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4 handknit designs for children and 3 toys

Tension

It is important to check your tension before starting your garment. If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, your tension is tight and you should change to a larger size needle. If there are too few, your tension is loose and you should change to a smaller size needle.

Caution

It is essential to work to the stated tension, and we cannot accept responsibility for the finished product if any yarn other than the specified yarn is used.

Abbreviations

K=knit; **P**=purl; **st**=stitch; **stocking st**=1 row K, 1 row P; **garter st**=every row K; **tog**=together; **tbl**=through back of loops; **inc**=increase by working into front and back of st; **dec**=decrease by working 2 sts together; **beg**=beginning; **alt**=alternate; **rep**=repeat; **cont**=continue; **meas**=measures; **foll**=following; **rem**=remain(ing); **RS**=right side; **WS**=wrong side; **cm**=centimetres; **in**=inches; **mm**=millimetres; **sL1K**=slip 1 knitways; **sL1P**=slip 1 purlways; **yfwd**=yarn forward; **yrn**=yarn round needle; **pss**=pass slip st over; **patt**=pattern; **0**=no st, row or time to be worked in this size; **M1**=make a st by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it; **MS**=Main Shade; **1st C**=1st Contrast; **2nd C**=2nd Contrast; **3rd C**=3rd Contrast; **4th C**=4th Contrast; **5th C**=5th Contrast; **6th C**=6th Contrast; **7th C**=7th Contrast;

U.S.A. Glossary

Cast off=bind off; tension=gauge; knit up=pick up and knit; stocking st=stockinette st; yarn forward or yarn round needle=yarn over.

Instructions are given for the first size, with larger size(s) given in square brackets []. Where only one figure is given this applies to both (all) sizes.

Before starting to knit, read the instructions carefully and circle all figures relating to your size with a coloured pencil.

Notes for Motif Knitting

We recommend Patons yarn bobs for tangle free motif knitting.

When working from chart, do not carry colours across wrong side of work, but use separate balls as required, twisting yarns when changing colour to avoid a hole.

Read odd rows K from right to left and even rows P from left to right **unless otherwise stated**.

Drying Instructions

Do not dry handknits in harsh sunlight as fading or yellowing may occur.

Beehive DK - You may tumble dry your garment with confidence in any domestic tumble dryer at temperatures of up to 60°C.



Sweaters

(illustrated in Beehive DK)

Measurements

To fit chest

51	56	61	66	cm
20	22	24	26	in

Actual size

65	71	76	82	cm
25½	28	30	32	in

Finished length, approx

30	35	40	46	cm
12	13¾	15¾	18	in

Sleeve, measured down centre

19	23	27	31	cm
7½	9	10½	12¼	in

Quantities

Patons Beehive DK

Noddy Sweater

Main Shade (6964)

3	3	4	4	50g balls
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Small amounts of Scarlet (6960), Royal (6958), Apricot (6898), Cornflower (6977), Grapefruit (6828), and Chestnut (6822).

Big-Ears Sweater

Main Shade (6977)

3	3	4	4	50g balls
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Small amounts of Chestnut (6822), Scarlet (6960), Ceramic (6896), Daffodil (6973), Royal (6958), White (6963) and Apricot (6898).

Mr Plod Sweater

Main Shade (6960)

3	3	4	4	50g balls
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Small amounts of Black (6955), White (6963), Royal (6958), Grapefruit (6828), Apricot (6898), and Chestnut (6822).

All Sweaters

Anchor Embroidery threads in the following colours: Black, White, Pink and Blue.

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements. Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

Pair each Patons 3¼ mm (USA 3) and 4 mm (USA 6) needles.

Tension

On 4mm needles, 22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking st).

For notes, abbreviations and note on motif knitting, see first page of text.

FRONT

With 3¼ mm needles and MS, cast on 65 [69, 75, 79] sts.

Rib row 1 - (RS), K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end. **Rib row 2** - P1, *K1, P1; rep from * to end. Rep these 2 rows for 5 cm, ending with row 1.

Increase row - Rib 5 [6, 5, 4], *M1 (by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it), rib 9 [7, 8, 7]; rep from * to last 6 [7, 6, 5] sts, M1, rib to end (72 [78, 84, 90] sts).

Change to 4 mm needles and work instructions for appropriate chart as follows:

For Noddy:

Starting with a K row, work 8 [14, 20, 22] rows in stocking st, thus ending with a P row.

Place chart as follows:

Next row - K 23 [26, 29, 32], work 1st row of chart across next 26 sts, K to end.

Next row - P 23 [26, 29, 32], work 2nd row of chart across next 26 sts, P to end.

Cont to work from chart until row 28 [30, 38, 50] has been worked.

For Big-Ears:

Starting with a K row, work 8 [14, 20, 22] rows in stocking st.

Next row - K 25 [28, 31, 34], work 1st row of chart across next 21 sts, K to end.

Next row - P 26 [29, 32, 35] work 2nd row of chart across next 21 sts, P to end.

Cont to work from chart until row 28 [30, 38, 50] has been worked, thus ending with a P row.

For Mr Plod:

Starting with a K row, work 6 [12, 18, 22] rows in stocking st.

Next row - K 24 [27, 30, 33], work 1st row of chart across next 23 sts, K to end.

Next row - P 25 [28, 31, 34], work 2nd row of chart across next 23 sts, P to end.

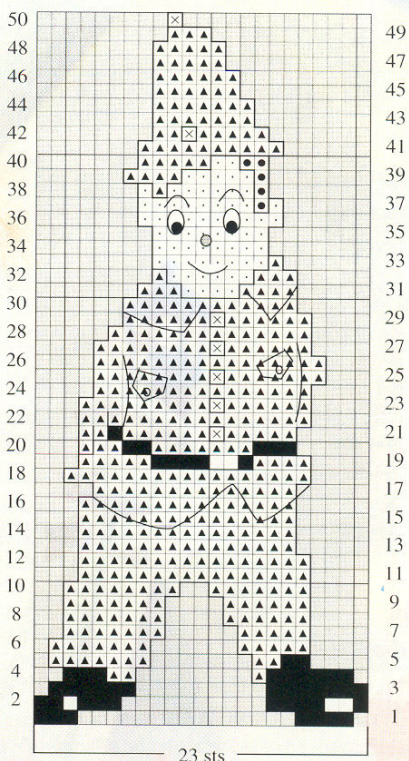
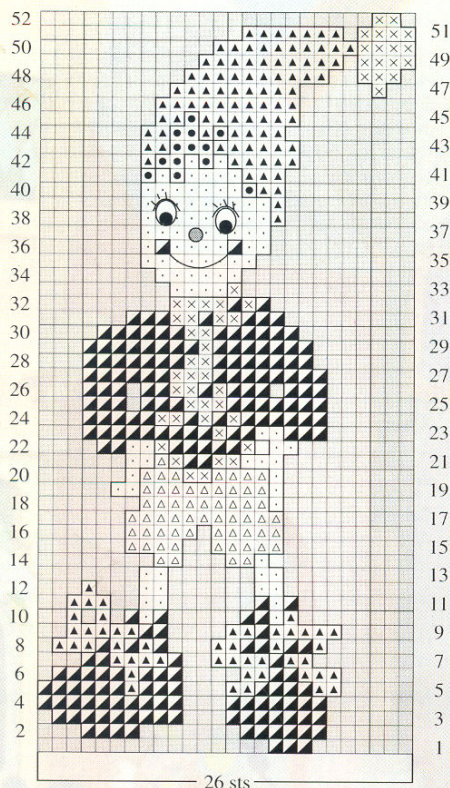
Cont to work from chart until row 30 [32, 40, 50] has been worked, thus ending with a P row.

