



**BERNAT HANDICRAFTER
COTTON BABY
KNIT BIBS AND BOOTIES**

SIZE

To fit baby: Newborn to 6 mos.

MATERIALS

Bernat Handicrafter Cotton Baby

Solids (400 g/14 oz) or

Ombres (340 g/12 oz)

1 ball of Baby Blue or Baby Lullaby or Baby Green or Baby Lilac or Baby Pink or Baby Pastels or Baby Yellow.

Size 4.5 mm (U.S. 7) knitting needles **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Button.

GAUGE: 20 sts and 26 rows = 4 ins [10 cm] in stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

BIB: Cast on 17 sts.

1st row: (RS). Knit.

Beg with a purl row, proceed in stocking st and cast on 5 sts at beg of next 4 rows. 37 sts.

Cont even in stocking st for 6 ins [15 cm], ending with a purl row.

Shape neck: 1st row: K10. K2tog. **Turn.** Leave rem sts on a spare needle.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows. 8 sts.

Work 16 rows even.

Inc 1 st at neck edge on next 4 rows. 12 sts.

Inc 1 st at neck edge, AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at outer edge on next 4 rows. 12 sts.

Next row: (RS). Cast off 5 sts. Knit to last st. Inc 1 st in last st.

Next row: Inc 1 st in first st. Purl to end of row.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. 3 sts. Cast off.

With RS of work facing, slip next 13 sts onto a st holder. Sl1. K1. pssso. Knit to end of row.

Work to correspond to first side, reversing all shapings.

Neck edging: With RS of work facing, pick up and knit 27 sts down left neck edge, K13 from st holder, dec 1 st at center. Pick up and knit 27 sts up right neck edge. 66 sts. Knit 4 rows. Cast off knitwise (WS).

Outer edging: With RS of work facing, pick up and knit 166 sts

around outer edge of Bib. Knit 4 rows. Cast off knitwise (WS).

Button loop: Cast on 14 sts. Cast off. Fold loop in half and sew in position at back left end.

Sew button to correspond to loop at back right end.

BOOTIES: Cast on 35 sts.

1st and alt rows: (WS). Knit.

2nd row: (K1. yfwd. K16. yfwd) twice. K1. 39 sts.

4th row: (K1. yfwd. K18. yfwd) twice. K1. 43 sts.

6th row: (K1. yfwd. K20. yfwd) twice. K1. 47 sts.

Knit 11 rows (garter st).

Shape toe: 1st row: (RS). K19. K2tog. K5. Sl1. K1. pssso. Sl1. yf. **Turn.**

2nd row: K2tog. K5. Sl1. K1. pssso. Sl1P. yf. **Turn.**

3rd and 4th rows: As 2nd row.

5th row: K2tog. K5. Sl1. K1. pssso. Sl1. **Turn.**

6th row: P2togtbl. P5. P2tog. Sl1P. **Turn.**

7th and 8th rows: As 5th and 6th rows.

9th row: K2tog. K5. Sl1. K1. pssso. Knit to end of row.

10th row: Purl.

11th row: K1. *P1. K1. Rep from * to end of row.

12th row: P1. *K1. P1. Rep from * to end of row.

Rep last 2 rows for 2½ ins [6 cm], ending with 12th row. Cast off in ribbing.

Sew sole seam. Sew back seam reversing for turn back.



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