



MATERIALS

Red Heart® Babyhugs™

(Solids: 4.5 oz/127 g; 247 yds/225 m. Multi: 4 oz/113 g; 208 yds/225 m)

Contrast A Teddy (4315) **1 ball**

Contrast B Bluie (4825) **1 ball**

Contrast C Safari (4952) **1 ball**

Contrast D Ink (4012) **1 ball**

Set of 4 size U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) double-pointed knitting needles and U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) circular knitting needle 16" [40 cm] **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Fiberfill stuffing, stitch markers, yarn needle.



KNIT | SKILL LEVEL: **INTERMEDIATE**

ABBREVIATIONS

Alt = Alternate(ing)

Approx = Approximately

Beg = Beginning

Cont = Continue(ity)

Dec = Decreasing(ed)

Inc = Increasing(ed)

K = Knit

K2tog = Knit next 2 stitches together

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

P = Purl

Pat = Pattern

PM = Place marker

Rem = Remaining

Rep = Repeat

Rnd(s) = Round(s)

RS = Right side

Sl1 = Slip next stitch knitwise

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)

Tog = Together

Yo = Yarn over

MEASUREMENTS

Approx 21½" [54.5 cm] x 21½" [54.5 cm].

GAUGE

24 sts and 28 rows = 4" [10 cm] with U.S. 4 (5.5 mm) needles in stocking st.

INSTRUCTIONS

Notes:

- Teddy Head, Ears and Arms are worked in rnd on double-pointed needles.
- Head is worked from back of

head to nose. Facial features are worked in embroidery using C.

- Blankie is worked back and forth in rows on circular needle.
- Circular needle is used to accommodate large number of sts.
- Piece is worked on diagonal in Garter st beg in first corner and inc sts until full diagonal width has been worked, then sts are dec to last corner.
- Carry color not in use up side edge of work, twisting yarns tog to prevent long carries of yarn.

TEDDY HEAD

With double-pointed needles and A, cast on 6 sts. Divide sts evenly onto 3 needles. Join to work in rnds, taking care not to twist sts. PM for beg of rnd.

1st rnd: Kfb in each st around. 12 sts.

2nd and alt rnds: Knit.

3rd rnd: (K1. Kfb) 6 times. 18 sts.

5th rnd: (K2. Kfb) 6 times. 24 sts.

7th rnd: (K3. Kfb) 6 times. 30 sts.

9th rnd: (K4. Kfb) 6 times. 36 sts.

11th rnd: (K5. Kfb) 6 times. 42 sts.

13th rnd: (K6. Kfb) 6 times. 48 sts.

15th rnd: (K7. Kfb) 6 times. 54 sts.

17th rnd: (K8. Kfb) 6 times. 60 sts.

18th to 25th rnds: Knit.

26th rnd: (K3. ssk. K5. K2tog. K3) 4 times. 52 sts.

27th rnd: (K3. ssk. K3. K2tog. K3) 4 times. 44 sts.

28th rnd: (K3. ssk. K1. K2tog. K3) 4 times. 36 sts.

29th rnd: (K1. ssk. K3. K2tog. K1) 4 times. 28 sts.

30th to 34th rnds: Knit.

35th rnd: (K1. ssk. K1. K2tog. K8] 2 times. 24 sts.

36th rnd: Knit.

37th rnd: (K6. ssk. K1. K2tog. K1] 2 times. 20 sts.

38th rnd: Knit.

Stuff firmly with fiberfill, adding more as rounds are completed.

39th rnd: (K3. K2tog) 4 times. 16 sts.

40th rnd: (K2. K2tog) 4 times. 12 sts. Cut yarn, leaving a long end. Thread end through rem sts. Pull tightly. Fasten securely.

EARS (make 2)

With double-pointed needles and A, cast on 16 sts, leaving a long end for sewing. Divide sts among 3 needles - (5, 5, 6) sts. Join to work in rnds, taking care not to twist sts. PM for beg of rnd.

