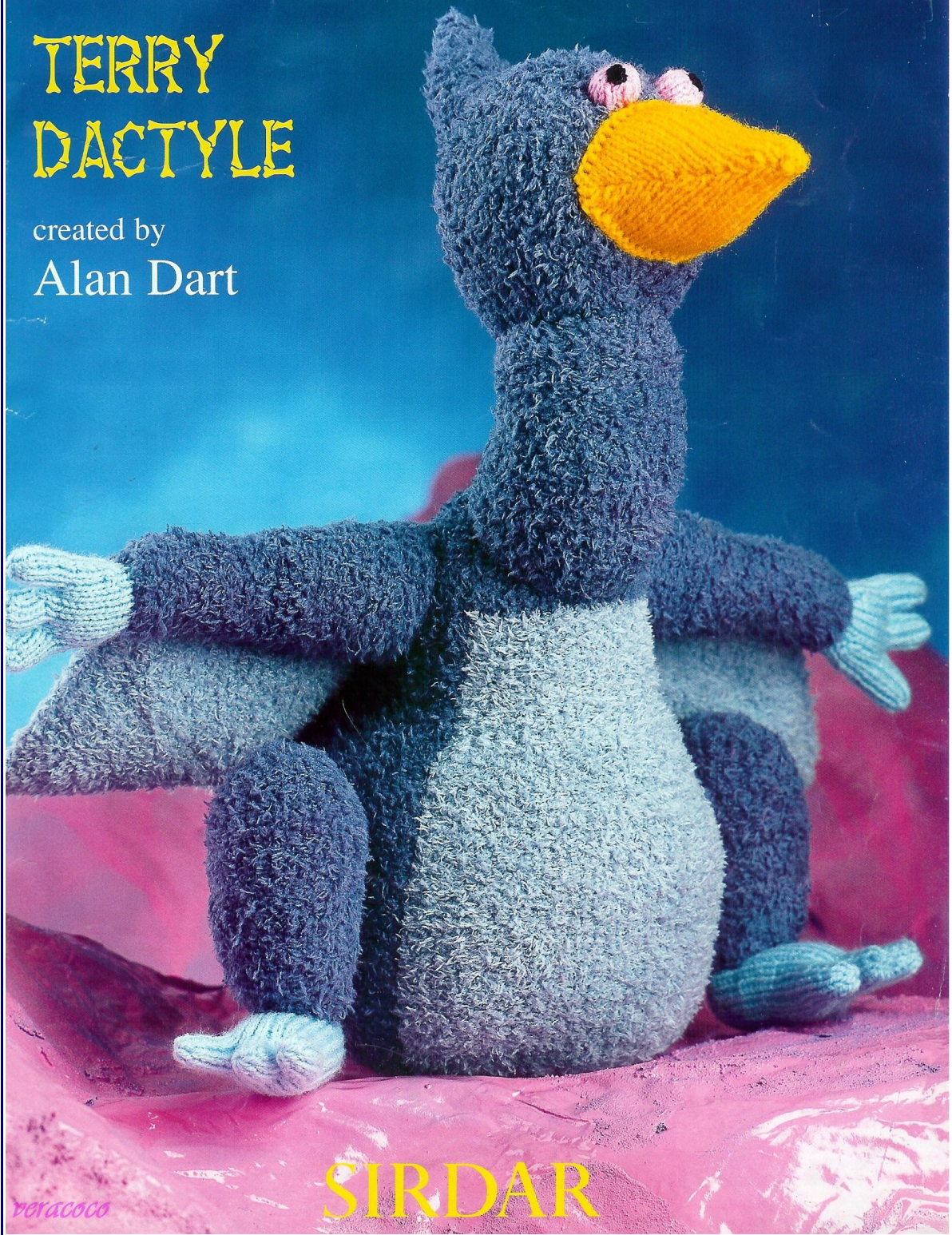


SNOWFLAKE DK/ BONUS Toytime DK

4329
approx height
36cm 14"

TERRY DACTYLE

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PLEASE NOTE: TERRY DACTYL TOY NOT SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN UNDER THREE YEARS OF AGE.

