

THE WORLD OF
BEATRIX POTTER™



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MEASUREMENTS: 35cm/14in tall

MATERIALS: Of Patons Knit'n'Save D.K. 25g balls: 3 in White (shade no.7813), 2 each in Taupe (shade no.7808), Cameo Rose (shade no.7831) and Teddy Bear (shade no.7719), and 1 each in Brown (shade no.7832), Sky Blue (shade no.7916) and Black (shade no.7814); 175g of washable toy stuffing; an 11cm diameter circle of 1cm thick washing-up sponge; fabric adhesive; pair of 3mm (no.11) knitting needles; crochet hook or latched rug hook.

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

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = beginning;
cont = continue; dec = decrease (by
working 2 stitches together); gs = garter
stitch; inc = increase (by working into
front and back of stitch); K = knit; P =
purl; RS = right side; ss = stocking stitch;
st(s) = stitch(es); SKPO = slip one, knit
one, pass slipped stitch over; tog =
together.

NOTE: Begin all pieces worked in
stocking stitch with a K row, unless
otherwise stated.

WARNING

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WORKING A TENSION SAMPLE.**

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TENSION IS ACHIEVED**

UNDERSKIRT (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With Teddy Bear cast on 40 sts.
Ss 6 rows Teddy Bear, 2 rows Sky Blue.
Repeat these 8 rows of stripe pattern until
168 rows have been worked altogether.
Ss 2 rows Teddy Bear.
Cast off.

UNDERSKIRT BASE (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With RS of work facing and Taupe, K up
90 sts evenly spaced along row-ends of
one long edge of underskirt.

P 1 row.

Next row: (K4, K 2 tog) to end [75 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (K3, K 2 tog) to end [60 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog) to end [45 sts].

Ss 3 rows.

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

Ss 3 rows.

Next row: (K 2 tog) to end [15 sts].

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

BODICE (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With RS of work facing and Teddy Bear,
K up 72 sts evenly spaced along row-ends
of other long edge of underskirt.

P 1 row and break off Teddy Bear.

Work check pattern thus:

Row 1: K in Cameo Rose.

Row 2: P in Cameo Rose.

Rows 3 & 5: K2 Cameo Rose, (3 White,
2 Cameo Rose) to end.

Rows 4 & 6: P2 Cameo Rose, (3 White, 2
Cameo Rose) to end.

Work these 6 rows three times altogether.

Shape shoulders, next row: With Cameo
Rose, (K 2 tog) to end [36 sts].

P 1 row Cameo Rose.

Cast off for top edge.

SLEEVES (MAKE 2 PIECES)

With Cameo Rose cast on 26 sts for cuff
edge and gs 2 rows.

Next row: K2, (inc 1, K1) eleven times,
K2 [37 sts].

P 1 row.

Cont in check pattern as given for bodice,
beg with row 3, and work 34 rows.

Shape sleeve head: Keeping pattern
correct, cast off 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows
[31 sts].

Dec 1 st at beg of next 4 rows [27 sts].

Cont in Cameo Rose and K 1 row.

Next row: (P 3 tog) to end [9 sts].

Cast off.

HANDS (MAKE 2 PIECES)

With Taupe cast on 26 sts for wrist edge
and ss 4 rows.

Shape thumb: Inc 1 st at beg and end of
next 2 rows [30 sts].

Ss 2 rows.

Cast off 5 sts at beg of next 2 rows [20
sts].

Divide for fingers, next row: K3, inc 1,
K2, inc 1, K5, inc 1 [16 sts], turn and
work on these sts only.

Work little finger, next row: P8, turn and
work on these sts only.

Ss 3 rows.

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

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.

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

Ss 4 rows.

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

Work index finger, next row: With held

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4 sts on right hand needle, rejoin yarn to work and K remaining 4 sts from left hand needle [8 sts].

Ss 5 rows.

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

HEAD (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With Taupe cast on 12 sts for back of head and ss 2 rows.

Next row: Inc into every st to end [24 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K1, inc 1) to end [36 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K2, inc 1) to end [48 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K3, inc 1) to end [60 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K4, inc 1) to end [72 sts].
Ss 23 rows.