Knit in rnds until work from beg measures 1" [2.5 cm].

Proceed as follows:

1st rnd: (K2. K2tog) 4 times. 12 sts.

2nd rnd: (K1. K2tog) 4 times. 8 sts. Cut yarn, leaving a long end. Thread end through rem sts. Pull tightly. Fasten securely.

ARMS (make2)

With double-pointed needles and A, cast on 14 sts leaving a long end. Divide sts among 3 needles - (5, 5, 4) sts. Join to work in rnds, taking care not to twist sts. PM for beg of rnd.

1st to 33th rnds: Knit.

34th rnd: (K2. K2tog) 3 times. K2. 11 sts.

35th rnd: K2tog. K9. 10 sts.

36th rnd: (K2tog) 5 times. 5 sts. Cut yarn, leaving a long end. Thread end through rem sts. Pull tightly. Fasten securely.

Stuff arm firmly and sew cast-on edge closed.

Blankie

Note: Each row has increase or decrease of one stitch.

1st row: With circular needle and B, cast on 1 st.

2nd row: Kfb. 2 sts.

3rd row: (Kfb) twice. 4 sts.

4th row: Sl1. K1. yo. Knit to end of row. 5 sts.

5th to 9th rows: Rep Row 4. 10 sts at end of last row.

10th row: With C, K2. yo. Knit to end of row. 11 sts.

11th to 14th rows: With C, as Row 4. 15 sts at end of last row.

15th row: With D, K2. yo. Knit to end of row. 16 sts.

16th to 19th rows: With D, as Row 4. 20 sts at end of last row.

20th to 114th rows: Keeping in stripe pat, working 5 rows with B, 5 rows with C and 5 rows with

D, repeat last 5 rows, ending with 5 rows with B. 115 sts at end of last row.

115th row: With C, K1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. Knit to end of row. 114 sts.

116th to 119th rows: Sl1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. Knit to end. 110 sts at end of last row.

120th row: With D, K1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. Knit to end of row. 109 sts.

121st to 124th rows: Sl1. K2tog. yo. K2tog. Knit to end of row. 105 sts at end of last row.

125th to 228th rows: Keeping in stripe pat, working 5 rows with B, 5 rows with C and 5 rows with D, repeat last 5 rows, ending with 5 rows with B. 1 st rem at last row. Fasten off.

FINISHING

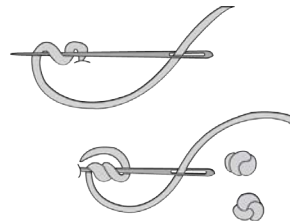
Referring to photo and using long ends, flatten Ears and sew cast-on edges on either side of Head.

Eye Socket Indentations

Cut a length of A, 12-18" [30-46 cm] long, and thread on yarn needle. Looking at Head straight on, locate "V" shapes created by dec rnds. Position eye sockets at one at bottom of one "V" shape and second in next nearest "V" shape.

Insert needle in bottom of first "V", draw needle through and out of opposite "V" shape. Make ¼" [6mm] st and draw yarn back through to original starting place at first "V". Remove yarn from needle and tie 2 ends tog securely, pulling tightly to indent eye sockets. Thread ends back onto needle and weave through Head. Trim off excess yarn.

Eyes: With D, embroider French knot in first socket, bringing needle through to other socket and rep French knot for second eye. Secure and trim yarn ends.

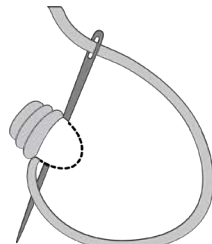


French Knot

Nose: With D, embroider triangle Nose over last round in Satin st.

Joining Teddy to Blankie

Find center point of Blankie and mark for placement of Teddy. With A, sew Head in center of Blankie with face pointed towards one corner. Sew cast-on edge of each Arm on either side of Head. Weave in ends.



Satin Stitch

