



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

## ABBREVIATIONS

**Alt** = Alternate  
**Approx** = Approximate(ly)  
**Beg** = Begin(ning)  
**Cont** = Continue(ity)  
**Cr3B** = Slip next 2 stitches onto cable needle and leave at back of work. K1, then K2 from cable needle.  
**Cr3F** = Slip next stitch onto cable needle and leave at front of work. K2, then K1 from cable needle.  
**Dec** = Decrease(d)  
**Inc** = Increase(d)  
**K** = Knit  
**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches together

**P** = Purl  
**Pat** = Pattern  
**PM** = Place marker  
**Rem** = Remaining  
**Rep** = Repeat  
**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  
**Yo** = Yarn over

## MATERIALS

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

Sizes	6	12	18	mos
<b>Contrast A</b> Flannel (30044)	1	1	2	ball(s)
<b>Contrast B</b> Antique White (30008)	1	1	1	ball

Size U.S. 6 (4 mm) circular knitting needle 29" [74 cm] long.  
 Size U.S. 6 (4 mm) knitting needles for Sleeves **or size needed to obtain gauge**. 2 stitch holders. Cable needle. 8 stitch markers. 1 button.

## SIZES

**To fit chest measurement**

<b>6 mos</b>	<b>17" [43 cm]</b>
<b>12 mos</b>	<b>18" [45.5 cm]</b>
<b>18 mos</b>	<b>19" [48 cm]</b>

**Finished chest**

<b>6 mos</b>	<b>21" [53.5 cm]</b>
<b>12 mos</b>	<b>22" [56 cm]</b>
<b>18 mos</b>	<b>23" [58.5 cm]</b>

## GAUGE

20 sts and 40 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Garter St.

## INSTRUCTIONS

*The instructions are written for smaller 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:** Body is worked in one piece to armholes. Sleeves are worked flat, joined onto Body and Yoke is worked in one piece.

**Lace Panel** (worked over 7 sts)

**1st row:** (RS). Cr3B. K1. Cr3F.

**2nd and 4th rows:** P7.

**3rd row:** K1. K2tog.yo. K1.yo. ssk. K1.

**5th row:** As 3rd row.

**6th row:** Purl.

These 6 rows form Lace Panel Pat.

## BODY

With B and circular needle, cast on **110 (114-120)** sts. **Do not** join. Working back and forth across needle in rows, proceed as follows: Work 1½" [4.5 cm] in garter st (knit every row), noting first row is WS and ending on a WS row. Break B. With A, cont in garter st until work from beg measures **6½ (7-7½)" [16.5 (18-19.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row. Leave sts on needle.

## SLEEVES

With B and pair of needles, cast on **38 (40-42)** sts.

Work 1½" [4.5 cm] in garter st (knit every row), noting first row is WS and ending on a WS row. Break B. With A, cont in garter st for 8 rows.

Inc 1 st each end of next row and following 8th rows until there are **42 (46-50)** sts.

Cont even work from beg measures **7 (7½-8)" [18 (19-20.5) cm]**, ending on a WS row. Leave sts on st holder.

## YOKE

**1st row:** (RS). With A and circular needle, K**28 (29-31)** (Right Front) from Body. K**42 (46-50)** from Sleeve. K**54 (56-58)** (Back) from Body. K**42 (46-50)** from Sleeve. K**28 (29-31)** (Left Front) from Body. **194 (206-220)** sts.

**2nd row:** (Set-up row-WS). K**25 (26-28)**. PM. P7. PM. K**34 (38-42)**. PM. P7. PM. K**48 (50-52)**. PM. P7. PM. K**34 (38-42)**. PM. P7. PM. K**25 (26-28)**.

**3rd row:** K**23 (24-26)**. ssk. SM. Work 1st row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. K**30 (34-38)**. ssk. SM. Work 1st row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. K**44 (46-48)**. ssk. SM. Work 1st row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. K**30 (34-38)**. ssk. SM. Work 1st row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. K**23 (24-26)**. **186 (198-212)** sts.

**4th row:** K**24 (25-27)**. SM. Work 2nd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**32 (36-40)**. SM. Work 2nd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**46 (48-50)**. SM. Work 2nd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**32 (36-40)**. SM. Work 2nd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**24 (25-27)**.

**5th row:** K**24 (25-27)**. SM. Work 3rd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**32 (36-40)**. SM. Work 3rd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**46 (48-50)**. SM. Work 3rd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**32 (36-40)**. SM. Work 3rd row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**24 (25-27)**.

**6th row:** K**24 (25-27)**. SM. Work 4th row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**32 (36-40)**. SM. Work 4th row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**46 (48-50)**. SM. Work 4th row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**32 (36-40)**. SM. Work 4th row of Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K**24 (25-27)**. Lace Panel Pat is now in position.

**7th row (Dec row):** Knit to 2 sts before next marker. ssk. \*SM. Work Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. Knit to 2 sts before next

marker. ssk. Rep from \* twice more. SM. Work Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. Knit to end of row. (8 sts dec).

Keeping markers in place for rem of Yoke, work 3 rows even in pat. Rep Dec row on next row and following 4th rows **1 (3-5)** time(s) more. **162 (158-156)** sts. Work 1 row even in pat. Rep Dec row on next row and following alt rows **10 (9-8)** times more. **74 (78-84)** sts. Work 1 row even in pat.

**Next row:** (Buttonhole row – RS): K3. Cast off 2 sts. Knit to 2 sts before next marker. ssk. \*SM. Work Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. Knit to 2 sts before next marker. ssk. Rep from \* twice more. SM. Work Lace Panel Pat across next 7 sts. SM. K2tog. Knit to end of row.

Work 1 row even in pat, casting on 2 sts over cast off sts.

Rep Dec row on next row. **58 (62-68)** sts.

Cast off all sts knitwise (WS).

## FINISHING

Sew sleeve seams. Sew button in position to correspond to buttonhole.

