

Eleanor



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Needed for Eleanor:

23 in Doll kit (FC2977)& FC2987 Gibson Wig
400gr Light blue double knit yarn
100gr Dark blue double knit yarn
250gr Cream double knit yarn
4 press studs
3.65 m (4yds) string pearls
Pearls - 3mm, 4mm, 8mm
1 reel silver embroidery thread No20
7mm Burgundy ribbon 3.20m (3¹/₂ yds)
7mm Dark blue ribbon 3.20m (3¹/₂ yds)
1 pr 4mm needles (UK 8, USA 5)
Optional - 4mm circular needle

Abbreviations

cm	=	centimetre
in(s)	=	inch(es)
k	=	knit
p	=	purl
st (s)	=	stitch(s)
st-st	=	stocking st (k 1 row, p 1 row)
g-st	=	garter stitch (k every row)
alt	=	alternate
cont	=	continue
dec	=	decrease (work 2 sts together)
inc	=	increase (work twice into st)
meas	=	measures
psso	=	pass slip stitch over
rem	=	remain(ing)
rep	=	repeat
sl	=	slip
tog	=	together
yf	=	yarn forward

USA Glossary

Double knit yarn	=	knitting worsted weight
Tension	=	gauge
Cast off	=	bind off

Tension:

24st and 40 rows in moss st on 4mm needles
22st 30 rows in st-st on 4mm needles.

Moss St

1st row: K1, *p1, k1; rep from * to end.
Rep this row throughout.

Stem Stitch

Worked in a single movement from left to right. Insert the needle with the point facing left and take up two or three fabric threads. Bring the needle out at the end of the previous stitch.



Pants

Left leg

With cream yarn cast on 56 sts. St-st till work meas 14cm (5¹/₂ ins). Cont in st-st, shape crutch: Inc both ends of next and each alt row to 62sts. St-st till work meas 30.5 cm (12 ins) ending with a p row.

Next row: K1, *k1, k2tog, rep from * to last st, k1 (42 sts)

Next row: P

Next row: K1, k2tog, rep to end of row (28 sts)

Next row: P. Cast off.

Right leg

Rep instructions for left leg.

Make up

Fold left leg in half lengthwise with right sides inside. Join leg seam by sewing from cast on edge to end of crutch shaping. Join right leg in same manner. Join both pieces tog by sewing, with right sides inside, from cast off edge, through crutch and up to other cast off edge. Thread a double strand of yarn round waist to draw up and tie in a bow.

Petticoat

Front

With cream yarn cast on 206 sts. K 6 rows in g-st.

Cont in st-st till work meas 23cm (9ins) ending with a p row.

Next row: K2tog to end of row (103 sts).

Cont in st-st till work meas 28cm (11ins) ending with a p row

Next row: K2tog to last st, k1 (52 sts)

Cont in st-st till work meas 30.5cm (12ins) ending with a p row.

Next row: K2tog to end of row (26 sts)

P 1 row. Cast off.

Back

Rep instructions for petticoat front

Make Up

Join back and front tog at side edges.

Thread a double strand of yarn round waist to draw up and tie a bow.

Dress

Front panel

With dark blue yarn cast on 29 sts.

Moss st 1 row (right side). Break off yarn and join in light blue yarn. Moss st till work meas 21.5cm (8¹/₂ ins)

Next: Dec 1 st each end of next and every following 6 rows till 15 sts rem.

Cont in moss st till work meas 45 cm (17³/₄ ins)

Centre neck shaping: Moss st 4 sts cast off 7 sts; moss st 3 sts. Working on first set of 4 sts dec 1 st at neck edge

on next 2 rows

Next: K2tog, break yarn, draw through rem st and fasten off. Rejoin yarn to rem 4 sts and knit up to match other side of neck.

Front left side panel

With dark blue yarn cast on 37 sts. Moss st 1 row (right side). Break off yarn and join in light blue yarn. Moss st till work meas 21.5 cm (8^{1/2} ins)

Next: Dec 1 st each end of next and every following 6th row till 25 sts rem

Next: Moss st 1 row

Next: Dec 1 st both ends of next and each alt row till 17 sts rem.

