You can make
**5 bunnies
per ball**

## MEASUREMENTS

| Height (approx) | cm | 38 |
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**Yarn Required:**

| Lincraft Baby Blanket | 300g balls | 1 |
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## NEEDLES
A pair of 4.50mm knitting needles.
A pair of 9.00mm knitting needles.
Wool needle for sewing up and embroidery.

## REQUIREMENTS:
Washable filling.
Scraps of black yarn to embroider face.

## TENSION:
Tension is not important for this project.

## NOTE:
The head is knitted double i.e. the back and front of the head are knitted at the same time. When working the 3rd row of the head, the purl sts on one row are for the front of the head and the purl sts on the alternate rows are for the back of the head. The separation between the front and back of the head will become more obvious once the ears are knitted.

## CUDDLE BUNNY (worked in one piece)
Using 9.00mm needles, cast on one st.
**1st row:** Knit into front and back of st … 2 sts.
**2nd row:** Inc in first st, K1.
**3rd row:** Inc in first st, knit to end.
Rep 3rd row 3 times … 7 sts.
**7th row:** K3, M1, knit to end … 8 sts.
Rep 7th row until there are 20 sts.
Cast on 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows (for paws) … 32 sts.
Knit 6 rows garter st.
Cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows … 20 sts.
Dec one st at beg of every row until 14 sts rem.

## Shape Head (see note):
Change to 4.50mm needles.
**1st row:** * K2tog, rep from * to end … 7 sts.
**2nd row:** Inc once in each st … 14 sts.
**3rd row:** * P1, sl 1, rep from * to end (this is knitting the front and back of the head at the same time).
Rep 3rd row until Head measures 9cm.

## Shape Ears (knitted sideways):
**1st row:** P2tog, return st to left-hand needle, cast on 8 sts, then P2tog, P7, [you now have 8 sts on right-hand needle and 12 sts on left-hand needle], turn.
**2nd row:** P6, P2tog, turn.
**3rd row:** P8, turn.
**4th row:** P6, P2tog, turn.
**5th row:** P8, turn.
**6th row:** P6, P2tog, turn.
**7th row:** Cast off 7 sts, P1, * sl 1, P1, rep from * to end, turn … 10 sts.

## Beg 2nd Ear:
**1st row:** P2tog, return st to left-hand needle, cast on 8 sts, then P2tog, P7, [you now have 8 sts on right-hand needle and 8 sts on left-hand needle], turn.
Work 2nd to 7th rows as for 1st Ear … 6 sts.

## FINISHING
Cut a 25cm length of yarn. Thread yarn through every alt st on needle, then back through rem sts. Remove knitting needle and stuff head lightly. Pull yarn tightly to close top of head and secure. Embroider face using black yarn and straight sts. Tie a knot in each paw. Sew in all ends.