

**BERNAT CROCHET BABY DRESS** 

BRC0214-034898M | July 19, 2023

### Version 1



## Version 2



MATERIALS					
Sizes	6	12	18	mos	
Version 1					
Bernat® Softee Co	otton™ (4.2 o	z/120 g; 254	4 yds/232	m)	

Golden (69013) balls

> yds/m 405/370 480/435 550/500

**Version 2** 

**Bernat® Softee Baby™** (5 oz/140 g; 362 yds/331 m)

Flannel (30044) **balls** 

615/560 720/655 830/755 yds/m

Size U.S. G/6 (4 mm) Susan Bates® Silvalume® crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge. Susan Bates® stitch markers. 3 buttons -1/2" [1.25 cm] diameter.



# CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Alt** = Alternate(ing)

**Approx** = Approximately

Beg = Begin(ning)

**Bobble** = (Yoh and draw up a loop. Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) 5 times in indicated stitch. Yoh and draw through all 6 loops on hook

Ch = Chain(s)

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

Dc = Double crochet

**Hdc** = Half double crochet

**Pat** = Pattern

**PM** = Place marker

**Rem** = Remaining

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

**RS** = Right side

**Sc** = Single crochet

**SI st** = Slip stitch

Sp(s) = Space(s)

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

**Yoh** = Yarn over hook

## **SIZES**

# To fit chest measurement

6 mos 17" [43 cm]

12 mos 18" [45.5 cm]

18 mos 19" [48.5 cm]

## **Finished chest**

6 mos 19" [48.5 cm] 12 mos 20" [51 cm]

18 mos 21" [53.5 cm]

# **GAUGES**

16 sc and 19 rows = 4" [10 cm]16 hdc and 14 rows = 4" [10 cm]

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger size the instructions will be written 6 (12-18) mos. Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pattern. When only one number is given in black, it applies to both sizes.



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#### **Notes:**

- Ch 3 at beg of row counts as dc.
- Dress is worked in one piece from neck edge down.
- Center back has an opening for buttons, then Body is joined into rnd.

#### **DRESS**

(See Diagrams on page 4-5). Beg at neck edge, ch 44 (46-46).

**1st row:** (RS). 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2 dc). 1 dc in each ch to end of chain. Turn. **42** (44-44) dc.

**2nd and alt rows:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each dc to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Working in back loops only of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next **3** (4-4) sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 2 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. **54** (56-56) dc.

**5th row:** Working in back loops of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next **4** (5-5) sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 3 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. **66** (68-68) dc.

7th row: Working in back loops only of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 4 (5-5) sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 4 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 78 (80-80) dc.

**9th row:** Working in back loops of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next **5** (6-6) sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 5 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. **90** (92-92) dc.

11th row: Working in back loops only of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 5 (6-6) sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 6 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 102 (104-104) dc.

13th row: Working in back loops of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 6 (7-7) sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 7 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 114 (116-116) dc.

Sizes 12 and 18 mos only: 14th row: As 2nd row.

**15th row:** Working in back loops only of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 7 sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 8 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 128 dc.

**Size 18 mos only: 16th row:** As 2nd row.

17th row: Working in back loops of each sc, ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 8 sc. (2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in each of next 9 sc) 11 times. 2 dc in next sc. 1 dc in last sc. Turn. 140 dc.

All sizes: Next row: (WS – bobbles). Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 2 (3-3) dc. \*Bobble, pushing to back of work. 1 sc in each of next 3 dc. Rep from \* to last 3 (4-4) dc. Bobble. 1 sc in each of last 2 (3-3) dc. 28 (31-34) bobbles. Turn. 114 (128-140) sts.

**Divide for Body and Sleeves:** Work in rnds, turning at end of each rnd as follows:

1st rnd: (RS). Working in back loops only, 1 hdc in each of first 18 (19-20) sts. Ch 2 (4-5). Skip next 21 (26-30) sts. 1 hdc in each of next 36 (38-40) sts. Ch 2 (4-5). Skip next 21 (26-30) sts. 1 hdc in each st to end of row. Join with sl st to first hdc. 76 (84-88) sts (hdc and ch). PM for beg of rnd. Turn.

**2nd rnd:** (WS - Eyelet rnd). Ch 2 (**does not** count as st). 1 hdc in same sp as sl st. \*Ch 1. Skip next st. 1 hdc in next st. Rep from \* to last hdc. Ch 1. Skip last hdc. Join with sl st to first hdc. Turn.

3rd rnd: (RS). Ch 3. \*2 dc in next ch-1sp. 1 dc in next hdc. Rep from \* around to last ch-1 sp. 2 dc in last ch-1 sp. Join with sl st to top of ch 3. 114 (126-132) dc. Turn.

4th rnd: (WS). Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 18 (62-31) dc. 2 sc in next dc] 6 (2-4) times. 1 dc in each sc to end of rnd. Join with sl st to front loop of first sc. 120 (128-136) dc. Turn.

