

CRAFTWORKS

Baby Dress & Hat



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Intermediate

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MEASUREMENTS

Months 6 (9-12-18-24)

Sweater Dress

Fits underarm 45 (47-50-53-55) cms/18

(19-20-21-22) ins

To measure (at underarm)

52 (55-58-61-63) cms/21 (22-23-24½-25) ins

Length (approx) 38 (42-46-50-57) cms/15

(17-18½-20-23) ins

Sleeve length (approx)

16 (19-19-22-22) cms/6½ (7½-7½-9-9) ins

Beanie

Fits head (approx) 45 (47-47-50-51) cms/18

(19-19-20-20½) ins

CRAFTWORKS YARN CHENILLE

PLAIN OR PRINT

2 (3-3-3-3) x 50g balls Main Colour (MC)

2 (2-2-2-2) x 50g balls Contrast Colour (CC)

NEEDLES

A pair 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Knitting Needles

or size that gives correct tension/gauge.

MATERIALS

A Yarn Needle; 4 Stitch Holders and 3 Buttons for Dress.

TENSION/GAUGE

13 sts and 28 rows to 10 cms/4 ins over patt, using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Knitting Needles.

Note - Correct tension/gauge is essential for a successful handknit.

ABBREVIATIONS

St/s - stitch/es, **K** - Knit, **P** - Purl, **RS** - right side, **WS** - wrong side, **garter st** - every row knit, **stocking st** - 1 row K, 1 row P, **patt** - pattern, **K2tog** - knit 2 sts together, **P2tog** - purl 2 sts together, **inc** - increase, **dec** - decrease, **rep** - repeat, **rem** - remain/ing, **cont** - continue, **beg** - begin/ning, **fol** - follow/ing, **alt** - alternate, **yfwd** - yarn forward to make a stitch.

CREATE

Dress

Back

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and MC, cast on 46 (46-50-50-54) sts.

1st row (RS) - K2, * P2, K2, rep from * to end.

2nd row - P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

Rep 1st and 2nd rows 4 times, inc 0 (2-0-2-0) sts evenly across last row = 46 (48-50-52-54) sts.

Note - When working stripes do not break off yarn after completing each stripe, instead carry colour not in use loosely up side of work until required again.

Beg patt - Using CC, work 4 rows stocking st.

Using MC, knit 4 rows garter st.

Last 8 rows form patt.

Cont in patt, dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 8th (10th-12th-14th-16th) row until 36 (38-40-42-44) sts rem.

Cont in patt without shaping until work measures approx 25 (28-31-34-40) cms/10 (11-12½-13½-16) ins from beg, ending with 4 rows of garter st in MC.

Shape raglan armholes - Keeping patt correct, cast/bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 32 (34-36-38-40) sts. **

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 16 (16-16-18-18) sts rem, then in every foll alt row until 12 (12-14-14-14) sts rem.

Work 1 row. Leave rem sts on a stitch holder.

Front

Work as for Back to **

Dec one st at each end of next row = 30 (32-34-36-38) sts.

Work 1 row.

Next row - K2, yfwd, K2tog, knit to end = buttonhole.

Work 1 row.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 26 (26-28-30-32) sts rem.

Work 3 (1-1-1-3) row/s.

Next row - (K2tog) 1 (0-0-0-1) time/s, K1 (2-2-2-1), yfwd, K2tog, knit to last 2 (0-0-0-2) sts, (K2tog) 1 (0-0-0-1) time/s = 24 (26-28-30-30) sts, buttonhole.

Work 3 (1-1-1-3) row/s patt.

Dec one st at each end of next row, **sizes 9, 12, 18 and 24 months only** - then in foll 4th row.

All sizes = 22 (22-24-26-26) sts.

Work 3 rows patt.

Shape neck - Next row - K2tog, K7 (7-8-9-9), turn.

