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## Babies Vest with Hood

#### Easy Knit

#### MEASUREMENTS

Months		0	3	6	12
Fits chest	cm	35	40	45	50
Garment measures	cm	39	44	50	56
Length	cm	22	26	29	33
YARN REQUIRED Lincraft Cuddles	100g balls	1	2	2	2

#### NEEDLES

A pair of 4.50mm knitting needles. A set of 4.50mm double-pointed knitting needles. Wool needle for sewing up.

#### TENSION

18 sts and 26 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 4.50mm needles.

#### BACK

Using a pair of 4.50mm needles, cast on 37 (**41**-47-**51**) sts.

Knit 7 (7-11-11) rows garter st, first row is wrong side, and inc 2 (2-2-4) sts evenly across last row ... 39 (43-49-55) sts. Work in stocking st, beg with a knit row, until work measures 12 (15-17-20) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Armholes:

Cast off 2 (**2**-3-**3**) sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 35 (**39**-43-**49**) sts.

Dec one st at each end of next row, then every alt row until 31 (**35**-39-**43**) sts rem. Cont without shaping until work measures 22 (**26**-29-**33**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Shoulders:

Cast off 2 (**3**-3-**4**) sts at beg of next 4 rows, then 3 (**3**-4-**4**) sts at beg of next 2 rows. Cast off rem 17 (**17**-19-**19**) sts.

#### LEFT FRONT

Using a pair of 4.50mm needles, cast on 17 (**19**-22-**24**) sts.

Knit 7 (7-11-11) rows garter st, first row is wrong side, and inc 1 (1-1-2) st/s evenly across last row ... 18 (20-23-26) sts. Work in stocking st, beg with a knit row, until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row. \*\*

#### Shape Armhole:

Cast off 2 (**2**-3-**3**) sts at beg of next row ... 16 (**18**-20-**23**) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in every alt row until 14 (**16**-18-**20**) sts rem. Cont without shaping until there are 9

(9-9-11) rows less than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a knit row.

#### Shape Neck:

Cast off 4 (4-5-5) sts at beg of next row ... 10 (12-13-15) sts. Dec one st at neck edge in next row, then

every alt row until 8 (**10**-11-**13**) sts rem, then every 4th row until 7 (**9**-10-**12**) sts rem. Work 1 (**1**-1-**3**) row/s.

#### Shape Shoulder:

Cast off 2 (**3**-**3**-**4**) sts at beg of next and alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 3 (**3**-**4**-**4**) sts.

#### **RIGHT FRONT**

Work as for Left Front to \*\*. Knit 1 row.

#### Shape Armhole:

Cast off 2 (2-3-3) sts at beg of next row ... 16 (18-20-23) sts. Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then every alt row until 14 (16-18-20) sts rem. Cont without shaping until there are 10 (10-10-12) rows less than Back to beg of shoulder shaping, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Neck:

Cast off 4 (4-5-5) sts at beg of next row ... 10 (12-13-15) sts. Dec one st at neck edge in every alt row until 8 (10-11-13) sts rem, then every 4th row until 7 (9-10-12) sts rem. Work 2 (2-2-4) rows.

#### **Shape Shoulder:**

Cast off 2 (3-3-4) sts at beg of next and alt row. Work 1 row. Cast off rem 3 (3-4-4) sts.

#### **RIGHT FRONT BAND**

Join shoulder seams. With right side facing and using a pair of 4.50mm needles, knit up 33 (**41**-46-**52**) sts along Right Front edge. Knit 7 rows garter st. Cast off.

#### LEFT FRONT BAND

Work to correspond with Right Front Band.

#### **ARMHOLE BANDS**

With right side facing and using a pair of 4.50mm needles, knit up 40 (**42**-51-**55**) sts along armhole edge. Knit 7 rows garter st. Cast off.