All Sweaters: Keeping chart correct until completed, then continuing in MS only, work as follows:

Shape raglans

Cast off 6 [6, 7, 7] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

56cm size: Work 2 rows straight.



Next row - P2.

Next row - K2tog and fasten off.

With RS facing, slip centre 8 [8, 8, 10] sts onto a spare needle, rejoin yarn to rem sts, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Next row - P to last 2 sts, P2tog.

Work to match first side, reversing shapings.

BACK

Work as Front to **, omitting chart patt.

Rep last 2 rows until 22 [24, 24, 26] sts rem, ending with a P row.

Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

SLEEVES

With 3/4 mm needles and MS, cast on 33 [35, 37, 39] sts and work in rib as given for Front for 4 cm, ending with row 1.

Increase row - Rib 4 [5, 6, 5], *M1, rib 2; rep from * to last 5 [6, 7, 6] sts, M1, rib to end (46 [48, 50, 54] sts).

Change to 4mm needles and starting with a K row, work in stocking st, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 5th and every foll 6th [7th, 8th, 9th] row, until there are 58 [62, 66, 70] sts.

Work straight until sleeve meas 19 [23, 27, 31] cm, ending with a P row.

Shape raglans

Cast off 6 [6, 7, 7] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

56, 61 and 66 cm sizes: Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

All sizes: Next row - P to end.

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Rep last 2 rows until 10 sts rem, ending with a P row.

Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Embroidery:

Using Anchor embroidery threads or yarn and chart as a guide, embroider as in photograph. Join raglans leaving left back raglan open.

Neck Border

With RS facing, using 3/4 mm needles and MS, K across 10 sts from left sleeve, **knit up** 12 [12, 14, 16] sts down left side of neck, K across 8 [8, 8, 10] sts at centre, **knit up** 12 [12, 14, 16] sts up right side of neck, K across 10 sts from right sleeve, then K across 22 [24, 24, 26] sts from back neck inc 1 st at centre (75 [77, 81, 89] sts). Starting with a 2nd row, work 6 cm in rib as given for Front.

Cast off in rib.

Join left back raglan and Neck Border. Join side and sleeve seams. Fold Neck Border in half to WS and sew in place, allowing for stretch.

KEY

- MS
- Scarlet (6960)
- Apricot (6898)
- ▲ Royal (6958)
- ▲ Cornflower (6977)
- × Grapefruit (6828)
- Chestnut (6822)
- Black (6955)
- White (6963)
- Ceramic (6896)
- Daffodil (6973)
- Embroider in Black using back stitch
- Embroider in pink using satin stitch

All sizes: Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, patt to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Next row - Patt to end.**

Rep last 2 rows until 34 [36, 38, 42] sts rem, ending with a P row.

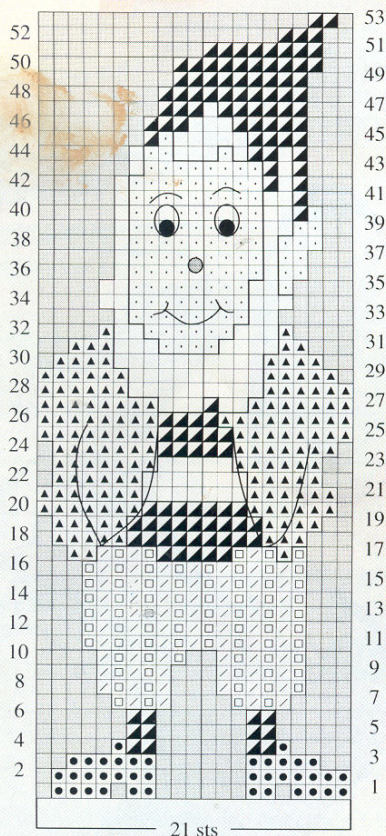
Shape neck

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, K 10 [11, 12, 13], turn and leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Next row - P2tog, P to end.

Cont to dec 1 st at raglan edge as before on next and every foll alt row, at the same time dec 1 st at neck edge on every row until 5 [4, 5, 6] sts rem.

Keeping neck edge straight, cont to dec at raglan edge as before until 2 sts rem.





Noddy

(illustrated in Beehive DK)

Height approximately 38 cm

Quantities

Patons Beehive DK 50g balls

1 ball each of Apricot (6898) and Scarlet (6960).

Small amounts of each of Azure (6892), Royal (6958), Grapefruit (6828) and Chestnut (6822).

Small amounts of White, Blue and Black felt for eyes. Black stranded embroidery thread for features. Good quality washable stuffing.

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements. Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

Pair each Patons 3/4 mm (USA 3), 4 mm (USA 6) and 5 mm (USA 8) needles.

Tension

On 3/4 mm needles, 25 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking stitch before stuffing).

On 4 mm needles, 22 sts and 34 rows to 10 cm (stocking stitch).

For notes and abbreviations, see first page of text.

SOLES (make 2)

With 3/4 mm needles and Apricot, cast on 5 sts. Working in stocking st throughout and starting with aK row, inc 1 st at each end of 1st and every foll alt row to 11 sts. Work 9 rows straight. Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll alt row until 5 sts rem. Cast off purlwise.

BODY AND HEAD

BACK

1st Leg

With 3/4 mm needles and Apricot, cast on 15 sts. Starting with a K row work 4 rows in stocking st.

**** Next row - K3, * K2 tog, K2; rep from * to end (12 sts).**

Work 35 rows in stocking st.

Inc 1 st at beg of next and 2 foll alt rows (15 sts). Work 1 row.

Break off yarn and leave sts on a spare needle.

2nd Leg

Work to match 1st leg reversing shaping, but DO NOT break off yarn.

Join legs

Next row - K across 14 sts from 2nd leg then, with RS of 1st Leg facing, K2tog (one stitch from each leg) then K across rem 14 sts from 1st leg (29 sts).

Next row - P.

Next row - K12, K2tog, K1, K2tog tbl, K12.

Next row - P.

Next row - K11, K2tog, K1, K2tog tbl, K11 (25 sts).

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a P row, work 25 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every alt row to 17 sts. Work 1 row.

Next row - Cast off 4 sts, K to last 4 sts, cast off 4 sts (9 sts).

Neck

Break off yarn and then with **WS** facing rejoin yarn and work as follows:-

Next row - P1, P2tog, P3, P2tog, P1 (7 sts). Work 4 rows straight.

Shape Head

Next row - K1, * M1, K1; rep from * to end (13 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K2; rep from * to end (19 sts). Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - * P3, M1; rep from * to last st, P1 (25 sts). Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K4; rep from * to end (31 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K5; rep from * to end (37 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K6; rep from * to end (43 sts). Work 13 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K5; rep from * to end (37 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K4; rep from * to end (31 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K3; rep from * to end (25 sts). Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - * P2, P2tog; rep from * to last st, P1 (19 sts). Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K1; rep from * to end (13 sts).

Next row - P2tog to last st, P1 (7 sts).

Break yarn and thread through stitches left on needle. **Do NOT fasten off.**

FRONT

1st Leg

With 3/4 mm needles and Apricot, cast on 25 sts and starting with a K row, work 2 rows in stocking st.

Row 3 - K16, K2tog, turn.

Row 4 - SL1P, P7, P2tog, turn.

Row 5 - SL1K, K7, K2tog, turn.

Rows 6 to 10 - Rep rows 4 and 5 twice then row 4 again.

Row 11 - SL1K, K7, K2tog, K to end.

Row 12 - P11, P2tog, P3 (15 sts).

Work as given for Back from ** to end.