MEASUREMENTS

Height		36 14	cm in
Quality	Shade	Balls	
088	Snowflake DK	357 376	2 1
120	Hayfield Bonus Toytime DK	955 978	1 1
Oddments in Pink shade 992 and Black shade 965 of Hayfield Bonus Toytime DK 25gm balls.			
The quantities of yarn are based upon average requirements and are therefore approximate.			
MATERIALS 1 Pair of 3mm (UK11) Knitting Needles. 200gm of washable toy stuffing. Two 20cm plastic drinking straws. Clear adhesive. Long tweezers.			
TENSION 26 sts and 36 rows to 10cm over stocking stitch worked with Snowflake DK or Toytime DK on 3mm needles or the size required to give correct tension.			
IT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORK TO THE STATED TENSION TO ENSURE SUCCESS.			

ABBREVIATIONS

beg beginning
 dec decrease (by working 2 sts together)
 inc increase (by working into front and back of st)
 k knit
 p purl
 skpo slip one, knit one, pass slipped stitch over
 sl slip
 ss stocking stitch (1 row knit, 1 row purl)
 st(s) stitch(es)
 tog together
 yb yarn back
 yf yarn forward
 cm centimetres
 mm millimetres

NOTE

Begin all pieces worked in stocking stitch with a k row, and treat purl side of all pieces knitted in Snowflake as right side.

BODY BACK (Make 1 piece)

With Airforce Blue Snowflake cast on 12 sts for base edge and ss 2 rows.
 1st inc Row. Inc into every st to end. 24 sts.
 P 1 row.
 2nd inc Row. (Inc 1, k1) to end. 36 sts.
 P 1 row.
 3rd inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k1) to end. 48 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 4th inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k2) to end. 60 sts.
 Ss 5 rows.
 5th inc Row. (K2, inc 1, k2) to end. 72 sts.
 Ss 39 rows.
 Shape Waist
 1st dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k2) to end. 60 sts.

Ss 5 rows.
 2nd dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k1) to end. 48 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 3rd dec Row. (K1, k2tog, k1) to end. 36 sts.
 Ss 17 rows, inserting marker threads at beg and end of last row.
 Ss 6 rows.
 Shape Top of Body
 4th dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k2) to end. 30 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 5th dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k1) to end. 24 sts.
 P 1 row.
 Shape Sides
 6th dec Row. K2, skpo, k2tog, k12, skpo, k2tog, k2. 20 sts.
 P 1 row.
 7th dec Row. K1, skpo, k2tog, k10, skpo, k2tog, k1. 16 sts.
 P 1 row.
 8th dec Row. Skpo, k2tog, k8, skpo, k2tog. 12 sts.
 P 1 row.
 Cast off for top edge.

BODY FRONT (Make 1 piece)

With Duck Egg Blue Snowflake cast on 6 sts for base edge and ss 2 rows.
 1st inc Row. Inc into every st to end. 12 sts.
 P 1 row.
 2nd inc Row. (Inc 1, k1) to end. 18 sts.
 P 1 row.
 3rd inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k1) to end. 24 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 4th inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k2) to end. 30 sts.
 Ss 5 rows.
 5th inc Row. (K2, inc 1, k2) to end. 36 sts.
 Ss 47 rows.
 Shape Waist
 1st dec Row. (K2tog) to end. 18 sts.
 Ss 19 rows.
 Change to Airforce Blue Snowflake and p 2 rows.
 Ss 4 rows, beg with a k row.
 Shape Top of Body
 2nd dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k2) to end. 15 sts.
 Ss 5 rows.
 3rd dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k1) to end. 12 sts.
 Ss 5 rows.
 Cast off for top edge.

HEAD (Make 1 piece)

With Airforce Blue Snowflake cast on 10 sts for back edge and ss 2 rows.
 1st inc Row. Inc into every st to end. 20 sts.
 P 1 row.
 2nd inc Row. (Inc 1, k1) to end. 30 sts.
 P 1 row.
 3rd inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k1) to end. 40 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 4th inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k2) to end.

