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BERNAF BABY STRIPES SWEATER|CROCHET


## MATERIALS

Bernat ${ }^{\oplus}$ Softee ${ }^{\oplus}$ Baby Stripes ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ ( 4.2 oz/120 g; 287 yds/262 m)

Sizes $\quad$| 6 | 12 | 18 | 24 |
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Contrast A Fireball Stripes (53017) $1 \begin{array}{llllll} & 2 & 2 & 3 & \text { ball(s) }\end{array}$
Bernat ${ }^{\oplus}$ Softee ${ }^{\oplus}$ Baby ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ (5 oz/140 g; 362 yds/331 m)
Contrast B Little Red Wagon (54004) 1 1 1
Sizes U.S. E/4 ( 3.5 mm ) and U.S. G/6 ( 4 mm ) crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge. 6 buttons. 2 stitch markers.

## 2 <br> CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

## ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximate(ly)
Beg $=$ Begin(ing)
$\mathrm{Ch}=$ Chain
Dc = Double crochet
Dcbp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of stitch at back of work, inserting hook from left to right. (Yoh and draw through
2 loops on hook) twice
Dcfp = Yoh and draw up a loop around post of stitch at front of work, inserting hook from left to right. (Yoh and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice Hdc = Half double crochet


Rep $=$ Repeat Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS $=$ Right side Sc = Single crochet
Sc2tog = Draw up a loop in each of next 2 sts. Yoh and draw through all loops on hook Sl st = Slip stitch
Sps = Space(s)
St(s) = Stitch(es)
WS = Wrong side
Yoh = Yarn over hook

## GAUGE

16 sc and 19 rows $=4$ " $[10 \mathrm{~cm}$ ] with larger 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.

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Note: Cardigan is worked in one piece from neck downwards. Sleeves are worked after.

With $A$, beg at neck edge, ch 47 (51-55-59).
1st row: (RS). 1 hdc in 3rd ch from hook (counts as 1 hdc ). ( 2 hdc in next ch. 1 hdc in next ch) 22 (24-26-28) times. Turn. 67 (73-79-85) hdc.**
2nd row: Ch 1.1 sc in first hdc. (Ch 2. Skip next 2 hdc. 1 sc in next hdc) 22 (24-26-28) times. Turn.
3rd row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). ( 3 dc in next ch-2 sp. Skip next sc). 21 (23-25-27) times. 3 dc in next ch-2 sp. 1 dc in last sc. Turn. 68 (74-80-86) dc.
4th row: Ch 1.1 sc in first dc. 1 sc in sp between last dc and next dc. ( 1 sc in each of next 3 dc .1 sc in sp between last dc and next dc) 22 (24-26-28) times. 1 sc in last dc. Turn. 91 (99-107-115) sc.

5th row: Ch 2.1 hdc in first sc (counts as 2 hdc). Skip next 2 sc . ( 2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 44(48-52-56) times. 1 hdc in last sc. Turn. 91 (99-107-115) hdc.
6th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each hdc across. Turn.
7th row: As 5th row.

8th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each hdc across. Turn.
9th to 11th rows: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc across. Turn.
12th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 1 (2-1-1) sc. (Ch 2. Skip next 2 sc .1 sc in next sc) 30 (32-35-38) times. 1 sc in each of next 0 (1-10) sc. Turn.

13th row: Ch 3 (counts as dc). 1 dc in each of next 0 (1-0-0) sc. (3 dc in next ch-2 sp. Skip next sc) 29 (31-34-37) times. 3 dc in next ch-2 sp. 1 dc in each of next 1 (2-2-1) sc. Turn. 92 (100-108-116) dc.
14th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 1 (2-1-1) dc. 1 sc in sp between last dc and next dc. (1 sc in each of next 3 dc. 1 sc in sp between last dc and next dc) 30 (32-35-38) times. 1 sc in each of next 1 (2-2-1) dc. Turn. 123 (133-144-155) sc.
15th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc across. Turn.

Divide Sleeves and Body: 16th row: (WS). Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 14 (14-15-15) sc. Ch 7 (8-910). Place marker on last ch. Skip next 32 (36-40-45) sc. 1 sc in each of next 31 (33-34-35) sc. Ch 7 (8-$9-10$ ). Place marker on first ch.

Skip next 32 (36-40-45) sc. 1 sc in each of next 14 (14-15-15) sc. Turn. 73 (77-82-85) sts (sc and ch) for Body.

Body: 17th row: Ch 2 (does not count as hdc). 1 hdc in first sc. (Skip next sc or ch. 2 hdc in next sc or ch) 35 (37-40-41) times. 1 hdc in each of next 2 (2-1-2) sc. Turn. 73 (77-82-85) hdc.
18th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each hdc across. Turn.
19th row: Ch 2 (does not count as hdc). 1 hdc in first sc. (Skip next sc. 2 hdc in next sc) 35 (37-40-41) times. 1 hdc in each of next 2 (2-1-2) sc. Turn.
Rep 18th and 19th rows 6 (8-1012) times more.

Sizes 6,12 and 24 mos only: Next row: As 18th row. Break A, join B.

## Size 18 mos only: Next row: Ch 1.

1 sc in each of next 40 hdc .2 sc in next hdc. 1 sc in each hdc to end of row. Turn. 83 sc . Break A, join B.