Sew Back and Front together up sides of body, neck and head but leaving open at top of head where stitches are held on a thread. Sew up inside leg seams leaving open at feet for stuffing. Cut a neck support from card or plastic (we used

plastic cut from a washing up liquid bottle) 16cm long by 10cm wide. Roll up tightly to make a support 16 cm long using sewing cotton to hold in shape. Wind the sewing cotton round and round the neck support until it is almost totally covered before tying firmly in place.

Insert the support through the neck so that approximately one third emerges into the head. Stuff the body and head making sure that the stuffing surrounds the neck support. Pull up the threads holding the stitches at the top of the head and close the opening. Stuff legs then pin soles onto the bottom of the legs and oversew in position adding extra stuffing if necessary.

ARMS (make 2)

With 3/4 mm needles and Apricot, cast on 10 sts.

Row 1 - Inc in every st (20 sts).

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a P row, work 3 rows.

Next row - K9, inc in next 2 sts, K9.

Next row - P9, inc in next 4 sts, P9 (26 sts). Work 4 rows stocking st.

Next row - K10, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, K3tog, K10 (22 sts).

Next row - P8, P3tog, P3tog tbl, P8 (18 sts). Work 2 rows straight.

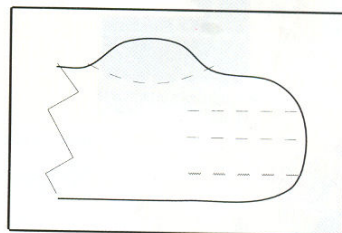
Next row - K3, * K2tog, K3; rep from * to end (15 sts). Work 21 rows straight.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 4th row to 3 sts. Work 1 row and cast off.

Join row ends together to make a tube.

Oversew the cast on edge but leave top end open. Stuff the hands very lightly then, using running stitch, outline the shape of the thumb and fingers (see diagram below). Stuff the rest of the arm then sew firmly in place at side of body.



EARS (make 2)

With 3/4 mm needles and Apricot, cast on 6 sts.

Row 1 - Inc in every st (12 sts).

Next row - P.

Next row - K5, M1, K2, M1, K5 (14 sts).

Starting with a P row, work 3 rows stocking st.

Next row - K4, K2tog, K2, K2tog tbl, K4 (12 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - * K2tog; rep from * to end (6 sts). Cast off purlwise.

Fold ears in half with WS together and sew onto each side of head along the seams with the top of the ears approximately 8 cm down from centre point of head.

NOSE

With 3/4 mm needles and Apricot, cast on 2 sts. Working in stocking st throughout and starting

with a K row, inc 1 st at each end of 1st and foll alt row (6 sts).

Work 3 rows straight.

Dec 1 st each end of next and foll alt row.

P2tog and fasten off.

Run a gathering thread round the nose and gather up slightly. Place a little stuffing into the nose then sew in place in centre of the face level with the centre of the ears.

TROUSERS (2 legs alike)

With 3¼ mm needles and Azure, cast on 35 sts.

Row 1 - (RS), K1, * P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Row 2 - P1, * K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Change to 4mm needles and work 2 rows in stocking st.

Next row - * K1, K2tog tbl, K12, K2tog; rep from * once more, K1.

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - * K1, K2tog tbl, K10, K2tog; rep from * once more, K1 (27 sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st each end of next and foll alt row.

P 1 row.

Next row - K7, K2tog, K1, K2tog tbl, K7 (17 sts).

Work 11 rows and cast off.

Join inside leg and crutch seams.

TOP

FRONT, BACKS and SLEEVES

(Worked in one piece)

With 4 mm needles and Scarlet, cast on 33 sts.

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row, work 4 rows stocking st.

Dec 1 st each end of next and every foll 4th row to 25 sts.

Work 3 rows straight.

Cast on 14 sts at beg of next 2 rows (53 sts).

Work 14 rows straight.

Divide for neck

Next row - K25, cast off next 3 sts, K to end.

Working on first 25 sts for 1st half of back, dec 1 st at neck edge of next 2 rows.

Work 1 row straight (work 2 rows here for 2nd side).

Cast on 5 sts at beg of next row (28 sts).

Work 18 rows straight.

Cast off 14 sts at beg of next row (14 sts).

Work 4 rows straight.

Inc 1 st at end of next and every foll 4th row to 18 sts.

Work 3 rows and cast off.

With WS of work facing, rejoin yarn to rem 25 sts and work to match 1st side (working extra row as indicated).

CUFFS

With RS of work facing, 4 mm needles and Scarlet, pick up and K 17 sts across ends of sleeves.

P 1 row and cast off.

Join underarm and side seams.

SHOES

SOLES

With 5 mm needles and using Scarlet double throughout, cast on 5 sts.

Working in stocking st throughout, starting with a

K row, Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row (9 sts).

Work 9 rows straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row (5 sts). Cast off.

UPPERS

With 5 mm needles and using Scarlet double throughout, cast on 37 sts.

Work 2 rows stocking st.

Next row - K22, K2tog, turn.

Next row - SL1P, P7, P2tog, turn.

Next row - SL1K, K7, K2tog, turn.

Next row - SL1P, P7, P2tog, turn.

Next row - SL1K, K1, K2tog tbl, K1, K2tog, K1, K2tog, K to end.

Next row - P9, P2tog tbl, P6, [P2tog] twice, P9 (27 sts).

Next row - K3, K2tog tbl, K4, cast off next 9 sts, K4 (including st left on needle after casting off), K2tog, K3.

Cont on first 8 sts.

** Starting with a P row, work 3 rows stocking st.

Cast on 3 sts at beg on next row (11 sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K1, yfwd, K2tog, K to end.

Work 2 rows and cast off purlwise.

Slip remaining 8 sts onto other needle and then with RIGHT side of work facing rejoin yarn and work as given for 1st side from ** to end but reversing shaping by reading P for K and K for P throughout and working yrn in place of yfwd. Join back seam. Sew on soles from right side using oversewing.

HAT

With 3¼ mm needles and Royal, cast on 67 sts. Work 2 rows in rib as given for Trousers.

Change to 4mm needles and starting with a K row, work 8 rows stocking st.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K9; rep from * to end (61 sts). Work 7 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K8; rep from * to end (55 sts). Work 5 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K7; rep from * to end (49 sts). Work 5 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K6; rep from * to end (43 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K5; rep from * to end (37 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K4; rep from * to end (31 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K3; rep from * to end (25 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K2; rep from * to end (19 sts). Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K1; rep from * to end (13 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog; rep from * to end.

Work 1 row, break yarn and thread end through rem 7 sts.

Pull up and fasten off firmly. Join back seam.

BELL

1st Half

With 3¼ mm needles and Grapefruit, cast on 31 sts.

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row, work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K3; rep from * to end (25 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K2; rep from * to end (19 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K1; rep from * to end (13 sts).

Next row - K1, * K2tog; rep from * to end (7 sts).

Break yarn and thread end through rem 7 sts.

2nd Half

Work as given for 1st half.

Join side seams.

Sew cast on edges of bell together from right side using back stitch to make a ridge round centre of bell. Stuff lightly and sew up side seam using mattress stitch adding more stuffing if necessary.

Sew bell onto top of hat.

SHOE LACES (make 2)

With 4 mm needles and Royal, cast on 70 sts. K 1 row. Cast off.

BELT

With 4 mm needles and Grapefruit, cast on 50 sts.

K 1 row. Cast off.

BUCKLE

With 3¼ mm needles and Chestnut, cast on 6 sts. Work 2 rows stocking st. Cast off.

SCARF

With 3¼ mm needles and Grapefruit, cast on 45 sts.

Row 1 - K2tog Grapefruit, K2 Grapefruit, * 1 Scarlet, 3 Grapefruit; rep from * to last 5 sts, K1 Scarlet, K2 Grapefruit, K2tog Grapefruit.