Next: Dec 1 st both ends of next 3 rows till 11 sts rem. Cont in moss st till work meas 38cm (15ins) ending with wrong side row.

Shape side edge of bodice: Inc 1 st at beg of next and each alt row to 15 sts.

Cont in moss st till work meas 42cm (16^{1/2} ins) finishing with wrong side row.

Shape armhole: Cast off 4 sts at beg of next row. Cont in moss st till work meas 45.7cm (18ins) finishing with right side row.

Shape side of neck: Dec 1 st at beg of next and each alt row till 7 sts rem. Cont in moss st till work meas 50.7cm (20ins). Cast off.

Front right side panel

Rep instructions for left side panel reversing shapings.

Back

With dark blue yarn cast on 103 sts. Work as front panel from * to *

Shape back skirt:

1st dec: P2tog, moss st 31 sts, P3tog, moss st 31 sts, p3tog, moss st 31 sts, p2tog (97)

Working 5 rows of moss st between each dec row cont as follows:

2nd dec: K2tog, moss st 29 sts, k3tog, moss st 29sts, k3tog, moss st 29 sts, k2tog.

3rd dec: P2tog, moss st 27 sts, p3tog, moss st 27 sts, p3tog, moss st 27 sts, p2tog.

4th dec: K2tog, moss st 25 sts k3tog, moss st 25sts, k3tog, moss st 25 sts, k2tog.

5th dec: P2tog, moss st 23 sts, p3tog, moss st 23sts, p3tog, moss st 23 sts, p2tog.

6th dec: K2tog, moss st 21 sts, k3tog, moss st 21 sts, k3tog, moss st 21 sts, k2tog.

Work 1 row of moss st between each of the following dec rows

7th dec: P2tog, moss st 19 sts, p3tog, moss st 19 sts, p3tog, moss st 19 sts, p2tog.

8th dec: K2tog, moss st 17 sts, k3tog, moss st 17 sts, k3tog, moss st 17 sts, k2tog.

9th dec: P2tog, moss st 15 sts, p3tog, moss st 15 sts, p3tog, moss st 15 sts, p2tog

10th dec : K2tog, moss st 13 sts, k3tog, moss st 13 sts, k3tog, moss st 13 sts, k2tog.

11th dec : P2tog, moss st 11sts, p3tog, moss st 11sts, p3tog, moss st 11 sts, p2tog.

Cont in moss st till work meas 35.5cm (14ins) from beg of work.

Next row: (k2tog, P2tog) 3 times; k2tog; (p1, k1) 4 times; p1; (K2tog, p2tog) 3 times; k2tog (23sts)

Cont in moss st till work meas 37 cm (14^{1/2} ins) ending with a wrong side row.

Divide for back opening: Moss st across 12 sts, turn.

Right back bodice

Cont with moss st on these 12 sts till work meas 38cm (15ins) finishing at side edge. Inc at side edge of every row to 19 sts. Cont in moss st till every work meas 42cm (16ins) ending at side edge.

Shape armhole: Cast off 4 sts at beg of next row. Moss st till work meas 45cm (17^{3/4} ins) finishing at centre back.

Shape neck: Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row.

Next: Moss st 1 row

Next: Dec 1 st at neck edge on next and each alt row till 7 sts rem. Cont in moss st till work meas 49.5cm (19^{1/2} ins). Cast off.

Left back bodice

Rejoin yarn to rem sts. Rep instructions for right back bodice inc 1 st at centre back at beg of 1st row. (12sts)

Make up

Sew front panel to side front panels leaving 5cm (2in) opening at waist level to insert ties. Join back of dress to front at side seams and shoulders.

Sleeves

With light blue yarn cast on 3sts. Moss st 1 row.

Cont in moss st inc both ends of each row to 17sts. Moss st 3 rows.

Next: Inc both ends of next and every 4th row to 37 sts. Cont in moss st till work meas 13.5cm (5^{1/4} ins)

Cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Moss st 1 row

Next: Dec 1 st both ends of next and every 3rd row to 17sts.

