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# BERNAT SHAWL COLLAR CARDIGAN | KNIT



MATERIAL	S
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<b>Bernat® Softee® Baby Chunky™</b> (5 oz/140 g; 155 yds/142 m)								
Sizes	6 mos	12 mos	18 mos	2 yrs	4 yrs			
Cozy Gray (96005)	2	2	2	3	3	balls		

Sizes U.S.  $10\frac{1}{2}$  (6.5 mm) and U.S. 11 (8 mm) circular knitting needles  $24^{\prime\prime}$  [60 cm] long. Set of four sizes U.S.  $10\frac{1}{2}$  (6.5 mm) and U.S. 11 (8 mm) double-pointed knitting needles **or size needled to obtain gauge.** Stitch markers. 4 safety pins. 5 buttons.

# KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **BEGINNER**

# **SIZES**

## To fit chest measurement

6 mos	17"	[43 cm]
12 mos	18"	[45.5 cm]
18 mos	19"	[48 cm]
2 yrs	21"	[53.5 cm]
4 yrs	23"	[58.5 cm]

## Finished chest

6 mos	19"	[48 cm]
12 mos	20"	[51 cm]
18 mos	22"	[56 cm]
2 yrs	23"	[58.5 cm]
4 yrs	26"	[66 cm]

# **GAUGE**

12 sts and 16 rows = 4"[10 cm] with larger needles in stocking st.

# **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. For ease in working, circle all numbers pertaining to your size.

# **BODY**

**Note:** Body is worked in one piece to armholes. Sleeves are worked in round to armholes, then Body and Sleeves are knit in one piece as yoke.

With smaller circular needle, cast on **69** (**73-77-81-89**) sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle, proceed as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). K2. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to last st. K1.

**2nd row:** K1. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.

Rep these 2 rows for 1½" [4 cm], ending on a 2nd row.

**Next 2 rows:** Rib to last 7 sts. Leave rem 7 sts on a st holder. **55** (**59**-**63**-**67**-**75**) sts rem at end of 2nd row.

Change to larger circular needle and proceed in stocking st until work from beg measures **7½** (8-8½-9½-10½)" [**19** (20.5-21.5-24-26.5) cm], ending on a purl row.

**Divide for Back and Fronts:** K15 (16-17-18-20). Slip last 4 sts onto a safety pin. K29 (31-33-35-39). Slip last 4 sts onto a



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safety pin. Knit to end of row. Slip all sts onto a length of yarn. Sts are now divided as: 11 (12-13-14-16) sts for Right and Left Fronts. 25 (27-29-31-35) sts for Back.

# **SLEEVES**

With smaller double-pointed needles, cast on 18 (18-20-22-24) sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles as: 6 (6-7-7-8) sts on 1st and 2nd needles and 6 (6-6-8-8) sts on 3rd needle. Join in rnd, PM on first st.

1st rnd: \*K1. P1. Rep from \* around.

Rep last rnd of (K1. P1) ribbing for 1½" [4 cm].

Change to larger double-pointed needles and knit in rnds, inc 1 st at beg and end of 3rd and every following 8th (6th-6th-8th-8th) rnd until there are 22 (24-26-28-30) sts.

Cont even until Sleeve from beg measures **6½** (**7½-8-8½-9½**)" [**16.5** (**19-20.5-21.5-24**) cm].

**Next rnd:** K2. Slip these 2 sts onto a safety pin. Knit to last 2 sts. Slip last 2 sts onto safety pin. Leave rem **18** (20-22-24-26) sts on a length of yarn.

### YOKE

**1st row:** (WS). With larger circular needle, P11 (12-13-14-16) for left front. PM. P18 (20-22-24-26) for left sleeve. PM. P25 (27-29-31-35) for back. PM. P18 (20-22-24-26) for right sleeve. PM. P11 (12-13-14-16) for right front. **83** (91-99-107-119) sts.

Shape raglans and V-neck: 1st row: (RS). ssk. \*Knit to 2 sts before marker. K2tog. SM. ssk. Rep from \* 3 times more. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.