Row 2 - With Grapefruit, P2tog, P to last 2 sts, P2tog (41 sts).

Row 3 - With Grapefruit, K2tog, K to last 2 sts, K2tog,

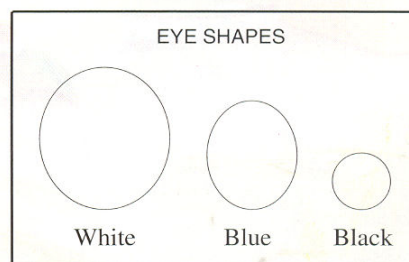
Row 4 - P2tog Grapefruit, P1 Grapefruit, * P1 Scarlet, 3 Grapefruit; rep from * to last 4 sts, P1 Scarlet, 1 Grapefruit, P2tog Grapefruit (37 sts).

Row 5 - As Row 3 (35 sts).

Cast off purlwise with Grapefruit.

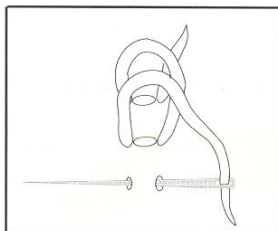
MAKE UP

Cut out shapes of felt for eyes and sew the black pupils to the blue, then sew to the white. Attach to the face as shown in illustration.



Embroider features as shown in photograph using black embroidery thread and back stitch. Slip on the trousers and sew in place at top. They should reach above the waist. Run a gathering thread round the lower edge of the top. Put the arms through the sleeves and sew up the back seam. Pull up the gathering thread until the top fits the body closely and sew in position over the trousers so that a bloused effect is achieved. Sew sleeves round cuffs. Place Belt round Noddy at waist level just below the top and sew in place with the join in the centre front. Sew the buckle over the join. Place the Scarf round his neck and cross the ends over at the front. Sew in place as shown in the illustration. Thread the laces through the holes on each side of his boots. Put the boots on his feet adding a

little extra stuffing in the toes of the boots if required. Tie the laces into bows and secure with a few stitches. Place the hat onto the head pulling down to the ears. Run a line of tacking stitches round his head along the bottom of the hat to mark where it comes then remove the hat.



With two strands of Chestnut, make hair as shown in diagram leaving loops approximately 2 cm long. Start 2 cm in front of one ear, go round the back of his head and end 2 cm in front of other ear keeping the line of hair about 5 mm inside the line of tacking. Make a further tuft of hair at top of head just to the right of centre. Remove the tacking and cut the loops of hair. Replace the hat covering the stitches and trim the hair round the back of head and ears. Pull the strands of hair at the top of the head through the hat and spread out to look like the illustration. Sew the hat in place. Use blusher to colour cheeks pink.



Big-Ears

(illustrated in Beehive DK)

Height approximately 42 cm

Quantities

Patons Beehive DK 50g balls.

1 ball each of Apricot (6898), Royal (6958), Scarlet (6960), Daffodil (6973), Clematis (6826), White (6963). Small amounts of Chestnut (6822) and Ceramic (6896).

Small amounts of White, Blue and Black felt for eyes. Black stranded embroidery thread for features. Good quality washable stuffing.

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements. Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

Pair each Patons 3¼ mm (USA 3) and 4 mm (USA 6) needles.

Tension

On 3¼ mm needles, 25 sts and 34 rows to 10 cm (stocking st before stuffing).

On 4 mm needles, 22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking st).

For notes and abbreviations, see first page of text.

SOLES (make 2)

With 3¼ mm needles and Chestnut, cast on 7 sts.

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row, inc 1 st at each end of 1st and every foll alt row to 15 sts.

Work 11 rows straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll alt row to 7 sts. Cast off purlwise.

BODY

BACK

1st Leg

With 3¼ mm needles and Chestnut, cast on 17 sts and starting with a K row work 4 rows in stocking st.

**** Next row** - P2, * P2tog, P1; rep from * to end (12 sts).

Break of Chestnut, and join in Clematis.

Starting with a P row work a further 35 rows in stocking st.

Shape top

Inc 1 st at beg on next row and at same edge on the foll 3 rows (16 st.)

Break yarn and leave sts on a spare needle. ******

2nd Leg

Work as for 1st leg to Shape top.

*** Shape top

Inc 1 st at end of next row and at same edge on foll 3 rows (16 sts). Do not break off yarn.

Join Legs

K across 16 sts from 2nd leg, turn, cast on 3 sts, turn and with RS of work facing, K across 16 sts from 1st leg (35 sts). *******

Starting with a P row, work 5 rows straight.

Next row - K10, (M1, K3) 5 times, M1, K to end (41 sts).

Work 11 rows straight.

Break off Clematis, and join in Scarlet and White.

Working in stocking st stripes of 4 rows Scarlet, 4 rows White throughout, cont as follows. Work 6 rows straight.

Next row - K3, * K2tog, K2; rep from * to last 6 sts, K2tog, K4 (32 sts).

Work 21 rows straight.

Dec 1 st each end of next and every foll alt row to 20 sts.

Work 1 row and cast off.

FRONT

1st leg

With 3¼ mm needles and Chestnut, cast on 33 sts.

Starting with a K row work 2 rows in stocking st.

Row 3 - K2, K2tog, K17, K2tog, turn.

Row 4 - SL1P, P7, P2tog, turn.

Row 5 - SL1K, K7, K2tog, turn.

Rows 6 to 14 - Rep rows 4 and 5, 4 times more then row 4 again.

Row 15 - SL1K, K7, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K1.

Row 16 - P12, P2tog, P4 (17 sts).

Work as given for 1st leg of Back from ****** to ******.

2nd leg

Work as given for 1st leg of Front to row 16.

Work as given for 1st leg of Back from ****** to shape top.

Work as given for 2nd leg of Back from ******* to ******* Starting with a P row, work 9 rows straight.

Next row - K10, * M1, K3; rep from * to last 10 sts, M1, K10 (41 sts).

Work 7 rows straight.

Break off Clematis and join in Scarlet, and White.

Working in stocking st stripes of 4 rows Scarlet, 4 rows White throughout, cont as follows: Work 26 rows straight.

Next row - K3, * K2tog, K2; rep from * to last 6 sts, K2tog, K4 (32 sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Dec 1 st each end of next and every foll alt row to 20 sts.

Work 1 row and cast off.

Join inside leg and side seams leaving openings at bottom of feet and 5cm open at top of body.

Stuff firmly but leave open at top. Pin the soles onto the bottom of the legs then oversew in position adding extra stuffing if necessary.

HEAD (back and front alike)

With 3¼ mm needles and Apricot, cast on 13 sts. Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row work 4 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K2; rep from * to end (19 sts).

Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - * P3, M1; rep from * to last st, P1 (25 sts).

Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K4; rep from * to end (31 sts).

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K5; rep from * to end (37 sts).

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * M1, K6; rep from * to end (43 sts).

Work 21 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K5; rep from * to end (37 sts).

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K4; rep from * to end (31 sts).

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K3; rep from * to end (25 sts).

Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - * P2, P2tog; rep from * to last st, P1 (19 sts).

Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog, K1; rep from * to end (13 sts).

Next row - P2tog to last st, P1 (7 sts).

Cast off.

Join back and front head pieces together leaving open at lower edge.

Stuff well then attach open end at lower edge to opening at top of body, adding extra stuffing if necessary.

EARS (make 2 starting at top point)

With 3¼ mm needles and Apricot, cast on 5 sts. Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row inc 1 st at each end of 1st row. Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K3, M1, K1, M1, K3 (9 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K4, M1, K1, M1, K4 (11 sts). Cont in this way increasing 1 st at each side of centre stitch on every alt row to 25 sts. Work 1 row straight.