50 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 5th inc Row. (K2, inc 1, k2) to end. 60 sts.
 Ss 19 rows.
 Shape Front of Head
 1st dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k2) to end. 50 sts.
 Ss 5 rows.
 2nd dec Row. (K2, k2tog, k1) to end. 40 sts.
 Ss 3 rows.
 3rd dec Row. (K1, k2tog, k1) to end. 30 sts.
 P 1 row.
 4th dec Row. (K1, k2tog) to end. 20 sts.
 P 1 row.
 5th dec Row. (K2tog) to end. 10 sts.
 Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off.

NECK (Make 1 piece)

With Airforce Blue Snowflake cast on 38 sts for body edge and ss 10 rows.
 Shape Curve
 * 1st Row. K23, yf, sl 1, yb, turn.
 2nd Row. Sl 1, p8, yb, sl 1, yf, turn.
 3rd Row. Sl 1, k10, yf, sl 1, yb, turn.
 4th Row. Sl 1, p12, yb, sl 1, yf, turn.
 5th Row. Sl 1, k14, yf, sl 1, yb, turn.
 6th Row. Sl 1, p16, yb, sl 1, yf, turn.
 7th Row. Sl 1, k18, yf, sl 1, yb, turn.
 8th Row. Sl 1, p20, yb, sl 1, yf, turn.
 9th Row. Sl 1, k22, yf, sl 1, yb, turn.
 10th Row. Sl 1, p24, yb, sl 1, yf, turn.
 11th Row. Sl 1, k26, yf, sl 1, yb, turn.
 12th Row. Sl 1, p28, yb, sl 1, yf, turn.
 13th Row. Sl 1, k to end.
 14th Row. P across all sts. 38 sts. **
 Work from * to ** once more.
 Ss 6 rows.
 Cast off for head edge.

HEAD FIN (Make 1 piece)

With Airforce Blue Snowflake cast on 6 sts for base edge of opening and ss 2 rows.
 Inc 1 st at beg of next 8 rows. 14 sts.
 Cast on 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows for top of opening. 22 sts.
 Ss 4 rows.
 Dec 1 st at beg of next 20 rows. 2 sts.
 Cast off for top edge.

ARMS (Make 2 pieces)

With Airforce Blue Snowflake cast on 16 sts for wrist edge and ss 8 rows.
 Inc 1 st at beg and end of next row. Ss 7 rows.
 Rep the last 8 rows 3 times more. 24 sts.
 Cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows for underarm. 18 sts.
 Dec 1 st at beg and end of next 6 rows. 6 sts.
 Cast off for top edge.

HANDS (Make 2 pieces)

With Iced Turquoise Toytime cast on 16 sts for wrist edge and ss 4 rows.

Inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k2) to end. 20 sts.
Ss 7 rows.

* Inc for Claws

Next Row. K3, inc 1, k2, inc 1, k5, inc 1, turn and work on these 16 sts only.

Work 1st Claw

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

Ss 8 rows.

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

Work 2nd Claw

Next Row. Rejoin yarn to remaining sts, k2, inc 1, turn and work on these 12 sts only.

Work as given for 1st claw from ** to ***.

Work 3rd Claw

Next Row. Rejoin yarn to remaining sts and k to end. 8 sts.

Ss 9 rows.

Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread through sts on needle, draw up tightly and fasten off, then join claw and hand seam, ending at wrist edge.

LEFT WING (Make 1 piece)

With Duck Egg Blue Snowflake cast on 30 sts for arm edge and ss 2 rows.

Inc 1 st at beg of next row.

Ss 2 rows.

Inc 1 st at end of next row.

Ss 2 rows.

Repeat the last 6 rows 4 times more.

40 sts.

Cast off 20 sts at beg of next row. 20 sts.

Dec 1 st at end of next row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next row.

Repeat the last 2 rows 8 times more.

2 sts.

Cast off.

RIGHT WING (Make 1 piece)

Work as given for Left Wing, beg ss with a p row.

LEGS (Make 2 pieces)

With Airforce Blue Snowflake cast on 16 sts for ankle edge and ss 4 rows.

1st inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k2) to end.

20 sts.

Ss 3 rows.

2nd inc Row. (K2, inc 1, k2) to end.

24 sts.

Ss 3 rows.

3rd inc Row. (K2, inc 1, k3) to end.

28 sts.

Ss 3 rows.