**5th rnd:** (RS). Working in back loops only, 1 dc in each sc around. Join. Turn.

**6th rnd:** (WS). Ch 1. 1 sc in each dc around. Turn.

7th to 9th rnds: Rep 5th and 6th rnds once more, then 5th rnd once.
10th rnd: (WS – bobbles). Ch 1.
\*1 sc in each of next 7 dc. Bobble, pushing to back of work. Rep from \* around. Join. Turn. 15 (16-17) bobbles. 120 (128-136) sts.

**11th to 15th rnds:** Rep 5th and 6th rnds twice, then 5th rnd once.



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**16th rnd:** (WS – bobbles). Ch 1. 1 sc in each of first 3 dc. Bobble, pushing to back of work. \*1 sc in each of next 7 dc. Bobble, pushing to back of work. Rep from \* to last 5 dc. Bobble. 1 sc in each of last 4 dc. Join. Turn. **15** (16-17) bobbles. **120** (128-136) sts.

Rep 5th to 16th rnds rnd until work from Dividing rnd measures approx 9 (10-11)" [23 (25.5-28) cm], ending on a RS row. **Do not** turn.

**Next rnd:** Ch 1. 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 rst sc. Fasten off.





**REVERSE SC** 

Sleeve edging: Join yarn with sl st to first ch of ch-2 (4-5). Ch 3. 1 dc in each of next 1 (3-4) ch. Working in back loops only, 1 dc in each of next 21 (26-30) sc. Join with sl st to top of ch-3. Fasten off.

**Button band: 1st row:** (RS). Join yarn with sl st to top corner at back neck opening. Ch 1. Work **16** (18-20) sc evenly down back neck opening to dividing rnd. Turn.

**2nd and 3rd rows:** Ch 1.1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.

Fasten off at end of last row.

Buttonhole band: 1st row: (RS). Join yarn with sl st to bottom of back neck opening. Ch 1. Work 16 (18-20) sc evenly up back neck opening to foundation chain. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. [Ch 2. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each of next **4** (**5-5**) sc] twice. Ch 2. Skip next sc. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn. 3 buttonholes.

**3rd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc and ch-2 sp to end of row. **16** (18-20) sc. Fasten off.

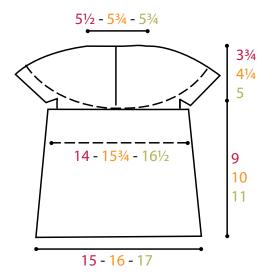
Sew buttons to Button band to correspond to buttonholes.



**Drawstring:** Work foundation sc as follows: Ch 2. Yoh and draw up a loop in 2nd ch from hook. Yoh and draw up a loop in one loop on hook ("chain"). Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook – first foundation sc made. \*Yoh and draw up a loop in "chain". Yoh and draw up a loop in one loop on hook ("chain"). Yoh draw through 2 loops on hook. Rep from \* until Drawstring measures 30 (33-36)" [76 (84-91.5) cm]. Fasten off.

Draw through eyelet rnd, meeting ends at front. Tie in a bow.

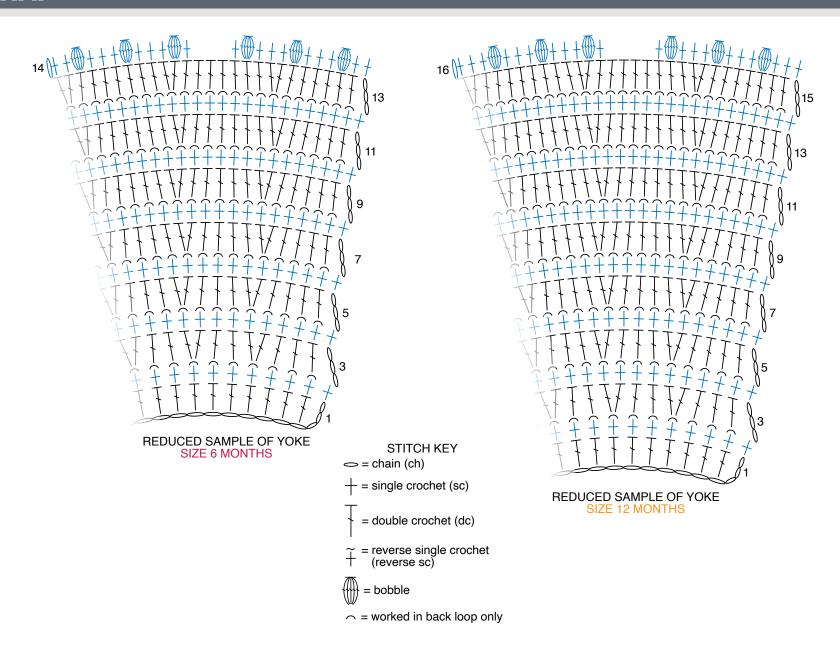






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