Cont to inc on each K row as before **at the same time** cast off 2 sts at beg and dec 1 st at end of every row to 5 sts.

Next row - K2tog, K1, K2tog, P3 tog and fasten off.

Fold along line of increases and join straight edges. Run a gathering thread through both thicknesses of open edge and pull up slightly. Join gathered edge to side of head starting 8 cm from top of head.

NOSE

With 3¼ mm needles and Apricot cast on 3 sts. Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row, inc 1 st at each end of 1st and foll alt row (7 sts).

Work 5 rows straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row. Cast off rem 3 sts.

Run a gathering thread round the nose and gather up slightly. Place a little stuffing into the nose then sew in place in centre of the face level with the centre of the ears.

ARMS (make 2)

Work as given for Noddy's arms.

BEARD

With 3¼ mm needles and White, cast on 51 sts.

Row 1 - K1, * insert needle into next st as though to K, wind yarn round two fingers and needle twice, pull the two loops through the st on the needle and slide onto the same needle, K the st and the two loops together and slide off needle; rep from * to last st, K1.

Row 2 - P.

Rep last 2 rows once more then row 1 again. Cast off purlwise.

HAIR

With 3¼ mm needles and White, cast on 15 sts. Work 3 rows as given for Beard. Cast off purlwise.

TROUSERS (2 legs alike)

With 4 mm needles and Daffodil, cast on 35 sts.

Row 1 - (RS), K1, * P1, K1; rep from * to end. Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a P row, work 13 rows.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row.

Work 1 row straight.

Inc 1 st at each end of next 2 rows then cast on 2 sts at beg of foll 2 rows (47 sts).

Work 24 rows straight.

Change to 3¼ mm needles and work in rib as follows:

Next row - K1, * P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Next row - P1, * K1, P1; rep from * to end. Cast off in rib.

Join inside leg and crutch seams.

Using Ceramic and back stitch, embroider stripes on trousers 4 sts apart.

JACKET

BACK

With 3¼ mm needles and Royal, cast on 61 sts.

1st row - (RS), K1, * P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Row 2 - P1, * K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Change to 4 mm needles.

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a K row, work 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next row.

Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K2, (K6, K2tog) 3 times, K7, (K2tog, K6) 3 times, K2 (53 sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Dec 1 st each end of next row.

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K2 tog, * K5, K2tog; rep from * to end (43 sts).

Work 3 rows straight.

Cast off 4 sts at beg of next 2 rows (35 sts).

Work 14 rows straight.

Next row - K11, cast off 13 sts for neck, K to end.

Working on first set of 11 sts dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows. Cast off rem 8 sts.

With WS of work facing return to rem 11 sts. Rejoin yarn and work to match 1st side.

LEFT FRONT

With 3¼ mm needles and Royal, cast on 25 sts and work 2 rows in rib as given for Back. Change to 4 mm needles.

Row 1 - K19, turn.

Row 2 - SL1P, P to end.

Row 3 - K2tog, K19, turn.

Row 4 - SL1P, P to end.

Row 5 - K8, K2tog, K6, K2tog, K4, turn.

Row 6 - SL1P, P to end.

Row 7 - K2tog, K to last 2 sts, P1, K1 (21 sts).

Rows 8 and 10 - P1, K1, P to end.

Row 9 - K19, P1, K1.

Row 11 - K2tog, (K6, K2tog) twice, K1, P1, K1. Keeping 2 rib sts correct, work 3 rows.

Cast off 4 sts at beg of next row (14 sts).

Work 14 rows straight thus ending at front edge.

Cast off 3 sts at beg of next row.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows.

Cast off rem 8 sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as given for left front reversing shaping by reading K for P and P for K throughout.

SLEEVES

Join shoulder seams.

With RS of work facing, 4 mm needles and Royal, knit up 27 sts from row ends along armhole edge between cast off sts.

Working in stocking st throughout and starting with a P row work 5 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 6th row to 21 sts.

Work 2 rows straight.

Change to 3¼ mm needles.

Work 2 rows in rib then cast off in rib.

MAKE UP

Join side and sleeve seams, joining top of sleeve seams to cast off sts for armholes.

HAT

Work as given for Noddy's Hat but using Scarlet in place of Royal.

MAKE UP

Make and attach eyes as given for Noddy.

Embroider features as shown in photograph using black embroidery thread and back stitch.

Slip on trousers and attach round waist.

Put on jacket and sew in place round neck and down fronts. Use Daffodil to embroider 4 buttons down each front of Jacket and 2 more on the back along the decrease row approx. 4 cm apart.

Adjust the hat and sew in place.

Place the beard and hair as shown in photograph and stitch in place.

Using chain stitch and Daffodil embroider buckles on shoes.

Use a little blusher to colour cheeks and nose.





Mr Plod

(illustrated in Beehive DK)

Height approximately 46 cm to top of Helmet

Quantities

Patons Beehive DK 50g balls

2 balls Royal (6958), 1 ball Apricot (6898).
Small amounts of Black (6955), White (6963),
Grapefruit (6828) and Azure (6892),
Small amounts of White, Blue, Black and
Yellow felt for eyes and star. Black stranded
embroidery thread for features.
Good quality washable stuffing.

**Quantities of yarn are approximate as they
are based on average requirements.
Check actual yarn colour - as printing may
not match yarn exactly.**

Pair each Patons 3¼ mm (USA 3) and 4 mm
(USA 6) needles.

Tension

On 3¼ mm needles, 25 sts and 34 rows to 10
cm (stocking stitch before stuffing).

On 4 mm needles, 22 sts and 30 rows to 10
cm (stocking stitch).

For notes and abbreviations see first page of
text.

SOLES

With 3¼ mm needles and Black, cast on 5 sts.
Working in stocking st throughout and starting
with a K row inc 1 st at each end of 1st and
every foll alt row to 11 sts.

Work 15 rows straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll alt
row to 5 sts. Cast off purlwise.

BODY

BACK

1st Leg

With 3¼ mm needles and Black, cast on 15 sts.
Starting with a K row work 7 rows in stocking st.

**** Next row -** K6, K2 tog, K to end (14 sts).
Break off Black, join in Apricot, and starting with
a K row, work 24 rows in stocking st.
Inc 1 st at beg of next and foll 6th row.
Work 1 row straight.
Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row.
Work 1 row straight.
Inc 1 st at end of next row (21 sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Break off yarn and leave sts on a spare needle.

2nd leg

Work to match 1st leg reversing shaping. but **do
not break off yarn.**

Join legs

Work across 20 sts from 2nd leg then with RS of
1st leg facing, K2tog (one st from each leg), K
across 20 sts from 1st leg (41 sts).
Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K18, K2tog, K1, K2tog tbl, K18 (39
sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K17, K2tog, K1, K2tog tbl, K17.

Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K16, K2tog, K1, K2tog tbl, K16 (35
sts). ****

Work 27 rows straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll alt
row to 23 sts.

Work 1 row straight.

Cast off 7 sts, K9 (including st left on needle
after casting off), cast off rem 7 sts (9 sts).

Work neck and head as given for Back of Noddy
from Neck to end.

FRONT

1st Leg

With 3¼ mm needles and Black, cast on 31 sts.
Starting with a K row work 2 rows stocking st.

Row 3 - K18, K2tog, turn.

Row 4 - SL1P, P5, P2tog, turn,

Row 5 - SL1K, K5, K2tog, turn.

Rows 6 to 16: Rep rows 4 and 5, 5 times then
row 4 again.

Row 17 - SL1K, K5, K2tog, K to end.

Row 18 - P10, P2tog, P4 (15 sts).

Work 3 rows stocking st. ***

Work as for 1st leg of Back from ** to end.

