

| SIZES: To fit chest measurement |  |  |
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| $\mathbf{1 8} \mathbf{~ m o s}$ | 19 ins | $[48 \mathrm{~cm}]$ |
| $\mathbf{2 ~ y r s}$ | 21 ins | $[53.5 \mathrm{~cm}]$ |
| $\mathbf{4} \mathbf{y r s}$ | 23 ins | $[58.5 \mathrm{~cm}]$ |

## MATERIALS

## Bernat ${ }^{\oplus}$ Softee Baby

(Solids: $140 \mathrm{~g} / 5$ oz; $361 \mathrm{~m} / 395 \mathrm{yds}$ )
Sizes: 18 mos ( $\mathbf{2}$ yrs-4 yrs)

## Main Color (MC)

(30424 Soft Red) 2 (2-2) balls
Contrast A: (30410 Soft Peach) $\mathbf{1}$ (1-1) ball
Contrast B: (30233 Fresh Green) $\mathbf{1}$ (1-1) ball
Contrast C: (30201 Aqua) $\mathbf{1}$ (1-1) ball
Contrast D: (02000 White) 1 (1-1) ball

Size 4 mm (U.S. G or 6) crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge.

## GAUGE

18 sc and 19 rows $=4$ ins $[10 \mathrm{~cm}]$.

## ABBREVIATIONS

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Sc2tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 stitches. Yarn over hook and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

## INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus (). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes.

Note: To change colors, work to last 2 loops on hook. Drop old color from hook, draw new color through and proceed.

Bodice Stripe Pat (worked in sc throughout). 2 rows C,
1 row D,
2 rows B,
1 row D,
2 rows A,
1 row D,
2 rows MC,
1 row D.
Rep last 12 rows for Stripe Pat.

## BACK

**With MC, ch 68 (74-80).
1st row: (WS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from * across. 67 (73-79) sts. Turn.
2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). *1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from * across. Turn.
3rd row: Ch 1.1 sc in first dc. *1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from * across, ending with sc in top of ch 3. Turn.
Rep last 2 rows until work from beg measures $91 / 2(101 / 2-12)$ ins [ $24(26.5-30.5) \mathrm{cm}]$, ending with a 2 nd row.

Next row: (WS). Ch 1.1 sc in first dc. *Miss next st. 1 sc in each of next 2 sts. Rep from * across to last 3 sts. Miss next st. 1 sc in next sc. 1 sc in top of ch 3. Join C. Turn. 45 (49-53) sts. Place markers at each end of last row.**

Next row: With C, ch 1.1 sc in each sc across. Turn.
First row of Bodice Stripe Pat is complete.
Work a further 11 (13-13) rows in Stripe Pat ending with a WS row.

Shape armholes: Next row: Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, sl st in each of first 4 sc . Ch 1.1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each sc across to last 3 sc. Turn. Leave rem sts unworked. 39 (4347) sc.

Next row: Ch 1. Sc2tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc to last 2 sts . Sc2tog over last 2 sts . Turn. Rep last row 1 (2-2) time(s) more. 35 (37-41) sc.

Work a further 17 (18-20) rows in Stripe Pat, ending with a WS row.

Shape back neck: Next row: (RS). Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 8 (8-9) sc. Sc2tog over next 2 sc (neck edge). Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.
Next row: Ch 1. Sc2tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn. 8 (8-9) sts.
Work a further 2 rows even in Stripe Pat. Fasten off.

With RS facing, miss next 15 (17-19) sc. Rejoin appropriate color yarn to next sc. Ch 1 . Sc2tog over same st as last sl st and next sc. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.
Next row: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc to last 2 sts. Sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn.
Work a further 2 rows even in Stripe Pat.
Fasten off.

## FRONT

Work from ** to ** as given for Back.

Left Front Bodice: Next row: With C, ch 1.1 sc in each of first 8 sc . Place marker on next sc. Working in back loop only of each st, 1 sc in each of next 29 (33-37) sc. Turn. Leave rem sts unworked.
First row of Bodice Stripe Pat is complete.
Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows:
1st row: (WS). Ch $1 . S c 2$ tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.
2nd row: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc across to last 2 sts. Sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn.
Rep last 2 rows 4 (5-5) times more, then rep 1st row once. 26 (28-32) sts.

Shape armhole: Next row: (RS). SI st in each of first 4 sc . Ch 1.1 sc in same sp as last sl st. 1 sc in each sc across to last 2 sc . Sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn. 22 (24-28) sts.

Next row: Ch 1. Sc2tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc to last 2 sts. Sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn. Rep last row 1 (2-2) time(s) more. 18 (18-22) sc.