**2nd to 4th rows:** Work 3 rows in stocking st. Rep last 4 rows **0** (1-2-3-3) time(s) more. **73** (71-69-67-79) sts.

Sizes 6, 12 and 18 mos only: 1st row: (RS). ssk. \*Knit to 2 sts before marker. K2tog. SM. ssk. Rep from \* 3 times more. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.

2nd row: Purl.

**3rd row:** \*Knit to 2 sts before marker. K2tog. SM. ssk. Rep from \* 3 times more. Knit to end of row.

4th row: As 2nd row.

Rep last 4 rows 1 (1-0) time more. **37** (**35**-**51**) sts.

Sizes 18 mos, 2 yrs and 4 yrs only: 1st row: (RS). ssk. \*Knit to 2 sts before marker. K2tog. SM. ssk. Rep from \* 3 times more. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.

2nd row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows (0-1-2) time(s) more. (41-47-49) sts.

All sizes: 1st row: (RS). Knit to 2 sts before marker. K2tog. SM. ssk. Rep from \* 3 times more. Knit to end of row. 29 (27-33-39-41) sts.

2nd row: Purl.

Cast off.

## **COLLAR AND BANDS**

**Note:** For Girl's Version, work left front Button Band first. For Boy's Version, work right front Button Band first.

Place 5 markers for buttons on Button band, having top button at beg of V-neck shaping, bottom button 1" [2.5 cm] up from cast on edge and rem 3 buttons spaced evenly between.

Work buttonholes to correspond to button markers on buttonhole band as follows:

**1st row:** (RS). Rib 3 sts. Cast off 2 sts. Rib to end of row.

**2nd row:** Rib across, casting on 2 sts over cast off sts.

# **Right Front Button band or Buttonhole**

**Band:** With smaller needles, cast on 1 st, leaving a long end for sewing band to Right Front. With WS facing, pick up and rib 7 sts from right front safety pin. 8 sts.

**1st row:** (RS). K2. (P1. K1) 3 times.

**2nd row:** (P1. K1) 4 times.

Rep last 2 rows (noting buttonholes for Girl's Version) until work when slightly stretched, measures length to fit up Right Front to beg of V-neck shaping, ending on a WS row and sewing in position as you work.

\*\*Shape Collar: 1st row: (RS). Kfb. Rib to last 2 sts. Kfb. K1.

**2nd to 4th rows:** Work in rib, taking inc sts into (K1. P1) ribbing.

Rep last 4 rows 6 (6-7-8-9) times more. 22 (22-24-26-28) sts. PM at end of last row. Cont even in (K1. P1) ribbing until work from marked row (when slightly stretched) measures 2 (2½-2¾-2¾-2¾)" [5 (5.5-6-7-7) cm], ending on a WS row. Cast off.\*\*

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# **Left Front Button band or Buttonhole**

**Band:** With smaller needles, cast on 1 st, leaving a long end for sewing band to Left Front. With RS facing, pick up and rib 7 sts from left front safety pin. 8 sts.

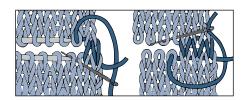
**1st row:** (WS). (P1. K1) 4 times. **2nd row:** (K1. P1) 3 times. K2.

Rep last 2 rows (noting buttonholes for Boy's Version) until work when slightly stretched, measures length to fit up Left Front to beg of V-neck shaping, ending on a WS row and sewing in position as you work.

Work from \*\* to \*\* as given above.

Sew center back seam. Sew Collar in position.

Graft underarm seams. Sew buttons to correspond to buttonholes.





# **ABBREVIATIONS:**

Beg = Beginning
Cont = Continue(ity)
Inc = Increase
K = Knit
K2tog = Knit next 2
stitches together
Kfb = Increase 1 stitch
by knitting into front and

back of next stitch
P = Purl
PM = Place marker
Rem = Remaining
Rep = Repeat(s)
Rnd(s) = Round(s)
RS = Right side
SM = Slip marker

Ssk = Slip next 2 stitches knitwise one at a time. Pass them back onto left-hand needle, then knit through back loops together St(s) = Stitch(es) WS = Wrong side