2nd leg

Work as for 1st leg of Front to ***.

Complete as for 1st leg of Back from ** to end
but reversing shaping and **do not break yarn.**

Join legs

Work as for back from 'Join Legs' to ****.

Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K7, * M1, K7; rep from * to end (39
sts). Work 25 rows straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll 2 alt rows
(33 sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - (K2tog, K4) twice, K2tog, K5, (K2tog,
K4) twice, K2tog (27 sts).

Work 1 row straight.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row (23
sts). Work 1 row straight.

Next row - Cast off 7 sts, K9 (including st left on
needle after casting off), cast off rem 7 sts (9
sts). Break yarn.

Work neck and head as given for Back of Noddy
from Neck to end.

Sew Back and Front together up sides of legs,
body, neck and head but leaving open at top of
head. Sew up inside leg seams leaving open at
feet. Cut a neck support from card or plastic (we
used plastic cut from a washing up liquid bottle)
16cm long by 10 cm wide. Roll up tightly to
make a support 16 cm long using sewing cotton
to hold it in shape. Wind the sewing cotton
round and round the neck support until it is
almost totally covered before tying firmly in
place.

Insert the support through the neck so that
approximately one third emerges into the head.
Stuff the body and head making sure that the
stuffing surrounds the neck support. Pull up the
threads holding the stitches at the top of the
head and close the opening. Pin the soles onto
the bottom of the legs then oversew in position
adding extra stuffing if necessary.

ARMS, EARS AND NOSE

Work as given for Noddy.

TROUSERS (2 legs alike)

With 3¼ mm needles and Royal, cast on 31 sts.

Row 1 - (RS), K1, * P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Row 2 - P1, * K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Change to 4 mm needles, working in stocking st
throughout and starting with a K row, work 24
rows.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll 4th row.

Work 3 rows straight.

Inc 1 st at each end of next and foll alt row (39
sts). Work a further 21 rows straight.

Cast off loosely.

Join inside leg and crutch seams.

JACKET (worked in one piece.)

With 3¼ mm needles and Royal, cast on 41 sts.
Work 2 rows in rib as given for the Trousers.

Change to 4 mm needles and starting with a K
row work 6 rows in stocking st.

Next row - K4, * K2tog, K8; rep from * to last 7
sts, K2tog, K5 (37 sts).

Work 23 rows straight.

Shape sleeves

Cast on 12 sts at beg of next 2 rows (61 sts).

Work 18 rows straight.

Divide for neck

Next row - K28, cast off next 5 sts, K to end.

Work on first 28 sts for 1st front.

Inc 1 st at neck edge on next and foll alt row.

Cast on 3 sts at beg of next row (33 sts).

Work 12 rows straight.

Shape front sleeve

Cast off 12 sts at beg of next row (21 sts).

Work 24 rows straight.

Next row - Work 7 sts, * M1, work 7 sts; rep
from * to end (23 sts). Work 5 rows straight.

Change to 3¼ mm needles and work 2 rows in
rib. Cast off in rib.

Slip rem sts for 2nd front onto other needle and
with RS of work facing complete as given for 1st
front.

CUFFS (both alike)

With 4 mm needles and White, and with **WS** of
Jacket facing, knit up 27 sts from end of sleeve.
K 2 rows then P 1 row, K 1 row, P 1 row.
Cast off.

POCKET FLAPS (make 2)

With 4mm needles and Royal, cast on 6 sts.
Starting K, work 2 rows stocking st.

Next row - K2tog, K2, K2tog tbl.

Next row - P2tog, P2tog tbl.

Next row - K2tog and fasten off.

COLLAR

With 4 mm needles and Royal, cast on 36 sts.
Starting with a K row work 4 rows in stocking st.
Cast off knitting 2 sts tog all along the row.

TO MAKE UP

Join side, underarm and cuff seams reversing seams for cuffs.

Fold cuffs to the right side and with Azure, embroider stripes every 2 sts as shown in photograph.

Sew pocket flaps in place in centre of each front with the points 8 cm from the cast off edge.

BELT

With 4 mm needles and Black, cast on 73 sts. Cast off knitwise.

BUCKLE

With 3/4 mm needles and Grapefruit, cast on 6 sts.
K 1 row and cast off purlwise.

HELMET

With 3/4 mm needles and Royal, cast on 69 sts.

1st and every alt row - P.

Row 2 - K1, * M1, K33, M1, K1; rep from * to end (73 sts).

Row 4 - K1, (M1, K7) 5 times, M1, K1, (M1, K7) 5 times, M1, K1 (85 sts).

Row 6 - K1, * M1, K41, M1, K1; rep from * to end (89 sts).

Row 8 - K1, M1, K1, (K8, M1) 4 times, K10, M1, K1, M1, K10, (M1, K8) 4 times, K1, M1, K1 (101 sts).

10 th row - P.

Row 12 - K1, K2tog tbl, K1, (K7, K2tog) 5 times K3, (K2tog tbl, K7) 5 times, K1, K2tog, K1 (89 sts).

Row 14 - K1, * K2tog tbl, K39, K2tog, K1; rep from * to end (85 sts).

Row 16 - K1, K2tog tbl, K5, (K2tog, K6) 4 times, K2tog, K1, (K2tog tbl, K6) 4 times, K2tog tbl, K5, K2tog, K1 (73 sts).

Row 18 - K1, * K2tog tbl, K14, K2tog, K15, K2tog, K1; rep from * to end (67 sts).
Work 11 rows straight.

Next row - K5, * K2tog tbl, K2tog, K9; rep from * to last 10 sts, K2tog tbl, K2tog, K6 (57 sts).
Work 7 rows straight.

Next row - K4, * K2tog tbl, K2tog, K7; rep from * to last 9 sts, K2tog tbl, K2tog, K5 (47 sts).
Work 5 rows straight.

Next row - K3, * K2tog tbl, K2tog, K5; rep from * to last 8 sts, K2tog tbl, K2tog, K4 (37 sts).
Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K2, * K2tog tbl, K2tog, K3; rep from * to last 7 sts, K2tog tbl, K2tog, K3 (27 sts).

Next row - K1, * K2tog tbl, K2tog, K1; rep from * to last 6 sts, K2tog tbl, K2tog, K2 (17 sts).
Work 1 row straight.

Next row - K1, * K2tog; rep from * to end (9 sts).

Break yarn and thread through rem sts. Pull up firmly and fasten off.

Join back seam. Fold brim in half to WS along purl row and slip stitch in place.

Using diagram as a guide, cut out 5 pointed star from Yellow felt and sew onto hat as shown in photograph.

CHIN STRAP

With 4 mm needles and Black, cast on 40 sts. Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Make and attach eyes as given for Noddy.

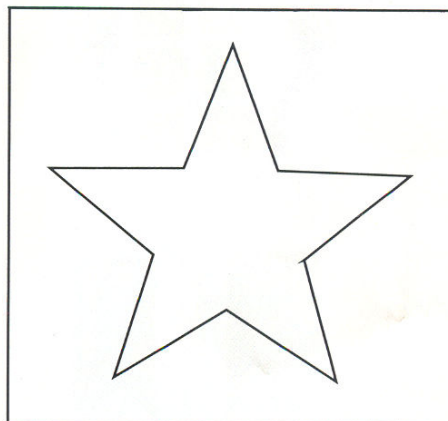
Embroider features as shown in photograph using black embroidery thread and back stitch.

Slip on trousers and sew in place round waist.

Put on jacket and sew up front opening overlapping fronts by 2 stitches and leaving the bottom 3 cm open. Place collar round neck and sew round neck and outer edges. Sew belt in place round middle with join in centre front. Sew buckle over join in belt. Using Grapefruit, embroider 5 buttons down front and one on each pocket flap.