Shape front of head, next row: (K2, K 2 tog) to end [54 sts].

P 1 row.

Shape snout, next row: K17, SKPO, K 2 tog, K12, SKPO, K 2 tog, K17 [50 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: K16, SKPO, K 2 tog, K10, SKPO, K 2 tog, K16 [46 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K15, SKPO, K 2 tog, K8, SKPO, K 2 tog, K15 [42 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K14, SKPO, K 2 tog, K6, SKPO, K 2 tog, K14 [38 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K13, SKPO, K 2 tog, K4, SKPO, K 2 tog, K13 [34 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: K12, SKPO, K 2 tog, K2, SKPO, K 2 tog, K12 [30 sts].

P 1 row.

Shape mouth, next row: K1, (K 3 tog) twice, K16, (K 3 tog) twice, K1 [22 sts].

P 1 row.

Dec 1 st at beg of next 8 rows [14 sts].

Ss 2 rows.

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

EARS (MAKE 4 PIECES)

With Taupe cast on 10 sts and ss 4 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg of next 4 rows [6 sts].

Cast off.

NOSE (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With Black cast on 6 sts and ss 6 rows.

Cast off.

MOB CAP (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With White cast on 70 sts for front edge and ss 2 rows.

Next row: (K3, inc 1, K3) to end [80 sts].
Ss 9 rows.

Shape neck edge: Inc 1 st at beg of next 4 rows [84 sts].

Cast on 3 sts at beg of next 2 rows for back neck [90 sts].

Work crown: Ss 12 rows.

Shape crown, next row: (K4, K 2 tog) to end [75 sts].

P 1 row.

Next row: (K3, K 2 tog) to end [60 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K2, K 2 tog) to end [45 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K1, K 2 tog) to end [30 sts].
P 1 row.

Next row: (K 2 tog) to end [15 sts].

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

MOB CAP FRILL (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With White cast on 3 sts.

Work frill pattern thus:

Rows 1, 3, 5, 6, 8 & 10: K.

Rows 2, 4, 7 & 9: P.

These 10 rows form the pattern.

Cont in pattern and work 10 rows.

Next row: Inc 1, pattern to end.

Pattern 9 rows.

Repeat the last 10 rows four more times [8 sts].

Pattern 100 rows without shaping.

Next row: Dec 1, pattern to end.

Pattern 9 rows.

Repeat the last 10 rows four more times [3 sts].

Cast off.

OVERSKIRT (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With White cast on 14 sts and ss 2 rows.

Cast on 5 sts at beg of next 10 rows [64 sts].

Cast on 40 sts at beg of next 2 rows [144 sts].

Ss 20 rows.

Shape waist edge, next row: (K2, K 2 tog) nine times, (K 4 tog) eighteen times, (K 2 tog, K2) nine times [72 sts].

P 1 row.

Cast off.

APRON (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With White cast on 52 sts and gs 2 rows.

Next row: K.

Next row: K2, P48, K2.

Repeat the last 2 rows thirty one more times.

Shape waist edge, next row: K3, (K 4 tog, K3) to end [31 sts].

K 1 row.

Cast off.

APRON WAISTBAND (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With White cast on 18 sts, break yarn and push sts to end of needle.

With White cast on another 18 sts on same needle, K these sts, then, with RS of work facing, K up 31 sts from waist edge of apron, then K the held 18 sts [67 sts].

P 1 row.

Cast off P wise.

APRON BOW (MAKE 1 PIECE)

With White cast on 110 sts and ss 2 rows.

Cast off P wise.

BOOTS (MAKE 2 PIECES)

Work sole: With Brown cast on 6 sts for back edge and ss 1 row.

Inc 1 st at beg of next 2 rows [8 sts].

Ss 11 rows.

Inserting coloured marker threads at each end of row, inc 1 st at beg and end of next row [10 sts].

Ss 5 rows.

Dec 1 st at beg of next 6 rows [4 sts].

Work upper: Inc 1 st at beg of next 10 rows [14 sts].

Ss 2 rows.

Cast off.