Moss st 1 row.

Next: Dec 1 st both ends of next and each alt row till 9 sts rem. Cast off.

1st Frill - Bottom

(Knit 2 pieces).

Join the two pieces of frill tog to make one long frill. (NOTE - if preferred the frill may be knitted in one piece by using a 4mm circular needle and working on 349 sts to obtain the correct pattern sequence.)

With dark blue yarn cast on 175 sts.

1st row: (right side) K1, *yf, sl1, k1, pssso, k1, k2tog, yf, k1, rep from * to end.

Break off dark blue yarn and cont in light blue yarn.

2nd and 4th row: P

3rd row: K2, *yf, sl1, k2tog, pssso, yf, k3; rep from * to last 5 sts, yf, sl1, k2tog, pssso, yf, k2.

Cont in light blue yarn for rest of frill rep rows 1-4 three more times.

17th row: K2tog to last st, k1**

18th row: P. Cast off.

2nd 3rd and 4th Frill:

Rep instructions for 1st frill.

5th Frill:

Rep instructions for 1st frill working on 127 sts. If using circular needle work one piece over 253 sts.

6th Frill:

Rep instructions for 1st frill working on 109sts. If using circular needle work one piece over 217 sts.

7th Frill:

Knit 1 piece as 1st frill working on 109 sts to **. Break off pale blue yarn and join in dark blue yarn.

Next row: P

Nexr row: K

Next row: P Cast off purlwise.

Neck Frill

With wrong side facing, using pale blue yarn, pick up 10 sts along right back to shoulder, 20 sts evenly round front neck and 10 sts along left back from shoulder.

1st row: P

2nd row: K into back and front of every st (80 sts)

3rd row: P

4th row: K2; k into back and front of every st to last st; k1 (157 sts)

5th row: P

6th row: K2, *yf, sl1, k2tog, pssso, yf, k3; rep from * to last 5 sts, yf, sl1, k2tog, pssso, yf, k2.

7th and 9th row: P

8th row: K1, *yf, sl1, k1, pssso, k1, k2tog, yf, k1, rep from * to end

Rep rows 6 to 8. Break off pale blue yarn and join in dark blue yarn. P 1 row. Cast off.

Ties

Knit 2

Using light blue yarn cast on 13sts.

Moss st till work meas 45.7cm (18 ins). Cast off.

Make Up

Join underarm seams of sleeves and sew into armholes. Sew frills to dress positioning them evenly round skirt between bottom edge and waist as picture.

Decorate front panel of dress and lower edge of sleeves with stem st working two rows in dark blue yarn and one row in silver thread, sewing string pearls between the two rows of dark blue. Work the same formation of decoration along side and bottom edges of ties and insert into opening at waist. Close seam.

Twist ties and loop round back of skirt. Sew ends, side by side, at back waist.

Fasten back opening of bodice with small press studs. Decorate front panel with criss cross design in burgundy and dark blue ribbon as picture. Add pearls down centre front of panel.

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Make small bows and sew to collar placing small pearls in centre of each bow.

Bootees

Worked in g-st throughout

Sole

With dark blue yarn cast on 5 sts. K 1 row
Inc 1 st at both ends of next row.

K 1 row

Inc 1 st at both ends of next row

K till work meas 6.5cm (2½ ins)

Dec 1 st both ends of next row.

K 1 row

Dec 1st both ends of next row

K 1 row. Cast off.

Upper

With dark blue yarn cast on 10 sts. K 1 row

K2, turn, k2

K4, turn, k4

K6, turn, k6

K8, turn, k8

K 10

Cont on these 10 sts, finishing at long edge, till work meas 12.7cm (5ins) along long edge.

K8, turn, k8

K6, turn, k6

K4, turn, k4

K2, turn, k2

K1 row across all sts. Cast off.

Make Up

Sew cast on edge to cast off edge of upper.

Sew long edge of upper round sole placing join in upper to centre front of sole.

Tiara

Shape wire and thread with pearls as picture or to own design.

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inches	1		2		3		4		5		6		7					