Stuff top of Helmet then place on head and sew firmly round top of brim adding extra stuffing if

necessary. Arrange chin strap as shown in photograph and stitch in place.



Cardigan

(illustrated in Beehive DK)

Measurements

To fit chest

51	56	61	66	cm
20	22	24	26	in

Actual size

68	74	79	85	cm
26 3/4	29	31	33 1/2	in

Finished length, approx

32	36	41	46	cm
12 1/2	14 1/4	16 1/4	18	in

Sleeve, measured down centre

21	25	29	32	cm
8 1/4	10	11 1/2	12 1/2	in

Quantities

Patons Beehive DK

Main Shade (6977)

3	3	4	4	50g balls
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Scarlet (6960)

1	1	1	1	50g ball
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Ceramic (6896)

1	1	1	1	50g ball
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Small amounts of Orange (6819), White (6963), Black (6955), Grapefruit (6828) and Royal (6958).

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements.

Check actual yarn colour - as printing may not match yarn exactly.

Pair each Patons 3/4 mm (USA 3) and 4 mm (USA 6) needles.

5 [5, 6, 6] buttons.

Tension

On 4mm needles, 22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking st).

For notes, abbreviations and note on motif knitting, see first page of text.

BACK

With 3/4mm needles and Scarlet, cast on 65 [69, 75, 79] sts.

Rib row 1 - (RS), K1, *P1, K1; rep from * to end.

Rib row 2 - P1, *K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Break off Scarlet. Using Ceramic rep last 2 rows until rib meas 5 cm, ending with row 1.

Increase row - Rib 5 [6, 5, 4], *M1 (by picking up horizontal loop lying before next st and working into back of it), rib 9 [7, 8, 7]; rep from * to last 6 [7, 6, 5] sts, M, rib to end. 72 [78, 84, 90] sts.

Break off Ceramic.

Change to 4 mm needles and MS and starting with a K row, work 6 [6, 10, 10] rows in stocking st, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Joining in and breaking off colours as required, **patt from chart A** until row 30 [38 46, 58] has been worked, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglans

Keeping chart correct until complete then continuing in MS only, cont as follows:

Cast off 6 [6, 7, 8] sts at beg of next 2 rows. Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, patt to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

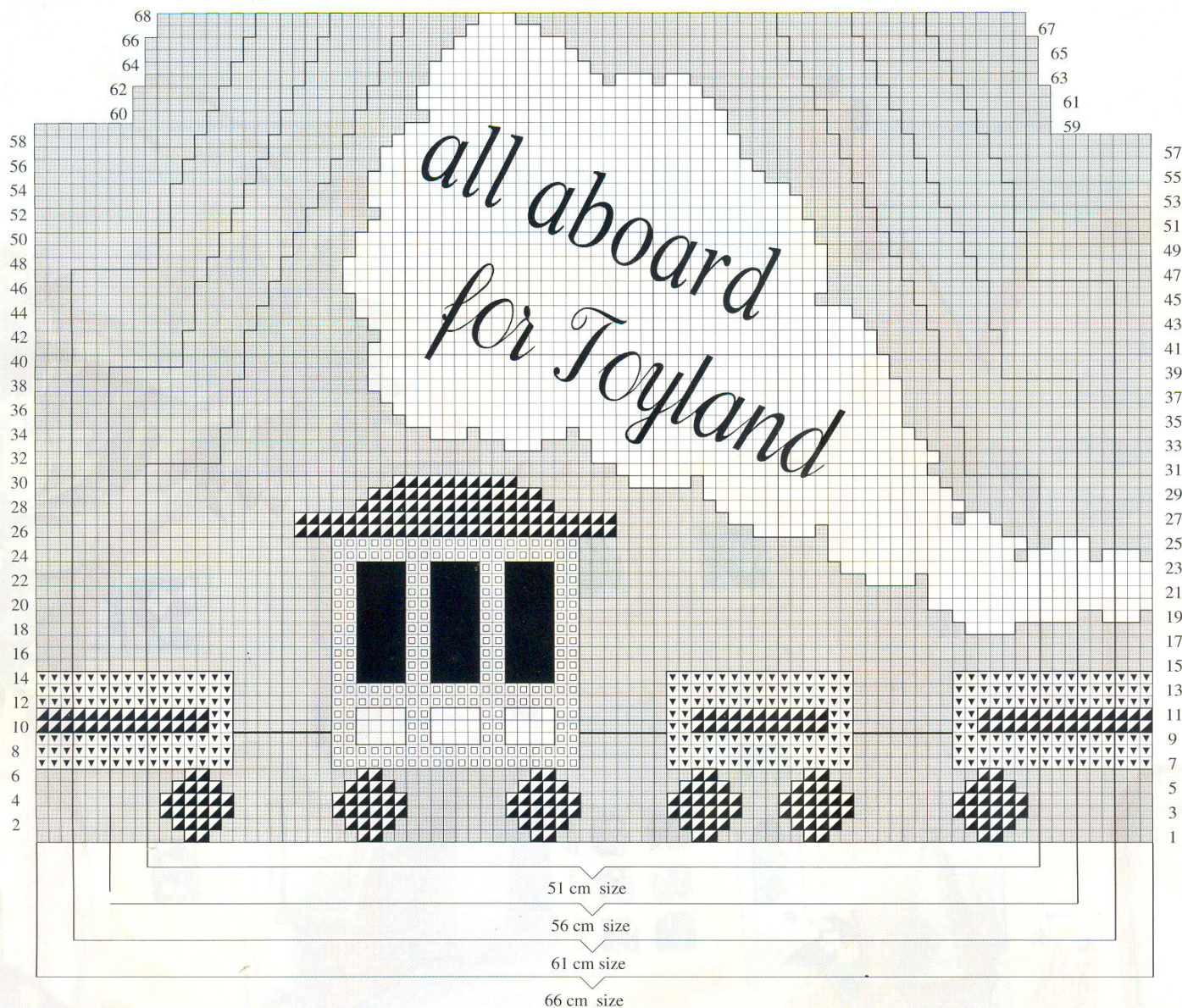
Work 3 rows straight.

Rep last 4 rows 1 [0, 0, 0] times more (56 [64, 68, 72] sts).

Cont to dec in this way on next and every foll alt row until 22 [24, 24, 26] sts rem, ending with RS facing. Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

LEFT FRONT

** With 3/4mm needles and Scarlet, cast on 33 [35, 37, 39] sts and work 2 rows in rib as given for Back. Break off Scarlet. Using Ceramic, cont in rib until piece meas 5 cm, ending with row 1.



KEY

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|---|---------------------|
| ■ MS | □ White (6963) |
| ■ Scarlet (6960) | ■ Black (6955) |
| □ Ceramic (6896) | ■ Grapefruit (6828) |
| ▼ Orange (6819) | ▲ Royal (6958) |
| — Embroider in Black using Chain Stitch | |

Increase row - Rib 4 [2, 2, 4], *M1, rib 12 [10, 8, 6]; rep from * to last 5 [3, 3, 5] sts, M1, rib to end (36 [39, 42, 45] sts).

Break off Ceramic.

Change to 4 mm needles and MS and starting with a K row, work 6 [6, 10, 10] rows in stocking st, thus ending with RS facing for next row.** Joining in and breaking off colours as required, **patt from chart B** until row 30 has been worked, thus ending with RS facing for next row. Break contrasts.

Using MS work 0 [8, 16, 28] rows, thus ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglan

Next row - Cast off 6 [6, 7, 8] sts, K to end.

Work 3 rows straight.

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, psso, K to end.

Rep last 4 rows 2 [1, 1, 1] times more (27 [31,

33, 35] sts).