#### HOOD

Using a pair of 4.50mm needles, cast on 63 (**71**-79-**89**) sts. Knit 7 rows garter st, first row is wrong side, and inc 3 (**5**-5-**5**) sts evenly across last row ... 66 (**76**-84-**94**) sts. Work in stocking st, beg with a knit row, until Hood measures 10 (**11**-12-**13**) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Back of Hood:

Next row: K33 (38-42-47), turn. Cont on these 33 (38-42-47) sts. Dec one st at inside edge in every row until 29 (34-38-43) sts rem, then in foll alt row ... 28 (33-37-42) sts. Purl 1 row. Cast off. Join yarn to rem sts and knit to end. Dec one st at inside edge in every row until 29 (34-38-43) sts rem, then in foll alt row ... 28 (33-37-42) sts. Purl 1 row. Cast off.

#### I-CORD TIES (makes 2)

Using two double-pointed 4.50mm needles, cast on 3 sts. **1st row:** Knit. \*\*\* Do not turn. Slide sts to other end of needle and K3. Rep from \*\*\* until work measures 30 (**32**-34-**35**) cm (or length desired). Cast off.

#### FINISHING

Join side and Armhole Band seams. Join centre back seam of Hood. Sew Hood in position, beg and ending at edge of Front Bands. Sew I-cords in place at neck edge and tie as desired. Sew in all ends.



# Babies Raglan Cardigan with Pockets

Intermediate Knit

MEASUREMENTS					
Months		0	3	6	12
Fits chest	cm	35	40	45	50
Garment measures	cm	41	46	52	58
Length	cm	22	26	29	33
Sleeve length	cm	11	13	16	19
YARN REQUIRED					
Lincraft Cuddles	100g balls	1	2	2	2

#### NEEDLES

A pair of 4.50mm knitting needles. A 4.50mm circular knitting needle, 60cm long. Wool needle for sewing up.

#### REQUIREMENTS

3 stitch holders.

4 (**5**-5-**6**) buttons.

#### TENSION

18 sts and 26 rows to 10cm over stocking st, using 4.50mm needles.

#### BACK

Using a pair of 4.50mm needles, cast on 39 (43-49-55) sts. **1st row:** K2, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to last st, K1. **2nd row:** K1, \* P1, K1, rep from \* to end. Last 2 rows form rib. Work a further 4 (4-6-6) rows rib. Work in stocking st until work measures 11 (14-16-18) cm from beg, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Raglan Armholes:

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 35 (**39**-45-**51**) sts. Dec one st at each end of next row, then every 4th row until 23 (**27**-35-**41**) sts rem, then every alt row until 19 (**19**-21-**21**) sts rem. Purl 1 row. Leave rem sts on a stitch holder.

#### LEFT FRONT

Using a pair of 4.50mm needles, cast on 17 (**19**-23-**25**) sts. Work 6 (**6**-8-**8**) rows rib. Work 2 rows stocking st. \*\*

#### Beg Front Of Pocket:

**1st row:** K15 (**17**-21-**23**), turn. **2nd row:** P11 (**11**-13-**13**), turn. Cont on these 11 (**11**-13-**13**) sts for pocket. Work 10 (**12**-16-**22**) rows stocking st. Work 4 rows rib. Cast off these 11 (**11**-13-**13**) sts in rib. With right side facing, join yarn to beg of second group of sts, cast on 11 (**11**-13-**13**) sts (for back of pocket), knit to end ... 17 (**19**-23-**25**) sts.

Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Raglan Armhole:

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 15 (**17**-21-**23**) sts. Dec one st at armhole edge in 2nd row, then every 4th row until 13 (**15**-19-**20**) sts rem. Work 3 rows.

#### Shape Front Slope:

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then every 4th row 3 (3-2-1) time/s, then every alt row 2 (4-7-10) times, AT SAME TIME dec one st at front edge in next row, then every alt (4th-alt-4th) row 1 (2-1-3) time/s, then every 4th (6th-4th-6th) row 3 (2-5-2) times ... 2 sts. Purl 1 row.

K2tog and fasten off.

#### **RIGHT FRONT**

Work as for Left Front to \*\*.