Sizes 2 and 4 yrs only: Dec 1 st at front edge on next (1-3) row(s). (17-19) sc.

All sizes: Work 1 row even.
Dec 1 st at front edge on next row and every following alt (RS) row until 8 (8-9) sc rem.
Work 1 (3-1) row(s) even. Fasten off.

Right Front Bodice: With RS facing, join C with sl st in marked sc from Left Front Bodice. Ch 1. Working in rem front loop only of each st, 1 sc in each of next 29 (33-37) sc. Working in both loops, 1 sc in each of last 8 sc . Turn. 37 (4145) sc.

First row of Bodice Stripe Pat is complete.

Keeping cont of Stripe Pat, proceed as follows: 1st row: (WS). Ch 1.1 sc in each sc across to last 2 sts. Sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn.
2nd row: Ch $1.5 c 2$ tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc across. Turn.
Rep last 2 rows 4 (5-5) times more, then rep 1st row once. 26 (28-32) sts.

Shape armhole: Next row: (RS). Ch 1. Sc2tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc across to last 3 sts. Turn. Leave rem sc unworked. 22 (24-28) sts.
Next row: Ch 1 . Sc2tog over first 2 sts. 1 sc in each sc to last 2 sc . Sc2tog over last 2 sc . Turn. Rep last row 1 (2-2) time(s) more. 18 (18-22) sts.

Sizes 2 and 4 yrs only: Dec 1 st at front edge on next (1-3) row(s). (17-19) sc.

## All sizes: Work 1 row even.

Dec 1 st at front edge on next row and following alt (RS) rows until 8 (8-9) sc rem. Work 1 (3-1) row(s) even. Fasten off.

## POCKETS (make 2).

With MC, ch 20.
1st row: (RS). 1 dc in 6th ch from hook (counts as dc, ch $1, \mathrm{dc})$. *Ch 1 . Miss next ch. 1 dc in next ch. Rep from * across. 8 ch-1 sps. Turn.

2nd to 7th rows: Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1). * ${ }^{*}$ dc in next dc. Ch 1. Miss next ch-1 sp. Rep from * to last dc. 1 dc in last dc. Turn.
Do not turn at end of 7th row. Cont as follows:

Edging: 1st rnd: Ch 1 . Working down left side of Pocket, work 2 sc in each of next 7 sps down side. Work 3 sc in corner. Working along foundation ch, $[1$ sc in next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in next ch (under dc)] 7 times. 1 sc in next ch- 1 sp .3 sc in corner. Working up right side of Pocket, work 2 sc in each of next 7 sps up side. 2 sc in corner, placing marker in last sc. Working across top edge, ( 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. 1 sc in next dc) 7 times. 1 sc in last ch- 1 sp . Join A with sl st to first sc.
2nd rnd: With A, ch $1 .(1 \mathrm{sc}$. Ch 3.1 dc ) in same sp as last sl st. *Miss next 2 sc . ( 1 sc . Ch 3.1 dc ) in next sc. Rep from * around to 2 sc before marked sc. 1 sc in marked sc. Fasten off.

## FLOWERS (make 2).

With D, ch 4. Join with sl st to first ch to form a ring.
1st rnd: Ch 1.12 sc in ring. Join $B$ with sl st to first sc.
2nd rnd: With B, ch 1. Working in back loop only of each st, 2 sc in each sc around. Join A with sl st to first sc. 24 sc .
3rd rnd: With A, ch 1.1 sc in same sp as last sl st. *Ch 4. Miss next 3 sc .1 sc in next sc. Rep from * 4 times more. Ch 4 . Miss last 3 sc . Join with $s l$ st to first sc.
4th rnd: SI st in next ch-4 sp. Ch $1 .(1 \mathrm{sc} .2$ hdc. 2 dc .2 hdc .1 sc ) in same sp. *( 1 sc .2 hdc .2 dc . 2 hdc. 1 sc) in next ch-4 sp. Rep from * 4 times more. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

Sew Flower to center of each Pocket. Sew Pockets in position to Front as shown. Sew shoulder and side seams.

Armhole edging: 1st rnd: (RS). Join MC with sl st at side seam. Ch 1. Work sc evenly around armhole edge. Join with sl st to first sc.
2nd rnd: Working from left to right, instead of from right to left as usual, work 1 reverse sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc. Fasten off.

Neck edging: 1 st row: (RS). Join MC with sl st at lower edge of Right Front Bodice. Ch 1.Work sc evenly around neck edge to lower edge of Left Front Bodice. Do not turn.
2nd row: Working from left to right, instead of from right to left as usual, work 1 reverse sc in each sc across. Fasten off.

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