Cont to dec in this way on every foll alt row until 18 [19, 20, 21] sts rem, ending with WS facing for next row.

Shape neck

Next row - Cast off 3 [4, 4, 5] sts, P to end.

Cont to dec 1 st at raglan edge as before at the same time dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows, then foll 3 alt rows. 4 [4, 5, 5] sts rem. Dec 1 st at raglan edge only on foll 2 [2, 3, 3] alt rows. 2 sts rem. P 1 row. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as Left Front from ** to **.

Joining in and breaking off colours as required, **patt from chart C** until row 30 has been worked, thus ending with RS facing for next row. Break contrasts.

Using MS work 1 [9, 17, 29] rows, thus ending with WS facing for next row.

Shape raglan

Next row - Cast off 6 [6, 7, 8] sts, P to end.

Work 2 rows straight.

Next row - K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Work 3 rows straight.

Rep last 4 rows 1 [0, 0, 0] times more (27 [31, 33, 35] sts).

Cont to dec in this way on next and every foll alt row until 19 [20, 21, 22] sts rem, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape neck

Next row - Cast off 3 [4, 4, 5] sts, K to end.

Cont to dec 1 st at raglan edge as before at the same time dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows then foll 3 alt rows (5 [5, 6, 6] sts).

Dec 1 st at raglan edge only on next and foll 2 [2, 3, 3] alt rows. 2 sts rem.

P 1 row. Cast off.

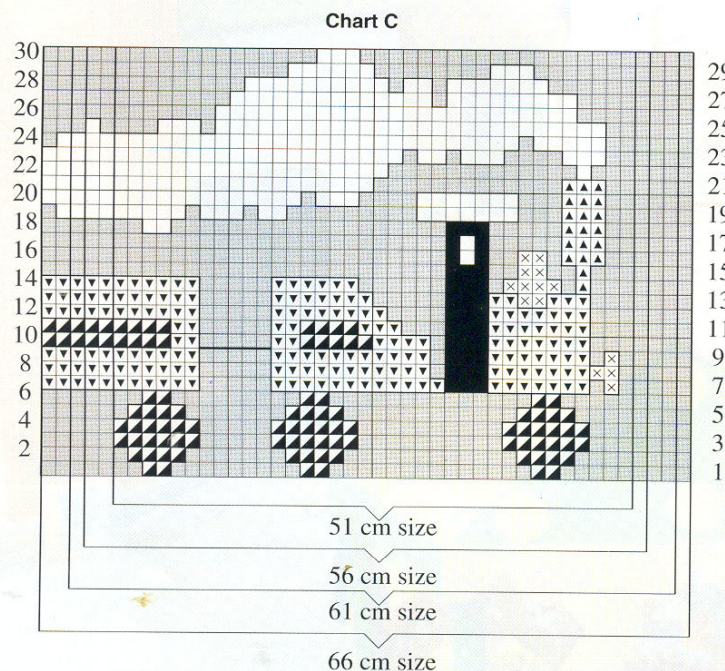
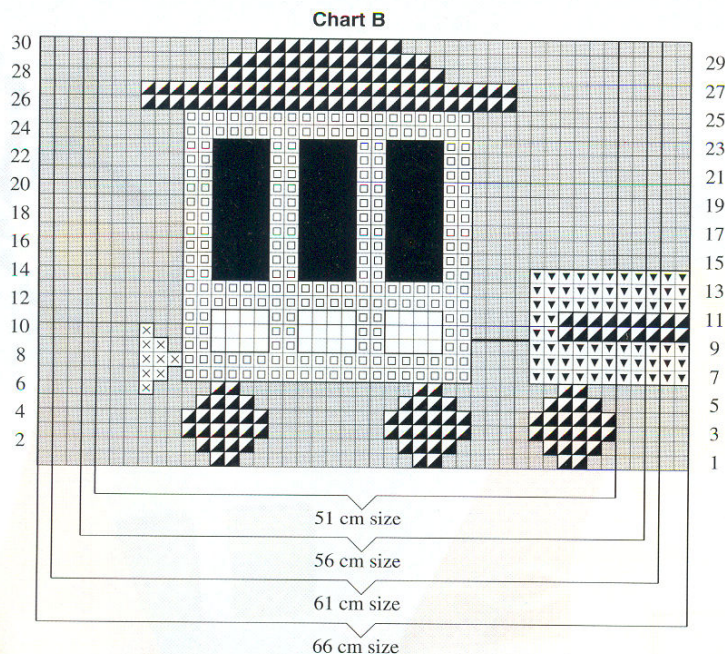
SLEEVES

With 3¼ mm needles and Scarlet, cast on 33 [35, 37, 39] sts and work 2 rows in rib as given for Back.

Break off Scarlet. Using 2nd C, cont in rib until piece meas 4 cm, ending with row 1.

Increase row - Rib 4 [5, 6, 7], *M1, rib 2; rep from * to last 5 [6, 7, 8] sts, M1, rib to end (46 [48, 50, 52] sts).

Change to 4mm needles and MS and starting



KEY

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|------------------|---------------------|
| ■ MS | □ White (6963) |
| ■ Scarlet (6960) | ■ Black (6955) |
| □ Ceramic (6896) | ■ Grapefruit (6828) |
| ■ Orange (6819) | ■ Royal (6958) |
- Embroider in Black using Chain Stitch

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with a K row, work in stocking st, shaping sides by inc 1 st at each end of 5th and every foll 7th [7th, 8th, 8th] row, until there are 58 [62, 66, 70] sts.

Work straight until sleeve meas 21 [25, 29, 32] cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglans

Cast off 6 [6, 7, 8] sts at beg of next 2 rows.

Next row - K1, sL1K, K1, pssso, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1.

Work 3 rows straight.

Rep last 4 rows 3 [2, 3, 3] times more (38 [44, 44, 46] sts).

Cont to dec at raglan edge as before on next and every foll alt row until 10 sts rem, ending with RS facing.

Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

MAKE UP

Omitting ribbing, press lightly under a dry cloth using a cool iron.

Embroidery: Using black yarn and charts as guide, embroider wagon couplings and wording on back as in photograph.

Neck Border

Join raglan seams.

With RS facing, using 3¼ mm needles and Ceramic, **knit up 18** [19, 21, 22] sts round right front neck, K across 10 sts from right sleeve top, 22 [24, 24, 26] sts from back neck inc 1 st at centre, 10 sts from left sleeve top, then **knit up 18** [19, 21, 22] sts around left front neck (79 [83, 87, 91] sts).

Starting with row 2, work 7 rows in rib as on Back. Break off Ceramic. Join in Scarlet and work 2 more rows in rib. Cast off in rib.

Button Border

With RS facing, using 3¼mm needles and Ceramic, starting at top of Neck Border of Left Front for Girl or cast on edge of Right Front for Boy, **knit up 77** [89, 99, 109] sts along front edge.

Starting with row 2, work 7 rows in rib as on Back. Break off Ceramic. Using Scarlet, work 2 more rows in rib. Cast off in rib.

Buttonhole Border

With RS facing, using 3¼mm needles and Ceramic, starting at cast on edge of Right Front for Girl or top of Neck Border for Boy, **knit up 77** [89, 99, 109] sts along front edge.

Starting with row 2, work 4 rows in rib as on Back.

Next row - (Buttonhole row), Rib 3, *cast off 2, rib 15 [18, 16, 18] (including st on needle after cast-off); rep from * 3 [3, 4, 4] times more, cast off 2, rib to end.

Next row - In rib, casting on 2 over those cast-off.

Work 1 more row in rib. Break off Ceramic. Using Scarlet, work 2 more rows in rib. Cast off in rib. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew on buttons.

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