#### **Beg Front Of Pocket:**

1st row: K13 (13-15-15), turn.
2nd row: P11 (11-13-13), turn.
Cont on these 11 (11-13-13) sts for pocket.
Work 10 (12-16-22) rows stocking st.
Work 4 rows rib.
Cast off these 11 (11-13-13) sts in rib.
With right side facing, join yarn to beg of second group of sts, cast on 11 (11-13-13) sts (for back of pocket), knit to end ... 17 (19-23-25) sts.
Cont in stocking st, beg with a purl row, until work measures same as Back to beg of armhole shaping, ending with a purl row.
Knit 1 row.

#### Shape Raglan Armhole:

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row ... 15 (17-21-23) sts.

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then every 4th row until 13 (1**5**-19-**20**) sts rem. Work 3 rows.

#### Shape Front Slope:

Dec one st at armhole edge in next row, then every 4th row 3 (3-2-1) time/s, then every alt row 2 (4-7-10) times, AT SAME TIME dec one st at front edge in next row, then every alt (4th-alt-4th) row 1 (2-1-3) time/s, then every 4th (6th-4th-6th) row 3 (2-5-2) times ... 2 sts. Purl 1 row. K2tog and fasten off.

#### **SLEEVES**

Using a pair of 4.50mm needles, cast on 23 (25-27-29) sts. Work 6 (6-8-8) rows rib. Working in stocking st for rem, inc one st at each end of 5th row, then every alt (alt-4th-6th) row until there are 31 (29-33-35) sts, then every 4th (4th-6th-8th) row until there are 33 (35-37-39) sts. Cont without shaping until work measures 11 (13-16-19) cm (or length desired) from beg, ending with a purl row.

#### Shape Raglan:

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows ... 29 (**31**-33-**35**) sts. Dec one st at each end of next row, then every 4th row until 25 (**25**-27-**25**) sts rem, then every alt row until 5 sts rem. Purl 1 row. Leave rem sts on a stitch holder.

#### FRONT BANDS

Join raglan seams, noting that tops of Sleeves form part of neckline.

With right side facing and using 4.50mm circular needle, knit up 29 (**35**-39-**46**) sts along Right Front edge to beg of front slope shaping, knit up 14 (**17**-18-**20**) sts along Right Front slope, [K2tog, K1, K2tog] across sts from right Sleeve stitch holder, [K2tog, K15 (**15**-17-**17**), K2tog] across sts from Back stitch holder, [K2tog, K1, K2tog] across sts from left Sleeve stitch holder, knit up 14 (**17**-18-**20**) along Left Front slope, then knit up 29 (**35**-39-**46**) sts along Left Front edge ... 109 (**127**-139-**157**) sts. **Note:** A circular needle is used to accommodate the large number of sts. Work backwards and forwards in rows, not rounds. Work 3 rows rib, beg with a 2nd row.

#### For Girl:

**4th row:** Rib 2, rib 2tog, yrn, [rib 6, rib 2tog, yrn] 3 (**4**-**4**-**5**) times, rib to end ... 4 (**5**-5-**6**) buttonholes.

#### For Boy:

**4th row:** Rib 81 (**91**-103-**113**), [yrn, rib 2tog, rib 6] 3 (**4**-4-**5**) times, yrn, rib 2tog, rib 2 ... 4 (**5**-5-**6**) buttonholes.

#### For Girl Or Boy:

Work 1 row rib. Cast off loosely in rib.

#### FINISHING

Join side and Sleeve seams. Sew side edges of pockets in position. Sew cast on edge of back of pocket in position. Sew on buttons. Sew in all ends.



## Crochet Baby Blanket

#### **Intermediate Crochet**

#### MEASUREMENTS

Width Length (approx)	cm cm	100 100
YARN REQUIRED		
Lincraft Cuddles 1st Colour (C1) - White 2nd Colour (C2) 3nd Colour (C3) 4nd Colour (C4)	100g balls	4 1 1 1

#### **CROCHET HOOK**

A 5.00mm crochet hook.

#### REQUIREMENTS

Wool needle for sewing in ends.

#### **TENSION**

Tension is not important for this project. Each motif will measure approx.  $15 \text{cm} \times 15 \text{cm}$ .