*** Cont on these 8 (8-9-10-10) sts.

Dec one st at raglan edge in foll 4th rows 2 (2-3-3-3) times, then in foll alt rows 2 (2-1-2-2) time/s, at the same time dec one st at neck edge in 2nd row, then in foll 4th row/s 1 (1-2-2-2) time/s = 2 sts.

Next row - Patt 2, turn, K2tog. Fasten off.

Slip next 4 sts onto a stitch holder and leave. Join yarn to rem sts, knit to last 2 sts, K2tog. Rep from *** to ***.

Right Sleeve

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and **MC**, cast on 18 (**18-22-22-22**) sts.

Work 10 rows 2 x 2 rib as for Back.

Work in patt as for Back, inc one st at each end of 3rd row, then in every foll 6th (**6th-8th-8th-6th**) row until there are 24 (**24-26-28-28**) sts, then in every foll 8th (**8th-10th-10th-8th**) rows until there are 26 (**28-30-32-34**) sts.

Cont in patt without shaping until work measures approx 16 (**19-19-22-22**) cms/6½ (**7½-7½-9-9**) ins from beg, ending with 4 rows of garter st in **MC**. ****

Shape raglan - Keeping patt correct, cast/bind off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows = 22 (**24-26-28-30**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then in every foll 4th row until 4 (**4-6-8-8**) sts rem, **sizes 12, 18 and 24 months only** - then in every foll alt row until 4 sts rem.

All sizes - Work 1 row. Leave rem 4 sts on a stitch holder.

Left Sleeve

Work as for Right Sleeve to ****.

Shape raglan and button band - Keeping patt correct, cast/bind off 2 sts at beg of next row = 24 (**26-28-30-32**) sts.

Next row - Cast on 2 sts, purl to end = 26 (**28-30-32-34**) sts.

Next row - K2tog, knit to last 5 sts, K2tog, K3 = 24 (**26-28-30-32**) sts.

Noting that end 3 garter sts will form button band, dec one st (as before) at each end of every foll 4th row until 7 (**7-9-11-11**) sts rem, **sizes 12, 18 and 24 months only** - then in every foll alt row until 7 sts rem.

All sizes - Work 1 row. Leave rem 7 sts on stitch holder.

Neckband

Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join raglan seams matching stripes and noting to leave left front raglan seam open and that tops of sleeves form part of neckline. With right side facing, using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and **MC**, knit up 6 (**6-8-10-10**) sts evenly along left side of neck, knit across sts from front stitch holder, knit up 6 (**6-8-10-10**) sts evenly along right side of neck, knit across 4 sts from right sleeve stitch holder, knit across sts from back stitch holder - dec 1

(**1-3-3-3**) st/s evenly across, then knit across 7 sts from left sleeve stitch holder = 38 (**38-42-46-46**) sts.

1st row - P2, * K2, P2, rep from * to end.

2nd row - Rib 3, yfwd, K2tog, rib to end = 3 buttonholes in total.

Work a further 5 rows rib. Cast off loosely in rib.

Hat

Using 5.00mm (US 8), (UK 6) Needles and **MC**, cast on 54 (**54-54-58-58**) sts.

Work 10 rows rib as for Back of **Dress**, inc 0 (**2-2-0-2**) sts evenly across last row = 54 (**56-56-58-60**) sts.

Work in patt as for Back of Dress, until work measures approx 13 (**16-16-16-19**) cms/5 (**6½-6½-6½-7½**) ins from beg, ending with 4 rows of garter st in MC.

Using **MC**, cast/bind off knitways.

FINISHING

DO NOT PRESS. Using yarn needle, darn in ends.

For Dress - Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join side and sleeve seams matching stripes. Slip stitch button band to WS of front along lower edge of band. Sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes.

For Hat - Fold hat in half so that side edges meet. Using yarn needle and mattress st seam, join side edges, then cast/bound off edges together, matching stripes. Using **MC**, make 2 pom poms and attach to each corner of hat as pictured.