All sizes: Ribbing: 1st row: Ch 2
(counts as hdc). *Dcfp around next st. Dcbp around next st. Rep from * to last 2 sts. Dcfp around next st. 1 hdc in last st. Turn.
2nd row: Ch 2 (counts as hdc) *Dcbp around next st. Dcfp around next st. Rep from * to last 2 sts. Dcbp around next st. 1 hdc in top of ch 2. Turn.
3rd row: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). *Dcfp around next st. Dcbp around next st. Rep from * to last 2 sts. Dcfp around next st. 1 hdc in top of ch 2. Turn.
Rep last 2 rows once more. Fasten off.

RIGHT SLEEVE: With RS facing, join A with sl st to marked ch at right armhole.

Sizes 6, 18 and 24 mos only: 1st rnd: Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 4 (4-5) ch. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of last 1 (3-3) ch. 1 sc in each of next $32(40-45) \mathrm{sc}$.

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Size 12 mos only: 1st rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 4 ch . Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of last 2 ch .1 sc in each of next 18 sc . Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 16 sc . Join with sl st to first sc. 42 sts.
**All sizes: $\mathbf{2 n d}$ rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 18 (20-23-26) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2. 38(42-48-54) hdc.
3rd rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 17 (19-10-25) hdc. Sc2tog] 2(2-42) times. Join with sl st to first sc. 36 (40-44-52) sc.
4th rnd: Ch 2. (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 17 (19-21-25) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2 .
5th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 16 (18-20-11) hdc. Sc2tog] 2(2-24) times. Join with sl st to first sc. 34 (38-42-48) sc.
6th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 16 (18-20-23) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2 .

7th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 15 (17-19-22) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. 32 (36-40-46) sc.
8th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 15 (17-19-22) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2 .
9th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 14 (16-18-21) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. 30 (34-$38-44) \mathrm{sc}$.
10th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 14 (16-18-21) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2.
11th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 13 (15-17-20) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. 28 (32-36-42) sc.
12th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 13 (15-17-20) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2 .
13th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 12 (14-16-19) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. 26 (30-34-40) sc.

14th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st . Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 12 (14-16-19) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2 .
15th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next 11 (13-15-18) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. 24 (28-32-38) sc.
16th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc. 11 (13-15-18) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2.

Sizes 12, 18 and 24 mos only: 17th rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next (12-14-17) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. (26-30-36) sc.
18th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) (12-14-17) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2.
19th rnd: Ch 1 . [1 sc in each of next (11-13-16) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. (24-28-34) sc.

20th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) (11-13-16) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2.

Sizes 18 and 24 mos only: 21st rnd: Ch 1. [1 sc in each of next (12-15) hdc. Sc2tog] twice. Join with sl st to first sc. (26-32) sc.
22nd rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Skip next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) (12-15) times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2.

Size 24 mos only: 23rd rnd: Ch 1 . ( 1 sc in each of next 14 hdc. Sc2tog) twice. Join with sl st to first sc. 30 sc.
24th rnd: Ch 2 (counts as hdc). 1 hdc in same sp as last sl st. Miss next sc. (2 hdc in next sc. Skip next sc) 14 times. Join with sl st to top of ch 2 .

All Sizes: Next rnd: Break A, join B with sl st to first st. Ch 1.1 sc in each st around. Join with sl st to first sc. 22 (24-26-30) sc.
Next 2 rnds: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc around. Join with sl st to first sc.

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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 first st. Fasten off.**


LEFT SLEEVE: With RS facing, join A with sl st to marked st.

Sizes 6, 18 and 24 mos only: 1st rnd: Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 32 (40-45) sc. 1 sc in each of next 1 (3-3) ch. Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of last 4 (4-5) ch. 38 (48-54) sc.

Size 12 mos only: 1st rnd: Ch 1. 1 sc in each of next 16 sc . Sc2tog. 1 sc in each of next 18 sc .1 sc in each of next $2 \mathrm{ch} . \mathrm{Sc} 2 \mathrm{tog} .1 \mathrm{sc}$ in each of last 4 ch . Join with sl st to first sc. 42 sc .

All sizes: Work from ** to ** as given for Right Sleeve.

Buttonhole band: With RS facing, join B with sl st to bottom Right Front of Cardigan.

1st row: Ch 1. Work 49 (56-5664) sc evenly up Right Front. Turn. 2nd row: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc to end of row. Turn.
3rd row: Ch 1.1 sc in each of next 4 (5-5-4) sc. Ch 1. Skip next sc. *1 sc in each of next 11 sc . Ch 1. Skip next sc. Rep from * to last 4 (5-5-4) sc. 1 sc in each of next 4 (5-54)sc. Turn.

4th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc and $\mathrm{ch}-1 \mathrm{sp}$ to end of row. Turn.
5th row: Ch 1.1 sc in each sc to end of row. Fasten off.

Button band: With RS facing, join B with sl st to top of Left Front of Cardigan.
1st row: Ch 1. Work 49 (56-5664) sc evenly up Right Front. Turn. 2nd to 5th rows: Ch 1. 1 sc in each sc to end of row. Fasten off at end of last row.
Sew buttons on Button band to correspond to buttonholes.