#### **SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS:**

mr = magic ring (alternatively 3ch, sl st into beg ch and tr into ring).

#### NOTE:

This pattern is worked in the round.

#### MOTIF

Using 5.00mm hook and C2, make a mr.

**1st round:** 2ch (counts as htr throughout), 7htr in mr, sl st in the top of the beg ch ... 8 sts.

**2nd round:** 2ch, 1htr in same st, [2htr in each st] 7 times, sl st to beg ch ... 16 sts.

**3rd round:** 2ch, 1htr in same st, 1htr in next st, [2htr in first st, 1htr in next st] to end, sl st to beg ch ... 24 sts.

**4th round:** 2ch, 1htr in same st, 1htr in next 2 sts, [2htr in first st, 1htr in each of next 2 sts] to end, sl st to beg ch ... 32 sts.

**5th round:** 2ch, 1htr in same st, 1htr in next 3 sts, [2htr in first st, 1htr in each of next 3 sts] to end, sl st to beg ch ... 40 sts.

**6th round:** 2ch, 1htr in same st, 1htr in next 4 sts, [2htr in first st, 1htr in each of next 4 sts] to end. Using C1, join with sl st... 48 sts. **7th round:** 4ch, 1dtr in same st, [2tr, 2htr, 3dc, 2htr, 2tr, (1dtr, 1ch, 1dtr) in next st] 3 times, join with sl st to top of ch ... 56 sts. **8th round:** 4ch, 1dtr into sp, [1tr in each st to corner sp, (1dtr, 1ch,

1dtr] into sp] to end, join with sl st ... 60 sts. **9th round:** 4ch, 1dtr into sp, [1tr in each st to corner sp, (1dtr, 1ch,

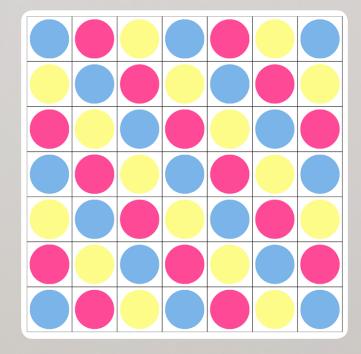
1dtr) into sp] to end, join with sl st ... 64 sts. Fasten off.

#### **BLANKET**

Make a total of 49 motifs (16 with C2, 17 with C3, 16 with C4). Using C1, join motifs with dc (or preferred method) following the diagram for colour placement.

#### FINISHING

Work a dc border - Join yarn to corner. 1ch, 1dc in each st and 2dc in each sp to corner, 3dc in corner sp. Continue along each side. Work 2dc in beg corner, join with sl st. Fasten off. Sew in all ends.











#### LINCRAFT CUDDLES

**Composition:** 100% Polyester Weight: 100g Meterage: 200m Needle Size: 4.5mm Tension (10cm x 10cm): 18 stitches x 26 rows Care Instructions - Wash at or below 30°C. Do not bleach. Tumble dry, low temperature. Do not iron. Dry cleanable (P).

#### **KNITTING & CROCHET ABBREVIATIONS**

alt: beg: ch: cm: cont: dc: dec:	alternate beginning chain centimetre continue double crochet decrease	mm: M1:	millimetre make one by picking up the loop between 2 stitches & knitting into the back of it (thereby increasing without using up a stitch).
dtr: foll: htr: inc: incl: K:	double treble following half treble increase including knit	P: patt: psso: p2sso: rem: rep:	purl pattern pass slip stitch over pass the two slip stitches over remaining repeat
lp/s:	loops		slip stitch

### sp/s: st/s: tbl: tr: tog: ybk: yfk: yfwd yfwd ne by picking oop between es & knitting into < of it (thereby g without a stitch).

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sp/s:	space/s
st/s:	stitch/es
tbl:	through back of loop
tr:	treble
tog:	together
ybk:	yarn back
yft:	yarn front
yfwd:	yarn forward
yoh:	yarn over hook
yon:	yarn over needle
yrn:	yarn around needle

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