

BERNAT BERNARD BEE KNIT TOY

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MATERIALS

Bernat® Baby Blanket™ (3.5 oz/100 g; 72 yds/65 m)

Contrast A Baby Yellow (03615) 1 ball

Contrast B Baby Sand (03010) 1 ball

Contrast C Baby Blue (03202) 1 ball

Set of 4 size U.S. $10\frac{1}{2}$ (6.5 mm) double-pointed knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Yarn needle. Two $\frac{3}{4}$ " [20 mm] safety eyes. Stuffing





ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Begin(ning)

Inc = Increase(ing)

 $\mathbf{K} = Knit$

Kfb = Increase 1 stitch by knitting into front and back of next stitch

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches

together

Rem = Remaining

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

St(s) = Stitch(es)

MEASUREMENT

Approx 11" [28 cm] long.

GAUGE

9 sts and 15 rows = 4" [10 cm] in stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

STINGER

With pair of double-pointed needles and B, cast on 3 sts. K3. **Do not** turn. *Slide sts to opposite end of needle. K3. Rep from * for 2" [5 cm].

Cont working in rnd with additional double-pointed needles for **BODY**.

1st rnd: (Kfb) 3 times. 6 sts - having 2 sts on each needle.

2nd rnd: Break B. Join A. With A, (Kfb) 6 times. 12 sts.

3rd rnd: *K1. Kfb. Rep from * around, 18 sts.

4th rnd: *K2. Kfb. Rep from * around. 24 sts.

5th rnd: *K3. Kfb. Rep from * around. 30 sts.

6th rnd: *K4. Kfb. Rep from * around, 36 sts.

7th rnd: *K5. Kfb. Rep from * around. 42 sts.

Knit even in rnds until work from last inc rnd measures 3" [7.5 cm]. Break A. Join B.

With B, knit even until work from last inc rnd measures 6" [15 cm]. Break B. Join A.



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With A, knit even until work from last inc rnd measures 9" [23 cm].

Next rnd: *K5. K2tog. Rep from * around, 36 sts. Break A. Join B.

Next 2 rnds: With B, knit.

Next rnd: *K4. K2tog. Rep from * around. 30 sts.

Next rnd: *K3. K2tog. Rep from * around, 24 sts.

Stuff firmly and attach safety eyes as shown in photo.

Next rnd: *K2. K2tog. Rep from * around. 18 sts.

Next rnd: *K1. K2tog. Rep from * around. 12 sts.

Next rnd: (K2toq) 6 times. 6 sts. Break yarn, leaving a long end. Thread end through rem sts. Pull tightly. Fasten securely.

WINGS (make 2)

With C, cast on 8 sts.

Work in garter st (knit every row) for 1½" [4 cm].

Next row: K1. K2tog. K2. K2tog. K1. 6 sts.

Next row: K1. (K2tog) twice. K1.

4 sts.

Next row: (K2tog) twice. 2 sts.

Cast off.

Sew Wings to Body as shown in photo on rnd of color change from B to A.

ANTENNAE (make 2 alike)

With pair of double-pointed needles and B, cast on 3 sts. K3. **Do not** turn. *Slide sts to opposite end of needle. K3. Rep from * for 2" [5 cm].

Cast off.

Sew Antennae to Body as shown in photo.