4th inc Row. (K3, inc 1, k3) to end.

32 sts.

Ss 15 rows.

Shape Top of Leg

1st dec Row. (K1, k2tog, k1) to end.

24 sts.

Ss 3 rows.

2nd dec Row. (K1, k2tog) to end. 16 sts.
P 1 row.

3rd dec Row. (K2og) to end. 8 sts.

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

FEET (Make 2 pieces)

With Iced Turquoise Toytime cast on 12 sts for back edge and ss 2 rows.

1st inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k1) to end.

16 sts.

P 1 row.

2nd inc Row. (K1, inc 1, k2) to end.

20 sts.

Ss 19 rows.

Work claws as given for hands from * to end, leaving a 3cm space open at back of foot when sewing final seam.

BEAK (Make 2 pieces)

With Sunflower Toytime cast on 24 sts for face edge and ss 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg of next 8 rows.

Ss 2 rows.

Repeat the last 10 rows once more.

8 sts.

Dec 1 st at beg of next 4 rows. 4 sts.

Dec 1 st at beg and end of next row.

2 sts.

Cast off for beak tip.

EYES (Make 2 pieces)

With Pink Toytime cast on 13 sts and ss 5 rows.

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

TO MAKE UP

Remember to treat purl side of all pieces knitted in Snowflake as right side.

Join front and back body pieces together along one side edge, matching marker thread on back piece to top of Duck Egg Blue section on front piece. Now join remaining side edges of front and back body pieces, this time leaving the space between marker thread and top edge open. Work a gathering thread through every stitch on both base edges, draw up tightly and fasten off. Stuff body firmly, then join remainder of seam and remove marker threads. Join top edges of front and back body pieces together. Join side edges of head piece from gathered front edge, leaving a 5cm space open at back. Stuff head firmly, then join remainder of seam. Work a gathering thread through every stitch on back edge, draw up tightly and fasten off. Join side edges of neck piece, leaving body and head edges open. Stuff firmly then, with seam running down back of neck, sew body

edge centrally to body front, placing directly above Duck Egg Blue section. With head seam running along underside, position and sew head edge of neck to head, placing back neck seam 5cm in from gathered back edge of head. Using pins, mark a point on each side of body, 3cm down from top seam, for arms. Take a large knitting needle and make a hole through knitting and stuffing at one point, making sure that hole remains open when needle is removed, then spread glue over end of a straw and push 5cm into hole, leaving 15cm showing outside body. Repeat at other point with remaining straw, and leave glue to set. Join seam on each arm piece from wrist edge to underarm, then wind stuffing round straws and push into arms, adding more stuffing with tweezers if needed. Sew arm tops to body sides. Take hands and, using tweezers, push a little stuffing into each claw, then stuff remainder firmly. Placing hand seam 4 knit stitches away from arm seam, sew wrist edges of arms and hands together. Join side edges on each leg, leaving ankle edge open, then stuff firmly. Stuff claws on feet as before, then stuff feet firmly and join remainder of open seam. Work a gathering thread through every stitch on back edge, draw up tightly and fasten off. Position and sew ankle edge of each leg to a foot, placing leg 6 knit rows in from gathered back edge of foot. Now position and sew legs vertically to body sides, placing each 11cm up from gathered base edge of body and leaving top 6cm of each leg unsewn. Following instructions on ball band, press wing pieces lightly on wrong side, then sew cast on edges to arms, and straight side edges vertically down body back. Fold head fin piece in half and join side edges to form a cone, then stuff and sew base edge to back of head, placing fin seam at back with base touching gathered back edge of head. With a doubled length of Duck Egg Blue Snowflake, work a gathering thread up centre front of fin, draw up slightly to curve fin and fasten off securely. Join beak pieces together along side edges then stuff and pin in position at front of head. Sew in place by working backstitch over every stitch on cast on edge. Join side edges on each eye, stuff lightly, then work a gathering thread through every stitch on cast on edge, draw up tightly and fasten off. Sew in position on head, placing 1cm apart and directly above beak. Take a length of Black yarn and carefully draw out a single strand. Using the remaining 2 strands, embroider a circle of 7 chain stitches on each eye for pupils.