PRICKLES (MAKE 50)

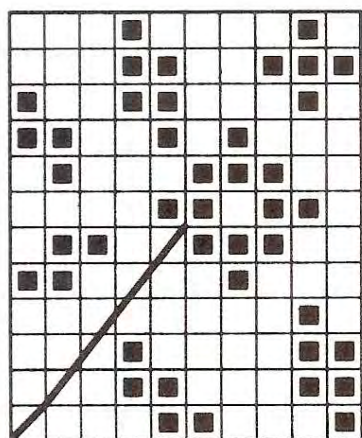
Cut a 20cm length of Taupe yarn. Fold in half, hold taut by both ends and twist tightly, then bring ends together and allow to twist into a cord. Knot 2cm from folded end and trim away excess yarn.

TO MAKE UP

Join underskirt base seam, and 5cm up back seam of underskirt. Glue sponge circle to inside of base, taking care that adhesive does not seep through to right side of knitting. Starting 7cm down from skirt waist at back, thread a group of 7 prickles through knitting with crochet or rug hook from wrong side to right, and secure each knotted end to wrong side of work with a dab of glue. Repeat with 16 more prickles on back of bodice. Stuff skirt and bodice firmly. With back seam in centre, sew across top edge of bodice to form shoulders. Work a gathering thread through every stitch on first Cameo Rose row of bodice, draw up to measure 25cm and shape waist, tie ends and fasten off securely. Join head seam from tip of snout, leaving a 5cm space open at back of head. Stuff firmly, join remainder of head seam, then gather round cast on edge, draw up tightly and fasten off. Mark eye positions with pins then, taking a long needle and a length of Taupe yarn, insert needle at base of head, draw out at one eye position, take a small stitch and return needle to base of head. Draw up yarn slightly to indent eye socket, fasten off, then repeat for other eye. Position and sew

head securely to bodice. Join mob cap crown seam, then thread with 27 prickles as before. Position and sew cap to head along front edge, stuffing lightly, then gather round neck edge of cap, draw up to fit and catch in place with a few stitches. Sew straight edge of frill piece to front of cap, gathering to fit. Join ears together in pairs and sew to head, 6cm apart, in front of cap frill. Using a single 10cm length of Taupe yarn for each tassel, use crochet or rug hook to work a row of fringing between ears, spacing tassels 2 knit stitches apart. Work further rows of fringing towards front of head to form a triangular shape, positioning tassels on each successive row between those on previous row. Trim ends of fringing to neaten, then work another triangle of tassels at each side of head over cheeks in same manner. Work each eye by embroidering a circle of 7 chain stitches in Black, then sew a single straight stitch with White in centre for 'gloss', and a single stitch in Brown at each side of eye. Work mouth with a single straight stitch, using a doubled length of Brown yarn and drawing up slightly to indent. Sew nose piece in place, stuffing lightly with a few scraps of Black yarn. Following chart, Swiss darn floral pattern on overskirt at

random, using Cameo Rose yarn and turning chart upside down when working some pattern blocks. Embroider flower stems with split stitch. Wrap overskirt round waist and join seam, positioning at centre front of body. Sew waist edge of overskirt to body waist, then sew lower edge to underskirt in a straight line, gathering in excess at back to form bustle. Following instructions on ball band, press apron lightly on wrong side. Wrap apron round waist and join waistband ends at back of body, then tie bow piece into a bow and sew knot to waistband join. Join sleeve seams, leaving sleeve heads open. Join index finger and thumb seam on each hand then stuff firmly, using tweezers to push stuffing into fingers. Sew hands to sleeve cuffs, placing hand seam 6 knit stitches away from sleeve seam. Stuff each sleeve lightly, leaving a space at elbow unstuffed, and sew sleeve heads to body. Bend arms at elbows, then interlace fingers and hold in place with a few stitches. Sew hands to body at top of apron. Sew boot uppers to soles, matching ends of cast off edge to marker threads. Remove markers, stuff boot toes lightly, then position 4cm apart and sew soles to base of body and cast off edges of uppers to skirt hem.



SWISS DARNING CHART
— = split stitch

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