



#### MATERIALS

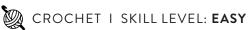
Bernat<sup>®</sup> Softee<sup>®</sup> Baby<sup>™</sup> (5 oz/140 g; 362 yds/331 m)

Sizes 6 12 18 24 mos

Flannel (30044) **2 2 3 balls** 

Sizes U.S. G/6 (4 mm) crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Stitch markers. 4 buttons.





#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Approx** = Approximate(ly)

**Beg** = Begin(ning)

Ch = Chain(s)

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

**Dc** = Double crochet

**Hdc2tog** = (Yoh and draw up a loop in next stitch) twice. Yoh and

draw through all loops on hook

**Inc** = Increase(ing)

**Pat** = Pattern

**Rem** = Remaining

**Rep** = Repeat

**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]
24 mos 20" [51 cm]

#### **Finished chest**

6 mos 20" [51 cm] 12 mos 21" [53 cm] 18 mos 22" [56 cm] 24 mos 23" [58.5 cm]

## **GAUGE**

16 sts and 12 rows = 4" [10 cm] in pat.

## **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.



#### **BACK**

Ch 42 (44-46-48).

1st row: (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. \*1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from \* to end of chain. Turn. 41 (43-45-47) sts.

2nd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc).
\*1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc.
Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.
3rd row: Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc.
\*1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc.
Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.
Rep last 2 rows for pat until work
from beg measures 7 (7½-8-8½)"
[18 (19-20.5-21.5) cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape armholes: Next row:** (RS). SI st across first 3 sts. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sI st. Pat to last 2 sts. **Turn**. Leave rem 2 sts unworked.

Cont even in pat over rem **37** (**39**-**41**-**43**) sts until armhole measures **4** (**4**½-**4**½-**5**)" [**10** (**11.5**-**11.5**-**12.5**) cm], ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

#### **RIGHT FRONT**

\*\*Ch 32 (34-36-38).

**1st row:** (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. \*1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from \* to end of chain. Turn. **31** (33-35-37) sts.

Cont in pat as given for Back until work from beg measures **7** (7½-8-8½)" [18 (19-20.5-21.5) cm], ending on a WS row.\*\*

**Shape armhole: Next row:** (RS). Pat to last 2 sts. **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

Cont even in pat over rem 29 (31-33-35) sts until armhole measures 6 rows less than Back, ending on a WS row. Fasten off.

**Shape neck: 1st row:** (RS). Skip first **13** (14-16-17) sts. Join yarn with sl st to next st. Ch 2 (does not count as st). Hdc2tog over same st as last sl st and next st. Pat to end of row. Turn.

**2nd row:** Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 2 (does not count as st). Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

Rep last 2 rows once more, then 2nd row once. **10** (**11-11-12**) sts. Fasten off.

Place markers for 4 buttons on Right Front in 2 rows (double breasted), spaced as follows:

Top row of 2 buttons positioned 2 rows down from neck edge –first button 1" [2.5 cm] from front edge; second button 4" [10 cm] from front edge (3" [7.5 cm] apart from each other).

Bottom row of 2 buttons positioned 10 rows down from neck edge –first button 1" [2.5 cm] from front edge; second button 4" [10 cm] from front edge (3" [7.5 cm] apart from each other).

## **LEFT FRONT**

**Note:** Work buttonhole row to correspond to markers on Right Front as follows:

**Buttonhole row:** (RS). (Pat to button marker. Ch 1. Skip next st) twice. Pat to end of row.

Work from \*\* to \*\* as given for Right Front.

**Shape armhole: Next row:** (RS). SI st across first 3 sts. Ch 1. 1 sc in same sp as last sI st. Pat to end of row. Turn.

Cont even in pat over rem **29** (**31-33-35**) sts until armhole measures 6 rows less than Back (working buttonhole row to correspond to markers on Right Front), ending on a WS row.

**Shape neck: 1st row:** (RS). Pat across **14** (**15-15-16**) sts. Hdc2tog (neck edge). **Turn.** Leave rem sts unworked.

**2nd row:** Ch 2 (does not count as st). Hdc2tog. Pat to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn.

**4th row:** As 2nd row. **5th row:** As 3rd row

**6th row:** As 2nd row. **10** (**11**-

11-12) sts. Fasten off.



#### **SLEEVES**

Ch 28 (30-30-34).

**1st row:** (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. \*1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from \* to end of chain. Turn. **27** (29-29-33) sts.

Cont in pat as given for Back for 5 more rows.

Shape sides: 1st row: (RS-Inc row). Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 sc in first dc. \*1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from \* to last 2 sts. 1 dc in next sc. (1 sc. 1 dc) in last dc. Turn.

**2nd row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in first dc. \*1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.

**3rd row:** Ch 3 (counts as dc). \*1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.

**4th and 5th rows:** As 2nd and 3rd rows.

Rep last 5 rows twice more. **33** (**35-35-39**) sts.

Cont even in pat until work from beg measures **7** (7½-8-8½)" [**18** (**19-20.5-21.5**) cm], ending on a WS row. Place markers at each end of last row.

Work 2 rows even in pat. Fasten off.

#### **POCKETS**

Ch 16 (16-18-18).

**1st row:** (RS). 1 sc in 2nd ch from hook. \*1 dc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. Rep from \* to end of chain. Turn. **15** (15-17-17) sts.

Cont in pat as given for Back for **2** (2-2½-2½)" [**5** (5-6.5-6.5) cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape sides: 1st row:** (RS). Ch 2 (does not count as st). Hdc2tog. Pat to last 2 sts. Hdc2tog. Turn. Rep last row twice more. **9** (9-11-11) sts. Fasten off.

#### **FINISHING**

Sew shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves, placing rows above markers along unworked sts of Body to form square armholes. Sew side and sleeve seams, reversing seam for 1½" [4.5 cm] cuff turnback

**Hood:** Place markers on neck edge 3" [7.5 cm] in from front edge. With RS facing, join yarn with sl st at Right Front neck marker. Ch 1.

Work **71** (**71-75-75**) sc evenly around neck edge to opposite marker. Turn.

**Next row:** Ch 1. 1 sc in first sc. \*1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next sc. Rep from \* end of row. Turn. Place marker on center back st.

Next row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts a dc). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 17 (17-18-18) times. (1 sc. 1 dc. 1 sc) all in next dc (center back st). (1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc) 17 (17-18-18) times. 1 dc in last sc. Turn.

Work 3 rows even in pat.

Next row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 17 (17-18-18) times. 1 sc in next dc. (1 dc. 1 sc. 1 dc) all in next sc (center back st). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 18 (18-19-19) times. Turn.

Work 3 rows even in pat.

Next row: (RS). Ch 3 (counts as dc). (1 sc in next dc. 1 dc in next sc) 18 (18-19-19) times. (1 sc. 1 dc. 1 sc) all in next dc (center back st). (1 dc in next sc. 1 sc in next dc) 18 (17-18-18) times. 1 dc in last sc. Turn. 77 (77-81-81) sts.

Cont even in pat until Hood measures 8 (8½-8½-9)" [20.5 (21.5-21.5-23) cm] from neck edge, ending on a WS row. Fasten off. Fold Hood in half and sew top Hood seam.

Sew buttons and Pockets in position.

# **Pompom**

Wind yarn around 3 fingers approx 100 times. Remove from fingers and tie tightly in center. Cut through each side of loops. Trim to a smooth round shape. Sew to end of Hood.

